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### PROCLAMATIONS.

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

#### PROCLAMATION.

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

CECIL CLEMENTI.

KNOW Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, do hereby revoke the Proclamation made under "The Insect Pest and Quarantine Ordinance, No. 5 of 1901," dated June 13, 1917, and published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* dated July 20, 1917, declaring the insect named Fluted Scale (*Icerya purchasi*) to be an insect pest within the meaning of the said Ordinance.

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

By His Excellency's command,

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

CECIL CLEMENTI.

WHEREAS by sections 4 and 5 of "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by Proclamation to be by him for that purpose issued, declare from time to time, as he may think desirable, that any Chief Headmen's division or part thereof shall be brought from a time to be named therein within the operation of the said Ordinance, and that the same shall be subdivided into villages or convenient groups of villages in such a manner as the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, shall appoint, and that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the like advice from time to time, to alter and amend the said subdivisions:

And whereas the subdivisions constituted by the Proclamations dated August 24, 1877, and March 4, 1894, respectively, were altered in the manner set forth in a Proclamation dated January 18, 1907:

And whereas it is expedient to again alter and re-divide the Batticaloa South division specified in the said Proclamation dated January 18, 1907:

Now know Ye that We, the said Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the power in Us vested and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby alter the said Batticaloa South division and the subdivisions specified thereunder in the Proclamation dated January 18, 1907:

And We do hereby substitute the divisions and subdivisions in the schedule hereto specified for the Batticaloa South division and its subdivisions specified in the said Proclamation dated January 18, 1907, with effect as from and after the date hereof:

And We do in all other respects confirm the said Proclamation dated January 18, 1907.

Given at Anuradhapura, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-two.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Schedule referred to.

LIST OF SUBDIVISIONS OF BATTICALOA SOUTH DIVISION.

No.	Subdivision.	
<i>Karavaku and Nintur Pattus.</i>		
1	Karavaku	Periyakallar, Turainilavanai, Periyamilavanai, Marutamunai, Pandiruppu, Turavantiyamadu, Chenaikudirippu, Saintamarutu, Karaitivu, Challitivu, and Mavadipalli.
2	Nintavur	Nintavur, Paravankudirippu, Naduvukudiyirippu, Chenkatpadai, Maddupalai, and Addaipallam.
<i>Eruvil and Porativu Pattus.</i>		
3	Eruvil	Kalutavalai, Kaluvanchikudiruppu, Paddiruppu, Eruvil, Kodaimeadu, Kurumanveli, Makilur, Makilurmunai, Kodaikallar, and Ondatchimadam.
4	Porativu	Divulanai, Kodalipoddamadu, Kalimadukandam, Palugamam, Tumpankeni, Periyaporativu, Munaikadu, Mandur, Tikkodai, Marunkaiadi, Navalkeni, Natanai, Vellaveli, Valaichchenai, Virattuchchenai, and Kovilporativu.
<i>Chammanturai.</i>		
5	Chammanturai	Chammanturai Tamil division, Chammanturai Moorish division, Viramunai, Chorikalmunai, Chadayan-talavai, Chavalaikadai, Navithanveli, Annamalalai, Kudiyirippumunai, Malvattai, Nantila, Malukampuddy, Toyavaddai, Mallikaitivu, Viraiyadikaddu, Amparakulakaddu, Irramakaddu, Irrakamam, Vari-pattanchenai, Chunkatturai, Parakadikadu, Kannan-kadu, and Tinpilakavaddai.
<i>Akkarai Pattu.</i>		
6	Akkarai North	Oluvil, Palamunai, Alayadikalai, Panaiyaditivu, Addalachenai, and Karunkodditivu.
7	Akkarai South	Kolavil, Panankadu, Paddimedu, Sagamam, Tampad-dai, Tampiluvil, and Tirukovil.

*Panama Pattu.*

No.	Subdivision.	
8	Panama Pattu North	Pottuvil, Yalpattai, Komariya, Lagugala, Hulanuge, Kumana, Bachmitiyawa, Kubukgolla, Morana, and Patugalla
9	Panama South	Radella, Panama, Salavai, Ukantai, and Kumunai.

## WEWGAM PATTU DIVISION.

*Uda Palata.*

## Gonagolle Arachchi's Wasama.

Porodutuwala Nillobe	Bandaradiwe Galmeda	Unagella Gonagolle
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## Kohabana Arachchi's Wasama.

Burutagolla Pokkunudeka	Kohombana	Pitaella
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## Kottelinda Arachchi's Wasama.

Bokkebedda	Kottelinda
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## Bokkeyaya Arachchi's Wasama.

Egoda Mahakandiya Egoda Kudakandiya	Udawatura Rambukgahalanda	Bokkeyaye
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## Bakkielle Arachchi's Wasama.

Seerangamaduwa Pahura	Kachchakodiya Bakkiella	Bellangiriya
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*Meda Palata.*

## Komariya Arachchi's Wasama.

Komariya	Kuppanda	Uhana
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## Uhana Arachchi's Wasama.

Galahitiyagoda	Megoda Mahakandiya	Megoda Kudakandiya
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## Veeradiya Arachchi's Wasama.

Weligahagolla Karangawa	Heen Veeradiya Neelagoda	Walatapitiya Paranamalawatte
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## Paragahawella Arachchi's Wasama.

Himudurawa Kondawatawane Ambara	Ganangolla Paragahakele Dawinne	Ambagahawette Galmaduwe
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*Yati Palata.*

## Padagoda Arachchi's Wasama.

Padagoda Pahalalandu	Koknahara	Kossapola
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## Landegama Arachchi's Wasama.

Landegama Kadayinyaye	Lewlagame Wadinagala	Kiwulagama Dewalahide
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## Pannelagama Arachchi's Wasama.

Pannelagama Karandewatte	Tottama Opulugolle	Bandiyagoda
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## Ekgalara Arachchi's Wasama.

Ekgalare Medagama	Madana	Madawalagame
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## Illukpitiya Arachchi's Wasama.

Illukpitiya Hingarana	Alahena Helabode	Damane Keenawatte
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## APPOINTMENTS.

No. 425 of 1922.

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

Mr. R. F. MORRIS, Assistant Director of Irrigation, to act as Director of Irrigation, in addition to his own duties, from November 28, 1922, until the resumption of duties by Mr. C. F. S. BAKER, or until further orders.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to act as District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate for the District of Puttalam from December 11 to 16, 1922, inclusive.

Mr. A. E. STRONG to act as Commissioner of Requests, Police Magistrate, and Additional District Judge, Puttalam, from December 8 to 10, 1922, during the absence of Mr. G. C. MILES, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. J. E. DE ZOYSA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Negombo, during the absence of Mr. C. E. ARNDT, on December 5 and 6, 1922, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. MARKUS to act at Dandagamuwa as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Kurunegala on December 4 and 5, 1922, during the absence of Mr. D. B. SENEVIRATNE, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. L. WICKRAMASINGHE to act as Itinerating Police Magistrate, Western Province; Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, Negombo, and Avissawella; and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avissawella, with effect from December 1, 1922, during the temporary absence of Mr. E. W. KANNANGARA, or until further orders.

Mr. H. E. DE KRETSER, Acting Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, under section 5 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, to be an Official Member of the Local Board, Anuradhapura.

Mr. RATNAMALALA BANDARALAGE DINGIRI BANDA, of Hangilipola, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to be an Inquirer for Pahalawisideke korale in Wannan hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 7, 1922.

No. 426 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. S. DE SARAM, who has been appointed as Second Additional District Judge, Colombo, assumed duties as from December 2, 1922.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 6, 1922.

No. 427 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to post Captain JOHN ARTHUR MALLOCK BOND to the Ceylon

Mounted Rifles Reserve, with effect from December 1, 1922.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 1, 1922.

No. 428 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Colombo Town Guards to fill existing vacancies:—

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Company Sergeant-Major GEORGE HERBERT GRATIAEN.  
Sergeant CARL EVAN ARNDT.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 2, 1922.

No. 429 of 1922.

**IT** is notified for information that **HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Captain LAURENCE CHARLES ST. GEORGE CAREY of his Commission in the Ceylon Supply and Transport Corps Reserve.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 6, 1922.

No. 430 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of section 11 (3) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, Mr. C. HARRISON-JONES, Assistant Government Agent, Matale, to be an *ex officio* Member of the Matale Urban District Council for 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 4, 1922.

No. 431 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to nominate, under the provisions of section 11 (2) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Members of the Matale Urban District Council:—

Dr. A. A. M. WERAPEERMALL, District Medical Officer,  
Matale.

Mr. WALTER A. UDUGAMA, Ratamahatmaya, Matale  
South.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 4, 1922.

No. 432 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to nominate the under-mentioned gentlemen, under section 11 (2) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, to be Members of the Chilaw Urban District Council :—

Mr. A. S. BARKER, District Engineer.  
Dr. W. WIJEYEGOONEWARDENE, Medical Officer.

**HIS EXCELLENCY** has also been pleased to appoint Mr. M. T. ARCHIBALD, Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, under section 11 (3) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, to be an *ex officio* Member of that Council for the year 1923.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 6, 1922.

No. 433 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to appoint Mr. SAMUEL VICTOR PERERA JAYATILAKA, of "Athena Grove," Wall street, Kotahena, 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,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 29, 1922.

No. 434 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to appoint Mr. PETER PERERA GUNAWARDHANA, at present practising as a Notary Public at Kadugannawa in Kandy District,

to be a Notary Public throughout Dewameddi and Hiri-yala hatpattus of Kurunegala District, with residence and office at Hettipola, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 29, 1922.

No. 435 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to appoint Mr. PARAMANANTHAVALLIAR KASINATHER VELUPILLAI, at present practising as a Notary Public at Karativu East in Jaffna District, to be a Notary Public throughout Karavaku, Nintavur, and Chammanurai pattus of Batticaloa District, with residence and office at Kalmunai, and an additional office at Karativu, and to practise as such in the Tamil language.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

No. 436 of 1922.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT** has been pleased to appoint Mr. SAYAMBAR KANDIAH PILLAI, at present practising as a Notary Public at Mullaittivu, to be a Notary Public throughout Islands division of Jaffna District, with residence and office at Karativu East, and to practise as such in the Tamil language.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

### APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

D. R. PANAMBALANA to act as Registrar of Lands, Ratnapura, for two days from November 29, 1922, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, H. D. SENEVIRATNE, on leave.

K. V. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Registrar of Lands, Mullaittivu, for three days from November 30, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, C. ARUMUGAM, on leave.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, November 30, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

**IT** is hereby notified that I have appointed DISANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pattipola division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Yatikinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, with effect from December 5, 1922, *vice* D. M. SUDU BANDA, deceased. His office will be at Wediwela.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, December 4, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

**IT** is hereby notified that I have appointed WAYADENAGEDARA ADIKARI MUDIYANSELAGE MUTU BANDA provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medagam pattu division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, with effect from December 5, 1922, *vice* A. M. KALU BANDA, resigned. His office will be at Yakunnawa.

Registrar General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, November 28, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

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

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed WIJESINHAPATRAGE PETER PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambatalenpahala East division, and of Marriages (General) of Ambatalenpahala division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from November 30, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, MENIKGAMA ARACHCHIGE DON MATHIAS SENEVIRATNA GUNAWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at Kongahawatta in Kelanimulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed LIYANAGE CLEMENT DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Otara West division, and of Marriages (General) of Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale north division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on December 4, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, HENRY RICHARD DE SILVA, on leave. His office will be at Kurunduwatta in Daluwakotuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DON WILLIAM SENANAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yatigaha North division, and of Marriages (General) of Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for December 4, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, SENANAYAKA APPUHAMILAGE DON YAHAPANE, on leave. His office will be at Polhitawapuwatta in Kudagammana station: Kinagahawatta in Wattermulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed KURUWITA ARACHCHIGE DON RATNASEKERA

to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mulleriyawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu of Hewagam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on December 4, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, MUDALIGE DON CAROLIS, on leave. His office will be at Telabugahawatta in Mulleriyawa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed PUHAHNGE WILLIAM RODRIGO GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waddubadda division, and of Marriages (General) of Panadure totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on November 30, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, C. P. JAYAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Pallipitiyawatta in Morontuduwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed MEDAGAMALIYANAGE DON ANDRIS GAMAGODA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on December 4, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, H. DE A. SAMARANAYAKE, on leave. His office will be at Kajugahawatta in Nagoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed WANISEKARAMUDIYANSELAGE RAN BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of Pata Dumbara No. 6 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for twenty-four days from December 1, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, R. B. EKANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Delgahamullewattegedara in Naranpanawa, additional office at Medapanguwekumbura in Naranpanawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ELGIN WIRASURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kataluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from November 28, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, W. WARNASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at Nala-arambewatta in Kataluwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed JOHANIS DIAS GUNARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kananke division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for three weeks from November 26, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. Y. GUNARATNA, on leave. His office will be at Kanattewatta *alias* Apaddira in Poramba Kananke.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed GANGODAGAMAGE DAVID DIAS GUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Midigama division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for sixteen days from November 30, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, G. D. A. DE SILVA, on leave. His offices will be at Dammalagegahalawatta in Midigama and Dediagalawatta in Hettiweediya, Weligama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed BARLIYAS WIJETUNGA JAYAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Watagedara division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, on December 4, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. A. WEERASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Mahinagodawatta in Palatuwa and No. 4, Galagamagewatta in Paranadugala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON SAUNDIRIS GUNASEKERA WELLAPULI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walasmulla Upper division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for seven days from December 2, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. G. WELLAPULI, on leave. His office will be at Pallehawatta in Itthademaliya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed ILAIYATAMPI THANMAVARATHAR to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Valikamam North division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for fifteen days from December 8, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, R. R. B. KUMARAKULASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Muddivalai in Tellippalai East.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed A. KANAGASABAPATHY to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Maritime pattus division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for ten days from November 26, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar S. I. WIJAYA RUTNAM on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Mullaittivu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed K. V. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Maritime pattus division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for three days from November 27, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, C. ARUMUGAN, on leave. His office will be at the Assistant Provincial Registrar's Office, Mullaittivu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed BALALLE LANSAKARA JAYASUNDERA MUDIYANSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Katuwanna korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Wannu hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for four days from December 2, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, R. M. DINGIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Walauwewatta in Hanglipola.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed MADANASINGHAGE DON SIMON PETER to act as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for eighteen days from November 28, 1922, during the absence of the Deputy Medical Registrar, B. ARNOLIS, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Puttalam.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed SHANMUGAM APPACUDDY NALLIAH to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Puttalam pattu and gravets division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for seven days from November 28, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, C. W. A. BEEBEE, on leave. His office will be at the Puttalam Kachcheri.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Puttalam and Chilaw Districts has appointed ABAYAKOON CAROLIS WIJAYASINHA 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 November 30, 1922, *vice* Registrar, M. P. APPUHAMY, resigned. His office will be at Kajugahawatta, Nattandiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed PUNCHIRALAGE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Sinhala pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Tamankaduwa division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for twenty-six days from December 6, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, L. B. KIRI BANDA, on sick leave. His office will be at Minneriya.

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 four days from November 27, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, E. S. JAYAWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Ratnapura.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed IMTIYARALLAGE PODIAPPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kiriella division, and of Marriages (General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for two days from December 6, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, M. A. HARMANIS APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed DASANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Egodapota Tannipperu pattuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Galboda and Kinigoda korales division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for fifteen days from December 1, 1922, during the absence of the Registrar, D. M. U. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Daswatta.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Acting Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that a license to import one hundred (100) rifle cartridges into Ceylon during the current year has been issued to Mr. R. G. Johnston, of Dehigolla, Rangala.

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

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to Notification dated November 6, 1922, and published in the *Gazette* dated November 17, 1922, regarding the liquidation of the Transportes Maritimos do Estado, it is hereby published for general information that claims against the Transportes Maritimos do Estado should be addressed to "Senhor Presidente da Comissao Ministerio Liquidateria dos Transportes Maritimos do Estado, Ministerio do Comercio, Lisbon."

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

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

### "THE INSECT PEST AND QUARANTINE ORDINANCE, NO. 5 OF 1901."

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers in him vested by section 3 of "The Insect Pest and Quarantine Ordinance, No. 5 of 1901," with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to revoke the regulations for preventing the spread of Fluted Scale (*Icerya purchasi*), made under the said Ordinance, dated July 13, 1917, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,888 of July 20, 1917.

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

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

### "THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCE, NO. 18 OF 1892."

IT is hereby notified that the Sanitary Board of the District of Galle has, in terms of section 7 of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," as amended by "The Small Towns Sanitary (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 12 of 1913," and with the sanction of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government and Executive Council, made and assessed a rate of six per cent. per annum for the year 1923 on the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description and all lands and tenements whatsoever within the town of Ambalangoda, in the District of Galle, of the Southern Province, save such as are by the said section of the said Ordinance exempted from the payment of such rate.

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

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of sections 59 and 60 of rules concerning Land Sales and Leases, that an application has been received from the Secretary, Pundaluoya Sports Club, for the lease to the Pundaluoya Sports Club, without competition, of two lots of land as mentioned below, situated in the village Kadadorapitiya, in Udapane korale of Kotmale division, in the District of Nuwara Eliya, and described as lots 2 and 3 in preliminary plan 7,193:—

No. of Lot.	Extent.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Disposal.
2	1 1 22	The Secretary, Pundaluoya Sports Club	For lease
3	0 1 22	Do.	do.

It is proposed to lease the above-mentioned lots to the said Club for the purposes of a Lawn Tennis Club for the Pundaluoya district at an yearly rental of Rs. 26.63, unless within six weeks from the date hereof valid reasons to the contrary are adduced in writing.

Lease to be for a period of 30 years, with the option of renewal at a revised rental for a further period of 30 years.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 8, 1922.

By His Excellency's command,

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## "THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

THE following by-law made by the Local Board of Kurunegala, under section 56 (20 A) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, as amended by Ordinance No. 29 of 1914, and confirmed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

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

## BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

Where a dry-earth closet has been provided for the use of a building it shall be incumbent on the occupant to provide a suitable bucket or buckets therefor, to register his name at the Local Board Office, and to pay the Board the sum of Rs. 2 per mensem for each bucket as fee for the conservancy of the latrine, unless the owner has, by written agreement with the occupant (the onus of proving which shall lie on the occupant) taken upon himself the duties mentioned above. If the owner has so taken on himself the responsibility, he shall provide the bucket or buckets, register his name at the Local Board Office, and pay the Board the sum of Rs. 2 monthly for each bucket.

Where latrines are built to serve a set of tenements in common the above duties shall fall on the owner.

## "THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, 1899."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 34 of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899," and on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Government Agent, Western Province, made under the said section 34, has approved of the allotment of land set out in the schedule hereto being provided and used as a burial ground from the date hereof.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 4, 1922.

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

## SCHEDULE.

Name of land: Andekumburevanata (Lot No. 1 in advance extract No. 1 of block survey preliminary plan 3).

Situation: Kumarimulla in the Gāngaboda pattu of Siyane korale east, Colombo District.

Boundaries: On the north-east by the boundary limits of Kospitiyana village and Polwatte-owita claimed by M. Mathes Perera, on the south-east by Ambagahawatta claimed by Naina Lebbe Ahammadu Ali, on the south by Ambagahawatta claimed by Naina Lebbe Ahammadu Ali, and on the south-east by Etambagahawatta claimed by Naina Lebbe Ahammadu Ali.

Extent: 1 acre and 34 perches.

Community: Communal burial ground.

## "THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

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

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

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

Block survey preliminary plan 1,833.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.		
		A.	R.	P.
24 ..	Dewalegawahena and Kohombagahahena	14	3	25
26 ..	Nikalandehena	10	1	39
29 ..	Hikgahamulahena	4	2	34

(Exclusive of the elas passing through the lands.)

30	0	18
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## "THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

THE following additional rules Nos. 86 and 87 made under section 6 of the "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," by the Village Committee duly elected under section 16 of the said Ordinance by the inhabitants of Galboda and Kinigoda korales, Paranakuru korale, Beligal korale and Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama of Kegalla District, Province of Sabaragamuwa, and approved by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published for general information, under section 7 of the said Ordinance.

By His Excellency's command,

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

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## RULES REFERRED TO.

86. If any house, building, or wall, or anything affixed thereon be deemed by the Chairman of the Village Committee to be in such condition as to be dangerous to the neighbouring houses or buildings or the occupiers thereof or to passengers, he shall cause notice in writing to be served upon the owner or occupier requiring him—

(a) If it appears to be necessary to such Chairman, within 24 hours after the service of the notice, to cause a proper board or fence to be put up for the protection of passengers;

(b) Within three days after the service of the notice to take down, secure, or repair such house, building, or wall, or anything affixed thereon, or otherwise put an end to the dangerous condition, as to the case may require.

87. Any person making default in compliance with any such notice shall be guilty of an offence against these rules, and in any such case the Chairman of the Village Committee may employ any person to do the work which ought to have been done, and any fine imposed on the person making default may be appropriated for the payment of any person so employed in manner provided by the Ordinance.

## "THE MUNICIPAL COUNCILS ORDINANCE, 1910."

AMENDMENT made by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council, under sub-section (1) of section 62 of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," to the rule for the grant of pensions and gratuities to officers and servants of the Galle Municipality, published by Notification dated February 7, 1922.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## AMENDMENT REFERRED TO.

For rule 2 (v.), published by Notification dated February 7, 1922, in the *Government Gazette* of February 10, 1922, substitute the following:—

2. (v.) The Municipal Council may grant temporary increases of pension for twelve months, with effect from February 10, 1923, in accordance with the scale set out in Schedule A to the retired officers specified in Schedule B:—

## SCHEDULE A.

Up to Rs. 500 an increase of 15 per cent.  
Over Rs. 500 and up to Rs. 1,200 an increase of 12½ per cent.  
Over Rs. 1,200 and up to Rs. 1,800 an increase of 10 per cent.  
Over Rs. 1,800 and up to Rs. 3,000 an increase of 7½ per cent.

## SCHEDULE B.

Name of Pensioner.	Annual Pension.	Rate of Temporary Increase.	Temporary Increase.
	Rs. c.	Per Cent.	Per Annum.
			Rs. c.
J. Amarasekera	833 33	12½	104 16
A. B. Wittensleger	500 0	15	75 0
J. G. Paronavitana	210 43	15	31 56
G. D. Johannes	387 50	15	58 12
O. S. Marikar	1,283 33	10	128 33
S. L. M. Ahamado	237 72	15	35 65
F. R. E. Nicholas	2,080 0	7½	156 0
O. L. Jansz	301 60	15	45 24

## Long Service Allowance:

G. Cornelis	36 0	15	5 40
F. M. Perera	60 0	15	9 0
			648 46

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

**A**MENDED by-law made by the Sanitary Board of the Kurunegala District, under section 9 E (2) (s) (a) of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," as amended by "The Small Towns Sanitary (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 20 of 1921," and approved by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council, in substitution for by-law No. 12 regarding cesspits, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,142 of November 19, 1920.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 23, 1922.

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

12. All owners or occupiers of premises furnished with closets or latrines within any specified area shall pay monthly to the Board such conservancy fees as shall be fixed by the Board for the removal of their night soil. The sum payable, if not paid on or before the tenth day of the month following that in respect of which it is due, may be reported by the Chairman to the Police Court and recovered in the same way as if it were a fine imposed by the Court.

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

**I**T is hereby notified for general information, under motor by-law No. 18 (4) A, published in the *Government Gazette* of August 18, 1922, that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council has been pleased to declare that the roads mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed are unsuitable for motor vehicles exceeding 2 tons in weight when fully loaded and equipped.

By His Excellency's command,

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

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

*West Giruwa Pattu.*

Beliatta to Walasmulla.	Dammulla to Wiraketiya.
Walasmulla to Wiraketiya.	Tangalla to Wiraketiya.

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

**I**T is hereby notified for general information, under motor by-law No. 18 (4) A, published in the *Government Gazette* of August 18, 1922; that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to declare that the roads mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed are unsuitable for motor vehicles exceeding 2 tons in weight when fully loaded and equipped.

By His Excellency's command,

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

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

*Bentota-Walallawiti Korale.*

Elpitiya to Opata.

*Wellaboda Pattu.*

Madampe to Gonapinuwala.

## ORDINANCE No. 17 OF 1869.

**A**MENDMENT made by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 13 of Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, to the schedule fixing the rates and regulations in respect of the warehouse rents which the Collector of Customs may charge, demand, and receive on all goods lodged in any King's Warehouse or place of deposit provided by Government, appearing by Notification dated September 30, 1922, in *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 7,285 of the same date.

By His Excellency's command,

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

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## AMENDMENT REFERRED TO.

Delete section IV. of the schedule, and substitute therefor:—

All goods for which an import or export entry is registered at the Lakeside Warehouse, whether the goods be actually deposited therein or allowed direct transit through the locks, shall, in addition to the above rates, be liable to a charge of 30 cents per ton, dead weight.

## "THE CEYLON RAILWAYS ORDINANCE, 1902."

**R**ULE made by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 5 of "The Railways Ordinance, 1902," in substitution for rule 10 (i) of the Rules and Rates for the Conveyance of Goods Traffic:—

10. (i) The above rates for goods include only the charges for actual station to station conveyance. In addition thereto the following charges will be made, viz.:—
- (i.) For removal from and to the conveyance by which the goods are brought to and taken from the station, warehouse, or other place duly authorized for the receipt and delivery of goods (bulky or heavy articles referred to in clause 39 excepted), per ton 35 cents.
  - (ii.) For transfer between broad and narrow gauge wagons (bulky and heavy articles referred to in clause 39 excepted), per ton 17½ cents.
  - (iii.) For shunting of wagons at Kolonnawa, per ton 30 cents.
  - (iv.) In the case of bulky or heavy articles referred to in clause 39, the loading into and unloading from wagons must be performed by, or at the cost of, the owner, and special charges will be made for transfer between broad and narrow gauge vehicles.

Where the loading and/or unloading charges are included in the rate and either, or both, of these services is performed by the consignor and/or consignee, an amount equivalent to the charge or charges so included will be paid to the party who rendered the service or services, on application to the Traffic Manager. Such payment shall relieve the Government of any further claim in respect of the services of loading and unloading.

Any provision contained in any rule made under the said Ordinance in any way contrary to the provision of this rule shall, as from the coming into operation of this rule, be repealed.

By His Excellency's command,

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

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

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

1. Wrot iron scrap, 60 to 70 tons.  
The above quantity is approximate.
2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.
3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.
4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Purchase of Old Material" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on December 19, 1922.
5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Harbour Engineer; and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.
6. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued; and should the person whose tender has been accepted decline to make payment and take delivery of the articles in question, or fail to remove them within the time specified by the Harbour Engineer, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. Should, however, he pay the charges due and remove the material in the specified time, the deposit of Rs. 100 will be refunded. The deposits of all other tenderers, whose tenders have not been accepted, will be refunded to them.
7. Tenderers are requested to inspect the old material before tendering, which can be seen on application to the Mechanical Superintendent at the Office of the Harbour Engineer, and once a tender has been accepted, no excuse whatever as regards the quality, &c., of the material will be accepted.

8. Payment must be made within three days after notification of acceptance of tender, and the material must be removed within one month from date of payment.

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

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

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

Office of the Colombo Port Commission, F. BOWES,  
Colombo, December 4, 1922. Chairman.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for repairing drains, &c., at Maskeliya, in Kandy District.

2. Tenders must be addressed to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy, and should reach the Kandy Kachcheri, not later than midday on December 20, 1922, the left hand top corner of the envelope must be marked "Tenders for Maskeliya drains."

3. Tenders must be in forms which will be supplied from the Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

4. A deposit of Rs. 15 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri before a tender form is issued. Should any person whose tender is accepted, decline to enter into the contract and bond or fail to furnish approved security within seven days of receiving notice in writing from the

Government Agent, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned to the tenderers.

5. The Government Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to himself the right of accepting any tender.

6. The plans and specifications can be seen, and further information obtained at the Kacheheri.

The Kacheheri, H. J. L. LEIGH-CLARE,  
Kandy, November 29, 1922. for Government Agent.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the under-mentioned supply of firewood to the Railway Department from the North-Western Division during 1922-23. The work is to commence not later than January 1, 1923. The area to be exploited for the purpose and further details are given in the schedule hereto.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for North-Western Division Railway Firewood Supply" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, January 9, 1923.

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

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

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

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

10. Tenders should read and initial a draft contract which is available in the Forest Office, Kurunegala, before they obtained tender forms. Also certify that they have inspected the demarcated blocks and the enumerated trees.

11. If any tree or sapling which is not stamped is felled outside the area demarcated for clear felling, the contractor will be liable for the full penalty provided under Ordinance No. 16 of 1907.

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

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

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

15. Alternative rates per cubic yard firewood delivered should be quoted, written both in words and figures.

16. For any further information application should be made to the Assistant Conservator of Forests of the North-Western Division.

#### SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

##### Service (Selection felling.)

1. To fell all trees and saplings of inferior species and all crooked and unsound trees of superior species with due regard to a fair distribution of seed bearers being left in the area of about 100 acres to be demarcated (or in extension of this area to be demarcated, if necessary) in the forest known as Siyam balangamuwa, in the District of Kurunegala, so as to yield 12,000 cubic yards of firewood.

2. The following species shall not be felled:—

(a) Promising seed bearers of satin, palu, milla, ranai, halmilla, ebony, kumbuk, mi, na, and other superior species.

(b) All young seedlings and immature trees of above species and valuable regrowth.

3. To convert all trees felled, together with every other fallen tree whatsoever, into firewood, of which each specie is to be 3 feet in length and not less than 12 inches nor more than 36 inches in girth. Billets over 36 inches should be split. All wood to be billeted in 3 feet lengths by hand saw or crosscut saw only.

4. To transport and stack the firewood at the 106th milestone and deliver to the railway at the minimum rate of 1,500 cubic yards per month commencing from January 1, 1923.

5. To cut all brushwood, thorns, and undergrowth in the said blocks and distribute them evenly and lightly over the area, together with all inconvertible branchwood and wood refuse. The work shall be completed before September 30, 1923.

6. Contractor is required to level and clear adequate stacking grounds, and so to stack wood that there is sufficient space between each stack for a Forest Officer to walk round each stack.

7. Contractor must be prepared, if necessary, to leave 75 trees per acre standing on each cleared acre. Such trees are to consist of the principal species mentioned above, but if there be an insufficient number of such trees, the balance is to be made up with the better varieties of the minor species. The trees to be left standing will be enumerated by a Forest Officer before felling takes place.

J. D. SARGENT,

Office of the Conservator of Forests, Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, December 4, 1922.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the work of repairing the Salt Stores 15, 16, 17, and 18, at Northern Depot, Puttalam.

2. The tender should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, on the left corner of which must be written the words "Tender for repairing the Salt Stores 15, 16, 17, and 18 at Northern Depot," and it should be sent to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, so that he may receive it before 1 p.m. on December 18, 1922.

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

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

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

6. A duplicate of the tender should be forwarded by the tenderer by post to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, at the same time he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.

7. The work should be completed within six weeks after the contract was entered into.

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

*Description of the Work to be done.*

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

The roof of all the stores mentioned above should be re-thatched with new cadjan. Pootus should be placed thereon to serve as weights.

The cadjan walls should be repaired, wherever necessary, the bulges therein being straightened.

The outside ground along eastern and western sides of the stores should be raised with earth one foot high. The doors should be repaired and new hinges should be fixed.

The interior of the stores should be lined with new cadjan and the floors should be raised with clay wherever necessary.

Puttalam Kachcheri,  
October 16, 1922.

S. M. P. VANDERKOEK,  
for Assistant Government Agent.

### SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

THE following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction, at the Land Settlement Department, on December 18, 1922, at 2 P.M., viz. :—

3 tents, cashmere, outerflies	1 basin stand
1 tent, cashmere, full	1 commode
3 tents, green, outerfly	2 Roneo Duplicators
1 tent, kitchen	1 typewriter, "Remington"
2 tents, Tahsildars, outerflies	5 steel trunks (large)
2 tents, servant	1 steel trunk (small)
700 wooden pegs	2 circuit lamps
15 mallets	2 survey umbrellas
1 typewriter stool	1 circuit chair
50 tin rolls	

Colombo, December 5, 1922. W. T. STACE,  
for Settlement Officer.

on Friday, December 15, 1922, at 11 A.M., at the premises of the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons.

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Prisons Office,  
December 5, 1922.

A. WALKER,  
Inspector-General of Prisons.

THE under-mentioned articles will be sold by auction on Friday, December 15, 1922, at 3.30 P.M., at the Registry, Supreme Court. :—

2 almirahs (glass paned)	2 candle lamps
5 almirahs	30 tin (disc) tubes
1 bar table	2 notice boards
2 (pieces) tables	1 circuit box
5 (pieces) coir matting	1 form (wooden)
1 bookcase	1 old typewriter
3 punkahs	

The Registry, Supreme Court,  
Colombo, December 8, 1922.

GUY O. GRENIER,  
Registrar, Supreme Court.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable article will be sold by public auction

### VITAL STATISTICS.

#### Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended December 2, 1922.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 146 (13 Burghers, 77 Sinhalese, 26 Tamils, 22 Moors, 7 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1922, viz., 247,668) was 30·7, as against 34·1 in the preceding week, 37·6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32·8 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 159 (1 European, 9 Burghers, 83 Sinhalese, 31 Tamils, 25 Moors, 7 Malays, and 3 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 33·5, as against 28·4 in the previous week, 33·1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30·5 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 159 total deaths, 31 were of infants under one year of age, as against 35 in the preceding week, 38 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 40 the average for last year.

**Still Births.**—The number of still births registered during the week was 8.

**Principal Causes of Death.**—1. (a) Nineteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), 3 each in New Bazaar and Wellewatta North, 2 in Kotahena North, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena South, Maradana North, Maradana East, and Slave Island, as against 16 in the previous week and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Four deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 3 in St. Paul's and 1 in New Bazaar, as against 7 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Four deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena South, Maradana hospital (of an outsider), and Maradana North, as against 1 in the previous week.

2. (a) Nine deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 3 in Maradana hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 2 each in Maradana North and Kollupitiya, and 1 each in Kotahena South and New Bazaar, as against 16 in the previous week and 14 the weekly average for last year.

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

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

4. Four deaths from *Plague* were registered, 2 in Pettah and 1 each in Kotahena South and Maradana hospital (of a non-resident), as against 5 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year.

5. One death from *Smallpox* of an inmate of the Lunatic Asylum was registered in Wellawatta North, as against the same number in the previous week.

6. Twelve deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 11 from *Debility*, 8 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Enteritis*, 4 from *Worms*, 2 from *Dysentery*, 1 from *Puerperal Septicæmia*, and 66 from *Other Causes*.

7. Thirteen cases of *Measles*, 8 of *Enteric Fever*, 3 of *Chickenpox*, 3 of *Plague*, and 1 of *Smallpox* were reported during the week, as against 8, 8, 6, nil, and nil respectively of the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 79·8°, against 78·0° in the preceding week and 80·5° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·834 in., against 29·909 in. in the preceding week and 30·019 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2·10 in., against 0·01 in. in the preceding week and 0·69 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,  
for Registrar-General.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE TIENSIN TEA ESTATE COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE TIENSIN TEA ESTATE 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 Tientsin Estate, situate in the District of Bogawantalawa, Ceylon.
  - (b) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and manufacturers of and dealers in tea, rubber, and other Ceylon produce, estate, land, and house owners, builders, and dealers in lands, houses, and buildings of every description.
  - (c) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable, of any kind, and any contracts, rights, easements, patents, licenses, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret) which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business, and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
  - (d) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss Attorneys, Agents, Superintendents, Managers, clerks, coolies and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow, children, or dependents of any such.
  - (e) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop the said property or any portion thereof, and any other land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere or portions thereof, as a tea and rubber estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
  - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work tea and rubber factories, cacao, coconut, and coffee curing mills, and other manufactories, houses, shops, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidise such.
  - (g) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any authorities, and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
  - (h) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the company at the cost of the company and such other person or company or otherwise, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
  - (i) To enter into any agreement with any Company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in *h*, or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
  - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
  - (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
  - (l) To work mines or quarries and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of tea, rubber, cacao, chocolate, coconuts, and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company or as agents for others, and on commission or otherwise.
  - (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
  - (n) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, chocolate, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, and any other goods, wares, and merchandise, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
  - (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
  - (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, houses, buildings, or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other Company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
  - (q) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purpose of the Company upon the security of cash credit bonds, or of hypothecation, or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof, or otherwise, as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital), or not so charged, as shall be thought best.



- (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company, or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
- (s) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits or union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects, wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise, and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such Company.
- (u) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.
- (v) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this company.
- (w) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company.
- (x) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (y) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all.
- (z) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required, upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (z1) 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.
- (z2) 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.
- (z3) 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.
- (z4) 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.
- (z5) 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.
C. A. GALPIN, Colombo	One
E. P. B. BROCKWELL, Colombo	One
J. GALPIN, Colombo	One
MERVYN ELLIS, Colombo	One
R. W. M. DARVEY, Colombo	One
SYDNEY JULIUS, Colombo	One
H. G. BOIS, Colombo	One
<b>Total Shares taken</b>	<b>Seven</b>

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this First day of November, 1922 :

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

### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE TIENTSIN TEA ESTATE 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 Tientsin Tea Estate Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

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

#### BUSINESS.

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

3. The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents. The Company being established on the basis that it shall acquire the Tientsin Estate, it shall be no objection that the vendors are in a fiduciary position to the Company or that there is no independent Board of Directors, nor shall any claim be made on any of the vendors on any such ground. Every member of the Company present or future shall be deemed to have joined the Company on this basis.

#### CAPITAL.

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

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

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 the payment of any call or part thereof on such terms as the Directors may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension except as a matter of grace or favour.

28. The Directors may at their discretion receive from any of the Shareholders willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the moneys uncalled upon the irrelative 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. A share may be transferred by a member or other person entitled to transfer to any member selected by the transferor, but save as aforesaid no share shall be transferred to a person who is not a member so long as any member or any person selected by the Directors as one whom it is desirable in the interests of the Company to admit to membership is willing to purchase the same at a price to be fixed as hereinafter provided.

Every transfer of a share shall be conducted in the manner following:—

- (a) The person proposing to transfer any share or shares (hereinafter called "the proposing transferor") shall give notice in writing (hereinafter called "the transfer notice") to the Company that he desires to transfer the same. Such notice shall specify the price which he is willing to accept for same, and shall constitute the Company his agent for the sale of the shares at the price so fixed to any person selected by the Directors as one whom in the interests of the Company it is desirable to admit to membership. Such transfer notice shall not be revocable, except with the sanction of the Directors.
  - (b) If the Company shall within a space of six weeks after being served with such notice find a person or persons selected as aforesaid willing to purchase the share or shares (hereinafter called "the purchasing member"); and shall give notice thereof to the proposing transferor he shall be bound upon payment of the price so fixed to transfer the share or shares to the purchasing member or members.
  - (c) If in any case the proposing transferor after becoming bound as aforesaid makes default in transferring the share or shares the Company may receive the purchase money and shall thereupon cause the name of the purchasing member to be entered in the register as the holder of the share or shares, and shall hold the purchase money in trust for the proposing transferor. The receipt of the Company for the purchase money shall be a good discharge to the purchasing member, and after his name has been entered in the register in purported exercise of the aforesaid power, the validity of the proceedings shall not be questioned by any person.
  - (d) If the Company shall not, within the space of six weeks after being served with the transfer notice, find a person selected as aforesaid willing to purchase the shares and give notice in manner aforesaid, the proposing transferor shall at any time within three calendar months afterwards be at liberty (subject to the provisions of article 32) to sell and transfer the shares (or those not placed) to any person, but so that the price paid shall not be less than the price specified by the proposing transferor in his transfer notice. Before passing any transfer under this clause the Directors may require the transferor and transferee to make affidavits that the consideration mentioned in the transfer is the true consideration paid by the transferee for the transfer of the shares, and is not subject to any deduction or rebate. When the proposing transferor cannot find a purchaser at the price so fixed, he may give a fresh transfer notice.
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 not complying with the provisions of Article 29 or any transfer by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise, or any transfer to any person not approved of by them; and in no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their refusal shall be absolute, and shall not be liable to be questioned.
33. Every instrument of transfer shall be in writing and signed by the transferor and transferee, and must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred, and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transfer, and a fee of Two Rupees and fifty cents, or such other sums as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer; upon payment thereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 32, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.
34. The Directors may, by such means as they shall deem expedient, authorize the registration of transferees as Shareholders without the necessity of any meeting of the Directors for that purpose.
35. In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles, and, whether they abstain from so inquiring or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but only, if at all, upon the transferee.
36. The Register of Transfers may be closed at such times and for such periods as the Directors may from time to time determine, provided always that it shall not be closed for more than twenty-one days in any year.

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

37. The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares of such Shareholder.
38. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause or of his title as the Directors think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.
39. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 38 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, claim in writing to be registered in respect of such share, or if, in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, claim in writing to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such shares, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same; and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

40. The Directors may accept, in the name and for the benefit of the Company, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed, a surrender of the shares of Shareholders who may be desirous of retiring from the Company.
41. If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.
- The notice shall name a day (not being less than one month from the date of the notice) on, and a place or places at, which such call or instalment and such interest and expenses as aforesaid are to be paid. The notice shall also state that, in the event of non-payment at or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which the call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

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

42. Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall, notwithstanding, be liable to pay and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls, instalments, premia, interests, 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 proceeding in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

#### BORROWING POWERS.

55. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed Rupees One hundred thousand (Rs. 100,000).

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

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

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

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

#### GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

67. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given by a notice sent by post or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the 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 by proxy or attorney at the commencement of the business three or more Shareholders entitled to vote.

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

72. The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; or if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present at the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the Chair, the 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 in writing by some Shareholder present and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution. The power of demanding a poll conferred by this clause may be exercised by the proxy or attorney of any Shareholder.

77. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and place and in such manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as



hereinafter provided; and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder or proxy or attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

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

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

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

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

91. The first Directors shall be Adolph Carl Theobald Meyer, Charles Arthur Galpin, and Harry Gordon Bois. 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.

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

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

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

**ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.**

93. 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 94.

94. 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.

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

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

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

98. No person not being a retiring Director shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he, or some member intending to propose him, has, at least 7 clear days before the meeting, left at the office of the Company a notice in writing duly signed signifying his candidature for office or the intention of such member to propose him.

99. Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors or provisional Directors arising from death, resignation, or otherwise, may be filled up by the Directors, but any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would 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 increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

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

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

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

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

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

#### DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

106. The office of Director shall be vacated—

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

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

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

110. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make, such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they 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 any 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. The sealing shall not be attested by one person in the dual capacity of Director and Secretary or representative of the Secretaries.

115. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders of the Company in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, or any part or parts, shares 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, but in the event of there being at any time only one Director present in Ceylon, such Director may act alone.

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

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

120. Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of 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 effect as if done by the Board.

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

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

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

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

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

126. All such minutes shall be signed by the person who shall have presided as Chairman at the General Meeting, the Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, at which the business minutes 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 statements, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

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

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

#### AUDIT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

#### NOTICES.

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

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

152. A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by being sent through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode, and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company their own or some other address in Ceylon to which 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 up on 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 effected thereby shall have a right to dissent as if such resolution were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908 in England, but for the purposes of an arbitration, as in the sub-section (6) of the said section provided, the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, and of the Ceylon Ordinance, 2 of 1889, shall apply in place of the English and Scotch Acts referred to in the said sub-section (6) of section 192 of the aforesaid Companies (Consolidation) Act, and the said section 192, save as herein excepted, shall be deemed to be part and parcel of these present Articles.

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

C. A. GALPIN.

E. P. B. BROCKWELL.

J. GALPIN.

MERVYN ELLIS.

R. W. M. DARVEY.

SYDNEY JULIUS.

H. G. BOIS.

E. R. WILLIAMS,

Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this First day of November, 1922:

[Third Publication.]

**MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE RAIGAM KORALE MOTOR TOURING COMPANY, LIMITED.**

1. The name of the Company is "THE RAIGAM KORALE MOTOR TOURING COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established at Horana in Raigam Korale, in the District of Kalutara.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
  - (a) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: carriers of passengers and goods, forwarding agents, merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, repairers of vehicles, engines, and machinery of every description.
  - (b) To purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold vans, omnibuses, motor cars, motor lorries, trucks, carriages, carts, and other vehicles of any description whatsoever, and to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold all live and dead stock, chattels, and effects required for the maintenance and working of the business of carriers or of any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above respectively.
  - (c) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work factories, workshops, garages, manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, and other works and conveniences which may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the Company, or may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to advance the Company's interests, and to contribute, to subsidise or otherwise assist, or take part in the construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management, carrying out or control thereof.
  - (d) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights, privileges, licenses, or easements which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects, and capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being.
  - (e) To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorized to do business in the Island of Ceylon.
  - (f) To employ, engage, maintain, and dismiss managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, chauffeurs, mechanics, coolies, and other servants and labourers, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
  - (g) To enter into any arrangements with any authorities—Government, Municipal, local—or otherwise that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such authority any rights, privileges, rebates, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
  - (h) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of motor and other vehicles, factories, plantations, buildings, workshops, garages, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, or book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
  - (i) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company or receive money on deposit at interest or otherwise, and for the purpose of raising or securing money for the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company, or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant, or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable, or irredeemable, or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights, and property of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.
  - (j) To sell the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other Company, having objects altogether or in part similar to that of this Company.
  - (k) 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.
  - (l) To make, accept, endorse, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
  - (m) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business.
  - (n) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive, or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.
4. The liability of the shareholders is limited.
5. The nominal capital of the Company is Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 50,000) divided into Five thousand (5,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10), with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, reduced or increased) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles 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 Shareholders.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
H. DON PEDRICK of Pokunuwita .. .. .	Fifty
D. S. A. SAMARANAYAKE of Horana .. .. .	Fifty
K. D. WIMALASEKARE of Horana .. .. .	Fifty
M. M. PERERA of Panadure .. .. .	Fifty
S. P. DERANIYAGALA of Kumbukke .. .. .	Fifty
H. D. JOHN of Horana .. .. .	Fifty
T. E. WIJESSEKERA of Panadure .. .. .	Fifty
ස. ස. ස. (signature of D. S. KARUNARATNE of Horana)	Fifty
ස. ස. ස. ස. ස. ස. (signature of M. FONSEKA of Horana)	Fifty
K. T. WIMALASEKARE of Horana .. .. .	Fifty

Witness to the above signatures at Horana, this 12th day of November, 1922:

J. E. L. WIRESINGHA,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public.

**THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE RAIGAM KORALE MOTOR TOURING COMPANY, LIMITED**

The Articles of "The Raigam Korale Motor Touring Company, Limited," shall be the Articles contained in Table C in the Schedule annexed to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, No. 4 of 1861," with the special provisions which shall be observed where they differ from the said Table C.

1. The nominal capital of the Company is Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 50,000) divided into Five thousand (5,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.
2. The number of Directors shall never be less than seven nor more than ten, seven of whom shall form a quorum.
3. The qualification of a Director shall be his holding not less than fifty shares.
4. The business of the Company shall be managed in such manner as may be determined by the Directors of the Company.
5. Except with the consent of the Managing Director and the Secretary, and, if there is no Managing Director, then of such other Director as may be determined by the Company, no shareholder who does not hold less than one hundred shares shall be entitled to inspect any books or papers of the Company other than the Balance Sheet and the Register of Shareholders and Mortgages.
6. Every shareholder having not less than five shares shall have one vote, and shall have an additional one vote for every ten shares beyond the first five shares up to fifty shares. In no case shall a shareholder be entitled to have more than five votes.
7. The certificates of shares shall be issued under the Seal of the Company and signed by the Managing Director and the Secretary of the Company, and, if there be no Managing Director, by some other Director in his place as may be determined by the Company.
8. Every shareholder shall be entitled to one certificate for all the shares registered in his name.
9. Subject to the restrictions of these Articles, any shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by instruments in writing. No transfer of share shall be made to a minor or person of unsound mind.
10. 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, which will be done after two years from the commencement of the Company.
11. The Directors shall be paid by way of remuneration for their services five per cent. of the nett income of the Company to be divided among them according to their services.
12. 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.
13. The Directors shall be at liberty to borrow from any Company or person for the purpose of carrying on the business of this Company any sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand Rupees (Rs. 25,000) as may be sanctioned at a General Meeting.
14. The Directors shall have power to employ and engage managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, chauffeurs, workmen, coolies, and other servants and labourers necessary for the carrying on of the business of the Company and pay them accordingly.
15. The Directors shall have power to enter into any agreement on behalf of the Company or person for the benefit of the Company.
16. The Company may by special resolution at a General Meeting alter and make provisions instead of, or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company whether contained or comprised in these Articles or not.

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereto set and subscribed their names at Horana, this 12th day of November, 1922:

H. DON PEDRICK.  
D. S. A. SAMARANAYAKE.  
K. D. WIMALASEKARE.  
M. M. PERERA.  
S. P. DERANIYAGALA.  
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K. T. WIMALASEKARE.

Witness to the above signatures:

J. E. L. WIRESINGHA,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public.

[Second Publication.]

**The Lunugala Tea and Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Wednesday, December 20, 1922, at 3 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to September 30, 1922.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
5. To transact such other business as may duly be brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from December 6 to 23, both days inclusive.

By orders of the Directors,  
J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,  
Colombo, December 2, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Colombo Pharmacy Company, Limited**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 27, Upper Chatham street, Colombo, on Wednesday, December 20, 1922, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended September 30, 1922.
- (2) To declare a dividend and bonus.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint Auditors for the current year.
- (5) To donate a sum of Rs. 500 for charity.
- (6) Any other business.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from December 14 to 20, 1922.

By order of the Directors,  
ARTHUR E. EPHRAÏMS & Co.,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Gavatenne Estate, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 19, Queen street, Colombo, at 11 A.M., on Friday, December 15, 1922, to consider the following resolution:—

"That the Gavatenne Estate, Limited, be wound up voluntarily."

Should the above resolution be passed by the requisite majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a second Extraordinary General Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

By order of the Directors,  
HENDERSON & Co.,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Ceylon Tea Growers and Trading Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at its registered office, No. 22, Baillie street, Colombo, on Saturday, December 16, 1922, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

To confirm the following resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on December 2, 1922:—

That clause No. 12 of the Memorandum of Association be altered as follows:—

"To apply for or acquire by purchase or lease or otherwise for the business of the Company in any part of Ceylon, sell, work, develop, and deal in any lands, estates, plantations, and to dig, mine, and prospect for gems, plumbago, thorite or any other mineral or any rights or interests therein, factories, buildings, plant, engines, machinery, patents, patent rights, secret processes or things, British, Indian, Colonial, or foreign licenses, concessions, and the like, conferring any right to use any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit the Company; and to use, exercise, develop, or grant licenses, or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, or information so acquired and to make, assist, or subsidize experiments, researches, and investigations that may appear to be likely to benefit the Company.

By order of the Directors,  
THE LANKA COMMERCIAL Co.,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Agents and Secretaries,

**Walker & Greig, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named company will be held at the registered office, Waverley House, Vauxhall street, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, December 16, at 12 noon, for the following purpose:—

- (1) To receive the Directors' report and accounts of the company made up as at May 31, 1922.
- (2) To elect a Director.
- (3) To confirm appointment of Mr. Kemish as London Director.
- (4) To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year.
- (5) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Board,  
G. A. DONALD,  
Secretary.

**The Hill Club Company, Limited (Nuwara Eliya).**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-eight Ordinary Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Hill Club Company, Limited, will be held at their registered office at Nuwara Eliya, at 12 noon, on Saturday, December 16, 1922.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts for the year ending June 30, 1922.
- (2) To elect Directors.
- (3) To elect an Auditor.

Proxies duly stamped and signed should reach this office not later than December 14, 1922.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from December 9 to 14, 1922.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
D. E. PAXN,  
Secretary.

November 28, 1922.

**The Ceylon Observer, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered offices of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Monday, December 18, 1922, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

To confirm the Special Resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on December 6, as follows:—

"That the Directors be and they are hereby authorized to sell and dispose of the business and effects of the Company or any part or parts, share or shares thereon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit, and for such purpose to sign and execute all agreements, contracts, transfer and other deeds and documents as may be necessary or proper and to do all such other acts, deeds, matters, and things as may be necessary."

By order of the Directors,  
H. W. CAVE & Co.,  
Colombo, December 7, 1922. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Ceylon and Foreign Products Company, Limited (in Liquidation).**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Final General Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at No. 4, De Soysa buildings, Queen street, Colombo, on Tuesday, January 9, 1923, at 5 P.M. for the following purposes:—

To consider the audited account of the Liquidator and to pass the following resolution:—

"That the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up."

W. W. BELING (Jr.),  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Liquidator.

**The Minneriya Development Company, Limited (in Liquidation).**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Final General Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the Office of the Liquidator, Victoria buildings, Kandy, on Friday, January 12, 1923, at 10.45 A.M. for the following purposes:—

To receive and consider the report of the Liquidator and the accounts of the liquidation, and to pass a resolution adopting them.

To pass resolution that the affairs of the Company are fairly wound up.

November 24, 1922. E. C. VILLIERS,  
Liquidator.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

*Excellent Rubber Property, fully planted and tapping, in Kalutara District, called and known as Brayton Estate, one Boundary of which is Perth Estate, Kalupane, Horana.*

D. C. No. 6,336.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, January 16, 1923, at 2 P.M. at our rooms, Canal row, Fort, Colombo—

All that estate and plantation known as Brayton Estate, in extent 80 acres 3 roods and 3 perches, situated in Wagawatta village in Udugaha pattu of Rangana Korale, in the Kalutara District, Western Province.

For deeds apply to J. M. Pereira, Esq., Broker and Notary, Bristol buildings, Fort, Colombo.

Phone No. 733.  
Telg. "Hammer."

R. G. KOELMAN,  
of JENSEN & Co.,  
Auctioneers and Brokers.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Property at Wellampitiya, yielding 900-4000 Incomes.**

1. Registered gale, with buildings and land called Kotakelagahawatta, assessment No. 18, Wellampitiya; in extent 3 roods 17  $\frac{31}{100}$  perches.

2. Paddy and grass field, assessment Nos. 16, 17, Wellampitiya; in extent 7 acres 1 rood and 0  $\frac{1}{2}$  perches.

3. Large house and 2 boutiques, assessment No. 22, Wellampitiya; in extent 1 rood  $\frac{62}{100}$  perches.

All these 3 properties adjoin each other, border the Colombo-Ratnapura road, and are within a short distance from the Colombo Municipal limits.

Under instructions from the administratrix and with authority of court in testamentary proceedings No. 909, D. C., Colombo.

On Saturday, December 16, 1922, at the spots, commencing at 3 P.M.

Full particulars from T. C. S. Jayasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, 55, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp.

A. C. KOELMEYER,  
58, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp, Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Property at Talpitiya in Panadura Totamune in the District of Kalutara Under Mortgage Decree.**

BY virtue of the order to sell issued to me in case No. 10,096, District Court, Kalutara, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, December 23, 1922, commencing at 8.30 A.M., for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree in the said action No. 10,096, the following property declared specially bound and executable under the said decree, viz. :—

1. An undivided 1,357/2,952 shares of the soil and all the remaining trees and plantations (excluding the planter's  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of all the trees) standing thereon of a portion of Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya, containing in extent about 2 roods.

2. An undivided 7/20 shares of the trees and plantations of the 1st plantation standing on a portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya, containing in extent about  $\frac{1}{2}$  an acre.

3. An undivided 7/60 shares of the soil and all the trees and plantations of the 2nd plantation thereon standing of the southern half portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya, containing in extent about 1 rood.

4. An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the trees and plantations of the 1st plantation standing on a portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya, containing in extent about 2 acres.

5. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the soil and of the trees and plantations of the 2nd plantation standing thereon of the southern half portion of a portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya, containing in extent about 1 acre.

6. An undivided 29/42 shares of the soil and of all the trees and plantations standing thereon of the portion of Delgahawatta and the adjoining portion of Kudakarambela, situated at Talpitiya, containing in extent about 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre.

7. An undivided 445,511/1,716,960 shares of the soil and of the remaining trees and plantations standing on the land called Delgahawatta *alias* Gulugahawatta *alias* Kahatagahawatta (exclusive of the planter's half share of the trees of the 2nd and 3rd plantations), situated at Talpitiya, containing in extent about 2 acres.

For further particulars please apply to M. H. Jayatileke, Proctor, Supreme Court, Panadura.

Moratuwa.

LIONEL J. J. PEIRIS,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Property under Mortgage Decree.**

BY virtue of the order to sell issued to me in case No. 3,378, District Court, Kalutara, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, December 23, 1922, commencing at 3 P.M., for the recovery

of the amount stated in the decree in the said action, the following property, to wit :—

(1) An undivided  $\frac{2}{3}$  parts of a portion of Kongahawatta and of the trees thereon, situate at Talpitiya in the Talpitiya-badde in Panadura totamune, in the District of Kalutara; containing in extent about 2 roods.

(2) An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part of the soil and trees of a portion of Kongahawatta, situate at Talpitiya aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 acres.

(3) An undivided  $\frac{3}{40}$  parts of the soil and trees of a portion of Tuduwewatta and an undivided  $\frac{1}{12}$  part of the tiled house thereon, situate at Talpitiya aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 acres.

(4) An undivided  $\frac{3}{40}$  parts of a portion of Midiyawela-kumbura, situate at Talpitiya aforesaid; containing in the sowing extent of about 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  bushel of paddy.

For further particulars please apply to B. O. Dias, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Panadura.

LIONEL J. J. PEIRIS,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

Moratuwa.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Kalutara.

UNDER instructions from the administrator and with the authority of court in case No. 1,415, D. C., Kalutara testamentary, I shall sell by public auction the following lands in the manner as set out herein below :—

1 and 2 lands at their respective spots at Matugama,  
3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 lands near Welimanana boutique at Pantiya.

1.  $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{4}{7}$  share of soil of the land called Matugamawatta *alias* Iskolawatta *alias* Delgahakurunduwatta at Matugama.

2.  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of soil in extent 2 roods of the land called Matugamayawatta *alias* Iskolawatta *alias* Delgahakurunduwatta at Matugama.

3.  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of soil of Deberabendiheha at Bopitiya.

4.  $\frac{1}{12}$  of Deberabendiheha at Bopitiya.

5.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Deberabendiheha at Bopitiya.

6.  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of soil and rubber plantation of Annasigalagodella at Bopitiya.

7. Soil covered by boutique and the entire boutique on Arakolalanda.

For further particulars please refer to Messrs. Ebert & Kannangara, Proctors, Kalutara, or to the undersigned.

C. JAYAWARDENE,  
Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Cinnamon Lands and other Properties at Maha Gonaduwa.**

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 10,126, D. C., Kalutara, and the order to sell issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, December 23, 1922, commencing from 2.30 P.M., at the spots—

1. The land called Dikwellekurunduwatta, situated at Maha Gonaduwa, in the Waddubadde of the Panadura totamune, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 9 perches.

2. The land called Dikwellekurunduwatta, situated at Maha Gonaduwa aforesaid, containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 17 perches.

3. The undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the undivided western  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Jagodagekurunduwatta, situated at Maha Gonaduwa aforesaid, containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 20 perches.

4. The undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Abhayawattekurunduwatta, situated at Maha Gonaduwa aforesaid, containing in extent 6 acres 1 rood and 28 perches.

5. The undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 11/20 shares of the field called Medawilakumbura, situated at Maha Gonaduwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 77 acres.

For further particulars please apply to C. S. Perera, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Panadura, or to me :

H. THOMAS FERNANDO,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

Panadura, December 4, 1922.



**Auction Sale.***(Under the Partition Ordinance.)*

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 9,434.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case on September 8, 1922, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, on Saturday, December 16, 1922, at 3 P.M.—All that allotment of land called Kabatagahawatta, together with the plantations and building standing thereon, situated at Wewita in Adikari pattu of Rayigam korale, Kalutara District, Western Province; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 30 perches, as per figure of survey No. 8,784 made by B. M. Flamer Caldera, Licensed Surveyor, and filed of record in the above case.

The sale will first take place among the co-owners at the upset price at which the said premises have been valued and if not bidden for or purchased by any of them at such sale the sale will immediately thereafter be put up for sale to the highest bidder among the public.

B. M. FLAMER CALDERA,

Licensed Surveyor and Commissioner

Panadura, November 16, 1922.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Properties at Nelundeniya and Mampita, in the District of Kegalla.**

UNDER decree in case No. 14,929, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Kawanna Suna Pama Sana Katheresen Chetty, by his attorney Wellasamy Palle, son of Pillamattu Palle of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Mohammodu Casim Abdul Hamidu and (2) Abdul Hameed Nabisath Umma, (3) Alia Marikkar Harwa Umma, (4) Mohammodu Lebbe Marikkar Abdul Hamidu, all of Nelundeniya, (5) Avu Lebbe Marikkar Saibu Dore, (6) Nicholas Emmanuel de Croos, both of Negombo, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the amount appearing therein (less Rs. 3,499) we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged by bond No. 10,644 dated January 21, 1920, and attested by R. P. P. Weerasuriya, Notary, as a primary mortgage, by public auction, at the risk of the original purchaser, who has failed to deposit the balance purchase money, at the respective spots, on Wednesday, January 3, 1923, commencing at 3 P.M. :—

1. The land Ambagahamulahena belonging to and being uninterruptedly possessed by the said 1st defendant, situated at Nelundeniya in Otara pattu of Beligal korale, in the District of Kegalla, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa; containing in extent about 1 amunam of paddy culture; of this land, the undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share.

2. The land Purawediyahena belonging as aforesaid, situated at Nelundeniya aforesaid; containing in extent 2 pelas of paddy culture; of this land, the undivided portion in extent 12 lahas and 2 measures of paddy culture.

3. The land Pandeniyehena, now rubber garden belonging to and being possessed by the said 1st defendant, situated at Nelundeniya aforesaid; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 30 perches; of this land, the undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share, this land, the portions of lands, and the rubber plantation appertaining thereto.

4. The land Danzhamadihena, situate at Mampita, in the said pattu and korale; containing in extent about 3 pelas of paddy culture; of this land, the undivided  $\frac{7}{16}$  shares.

Further particulars please apply to Messrs. de Zoysa & Perera, Proctors, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA &amp; Co.,

Negombo, December 5, 1922.

Auctioneers.

**Auction Sale.**

*Under the Partition Ordinance.*  
 Lands, situated in the Village Delmaga in Katugampola Meda Korale in the Katugampola Harappattu in the District of Kurunegala. D. C. Negombo, No. 14,995.

UNDER decree entered and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Wednesday, January 3, 1923, commencing at 3

P.M., at the respective spots the under-mentioned properties especially bound and executable for the recovery of the amount therein stated :—

1. All those contiguous lands formed of Kongahamulahena, Nugagahamulahena, and the portion bearing No. 38, appearing in plan No. 369, situated at Delmaga in Katugampola Meda pattu korale, in the Katugampola Harappattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province; bounded on the north by Gallinda agarewatta, east by village limit of Dodarpatta, south by land having an old plantation belonging to Kirimudiyanse and others, and west by Bogahamulahena of Punchirala; containing in extent about 6 acres and the buildings thereon.

2. All that land called Elambagahamulahena Parawagawa, situated at Delmaga aforesaid; bounded on the north by the land of new plantation belonging to Kirimudiyanse and others, east by the village limit of Dadarpatta, south by the field of Punchirala, and west by the land of Punchirala; containing in extent about 5 acres.

For further particulars apply to E. R. Samarasekera, Esq., Proctor, S. C., and Notary Public, Negombo, or to me :

J. S. M. FERNANDO,

Negombo, December 1, 1922.

Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Galle.

Agampodi Arnolis de Tabrew Appuhamy of Alungalla in Kosgoda ..... Plaintiff  
 No. 19,411. Vs.

Julius de Silva Wijekulatilake Edirisinghe of Dategama in Welitara, administrator of the estate of Walmetti Arnelia de Silva Amarasinghe, deceased. .... Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case and the order to sell issued therein, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, on January 20, 1923, commencing at 3 P.M., the following property bound and executable for the recovery of the amount due on the said decree, viz. :—

An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part of the soil and of the cinnamon plantation thereon of the western portion of the extent of about 6 acres of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  lot No. 1 of the extent of 19 acres of the land Dambalawewatta, situate at Karandeniya in Wellaboda pattu of Galle.

An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part of the soil and of the cinnamon plantation thereon of the eastern portion of the extent of about 2 acres of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  portion of the land Dambalawewatta aforesaid.

CHAS. M. GOONASEKERA,

Galle, December 5, 1922.

Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 9,062, D. C., Kurunegala, against Rajapaksa Mudiyanse Jayasena of Halpandeniya and another, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, December 23, 1922, commencing at 1 P.M., the following property declared bound and executable under the said decree :—

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

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

3. An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Galabodagamawatta comprising of all those contiguous lands called Puhuriyagodahena, Puhuriyagodahena, Kanaturuwelewhena, Alugollehena, Ritigahamulahena, Kanaturuwelewhena, and Kanaturuwelewhena, now forming one property, in extent 9 acres and 35 perches, situate at Galabodagama, in Udapola Otota korale.

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

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

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

S. P. SOCKALINGAM PILLAI,  
Kurunegala, December 6, 1922. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 9,010, D. C., Kurunegala, against Rajapaksa Mudiyanseelage Jayasena of Halpandeniya, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction, at the respective spots, on Saturday, December 23, 1922, commencing at 1 P.M., the following property declared bound and executable under the said decree:—

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

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

3. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Galabodagamawatta, comprising of all those contiguous lands called Puhuriyagodahena, Puhuriyagodahena, Kanaturuwelehena, Alugollahena, Ritigghamulawatta, Kanaturuwelewatta, and Kanturuwelewatta, now forming one property, in extent 9 acres and 35 perches, situate at Galbodagama, in Udupola Otota korale.

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

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

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

S. P. SOCKALINGAM PILLAI,  
Kurunegala, December 6, 1922. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in D. C., Chilaw, case No. 6,971, I shall sell by public auction, at the spot, on Saturday, December 23, 1922, at 11 A.M., to wit:—

All that allotment of land bearing lot No. 2782 called Maradankadawalakele, situate in Maradankadawala village,

Rajakumaravanni pattu in Puttalam District, containing in extent 15 acres 2 roods and 15 perches.

Further particulars from N. J. Martin, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Chilaw, or—

S. P. ABEYAKOON,  
Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in D. C., Chilaw, case No. 6,977, I shall sell by public auction, at the spots, on Saturday, December 23, 1922, commencing at 10 A.M., to wit:—

1. All that allotment of land bearing lot No. 2784 and called Maradankadawalakele, situate in Maradankadawala village of Rajakumaravanni pattu in Puttalam District, containing in extent 10 acres and 37 perches.

2. All that allotment of land bearing lot No. 2786 and called Maradankadawalakele, situate at ditto, containing in extent 2 acres and 3 perches.

Further particulars from N. J. Martin, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Chilaw, or—

S. P. ABEYAKOON,  
Auctioneer.

**St. John's Church, Kalutara.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the congregation of St. John's Church, Kalutara, will be held in the Vestry of the said Church on December 24, 1922, at 6 P.M., for the election of three new Trustees of such Church for the year 1923, in terms of section 10 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846.

W. H. HEPPONSTALL,  
J. H. PERERA,  
C. E. HEPPONSTALL,  
L. J. S. DE FONSEKA,

Trustees of St. John's Church, Kalutara.  
Kalutara, November 30, 1922.

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

I, CHARLES ERNEST DIAS DISSANAYAKE, of Nikape, in the District of Colombo, do hereby give notice, in terms of rule (2) of Schedule I. B of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practice in the English language in the District of Colombo.

Nikape, Dehiwala,  
November 15, 1922.

C. E. DISSANAYAKE.

**SALES OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.**

**Sale of Ferry Toll Rents.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Ferry Toll Rents of the Kegalla District, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, will be put for re-sale by public auction, at 11 A.M., on Monday, December 18, 1922, at the Kegalla Kacheheri, at the risk of the original purchasers who may have failed, on before December 16, 1922, to pay the instalments then due.

The rents will be sold for a period of 9 months from January 1, 1923.

The purchasers at the re-sale will be required to deposit one-tenth of the purchase amount on the day of sale and to furnish the necessary security.

Ferry toll rent at Alawwa.

Ferry toll rent at Mapitigama.

Kegalla Kacheheri,  
December 5, 1922.

G. S. WODEMAN,  
Assistant Government Agent.

## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Notice of Wreck.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 18 of Ordinance No. 5 of 1861 that the Harbour Engineer, Colombo, has taken possession of an anchor which was recovered from the south-west entrance to the harbour. The anchor is said to weigh about 4 to 5 tons.

Any person interested in this anchor should communicate forthwith with the Principal Collector of Customs, Colombo.

The anchor will be sold under the provisions of section 33 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1865 at the expiration of 12 calendar months from this notice, unless good cause be shown to the contrary before that date.

F. BOWES,

Principal Collector and

Shipping Office, H. M. Customs, Superintendent of Wrecks.  
Colombo, November 14, 1922.

## Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended December 2, 1922.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Bombay	168
Do.	Calcutta	5,457
Do.	Rangoon	14,443
Do.	Taticorin	140
Do.	Dhanushkodi	2,032
Galle	Karachi	1,229
Beruwala	Negapatam	500
Do.	Karikal	200

(3,449 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

A. N. STRONG,  
for Principal Collector.

## Application for Lease of Grass Land.

APPLICATIONS will be received at the office of the Harbour Engineer up to 12 noon on Monday, December 11, 1922, for the lease of the grass land adjoining Bloemendahl Mills, in extent about 7 acres 3 roods 3.91 perchs. The land will be leased on a monthly tenancy. The successful tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 50 immediately after his tender is accepted.

G. W. DODDS,  
Colombo, November 27, 1922. Acting Harbour Engineer.

## Kaithady Hindu Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. R. K. Kur swamy, Kurukal, Kaithady, for registration of his Kaithady Hindu Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Tenmaradchi, Jaffna District, of the Northern Province.

Observations will be received not later than January 3, 1923.

Education Office,  
Colombo, November 30, 1922. L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

## Niyagama Anglo-Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Rev. J. H. Wickramanayaka for a grant in aid of his Anglo-Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Bantota-Walallawiti korale, in Galle District of the Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than January 6, 1923.

Education Office,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

## Construction of the Agricultural School, Jaffna.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for all works in connection with the execution of school block, engine house, milk room, and any additional work at the Agricultural Experimental Station, Jaffna, situated at Tirumelveli, near 3½ milestone, Jaffna-Palali road.

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

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

Two schedules of rates must be submitted, one including value of imported articles necessary in the work and the other omitting value of such imported articles, in duplicate duly signed and dated and forwarded in a securely sealed envelope addressed to the District Engineer, Jaffna, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates," so as to reach his office on or before 12 noon of December 22, 1922.

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

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, December 4, 1922. A. H. F. CLARKE,  
for Director of Public Works.

## Sale of Satinwood.

AN auction sale of the under-mentioned satinwood will be held at the Central Timber Depot, Kew road, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, February 3, 1923, at 11 A.M., subject to the following conditions:—

1. The timber will be put up in lots to suit buyers at a rate per cubic foot, and no advance of less than 25 cents per cubic foot will be accepted.

2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.

3. Payment of 25 per cent. of the successful bid to be made at time of sale, if so required.

4. Depot measurements must be accepted, but previous to date of auction any prospective bidder is at liberty to check the measurements recorded in the notice and to represent any differences promptly.

5. No timber shall be removed before payment of the full price bid, and all timber sold must be removed from the Depot within ten days of date of notification of acceptance by the Conservator of Forests of such bid, and will be at the risk of the purchasers until removed.

6. Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid when so required, or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or balance thereof, as the case may be, and to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 5 above, the lot will again be put up for auction, and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at the re-sale, while, if an enhanced price is realized at such re-sale, he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.

7. Flowered logs, if not so advertised, shall be excluded from the lots advertised in the list, and shall be put up separately, at the discretion of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, after consulting the wishes of prospective purchasers.

8. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or person for whom they bid, such authority will be retained by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.



9. Fractions of a cubic foot less than .5 will be ignored, and anything over will be counted as one cubic foot in calculation of value of each log.

	No. of Logs.	Cubic Feet.
Northern Division	23	732.19
Central Division	23	659.44
Eastern Division	7	263.06
<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1,654.69</b>

## LIST OF SATINWOOD LOGS REFERRED TO.

## Northern Division.

Div. No.	C.T.D. No.	Length. Ft.	Girth. in.	Cubic Feet.	Remarks.
47	1115	18	6.5	3.31.83*	Flowered
22	1127	17	3.5	5.31.62*	do.
32	1131	14	9.6	11.44.10*	Plain
86	1119	19	0.4	10.27.74*	Flowered
62	1140	20	0.4	11.30.21*	do.
63	1141	18	9.5	0.29.29*	do.
79	1142	15	6.5	8.31.10*	Plain
85	1160	13	6.5	11.29.53*	do.
44	1194	13	9.6	9.39.14*	Flowered
28	1195	18	3.6	0.41.06*	Plain
26	1201	17	6.5	5.32.08*	Flowered
25	1202	19	9.4	9.27.84*	do.
38	1206	18	6.6	2.43.96*	Streaked
82	1261	14	0.5	10.29.77*	do.
1	1267	15	0.6	0.33.75*	do.
17	1180	15	0.5	7.29.22*	Slightly flowered
2	1319	17	0.5	1.27.45*	Flowered
32	1320	14	3.5	4.25.32*	Plain
3	1321	23	3.5	1.37.54*	Streaked
1	1332	23	9.4	10.39.05*	Plain
4	1324	14	0.4	10.20.44*	Flowered
31	1315	15	0.4	11.22.61*	Plain
63B	1326	11	3.6	3.27.46*	Streaked

## Central Division.

64	1363	13	0.5	1.20.99*	Plain
53	1390	11	3.6	6.29.70*	Streaked
45	1402	11	9.5	9.24.27*	do.
29	1408	12	0.6	2.28.52*	do.
21	1410	14	0.6	5.36.02*	Plain
10	1411	14	6.6	2.34.45*	Flowered
23	1419	13	3.5	7.25.80*	Slightly flowered
15	1422	12	0.6	0.27.00*	do.
25	1427	11	3.6	5.28.94*	Plain
17	1429	13	3.5	2.22.03*	Well flowered
18	1430	12	0.5	9.24.79*	Streaked
12	1432	13	9.6	0.30.93*	Plain
51	1433	20	3.4	11.30.78*	do.
96	1435	12	6.5	1.20.18*	Streaked
91	1436	16	0.5	4.28.44*	do.
90	1440	11	6.6	0.25.87*	Well flowered
70	1441	14	3.7	0.43.63*	Slightly flowered
97	1442	16	6.5	4.29.32*	Streaked
93	1444	17	3.5	1.27.85*	do.
89	1447	12	9.6	1.29.48*	Well flowered
73	1449	12	3.6	10.35.74*	Streaked
88	1450	12	0.6	2.28.52*	Well flowered
76	1474	12	9.5	9.26.33*	Flowered

## Eastern Division.

7A	1219	16	0.5	8.32.11*	Streaked
34	1220	13	0.7	2.41.73*	do.
493	1225	15	3.6	4.38.22*	Flowered
955	1506	15	9.5	9.33.00*	Plain
957	1510	16	0.7	1.50.00*	do.
959	1511	15	3.5	10.32.00*	Slightly flowered
953	1515	15	3.6	2.36.00*	Well flowered
<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>			<b>1,654.69</b>	

\* Sound.

† Partly unsound.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, December 1, 1922.

## Sale of Timber.

An auction sale of the under-mentioned timber lying at Jaffna Customs Depot will be held on the spot by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Northern Division, on Tuesday, January 9, 1923, at 10.30 A.M., subject to the following conditions:—

1. The timber will be put up in lots to suit buyers at a rate per cubic foot, &c., and no advance of less than 25 cents per cubic foot, &c., will be accepted.

2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.

3. Payment of 25 per cent. of the successful bid to be made at time of sale, if so required.

4. Measurements as recorded by the Deputy Conservator of Forests must be accepted, but previous to date of auction any prospective bidder is at liberty to check the measurements and to represent any differences promptly.

5. No timber shall be removed before payment of the full price bid, and all timber sold must be removed from the depot within ten days of date of notification of acceptance by the Conservator of Forests of such bid, and will be at the risk of the purchaser until removed.

6. Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid when so required, or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or balance thereof as the case may be and to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 5 above, the lot will again be put up for auction, and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at the re-sale, while if an enhanced price is realized at such re-sale, he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.

7. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or person for whom they bid, such authority will be retained by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.

8. Further particulars can be obtained from the Forest Office, Jaffna.

## List of Logs.

No.		Cubic Contents.
		Cubic Ft.
36	Satinwood	258
93	Palu	1,226
1	Milla	8
1	Ranai	15
25	Ebony pieces	Tons 1.19
	Palu outside slabs	Tons 4.11
7	Barge poles.	
72	Broom handles.	
297	Pachchus.	

Office of the Conservator of Forests, J. D. SARGENT,  
Kandy, December 5, 1922. Conservator of Forests.

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

WHEREAS the insect named Fluted Scale (*Icerya purchasi*) has been proclaimed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government under Ordinance No. 5 of 1901 to be no longer considered a pest under the said Ordinance, the notifications published from time to time by the Director of Agriculture, in terms of the regulations made under the said Ordinance dated July 13, 1917, and appearing in *Government Gazette* of July 20, 1917, declaring the following estates as infested areas, are cancelled:—

## Dikoya District.

1. Abbotsleigh	4. Fruit Hill	6. Tillyrie
2. Annfield	5. Hatton	7. Ventrice
3. Banff		

*Dikoya Lower District.*

8. Agraya

*Dimbula District.*

9. Balmoral	17. East Fassifern	25. Radella
10. Bambrakelly	18. Edinburgh	26. St. Coombs
11. Bramar	19. Glassaugh	27. Thornfield
12. Caledonia	20. Holmwood	28. Tillicoultry
13. Cranley	21. Middleton	29. Uda Radella
14. Coreen	22. Mousa Ila	30. Wangie ya
15. Cwm	23. Portmore	31. Yarrewale
16. Diyagama	24. Queenwood	

*Hantane District.*

32. Amblamana

*Haputale, District.*

33. Craig | 34. Nayabedde

*Hewaheta, Upper.*

35. Eastland	38. Rahatungoda	40. Rookwood
36. Hope	39. Rookwood	Lower
37. Mukeloya		41. Rutland

*Kotmale District.*

42. Queensbery

*Maskeliya District.*

43. Alton	47. Gouravilla	50. Mincing Lane
44. Anandale	48. Kintyre	51. Mottingham
45. Brownlow	49. Meeriacotta	52. St. Andrews
46. Fairlawn		

*Maturata District.*

53. Marigold	55. High Forest	57. Gonakelle
54. Lauriston	56. Bramley	58. Gonapitiya

*New Galway District.*

59. Ambawela	61. Glenorchy	62. Sunnyslope
60. Albion		Albion

*Nuwara Eliya District.*

63. Conical Hill	65. Goatfell	67. The Park
64. Forest Plan- tation	66. Nuwara Eliya Park	68. Portwood

*Pundaluoya District.*

69. Dunsinane

*Ramboda District.*

70. Camnethan	73. Labookella	75. Rushbrook
71. Condegalle	74. Ramboda	76. Weddenaulle
72. Frotoft		

*Uda Pussellawa District.*

77. Glen Devon	80. Stafford	82. Tulloes
78. Halgranoya	81. St. Leonards	83. Waldemar
79. Silvekandy		

*Pussellawa District.*

84. Kanapediwatte | 85. Maymolly

F. A. STOCKDALE,

Peradeniya, December 4, 1922. Director of Agriculture.

**Destruction of a Rogue Elephant.**

I AM prepared to issue licenses, free of stamp duty, under section 9, sub-section 1 (b), of "The Game Protection Ordinance, No. 1 of 1909," for the destruction of a rogue elephant which roams about damaging crops and chasing after people in the villages of Maradankulama, Pudukulam, Ukkulankulama, and Mankadawela, in Kende korale of Nuwaragam palata, in the North-Central Province.

The footprint of the elephant is 50 inches in circumference and 18 inches in diameter. Height of the elephant, 7 feet. The villagers will point out the animal.

These villages are situated within about 12 miles from Anuradhapura, and the nearest resthouse is at Mihintale,

A reward of Rs. 50 is offered to any one who shoots this elephant and produces its foot, or a report from the local Headman to the effect that it has been destroyed.

Anuradhapura Kachcheri,  
December 2, 1922.G. F. R. BROWNING,  
Government Agent.**The Polytechnic, Limited.**

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

WHEREAS there is reason to believe that The Polytechnic, Limited, which was incorporated on April 20, 1917, under the provisions of "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," is not carrying on business or in operation, and is not capable of being formally wound up:

Now know Ye, that I, Nicholas Wilfred Morgappah, Acting Registrar of Companies, do, in terms of the provisions of the Ordinance No. 22 of 1866 and section 242 (5) of "The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908," and in pursuance of the notification dated August 30, 1922, in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,280 of September 1, 1922, hereby declare that the name of "The Polytechnic, Limited," has been struck off the Register of Joint Stock Companies kept in this office, and the Company is hereby dissolved.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, December 1, 1922.N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Acting Registrar of Companies.**Hoof Disease.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated October 17, 1922, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,291 of October 20, 1922, the village known as Maharagama, in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division of the Western Province, was proclaimed as an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas hoof disease no longer exists in the said area, it is hereby notified and declared that it is free from hoof disease and no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, R. J. PEREIRA,  
Colombo, November 28, 1922. for Government Agent.**Hoof Disease.**

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

The area bounded on the north by Pinwella dewata road, south by dewata road to C. D. Paulis's land, east by

Kelani Valley railway line, and west by Narahenpita to Nugegoda road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, W. A. WEERAKOON,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. for Government Agent.**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

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

The area bounded on the north by Mahawatta-ela, south by Tudewatta, west by Kelani Valley railway line, and east by Nawalaheen-ela.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, W. A. WEERAKOON,  
Colombo, December 2, 1922. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the land called Maditiyagahawatta at Maggama, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by a portion of this land, east by the land belonging to Atukoralage Don Amaris Appuhami, south by the land belonging to Baba Gurunanse, and on the west by the land belonging to Atukoralage Don Amaris Appuhami.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, W. A. WEERAKOON,  
Colombo, December 4, 1922. for Government Agent.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the lands known as Kosgahawatta *alias* Dimbulgahawatta and Duwewatta at Wattala, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by the fields belonging to D. S. Jayasundara and Pedrick Jayawardena, east by Colombo-Negombo road, south by the lands belonging to Dona Ana Jayasundara and J. M. Fernando, and west by the fields belonging to J. M. Fernando and D. D. Jayasundara, Police Vidane.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, W. A. WEERAKOON,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. for Government Agent.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 54, situated at Dematagoda, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 24, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, November 28, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 147, situated at St. Joseph's street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 25, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, November 28, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 13, situated at New Urugodawatta, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 24, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, November 30, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 16, situated at New Urugodawatta, Colombo: Such premises are

hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 22, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, November 30, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 12, situated at Dhobies' lane, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 22, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, November 30, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 28, situated at Prince of Wales Avenue, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 24, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

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

This declaration shall take effect from December 3, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 26, situated at Dias place, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 28, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 29, situated at Panchikawatta, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 30, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 60, situated at Dam street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 30, 1922.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, December 5, 1922.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 95, situated at Timbrigasyaya road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 29, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

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

This declaration shall take effect from November 25, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

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

This declaration shall take effect from November 27, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 79, situated at Wolfendahl street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 28, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 74, situated at Nagalagam street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 30, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 18, situated at Colpetty lane, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from November 24, 1922.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, December 5, 1922. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Sale of Goods.**

THE under-mentioned packages lying at 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, January 23, 1923, at 1 P.M. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, January 26, 1923:—

No.	Vessel.	Date of Landing 1922.	Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
16	.. ss. Tana	.. June 26	.. V L M M	.. 1 keg cement
21	.. ss. Purnea	.. June 29	.. Nil	.. 1 bundle cummin seed
22	.. ss. Takaoka Maru	.. June 26	.. E P C	.. 1 bundle tea chest
29	.. ss. Dogra	.. July 8	.. A. R. Ousman	.. 1 parcel sugar
			Holl. Cey. Com. Co.	.. 1 do.
			Consignee	.. 1 parcel manure
30	.. ss. Skuld	.. June 23	.. C C C	.. 2 bags manure
38	.. ss. Saigon Maru	.. June 26	.. Nil	.. 1 bundle tea shooks
41	.. ss. Mathura	.. July 19	.. Nil	.. 1 bag sand
44	.. ss. City of Lahore	.. July 13	.. M E in a diamond, H M outside	.. 4 bags grain
51	.. ss. Bahadur	.. July 26	.. Nil	.. 1 bag pollard
55	.. ss. Hathkola	.. July 11	.. Address	.. 6 parcels sugar
58	.. ss. Clan Mackmaster	.. July 21	.. M C L A	.. 4 bales chaff
59	.. ss. Trewyn	.. July 12	.. Nil	.. 1 bag wheat
		.. July 12	.. Nil	.. 1 bag bran
61	.. Salved goods	.. —	.. Nil	.. 1 package rubber
62	.. Unknown	.. —	.. —	.. 18 galvanized pipes
65	.. ss. City of Newcastle	.. July 29	.. H & Co.	.. 1 case
			.. Nil	.. 1 bag chillies
			.. Nil	.. 1 bag grain
69	.. ss. Rajah	.. August 8	.. Holl. Cey. Com. Co.	.. 3 boxes sugar samples
			.. T. W.	.. 1 box sugar samples
			.. A R O	.. 1 do.
			.. W R	.. 1 do.
			.. A R O	.. 1 do.
			.. J. Hassen	.. 1 do.
			.. B G J in a square	.. 1 do.
70	.. ss. Baronfels	.. June 27	.. 168 in a diamond, M M outside	.. 1 case merchandise
		.. June 27	.. Nil	.. 15 coils hoop iron
72	.. ss. Sangola	.. July 18	.. C M C or nil	.. 1 cask cement
			Galle	.. 11 bags rice
			.. A K K	.. 2 bags empty
			.. —	.. 2 bags empty
75	.. ss. Clan Chattan	.. July 10	.. —	.. 5 barrels tar, empty

No.	Vessel.	Date of Landing. 1922.		Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
77	ss. Purnea	August	3	A L A K 41 in a diamond T. H. Nil	1 bag flour 1 do. 1 bag barley 1 bag gingelly seed
83	ss. Amazane	August	1	Nil	1 case (broken) containing 1 bottle brandy
84	ss. Malakuta	July	31	Nil	1 keg tar
90	ss. Franenfels	July	18	Nil	53 bars iron
91	ss. Sweric	August	25	H T A, Cochin	1 bag ooid
92	ss. Franenfels	August	1	Nil	6 barrels cement 19 steel bars
94	ss. Waronga	August	5	Nil	2 bags coriander seed 1 bag flour
96	ss. Purnea	August	27	R S B inside a triangle	1 bag groundnut manure
98	ss. Lanterfels	May	17	S M	1 case perfumery
98	Bg. Sri Wenkaterwarin	September	5	Nil or A M S	1 bundle palmyra leaves
99	ss. Menkerk	August	8	Walkers in a square and S D in a triangle below	4 jars acid (broken)
101	ss. Benares	May	18	42 in a triangle and V B outside	1 case photo matter
13	ss. Jalatarang	June	20	—	1 lot sweeping grains

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, December 1, 1922.

M. M. ANTHONISZ,  
for Principal Collector.

Abstract of Cooly Labourers on Estates in the several Provinces during the Quarter ended June 30, 1922.

District.	Number of Estates.	Number of Immigrant Labourers.			Number of Births.	Number of Deaths.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
<i>Western Province.</i>						
Colombo	85	7,124	6,176	13,300	197	78
Kalutara	114	16,485	13,660	30,145	365	135
<i>Central Province.</i>						
Kandy	560	68,999	68,217	137,216	1,699	895
Nuwara Eliya	201	38,722	39,674	78,396	1,068	495
Matale	119	14,364	12,477	26,841	298	209
<i>Southern Province.</i>						
Galle	40	3,552	2,724	6,276	77	21
Matara	24	2,722	2,473	5,195	59	24
<i>North-Western Province.</i>						
Kurunegala	71	4,651	3,281	7,932	67	76
Puttalam	6	22	12	34	—	—
Chilaw	10	111	65	176	1	2
<i>Province of Uva.</i>						
Badulla	190	33,803	33,839	67,642	899	481
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>						
Ratnapura	112	20,168	18,236	38,404	468	229
Kegalla	142	19,178	17,578	36,756	478	233

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 9, 1922.

B. HORSBURGH,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

Local Option regarding Toddy Tavern.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Government Agent, Western Province, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 5 of the rules specified in Excise Notification No. 130 of June 16, 1922, has appointed December 23, 1922, as a convenient day, and Ambatale Boys' School as a convenient place for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the road

tax-paying inhabitants of the area served by the Mulleriyawa toddy tavern are opposed to the existence of the said tavern.

Time: 7 A.M. to 7 P.M.

Area: (Villages) Weliwita, Mulleriyawa north (Ambatale), Mulleriyawa, Udumulla, and Mulleriyawa Himbutana.

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, November 28, 1922.

J. G. FRASER,  
Government Agent.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Prices of Foodstuffs, &amp;c., in Colombo, on December 6, 1922.

	Wholesale.		Retail.	
	Per	Rs. c.	Per	Rs. c.
Paddy, Country	Bushel	2 75	Measure	—
Paddy, Imported	do.	3 25	do.	—
Rice, Country	do.	—	do.	—
Rice, Kara	do.	5 50	do.	0 18
Rice, Kallanda	do.	5 88	do.	0 19
Rice, Sulai	do.	6 50	do.	0 21
Rice, Muttusamba	do.	8 25	do.	0 26
Raw Rice (Rangoon)	do.	5 50	do.	—
Raw Rice (Singapore)	do.	5 25	do.	—
Raw Rice (Batavia)	do.	—	do.	—
Dhall (Tuvarai)	do.	—	Seer	0 28
Dhall (Muscouiri)	do.	—	do.	0 20
Green Peas	do.	—	do.	0 32
Ulundu	do.	—	do.	0 20
Gram	do.	—	do.	0 18
Wheat Flour	do.	—	lb.	0 12
American Flour	do.	—	do.	0 13
Ghee, Cow	do.	—	Seer	5 0
Ghee, Buffalo	do.	—	do.	2 75
Milk	do.	—	Bottle	0 40
Potatoes (Indian)	do.	—	lb.	0 12
Potatoes (Bangalore)	do.	—	do.	0 12
Onions (Bombay)	do.	—	do.	0 10
Onions, Red	do.	—	do.	0 7
Bread	do.	—	1-lb. loaf	0 18
Tea	do.	—	lb.	1 25
Coffee	do.	—	do.	0 55
Limes	do.	—	Dozen	0 18
Coconuts	do.	—	Each	0 10
Sugar, Soft	do.	—	lb.	0 22
Sugar, Crepe	do.	—	do.	0 18
Sugar (Ceylon)	do.	—	do.	—
Sugar Candy	do.	—	do.	0 25

	Per	Wholesale.		Per	Retail.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.		
Sugar, Brown	—	—	—	lb.	—
Salt	—	—	—	Measure	0 12
Salt	—	—	—	lb.	0 6
Dried Chillies	—	—	—	do.	0 25
Coriander	—	—	—	do.	0 18
Pepper	—	—	—	Measure	0 34
Garlic	—	—	—	lb.	0 25
Mustard	—	—	—	Measure	0 25
Turmeric	—	—	—	lb.	0 30
Fenugreek	—	—	—	do.	0 18
Cumin	—	—	—	do.	0 50
Aniseed	—	—	—	do.	0 56
Tamarind	—	—	—	do.	0 12
Jaggery	—	—	—	Bundle	0 30-36
Gingelly	—	—	—	Seer	0 25
Gingelly Oil	—	—	—	Bottle	1 25
Coconut Oil	—	—	—	Measure	0 60
Kerosine Oil, Daylight	—	—	—	Bottle	0 25
Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand	—	—	—	do.	0 24
Bulk Oil, Rising Sun	—	—	—	do.	0 19
Matches, Three Stars	—	—	—	Packet of	—
				12 boxes	0 20
Matches (Japanese)	—	—	—	do.	0 16
Beef	—	—	—	lb.	0 35
Mutton	—	—	—	do.	0 80
Pork	—	—	—	do.	0 60
Chickens	—	—	—	Each	0 50-75
Eggs	—	—	—	do.	0 6
Dry Fish, Netti (Hal-messan)	—	—	—	lb.	0 30
Dry Fish (Maldiva)	—	—	—	do.	0 80

The Municipal Office, Colombo, December 6, 1922.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Financial Assistant to the Chairman,  
Municipal Council.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

## Election of Unofficial Members, Local Board, Bandarawela.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned persons have been elected Unofficial Members under section 12 of "The Local Board Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898," to serve on the Local Board of Bandarawela, for the years 1923 and 1924:—

Messrs. M. J. Peeris; D. D. Abeyasekera; Capt. A. C. Freeman.

Badulla Kachcheri,  
December 2, 1922.

R. A. G. FESTING,  
Government Agent.

## Election of Unofficial Members, Local Board, Badulla.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned persons have been elected Unofficial Members under section 12 of "The Local Board Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898," to serve on the Local Board of Badulla, for the years 1923 and 1924:—

Muhandiram D. H. Kotalawela, J.P., U.P.M.; Mudaliyar A. I. Jainu Deen, J.P., U.P.M.; Mr. P. Packir Saibo, J.P.

Badulla Kachcheri,  
December 2, 1922.

R. A. G. FESTING,  
Government Agent.

## Commutation Tax, Local Board, Badulla.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board, Badulla, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 35 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, has resolved that, on account of the year 1923, a tax payable in six days' labour, be imposed upon all persons residing within the limits of the said Board, who, if the Ordinance No. 31 of 1884 had not been passed, would have been liable, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to the performance of labour for the maintenance of the roads or other public means of communication by land or by water.

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

Local Board Office,  
Badulla, November 29, 1922.

G. L. DAVIDSON,  
for Chairman.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax, Local Board, Badulla.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Badulla, that the Board, acting under the provisions of Chapter IX, section 56 of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1901, has resolved that annual tax be imposed for the year 1923, on all carriages, carts, hackeries, horses, ponies, mules, and asses kept or used within the limits of the Local Board of Badulla, at rate specified in the schedule hereto annexed:—

	SCHEDULE.	Rs. c.
For every carriage	..	4 0
For every cart	..	2 0
For every hackery	..	2 0
For every jinricksha	..	1 0
For every horse, pony, or mule	..	1 0
For every bullock	..	0 50
For every ass	..	0 50

Local Board Office,  
Badulla, November 29, 1922.

G. L. DAVIDSON,  
for Chairman.

## Fees for Licenses, Local Board, Badulla.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Badulla have fixed the following fees for the year 1923, for licenses for the sale of fruits, vegetables, and poultry, outside the public market, under and in pursuance of by-law (2) of Chapter IV., of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1901:—

	Per Annum.
	Rs. c.
Vegetable and fruit	4 44
Fish	2 0
Poultry	2 0

Local Board Office,  
Badulla, November 29, 1922.

G. L. DAVIDSON,  
for Chairman.

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

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended	Month ended	Increase in 1922.	Decrease in 1922.	Nett Increase or Decrease from October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1922.	
	September 30, 1921.	September 30, 1922.			Increase in 1921 to 1922.	Decrease in 1921 to 1922.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Salt ..	—*	626	626	—	2,296	—
Kerosine oil ..	958	500	—	458	1,411	—
Rubber ..	3,323	3,913	590	—	7,622	—
Rice ..	14,038	14,550	512	—	—	4,016
Tea ..	5,563	6,044	481	—	5,962	—
Cacao ..	40	29	—	11	1,708	—
Coconut produce ..	13,233	9,844	—	3,389	—	11,707
Fruit and vegetables ..	1,616	1,583	—	33	524	—
Tea and rubber packing ..	1,696	1,387	—	309	2,330	—
Plumbago ..	89	334	245	—	—	105
Bulk petroleum ..	554	671	117	—	754	—
Liquid fuel ..	922	1,187	265	—	2,329	—
Manure ..	5,467	7,683	2,216	—	56,992	—
Other goods ..	25,845	22,106	—	3,739	5,148	—
Railway material (open line)	9,341	8,685	—	1,156	—	3,654
Railway material (extensions)	395	477	82	—	9,934	—
Breakwater material ..	1,576	322	—	1,254	—	3,276
Foreign traffic ..	10,462	3,545	—	6,917	20,468	—
Special Traffic (other Government Departments) ..	—	6,213	6,213	—	39,858	—
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>95,618</b>	<b>89,699</b>	<b>11,347</b>	<b>17,266</b>	<b>157,336</b>	<b>22,758</b>

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

Colombo, November 30, 1922.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

## Golahenwatta-Yatawatta 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," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

(Estimate No. D 111, sanctioned on November 21, 1921.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 1,330.25
Private contributions ..	Rs. 1,343.55

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 3,089—Moiety of cost, Rs. 857.73—  
Sectional rate, 2776c.—Total rate, 2776c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
J. H. Carson and W. H. Tindall & Co. (Agents, Carson & Co., and W. Hermon, Superintendent, J. Hayward)	Hylton and Macollusa	555	154 11

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 2,534—Moiety of cost, Rs. 285.91—  
Sectional rate, 1128c.—Total rate, 3904c.

The Lanka Plantations Co., Limited (J. M. Robertson & Co., Superintendent, C. H. Lambert), J. M. S. Barlow	Yatawatta	1,266	494 40
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Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
The Dangan Rubber Co., Ltd. (Agents, Carson & Co., Superintendent, T. B. Worthington)	Dangan and Lower Dangan	829	323 72
Vauxhall Rubber Co., Ltd. (Agents, J. M. Robertson & Co., Superintendent, C. H. Lambert)	Laksahena	341	133 15
G. K. Hormusjee	Nowagala	98	38 26
<b>Total</b>			<b>1,143 64</b>

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before January 12, 1923.

N.B.—Private contributions ..	1,343 55
Deduct unexpended balance, 1920-1921 ..	199 91

Amount to be recovered on account 1921-22 1,143 64

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Kandy, December 5, 1922. Chairman.

## Deniyaya-Hayes Branch Road, 1922-23.

HEREBY give notice that a meeting of the Local Committee will be held at Hayes estate bungalow, at 9.30 A.M. on December 30, 1922, to determine the assessment of the estates concerned, and at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

EDW. C. ANDERSON,  
Chairman, Local Committee.

Deniyaya, December 1, 1922.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

NOTICE.—In the following lists the numbers in the second column denote the number of the "Ceylon Government Gazette" in which the trade mark was advertised:—

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

Applica- tion No.	Gazette No.	Date of Gazette.	Proprietors.	Class	Registra- tion No.
2,705	7,280	September 1, 1922	Compagnie de La Source Perrier	44	2,705
1,466	7,280	September 1, 1922	Ford Motor Company of Canada, Ltd.	6, 13, 22, & 40	2,756
1,933	7,280	September 1, 1922	Waltham Watch Co.	10 & 14	2,757
2,015	7,280	September 1, 1922	United Drug Co.	42	2,758
2,595	7,281	September 8, 1922	Worthington-Simpson, Ltd.	6, 7, 12, 13, & 18	2,595
2,615	7,281	September 8, 1922	Nestlé & Anglo Swiss Condensed Milk Co.	47	2,615
2,702	7,282	September 15, 1922	K. Satiavagiswara Aiyar	48	2,702
2,708	7,282	September 15, 1922	William Hollins & Co., Ltd.	33, 34, & 38	2,708
2,709	7,282	September 15, 1922	do.	34	2,709

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

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

2,563	7,252	April 12, 1922	Neina Varesa Pakeer Meera Mohideen, No 17, Marties lane, Colombo; General Merchant. <i>Naina Mohamed Pakeer Mohideen Mohamed Saibo and Naina Mohamed Pakeer Mohideen Ahamed Saibo, trading under the name, style, and firm of N. M. P. Mohamed Saibo &amp; Brother</i>	42	2,563
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## Trade Marks cancelled during the Month of November, 1922.

987	6,726	July 9, 1915	C. H. Parsons & Bro., Ltd.	47, 48, & 50	1,617
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Cancelled in respect of all goods included in Classes 47 and 48 only.

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

—	5,331	January 11, 1895	Clark & Co., Ltd.	23	92
—	5,338	February 22, 1895	J. & P. Coats, Ltd.	23	98
299	6,277	November 20, 1908	Ephraim S. Wells	2	1,014
319	6,289	January 29, 1909	Bombay Flour Mill Co., Ltd.	42	1,038
320	6,289	January 29, 1909	do.	42	1,039
322	6,292	February 5, 1909	S. L. Abdul Majeed	47 & 48	1,044

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

108	5,303	August 10, 1894	H. W. Cave & Co.	42	87
273	6,259	September 4, 1908	E. G. Adamally & Co.	47	992
278	6,260	September 11, 1908	Noilly Prat & Cie	43	994
281	6,261	September 18, 1908	Patrick Duncan Gourlay Clark and John Robert Farbridge, trading as Clark & Co.	6 & 7	996
272	6,262	September 25, 1908	A. M. E. Hallai & Co.	48	998
276	6,267	October 16, 1908	William Cooper & Nephews	2	1,005
277	6,267	October 16, 1908	do.	2	1,006

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Acting Registrar-General.

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

- (1) Application No. 2,775.
- (2) Date of Receipt: November 10, 1922.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): BRITISH-AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), Westminster House, 7, Millbank, London S.W., England; Tobacco Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Forty-five.
- (6) Goods: Manufactured tobacco.
- (7) Mark:

# BIG BEN.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

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

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- (2) Date of Receipt: November 10, 1922.
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- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Forty-five.
- (6) Goods: Manufactured tobacco.
- (7) Mark:

# MAS COT.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.



**I**N 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:—

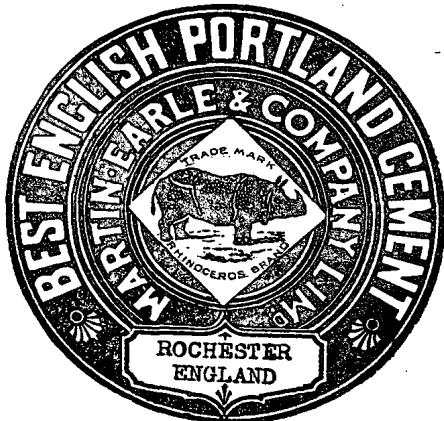
- (1) Application No. 2,682.
- (2) Date of Receipt: June 22, 1922.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): WILLIAM GOSSAGE & SONS, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), Widnes, Lancashire, England; Soap Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Classes: (a) Forty-seven; and (b) Forty-eight.
- (6) Goods: (a) In Class 47 in respect of candles, common soap, detergents, illuminating, heating and lubricating oils, matches; and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes.
- (b) In Class 48 in respect of Perfumery (including toilet articles preparations for the teeth and hair, and perfumed soap).
- (7) Mark:



Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

**I**N 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. 2,769.
- (2) Date of Receipt: November 10, 1922.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): MARTIN, EARLE & COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), 8, Lloyd's Avenue, London E. C.; and Portland Cement Works, Wickham, Rochester, Kent, England; Cement Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Seventeen.
- (6) Goods: Portland Cement.
- (7) Mark:



Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
Colombo, December 6, 1922. Acting Registrar-General.

**I**N 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. 2,770.
- (2) Date of Receipt: November 10, 1922.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): BRITISH-AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), Westminster House, 7, Millbank, London S. W., England; Tobacco Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Forty-five.
- (6) Goods: Manufactured tobacco.
- (7) Mark:

"GOLD FLAKE"



W.D. & H.O. WILLS.  
Bristol & London.

Registrar-General's Office, N. W. MORGAPPAH,  
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- (6) Goods: Manufactured tobacco.
- (7) Mark:



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(4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.

(5) Class : Forty-five.

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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. 2,774. *2774*

(2) Date of Receipt : November 10, 1922.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : BRITISH-AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), Westminster House, 7, Millbank, London S. W., England; Tobacco Manufacturers.

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