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DRAFT ORDINANCE.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

An Ordinance further to amend "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1898," and "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1906."

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1898," and "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1906" : Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund (Amendment) Ordinance, No. of 1924," and shall be read as one with "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1898," and "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1906."

2 Section 5 of "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1898," is hereby repealed, and the following section shall be inserted in lieu thereof :

5. (1) All moneys belonging to the Fund, whether arising from past or future contributions, fines, interest, or otherwise, shall be invested with the Government of this Colony, and shall bear interest payable by the said Government during the continuance of the Fund.

(2) Such interest shall be, and shall as from the first day of January, One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty, be deemed to have been, at the rate of eight per centum per annum, free from any deduction.

(3) Such interest shall be made up on the thirty-first day of December in each year, and shall be calculated upon the mean monthly balance standing in the hands of the Treasurer of the Colony to the credit of the Fund during the course of the year.

Preamble.

Short title.

Substitution of new section in lieu of section 5 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1898.

Insertion of new sub-section in lieu of sub-section (5) of section 6 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1898.

3 Sub-section (5) of section 6 of "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1898," is hereby repealed, and the following section shall be inserted in lieu thereof :

(5) It shall be the duty of the Directors annually, on or before the thirty-first day of May, to prepare a statement and account of the Fund for the year ending the thirty-first day of December preceding, and such statement and account shall be laid before the Governor and the Legislative Council.

Repeal of section 33 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1898.

4 Section 33 of "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1898," is hereby repealed.

Repeal of section 7 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1906.

5 Section 7 of "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1906," is hereby repealed.

Computation of pensions of widows or children of officers appointed after passing of Ordinance No. 13 of 1906.

6 (1) The pensions to which widows or children of deceased public officers appointed after the passing of "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1906," are entitled under the provisions of that Ordinance, shall be deemed to have been computable and payable according to the tables attached to that Ordinance up to and including the thirty-first day of December, 1919; and as from and including the first day of January, 1920, such pensions shall be and be deemed to have been, computable and payable according to the tables sanctioned by the Governor in Executive Council on the twenty-seventh day of February, 1922.

(2) Such tables may, with the approval of the Secretary of State, and of the Governor in Executive Council, be adjusted and revised by an actuary or actuaries from time to time appointed by the Governor in Executive Council.

(3) All pensions to widows or children, whether in possession or in expectation and reversion, shall be subject to re-adjustment, and shall be computed upon the tables so adjusted and revised, and diminished or increased accordingly.

(4) All such pensions as aforesaid shall be paid out of the General Revenue of the Colony and are hereby made charges on such revenue.

Provision for triennial valuations.

7 The actuarial valuations of the Fund made on the thirtieth day of June, 1912, the thirty-first day of December, 1915, the thirty-first day of December, 1918, and the thirty-first day of December, 1921, are, notwithstanding anything contained in section 9 of "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1906," hereby declared to be in all respects as valid as if they had been quinquennial valuations as required by that section. The next actuarial valuation of the Fund shall be made as on the thirty-first day of December, 1924, and thereafter triennially.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, January 18, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE objects of the Bill are, (a) to substitute as from January 1, 1920, eight per centum for six per centum as the rate of interest legally payable on moneys of the Fund invested with the Government; (b) to make it lawful to apply new pension tables constructed on the basis of this higher rate of interest to the dependents of officers appointed after the passing of Ordinance No. 13 of 1906; (c) to delete an existing provision of the law which limits the maximum pension payable in any case to Rs. 3,000 per annum; and (d) to bring the provisions of the law in regard to certain technical matters into line with existing practice.

2. The two first-mentioned objects, (a) and (b), were suggested to the Government in April, 1920, by the Secretary of State, who expressed the opinion that there was a good case for revising the Pension Tables of the Ceylon Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund and Scheme by substituting eight per centum for the rate of six per centum on which those tables, in common with the tables of practically all the Colonial Funds and Schemes, were then based. The Government and

the Legislative Council have given effect to this suggestion so far as the Fund is concerned, and interest at eight per centum on the Fund's money invested with the Government has been voted and paid into the Fund as from January 1, 1920. Section 2 of the present Bill gives statutory authority for past and future action in this respect. No special statutory authority is required for the application of revised tables based on this higher rate of interest to pensions payable from the Fund, and revised tables have in fact already been applied to such pensions, by the procedure prescribed by section 23 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1898, as from January 1, 1920, when the higher rate of interest became payable.

3. These revised tables, in which the more liberal rate of interest allowed by Government on contributions to the Fund is reflected, cannot, however, be applied to Widows' and Orphans' pensions payable from General Revenue (*i.e.*, the prospective and actual pensions of the dependents of officers who are or have been contributors under section 6 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1906 to what is generally known as the Ceylon Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme) until section 7 of the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance of 1906, which provides that such pensions shall not be revised, is repealed. Consequently the "Scheme" pensions have continued to be governed by the old tables. Sections 5 and 6 of the present Bill accordingly repeal section 7 of the Ordinance of 1906 and provide for the application of the revised tables as from January 1, 1920.

4. Further revision of the tables applicable to Widows' and Orphans' pensions is not anticipated as a result of further alteration of the rate of interest assumed in the construction of the tables, but it is possible that further revision may be decided upon hereafter as a result of changes in mortality and other experiences. It has been thought desirable, therefore, in drafting the present Bill, not to insert a provision similar to that in section 7 of the Ordinance of 1906, thereby investing with immutability the tables now to be applied to the Widows' and Orphans' pensions payable from General Revenue, but to make provision for possible future actuarial revisions of the tables applicable to those pensions.

5. As regards the third object of the Bill, (c) in paragraph 1 above, section 33 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1898 limits the pension which may be paid to Rs. 3,000 per annum or such larger sum as may be fixed under section 23 of the Ordinance, and goes on to provide that no public officer is to be compelled to pay any contributions beyond such as would bring up the pension to such maximum amount. The actuaries to whom the Secretary of State referred the matter are not only of opinion that the clause may be repealed without danger to the solvency of the Fund, but state that the removal of the limitation imposed by section 33 would remove much confusion and complexity in bookkeeping. In the Bill provision is made for the repeal of this section. Its repeal will, of course, affect widows' and orphans' pensions payable from General Revenue equally with those payable from the Fund.

6. The technical matters referred to at (d) in paragraph 1 above are dealt with in sections 3 and 7 of the Bill.

7. Section 3 re-enacts sub-section (5) of section 6 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1898 which provides for an annual report on the Fund to be presented on a particular date in each year and covering a period within indicated dates. These dates have been changed more than once, and, to avoid confusion, the sub-section in question is re-enacted with the new dates as desired by the Directors.

8. Section 7 deals with the periodical valuations of the Fund. Section 9 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1906 provides for quinquennial valuations, but the practice has been, as from March 31, 1909, to make triennial valuations. These triennial valuations were made in 1912, 1915, 1918, 1921, and it is thought well to validate them expressly as well as to make provision that for the future these actuarial valuations shall be made triennially.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, January 4, 1924.

H. C. GOLLAN,
Attorney-General.

NOTIFICATIONS OF CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

BY virtue of a mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said court for the Northern Province will be holden at the District Court-house at Jaffna, on Monday, February 11, 1924, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said day.

And I do hereby require and inform all persons concerned therein to attend at the time and place above-mentioned, and not to depart without leave asked and granted.

Fiscal's Office,
Jaffna, January 15, 1924.

A. VISVANADHAN,
for Fiscal.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,076. In the matter of the insolvency of Kavenna Mohamado Haniffa of Dematagoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,149. In the matter of the insolvency of Neina Mohamado Packeer Mohideen Mohamado Saibo and Neina Mohamado Packeer Mohideen Ahamado Saibo, both of No. 15, Norris road, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvents have been granted a certificate of conformity as of the second class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,177. In the matter of the insolvency of Kana Muna Koya Marikar of No. 26, Prince street, Pettah, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,208. In the matter of the insolvency of Kasturi Aratchige William Silva of Fourth Cross street, Pettah.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,215. In the matter of the insolvency of M. L. M. Mohamado Thaheer of Maradana.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the second class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,218. In the matter of the insolvency of Sinna Lebbo Abdul Wahid of Nelson's place, Wellawatta.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the first class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,224. In the matter of the insolvency of Moona Kavenna Cader Mohideen, presently of Messenger street, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the second class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,230. In the matter of the insolvency of Newton Alexander de Silva of Wellawatta.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,231. In the matter of the insolvency of D. A. Silva of Daniel's road in Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the first class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,233. In the matter of the insolvency of Asuruppul Bartholomeusz Silva of Bopitiya.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,234. In the matter of the insolvency of Wilson Ambrose of Nugugoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.
No. 3,238. In the matter of the insolvency of Vana Ponniah of No. 53, Hill street, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,241. In the matter of the insolvency of A. F. Dep of No. 29, Chatham street, Fort.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,243. In the matter of the insolvency of Walter Edmund Brohier of Bambalapitiya.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has been granted a certificate of conformity as of the third class.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,269. In the matter of the insolvency of Justin Ernest Fernando of Kalubowila.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting

of this court on February 19, 1924, for the grant of a certificate of conformity to the insolvent.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 177. In the matter of the insolvency of Kaluwadewagey Martin Fernando of Kalutara North.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on February 19, 1924, for examination of the insolvent and the assignee.

By order of court, R. MALALGODA,
Kalutara, January 11, 1924. Secretary.

In the District Court of Nuwara Eliya holden at Hatton. Insolvency In the matter of the insolvency of George Case Cecil Bliss of Tillyrie estate, Dikoya. No. 14.

TAKE notice that the second sitting of this court in the above matter has been fixed for February 1, 1924.

By order of court, A. W. LUDEKENS,
Hatton, January 15, 1924. Secretary.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

N. M. N. Narayanan Chetty of Sea street, Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 2,174 of 1921. Vs.

Don John Kulatunga and another of 5, Cotta road, Colombo Defendants.

Charles Alfred Frederick Perera of Cotta road, presently of Nugegoda Surety.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, February 21, 1924, at 2 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said surety in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 750, viz. :—

An allotment of land called Delgahawatta marked lot A in plan dated October 30, 1899, with the buildings standing thereon and bears assessment No. 2851/64A (1-5), situated at Baseline road in Borella, within the Municipality and District of Colombo; bounded on the north and north-west by a part of the same land belonging to Usliyanage Francina Perera, east by the Baseline road, on the south and south-east by the other part of the same land, and on the west and south-west by a portion of the same land marked B; containing in extent 20.22/100 square perches.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 16, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Ana Moona Seyadu Abraham of Third Cross street, Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 5,410. Vs.

W. K. Stephen de Silva of Keyzer street, Colombo Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, February 11, 1924, at 2 P.M., will be sold by public auction at 56, Keyzer street, Pettah, Colombo, the following movable property for the recovery of the balance sum of Rs. 400 and costs, and further damages at Rs. 360 per month from February 1, 1924, viz. :—

Six large glass almirahs, 6 small glass almirahs, 3 large showcases, 4 small showcases, 1 large wall almirah, 2 counters, 1 large teapoy, 8 bentwood chairs, 1 cashier's counter, 1 mirror, 2 glass wall almirahs, 1 stand with wooden

image, 25 large and small pictures, 1 writing table with drawers, 1 almirah, 3 bentwood chairs, 2 chests of drawers, 1 wall mirror, 2 wooden boxes, 1 small almirah, 2 glass almirahs, 1 glass corner almirah, 1 large showcase, 1 table almirah, 1 rack, 1 foot sewing machine, 2 counters, 1 square table, 1 rocking chair, 1 round chair, 1 bentwood chair, 3 iron chairs, 4 long benches, 1 small showcase, 2 small glass almirahs, 3 toy dogs, 1 lot sundries.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Shaw, Wallace & Company of Colombo Plaintiffs.

No. 7,116. Vs.

L. L. Perera of 8, Perth road, Dematagoda, Colombo Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, February 16, 1924, at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction at this office the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,117.74, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from December 6, 1922, till date of decree (May 15, 1923), and thereafter on the aggregate amount at legal rate till payment in full, and costs, and poundage, viz. :—

The mortgage bond No. 435 dated June 18, 1923, and attested by J. G. de S. Wijeratna, Notary Public, executed by one Don Philip Benjamin Wanigasooriya of Sedawatta in favour of the defendant, L. L. Perera of Perth road, Dematagoda, for Rs. 3,500.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the District Court of Colombo.

M. V. E. M. R. M. Kumarappa Chetty of 97, Sea street, Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 7,707. Vs.

G. Robert de Zoysa of Baillie street, Colombo, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of G. Robert de Zoysa & Company, presently of Union place, Slave Island, Colombo Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 16, 1924, at 1 P.M., will be sold by public auction at No. 76, Union place, Slave Island, Colombo, the following movable property of the defendant for the recovery of the sum of

Rs. 1,593.69, together with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from February 15, 1923, till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz. :—

One iron safe, 3 lounges, 1 writing table, 12 chairs, 1 clock, 2 benches, 6 jak almirahs, 1 writing table, 1 glass almirah, 4 lounges, 6 armchairs, 1 table, 2 folding chairs, 1 copying press, 2 weighing balances, 1 motor car bearing No. M 9.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the District Court of Colombo.

A. R. Mohamed Cassim of 61, Bankshall street, Colombo, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of A. R. Mohamado Cassim & Bros. . . . Plaintiffs.
No. 8,091. Vs.

G. Robert de Zoysa of Baillie street, Colombo, carrying on a business under the name, style, and firm of G. Robert de Zoysa & Co., presently of Slave Island, Colombo Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 16, 1924, at 2 P.M., will be sold by public auction at No. 76, Union place, Slave Island, Colombo, the following movable property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 4,174.88, together with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from March 23, 1923, till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz. :—

One iron safe, 3 lounges, 10 writing tables, 12 chairs, 1 clock, 2 benches, 6 jak almirahs, 1 writing table, 1 glass almirah, 4 lounges, 6 armchairs, 1 table, 2 folding chairs, 1 copying press, 2 weighing balances, 1 motor car bearing No. M 9, 1 motor lorry bearing No. C 4517.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the District Court of Colombo.

M. F. R. M. Raman Chetty of Sea street, Colombo Plaintiff.
No. 10,184. Vs.

(1) M. Pieries, (2) E. M. C. Pieries, (3) F. C. Amarasakara, (4) C. P. O. E. Pieries, all of Grandpass in Colombo Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, February 18, 1924, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said 1st, 2nd, and 3rd defendants in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,154.50, together with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from October 19, 1923, till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz. :—

At 2 P.M.

(1) All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 134A (being lot E), situated at Nagalagam street, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by lot D, on the east by road, and on the south and west by lot F; containing in extent 1.20 perches.

At 2.30 P.M.

(2) All that premises bearing assessment No. 134B and C (being lot D), situated at Nagalagam street in Colombo; and bounded on the north by lot C allotted to J. G. Gomes Abeyesinghe, east by road, on the south by lot E allotted to A. L. Pieries, and on the west by lot F allotted to D. L. Abeyasekara; containing in extent 1.40 perches.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Josephine Kulatunga of Talangama Plaintiff.
No. 53,236. Vs.

(1) B. Assan of Leechman lane, Slave Island, Colombo, legal representative of the estate of late Kamal Deen Assan of Lily street, Slave Island; (2) Ethel Holmes and her husband (3) C. A. Holmes, both of No. 2, Peradeniya road, Kandy Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, February 19, 1924, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the following property of the 1st defendant

(representative) mortgaged with the plaintiff by bond No. 377 dated August 24, 1916, and decreed to be sold by the decree entered in the above action for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 500, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from October 3, 1919, till payment in full, and costs of suit (bill not taxed yet) :—

At 2 P.M.

(1) All that allotment of land and all the buildings standing thereon bearing assessment No. 11, situated at Ferry lane, Slave Island, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, Western Province; and which said allotment of land is bounded on the north by the premises bearing assessment No. 22 of Mr. Solomon Fernando, on the east by lane between this property and the premises bearing assessment No. 12 of U. Paulis Silva, on the south by the premises bearing assessment No. 10 of Aniffa Umma, and on the west by the premises bearing assessment No. 21 of John Perera; containing in extent 3 60/100 square perches according to the plan thereof No. 672 dated July 14, 1909, made by H. G. Dias, Licensed Surveyor, the said premises is the part and parcel of the entire land registered under title A 66/375.

At 2.30 P.M.

(2) All that deceased's share, right, title, and interest in and to all that the part of the garden with all the buildings standing thereon bearing assessment No. 1, situated at Leechman lane in Slave Island, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, Western Province; and which said part of garden is bounded on the north by the other part of this garden marked letter A in the plan sold to Coporal Sheriff Oodeen, on the east by the road, on the south by the garden of Kolpan, now of N. E. M. Packeer, and on the west by the garden of Bayman Ahamed; containing in extent 7 77/100 square perches.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the Court of Requests of Colombo

(1) Sududewage Singho Fernando of Colombo, (2) Mantridewage Sedris Fernando of Colombo, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of S. S. Fernando & Co., Colombo Plaintiffs.
No. 80,693. Vs.

Don Jocolis Wetteasinghe of Eswatta Kosgama . . . Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, February 20, 1924, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 266.74, together with legal interest from July 4, 1921, till payment in full, and a further sum of Rs. 25.25 being costs of this action, viz. :—

At 1 P.M.

(1) All that allotment of land called Kanatteudakele, situated at Eswatta in the Udugaha pattu of Hewagam korale and in the District of Colombo; and bounded on the north by lot No. 6098 in P. P. 15,696 and land claimed by natives, and on the east and west by lands claimed by natives, on the south by reservation along the Miriswatta estate; containing in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 11 perches.

At 1.30 P.M.

(2) The land called Kanatteudakele, situated at Eswatta aforesaid; and containing in extent 3 roods and 32 perches; and bounded on the south by T. P. 312,100, and on all other sides by lands claimed by natives.

At 2 P.M.

(3) The land called Negenairakanda, situated at Eswatta aforesaid; and containing in extent 13 bushels of paddy sowing; and bounded on the east by jungle belonging to Mr. Byrde, and on the south by ditch, on the west by Eswatte-oya, and on the north by the estate.

At 2.30 P.M.

(4) The land called Kelaniyagewatta, 6 bushels of paddy sowing in extent, situated at Eswatta as aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the ditch, on the west by Eswatte-oya, on the south by dola, and on the east by Galwetiya.

At 3 P.M.

(5) All that undivided 1/7 part of Muruthagahaowita *alias* Millagahaowita, situated at Eswatta as aforesaid; and bounded on the east by land belonging to Thotaliyana people known as Millagahawatta, on the south by the dola, on the west by Eswatte-oya, and on the north by the live fence of the owita belonging to Don Julius Jayawardana; containing in extent about 1½ acre.

At 3.30 P.M.

(6) All that undivided 1/7 part of Weukandeowita, situated at at Eswatta aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the row of arecanut trees of a separated portion of the same land, on the south by Weukandiya, and on the west by Puwakghalanda, and on the north by land belonging to Don Robert Jayawardana; about 1 bushel of paddy sowing.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Colombo, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal, W. P.

In the District Court of Colombo.

M. S. T. Narayana Sany Pillai of Bankshall street in
Colombo Plaintiff.
No. 4,870. Vs.

B. Solomon Fernando of Beruwala in the District of
Kalutara Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 9, 1924, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 9,651.36, together with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from May 15, 1922, till payment in full, and costs of suit, less a sum of Rs. 1,264.10 and Rs. 2,084.68, viz. :—

5. Undivided 7/10 shares of the soil and of the remaining trees, together with ¼ of 6 coconut trees of the 2nd plantation standing thereon, of a portion of Bandarawatta in Beruwalbadda; and bounded on the north by Crown land as old burial ground, east by the portion belonging to an Fernando, south by Attigahawatta, and west by 3 portions of Bandarawatta marked D, E, F; and containing in extent about ¼ acre.

The above-mentioned land will be sold at the risk of the original purchaser, Henry Thomas Andradi of Beruwala.

6. The soil, all the trees, and the house standing thereon of a portion of Munewatta, situated at Bandarawatta in Beruwalbadda; and bounded on the north by Kuppamagella, east and south by a portion of this land, and west by seashore; and containing in extent 1½ acre.

The above-mentioned land will be sold at the risk of the original purchaser, V. Ramadas Naidu of Bankshall street, Colombo.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, H. SAMERESINGHA,
Kalutara, January 8, 1924. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Kawana Ramana Mans Kawana Ramen Chetty of
Sea street, Colombo Plaintiff.
No. 5,046. Vs.

Don Arnolis Jayawardene of Maha Paiyagala Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 16, 1924, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property (mortgaged by the defendant with plaintiff and declared bound and executable for the decree entered in the said case) for the recovery of the balance sum of Rs. 7,625, with interest at 15 per cent. from April 16, 1923, till payment and costs, viz. :—

1. All those undivided ¼, 1/30, and 1/50 parts of the land called Mahagalahedewatta (Mahagalabodawatta) and of the trees and plantations therein (exclusive of the planter's ½ share of the trees of the first planter's ¼ share of the trees

of the 3rd plantation), situated at Paiyagala in Paiyagala-badde of Kalutara totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province; and bounded on the north by Mahagalabaddawatta in the name of Vidanerallage people, on the east by the high road, south by Talapotandanewatta, and on the west by seashore; containing in extent about 2 acres.

2. All those undivided ¾ parts of all that allotment of land called Dummalamoderawatta, and of the trees and plantations thereon, situated at Paiyagala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by portion of Dummalamoderawatta in the name of Manawaduge and Kankanige people, on the east by Wagurewatta in the name of Kankanige people, and on the south by a portion of Dummalamoderawatta in the name of Kankanige people, and on the west by the high road; containing in extent about 1 rood and 20 perches.

3. All those undivided 7/32 parts of all that allotment of land called Dummalamoderawatta and of the paraveni trees and plantations thereon, exclusive of the planter's share of the 2nd plantation, situated at Paiyagala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Dummalamoderawatta in the name of Registrar, on the east by river, on the south by the line belonging to the railway, and west by the high road; containing in extent about 1 rood.

4. All those undivided half of undivided 17/24 parts and undivided 1/16 (¼ of 17/24 and 1/16) of all that allotment of land called Dummalamoderawatta and of the trees and plantations thereon (exclusive of the planter's share of the 2nd plantation and portion acquired for rail road and railway line), situated at Paiyagala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Dummalamoderawatta belonging to Registrar, on the east by river, on the south by Lansiyawatta, and on the west by high road; containing in extent 2 roods and 9 perches.

5. All that undivided ¼ part of all that portion of land called Dummalamoderawatta bordering river and of all the trees and plantations thereon, together with undivided ¼ of half part of the planter's share of the 2nd and 3rd plantations standing on the southern portion thereof, situated at Paiyagala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by a portion of this land belonging to Kottase Mahatmaya, on the east by river, south by Lansiyawatta, and on the west by high road; containing in extent about 3 roods.

6. All that portion of land called Dummalamoderawatta wherein Don Solomon Vidane Aratchi resided, together with the buildings, trees, and plantations standing thereon, situated at Paiyagala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by a portion of Dummalamoderawatta belonging to Janchi Silva, on the east by Mullewatta and river, on the south by a portion of Dummalamoderawatta belonging to Janchi and on the west by high road; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 2 16/100 perches.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, H. SAMERESINGHA,
Kalutara, January 8, 1924. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Pinteru Mahawaduge Joronis Fernando of Kalutara
North Plaintiff.
No. 11,115. Vs.

Hakuruge Siadoris Fernando *alias* Sidoris Fernando
of Bombuwala Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 23, 1924, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, mortgaged by the defendant with plaintiff and declared bound and executable for the decree entered in the said case, for the recovery of Rs. 7,057.29, with interest on Rs. 5,000 at 12½ per cent. per annum from March 6, 1923, till July 30, 1923, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate till payment in full, and costs of suit Rs. 209.17, viz. :—

1. All that allotment of the land called Annasigalakele, situated at Bombuwala, in Kalutarabadda in Kalutara totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province; and bounded on the north by title plan No. 241,036, east

by an abandoned path, title plan No. 290,004, and land claimed by natives, south by title plan No. 253,413 and Crown land, and west by title plan No. 68,916 and lot No. 3224 in preliminary plan No. 14,878; containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 9 perches.

2. All that defined eastern half share portion of the land called Balakuluketiyaland, situated at Bombuwala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by land appearing in plan No. 253,415, east by land appearing in plan No. 210,246 and the reservation along the road, south by reservation along the road, land appearing in plan No. 148,840, and lot No. 26447 in plan No. 14,128, and west by the remaining half share portion of the same land; containing in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 2½ perches.

3. All that allotment of land called Nugagahahenaland and Balakuluketiya, situated at Bombuwala aforesaid; and bounded on the north by land appearing in plan No. 183,553, north-east and east by a portion of the same land sold by the said mortgagor, south by Crown land, and west by reservation along the footpath, title plan No. 69,375, and lot No. 20195 in preliminary plan No. 13,074; containing in extent 6 acres 1 rood and 37½ perches.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, H. SAMERESINGHE,
Kalutara, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Walipitiyage Themis Simon Rodrigo of Pinhena. Plaintiff.
No. 11,124. Vs.

(1) Abdu Rahiman Marikar Kadicha Umma Natchia, and husband (2) Uduma Lebbe Marikar Mohamadu Ismail Marikar, both of Deenagoda. Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, February 18, 1924, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, mortgaged by the defendant with planitiff and declared bound and executable for the decree entered in the said case, for the recovery of Rs. 3,000, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from March 8, 1923, till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz.:

1. All that entire portion of land called Pokunabodawatta, together with 1 coconut tree of the 1st plantation, 2 coconut trees of the 2nd plantation, and the tiled and cadjaned boutique room standing thereon, situated at Beruwala in Beruwalbadda; and bounded on the north by clay wall of the bankshall room sold by Mr. Wijeyaratna Jayasuriya Bastian Perera, Notary, east by the high road, south by the wall of the boutique room sold to Tamby Marikar Uduma Lebbe Marikar, Peace Officer, and west by the waste ground of this garden belonging to Bodiya-baduge Andris Perera; containing in extent 23 cubits in length from the drain of the high road towards the back side and 11 cubits in breadth.

2. An undivided ½ share of the soil and of all the trees of the southern portion of Kiriya-gewatta alias Mammale-godawatta, situated at Deenagoda aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the portions of this garden, east by Mammaligodatottam wherein Sulema Lebbe resided, south also by Mammaligodatottam, and west by Ashaniadivayal and Diganeowita; containing in extent about 1 acre.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, H. SAMERESINGHA,
Kalutara, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal.

Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

P. R. S. T. K. M. Siddambram Chetty of Matale. Plaintiff.
No. 29,057. Vs.

I. L. S. Seyado Ibrahim Saibo of Matale. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, February 15, 1924, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and the following days commencing at 10 A.M., will be sold by public auction at the spot the following movable property

of the defendant lying in the defendant's shop bearing Nos. 193 and 194, situate at Trincomalee street, Matale, viz.:

1 iron safe	1 copying press
2 large glass show cases without contents	2 elephant chains
2 small glass show cases without contents	1 brass head light motor car lamp
10 counter glass show cases	1 nickel plated head light lamp
1 weighing machine with platform and weights complete	13 rolls coir matting
3 writing desks	60 enamelled latex buckets
10 Carboy's martional jars	1 pipe wrench with chain
9 rivet galvanized buckets, large	1 galvanized drum
18 mammoti quitentancies	9 rolls Manila ropes, assorted sizes
20 mammoti forks	6 galvanized funnels, large
115 grubbing mattocks	9 zinc petrol funnels
68 pickaxes, large and small	7 rolls galvanized wire weaving mesh, assorted sizes
1 pit saw, large	1 roll galvanized wire
1 transplanter	9 rolls perforated zinc sheets, incomplete
9 bucking shovels	7 rolls wire netting
8 latrine buckets	10 galvanized guttering
30 galvanized buckets, large and small	60 weeding scrapers
50 wire shoot runners, large and small	2 buggy cart axles
5 pieces copper rods	60 iron hammers, large and small
4 crowbars	40 cart bushes, large
2 lifting jacks	60 cart bushes, small
12 iron supporters	1 barrel flower of sulphur
5 Salter's circular scales (½ to 300 lb.)	2 motor car tyres

Amount of writ Rs. 1,428.06, with interest on Rs. 3,670.79 at 9 per cent. per annum from September 18, 1921, till payment in full.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, C. SENARATNE,
Matale, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal.

Southern Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

S. de S. Gunasekera of Maradana in Colombo. Plaintiff.
No. 7,908. Vs.

(1) Lucy de Silva Gunasekera, (2) Anthony Bernard Gunasekera, (3) Alfred Barnes Gunasekera, (4) Edwin Ivers Gunasekera, and (5) Victor R. Gunasekera, all of Campbell place in Colombo. Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 16, 1924, commencing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property for the recovery of a sum of Rs. 3,960, together with interest on Rs. 2,640 at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from March 7, 1923; to November 7, 1923, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree, with legal interest thereon till payment in full, and costs of suit:

All that divided ½ share of the land called Erawalawatta, situated at Nape in Weligam, Korale, in Matara District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by Pittene-kumbura, east by lands appearing in P. P. 1,351/W 600, P. P. 1,163/L 517, a footpath, P. P. 1,163/M 517, and Nugagahawila, on the south by another portion of the same land belonging to Mr. Mawalis Silva of Galle, and on the west by land appearing in T. P. No. 111,234; and containing in extent about 100 acres.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, E. T. GOONEWARDENE,
Matara, January 15, 1924. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Matara.

Don Alexander Wanigaratne Manampiri Appuhamy of Dematagoda in Colombo. Plaintiff.
No. 8,939. Vs.

Don Charles Wanigaratne Manampiri Registrar of Marriages of Dondra. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 9, 1924, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the

said defendant in the following mortgaged property for recovery of the sum of Rs. 432.64, and legal interest from May 14, 1920 :—

The 3 boutique rooms bearing Nos. 3, 4, and 5 out of the 7 boutique rooms standing on the western side of the land Merenchigewatta, situate at Magamure in the Gangaboda pattu of the Matara District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by Yakudagewatta, east by Katuwanamulla and Yakudagewatta, south by deniya, west by Kongalagewatta; containing in extent about 1 acre.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Matara, January 12, 1924.

E. T. GOONEWARDENE,
Deputy Fiscal.

Eastern Province.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

Somanader Kasupathipillai of Kalladi Uppodai, Plaintiff.
No. 5,468. Vs.

Kumaraperumal Karapathipillai Seenitambay of Kommaturai Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, January 26, 1924, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the Batticaloa Fiscal's Office the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,972.83, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from September 27, 1923, till payment in full, and costs Rs. 100.58, viz.:—The right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to the debt of Rs. 2,800 secured on bond No. 10,016 of July 27, 1922, and mortgaged to him by bond No. 10,061 dated August 16, 1922, and attested by A. S. Ragunathan, Notary Public, for Rs. 2,000.

Fiscal's Office,
Batticaloa, January 12, 1924.

S. THURAIYAPPAH,
Deputy Fiscal.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Lindapitiye Arachchillage Dingiri Amma by her next friend Gaspe Mudiyansele Menikhami of Bogammana in Dewamedde korale Plaintiffs.

No. 8,699. Vs.

(1) Malhami (dead); (2) Hetuhami; (3) Punchi Banda; (4) Appuhami, Vidane; (5) Lama Etena; all of Ipalawa in Dewamedde korale; (6) Ukku Amma; (7) Ran Menika; (8) Appuhami, (9) Ranhami, minors; (10) Menikhamy, all of Ipalawa in Dewamedde korale; minors by guardian *ad litem* 6th substituted defendant, in the place of 1st defendant Substituted defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 16, 1924, commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and

interest of the said defendants and substituted defendants in the following property, viz.:—

1. Hitinawatta of about $\frac{1}{2}$ acre in extent, situate at Ipalawa in Dewamedde korale of Dewameddi hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province; and bounded on the north and east by the wire fence of the garden of Kiri Banda, south by fence of the limit of the field, west by fence of the garden of Kiri Banda and others; with the building and plantations standing thereon.

2. Bogahamulawatta of about 1 acre in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north by the fence of Kadurugahamulawatta, east by fence of Paluwatta, south and west by limitary ridge of the field; with the plantations thereon.

3. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Wewapaulawatta of about 3 lahas of kurakkan sowing in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north by cart road, east by the fence of the garden of Kiri Banda and others, south by limitary ridge of the field, and on the west by Wekanda.

4. An undivided $\frac{1}{12}$ share of Paranawatta of about 3 lahas of kurakkan sowing in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north by endaru fence, east by fence of the garden of Kiri Banda, south by fence of the garden Kandurugahamulawatta, west by fence of the garden of Kiri Banda; with the plantations standing thereon.

5. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Kahatagahamulawatta of about 2 lahas of kurakkan sowing in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north by the fence of the garden of Dingiri Banda, Vidane, on the east by the fence of the garden of Mutumenika and others, south by road, west by fence of the garden of Ranhami and others.

6. Rambapitiyewatta of about 1 acre in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north and east by wire fence of the garden of Mudalihami and others south and west by cart road; with the plantations standing thereon.

7. Bogahamulakumbura of about 2 pelas of paddy sowing in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north by fence of the garden Bogahamulawatta, east by limitary ridge of the field of Mudiyanse and others, south by limitary ridge of the field Pinkumbura, west by limitary ridge of the field of Banda.

8. Lindapitiyekumbura of about 1 pela of paddy sowing in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north by fence of the garden of Saminadanpulle, east by the limitary ridge of the field of Mutumenika, south by wew-wella, and on the west by the limitary ridge of the field of Ukku Menika and others.

9. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Indihenekumbura of about 2 pelas of paddy sowing in extent, situate at the aforesaid village; and bounded on the north by limitary ridge of the field of Banda and others, on the east, south, and west by limitary ridge of the field and the fence of the garden of Punchirala.

Amount to be levied Rs. 3,226.10 and poundage.

Fiscal's Office,
Kurunegala, January 9, 1924.

S. D. SAMARASINGA,
Deputy Fiscal.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Don Paul Warusapperuma of Atigala in the Meda pattu of Hewagam korale, deceased.

Between Don Daniel Warusapperuma of Atigala aforesaid Petitioner.

And

(1) Dona Petermella de Silva nee Warusapperuma, wife of (2) Henry William de Silva of Kandy, (3) Claribel Gertrude de Silva, (4) Leanora Petermella de Silva, (5) Pearl Olivia de Silva, (6) Henry Lionel de Silva, (7) William George de Silva; the above-named 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th respondents substituted in place of 1st respondent, deceased Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before M. V. Fernando, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on

October 30, 1923, in the presence of Mr. H. A. Abeywardene, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 5, 1923, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as brother of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 29, 1923, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 30, 1923.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

The date for showing cause against this Order Nisi is extended to January 31, 1924.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the
Jurisdiction. late Dona Almina Gunaratne Hamine of
No. 1,538. Nedimala in the Palle pattu of Salpiti
korale, deceased.

Withanagey Abraham de Silva Jayasooria of Nedimala
in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale Petitioner.

And

(1) Wilfred Jayasooria, (2) Kusumapala Jayasooria, (3)
Wally Jayasooria, all of Nedimala, by their guardian,
(4) L. S. Gunaratne of Wellawatta Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on November 22,
1923, in the presence of Mr. C. V. Wickremasinghe, Proctor,
on the part of the petitioner above named; and the
affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 29, 1923,
having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby
declared entitled, as widower of the above-named deceased,
to have letters of administration to her estate issued to
him, unless the respondents above named or any other
person or persons interested shall, on or before January 24,
1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court
to the contrary.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

November 22, 1923.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of
Jurisdiction. Ranasingha Hettiaratchigey Lenoris
No. 1,539. Appuhamy of Kandumulla in the Meda
pattu of Siyane korale in the District of
Colombo, deceased.

Don Peter Ranasingha of Kandumulla aforesaid. Petitioner.

And

(1) Hettiarachchi Vellamuragey Enso Nona Hamine,
(2) Dona Alpina Rosalin Ranasingha, (3) Don
Hendrick Ranasingha, (4) Dona Sedo Nona Rane-
singha, wife of (5) Ranawera Kula-arachigey Don
Jasinariyaratne, (6) Dona Chalo Nona Ranasinghe,
all of Kandumulla aforesaid. Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on November 22,
1923, in the presence of Mr. C. V. Wickremasinghe,
Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and
the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 29, 1923,
having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby
declared entitled, as widower of the above named deceased,
to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him,
unless the respondents above named or any other person
or persons interested shall, on or before January 24, 1924,
show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the
contrary.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

November 22, 1923.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the
Jurisdiction. Panagodage Porolis Perera of Malabe,
No. 1,549. deceased.

Panagodage Albert Ernest Perera of Malabe in the
Palle pattu of Hewagam korale Petitioner.

And

(1) Panagodage Carlina Perera, (2) ditto Pavistina
Perera, wife of (3) Brandigampolage Don Cornelis
Appuhamy, (4) Panagodage Henry Alfred Perera,
(5) ditto Thomas Walter Perera, (6) ditto Adeline
Grace (minor), all of Malabe, (7) ditto Agnes Perera,
wife of (8) A. C. Kalpage of Ragalla, (9) Chulananda
Luvinius Perera of Malabe Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 3,
1923, in the presence of Mr. N. J. S. Cooray, Proctor, on

the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit
of the said petitioner dated November 27, 1923, having
been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby
declared entitled, as a nephew and an heir of the above-
named deceased, to have letters of administration to his
estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named
or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before
January 31, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction
of this court to the contrary.

December 3, 1923.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testa-
Jurisdiction. ment of Letitia Sophia Joseph of
No. 1,576. Havelock Town in Colombo, deceased.

Hilda Eleanor Bartholomeusz of Havelock Town
aforesaid Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 19,
1923, in the presence of Messrs. de Vos & Gratiaen, Proctors,
on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affi-
davits (1) of the said petitioner dated December 19, 1923,
and (2) of the attesting notary and witnesses also dated
December 19, 1923, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will of Letitia Sophia Joseph,
deceased, of which the original has been produced and is
now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby
declared proved; and it is further declared that the peti-
tioner is the executrix named in the said will, and that she
is entitled to have probate thereof issued to her accordingly,
unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before
January 24, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction
of this court to the contrary.

December 19, 1923.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testa-
Jurisdiction. ment of Paththohundi Arnel Hamy, late
No. 1,578. of Mahahunupitiya, Negombo, deceased.

Laththohundi Ederis Silva of Mahahunupitiya,
Negombo Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 19,
1923, in the presence of Mr. M. N. M. Mahudeep, Proctor,
on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affi-
davits (1) of the said petitioner dated December 10, 1923,
and (2) of the attesting witnesses of December 7, 1923,
having been read:

It is ordered that the said last will of Paththohundi Arnel
Hamy, deceased, of which the original has been produced
and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby
declared proved; and it is further declared that the peti-
tioner is the executor named in the said will, and that he
is entitled to have probate thereof issued to him accordingly,
unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before
January 24, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction
of this court to the contrary.

December 19, 1923.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of
Jurisdiction. Andrew de Alwis, late of Padukka,
No. 1,581. deceased.

Francis William de Alwis of Slave Island in
Colombo Petitioner.

And

(1) Bridget Jayawardene, wife of (2) D. M. Jayawardene,
both of Moratuwa, (3) James Gerald de Alwis of
Dehiwala Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on December 20,
1923, in the presence of Mr. A. B. Tillekeratne, Proctor, on

the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated December 18, 1923, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as brother of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration of his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before February 14, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

December 20, 1923.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of
Jurisdiction. Hanwellage Jacolis of Dedigamuwa in
No. 7,236. the Palle pattu of Hewagam korale,
deceased.

Imbulanage Katcho Hamy of Dedigamuwa
afosaidd Petitioner.

And

(1) Hanwellage Gorgi Nona, wife of (2) Colombage Lewis
Singho, (3) Hanwellage Manis Singho, (4) ditto
Anoris Singho, (5) ditto Ano Hamy, all of
Dedigamuwa afosaidd Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on November 28,
1923, in the presence of Mr. John Rowland Perera, Proctor,
on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit
of the said petitioner dated November 26, 1923, having
been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby
declared entitled, as widow of the above-named deceased,
to have letters of administration to his estate issued to her,
unless the respondents above named or any other person
or persons interested shall, on or before January 24, 1924,
show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the
contrary.

November 28, 1923.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of
Jurisdiction. the late Kodimarakkalage Ana Fernando
No. 7,237. of Walana in Panadure, deceased.

Bemenihennedige Cecilia Fernando, wife of Hettitantrige
Simon Fernando of Walana in Panadure.... Petitioner.

And

(1) Bemenihennedige James Fernando of Walana, (2)
Bemenihennedige Catherina Fernando, and her
husband (3) Mahamarrakkalage Simon Perera, both
of Indibedda in Moratuwa, (4) Bemenihennedige
Thelasia Fernando of Walana in Panadure. Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. S. de
Saram, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on November
29, 1923, in the presence of Mr. R. W. Perera, Proctor, on
the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit
of the said petitioner dated November 10, 1923, having
been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby
declared entitled, as daughter of the above-named deceased,
to have letters of administration to her estate issued to her,
unless the respondents above named or any other person
or persons interested shall, on or before January 24, 1924,
show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the
contrary.

November 29, 1923.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Etuldureachige Awneris Appu, deceased,
No. 1,607. of Mawala.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. H. B.
Carbery, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on October 17,

1923, in the presence of Mr. C. E. A. Perera, Proctor, on
the part of the petitioner, Etuldureachige Martin Sinno of
Mawala; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated September
20, 1923, having been read: It is ordered that the said
petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the
eldest son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of
administration to his estate issued to him, unless the
respondents—(1) Etuldureachige Jeen Nona, (2) ditto
Rala Nona, (3) ditto Peter Sinno, (4) ditto Lihinis, the
1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, minors, by their guardian *ad litem*,
(5) Mestiage Punchi Sinno Goonetilleke of Mawala—or any
other person or persons interested shall, on or before
December 17, 1923, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction
of this court to the contrary. It is further ordered that
the 5th respondent be and he is hereby appointed guardian
ad litem over the 1st to 4th respondents, minors, for all the
purposes of this action, unless the respondents or any
other person or persons interested shall, on or before
December 17, 1923, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction
of this court to the contrary.

October 17, 1923.

W. H. B. CARBERY,
District Judge.

The date for showing cause against this *Order Nisi* is
extended to January 21, 1924.

W. H. B. CARBERY,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of Babee
Jurisdiction. Pathumma Natchia of Periya Theru in
No. 4,078. Nesew of Kayalpatnam in Tinnevely
District, South India.

Sena Wana Saiyado Ibrahim Saibo of house No. 16
Colombo street, Kandy..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Ana Muna Mohamado Abdul Cader, (2) Mohamado
Suleha Umma, both of Sinne Theru in Nesew of
Kayalpatnam in Tinnevely District, South
India Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Paulus Edward
Pieris, Doctor of Letters, District Judge, Kandy, on
November 16, 1923, in the presence of Mr. Walter Beven,
Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Sena Wana Saiyado
Saibu, of house No. 16, Colombo street, Kandy; and the
affidavit of the said petitioner dated September 12, 1923,
and the petition having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner, as the husband of
the deceased above named, be and he is hereby declared
entitled to have letters of administration to the deceased's
estate issued to heirs accordingly, unless respondents—
Ana Muna Mohamado Abdul Cader and Mohamado Suleha
Umma, both of Sinne Theru in Nesew of Kayalpatnam,
South India—or any person or persons interested shall, on
or before January 28, 1924, show sufficient cause to the
satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

November 16, 1923.

P. E. PIERIS,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Assen
Jurisdiction. Beebee Ammal, wife of Mayi Lebbe Udumansa
No. 4,087. Rawther, deceased, of Rajagiri,
Tanjore District, South India.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Paulus
Edward Pieris, Doctor of Letters, District Judge, Kandy,
on December 3, 1923, in the presence of Mr. W. Beven,
Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Mayi Lebbe Udumansa
Rawther's son, Assen Mohamado Saibo; and the affidavit
of the said petitioner dated November 19, 1923, and his
petition having been read: It is ordered that the said
petitioner Mayi Lebbe Udumansa Rawther's son, Assan
Mohamado Saibo, as the son of the deceased, be and he is
hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration
to the deceased's estate issued to him accordingly, unless
any person or persons interested shall, on or before January
28, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this
court to the contrary.

December 3, 1923.

P. E. PIERIS,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Vana Ena Vana Ena Vyrawen Pulle of No. 4,089. Munapathur in Patnagalam Ulkadai in South India, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Paulus Edward Pieris, Doctor of Letters, District Judge, Kandy, on December 6, 1923, in the presence of Messrs. Liesching & Lee, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner, Vythalingam Servai of Mary Hill estate, Ramboda; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated December 4, 1923, and of Chinnasami Iyengar, son of Sama Iyengar of Sivaganga, dated July 2, 1923, and the petition of the said petitioner, Vythalingam Servai, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of the deceased, Vana Ena Vana Ena Vyrawen Pulle, above named dated September 1, 1922, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before January 28, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said petitioner, Vythalingam Servai, as one of the executors named in the will, and as the lawful attorney of Ramayee the other executor named in the said will, and of Vilayee, the junior wife of the said deceased, is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before January 28, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

P. E. PIERIS,
District Judge.

December 6, 1923.

In the District Court of Galle.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Dewa Uparis alias Upaneris de Silva, No. 5,863. deceased, of Seenigama.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. B. Russell, Esq., District Judge, Galle, on November 23, 1923, in the presence of Mr. P. A. Adhietty, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Dissentuwahandi Pinhamy of Seenigama; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 15, 1923, having been read: It is ordered that the following 3rd respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th respondents, unless the respondents—(1) Dewa Jason Nona, wife of (2) Appuwahandi Harmanis de Silva, (3) Dewa Aron de Silva, (4) Dewa Babahamy de Silva, (5) Dewa Alice Nona de Silva, (6) Dewa Uvaneris de Silva, (7) Dewa Jinadasa de Silva, (8) Dewa Gunadasa de Silva, (9) Dewa Sumanadasa de Silva, all of Seenigama—shall, on or before January 10, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the said petitioner, as wife of the deceased above named, is entitled to have letters of administration issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents shall, on or before January 10, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

T. B. RUSSELL,
District Judge.

November 23, 1923.

The date for showing cause has been extended to January 24, 1924.

T. B. RUSSELL,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Don Carolis Goonawardena, deceased, of No. 5,864 T. Heenatigala.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. B. Russell, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on November 26, 1923, in the presence of Mr. A. J. Pandita Goonawardana, Proctor, of the part of the petitioner, Nanayakkarawasan Hewatuduwewattege Samanlihamy of Heenatigala; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated November 23, 1923, having been read: It is ordered that the following 4th respondents be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd minor respondents, unless the respondents, viz., (1) Fransinahamy Goonawardana, (2) Francis Goonawardana, (3) Arnolis Goonawardana, (4) G. V. Babun Appu of Mawella shall, on or before January 10, 1924, show

sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said petitioner, as widow of the deceased above named, is entitled to have letters of administration issued to her accordingly, unless the said respondents shall, on or before January 10, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

T. B. RUSSELL,
District Judge.

November 26, 1923.

Extended for January 24, 1924.

T. B. RUSSELL,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the last Will and Testa- Jurisdiction. ment of the late Pemmawadu Odris de No. 5,886. Silva, deceased, of Ambalangoda.

Between

Kulappuwadu Solonona of Ambalangoda, Petitioner.

And

Pemmawadu Andoris de Silva of Ambalangoda, Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. B. Russell, Esq., District Judge, on December 12, 1923, in the presence of Mr. M. C. E. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Kulappuwadu Solonona of Ambalangoda; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated December 12, 1923, and that of the affidavit of the attesting witnesses to the last will dated December 9, 1923, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of Pemmawadu Odris de Silva, deceased, dated December 20, 1921, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless the respondent, Pemmawadu Andoris de Silva, or any other person or persons concerned shall, on or before January 24, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said petitioner, as wife of the son of the deceased above named, is entitled to have letters of administration, with the will annexed, issued to her accordingly, unless the said respondent or any person or persons concerned shall, on or before January 24, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

December 12, 1923.

T. B. RUSSELL,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Naidahandi Punchinona, deceased, of Waturegama.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. B. Russell, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on December 13, 1923, in the presence of Mr. K. T. E. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Perumahandi Charles of Waturegama; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated November 28, 1923, having been read:

It is declared that the petitioner, as husband of the deceased above named, is entitled to have administration issued to him accordingly, unless any person or persons concerned shall, on or before January 24, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

December 13, 1923.

T. B. RUSSELL,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 2,970.

Wanigasekara Wanniatthige Abraham of Ihallawitiyala, Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Wanigasekara Wanniatthige Deewana of Ihallawitiyala, and husband (2) Dona Dues Pallaw Vidana of ditto, (3) Wanigasekara Wanniatthige Dona Ciciliana of Pallawela, and her husband (4) Dahanaikagamage Don Andris of ditto, Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. P. Keuneman, Esq., Acting District Judge of Matara, on

October 24, 1923, in the presence of the petitioner, Wanigasekara Wanniatthige Abraham of Ihawitiyala, and the petition and affidavit of the said petitioner dated October 17, 1923, having been read :

It is ordered that the said petitioner, Wanigasekara Wanniatthige Abraham, be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the said deceased, to administer the said estate, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before November 29, 1923, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. P. KEUNEMAN,
Acting District Judge.

October 24, 1923.

Extended for January 24, 1924.

E. RODRIGO,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of Hewa
No. 2,983. Karunathilake Dona Gimara of Nadu-
gala, deceased.

Danapala Aratchige Don Cornelis, Police Officer, of
Nadugala Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Don Hendrick Samarawickrema Rupasinghe, (2) Dona Carlina Samarawickrema Rupasinghe, and husband (3) M. B. A. Bartholomew de Silva, all of Nadugala, (4) Don Cornelis Samarawickrema Rupasinghe of Pettah, Colombo, (5) Dona Gimara Samarawickrema Rupasinghe, and lawful husband (6) Don Hendrick Abegoonawardena, both of Weragampitiya, (7) Don David Samarawickrema Rupasinghe of Nadugala, (8) Dany Samarawickrema Rupasinghe, (9) Hinder Samarawickrema Rupasinghe, (10) Leelawati Samarawickrema Rupasinghe all of Nadugala. Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before E. Rodrigo, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on December 6, 1923, in the presence of Messrs. G. E. & G. P. Keuneman, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner, Danapala Aratchige Don Cornelis; and the petition and affidavit of the said petitioner dated November 23, 1923, having been read :

It is ordered that the petitioner, Danapala Aratchige Don Cornelis, be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the said deceased, to administer the said estate, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the above-named respondents or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before February 8, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is also ordered that the 1st respondent, Don Hendrick Samarawickrema Rupasinghe, be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the 8th, 9th, and 10th respondents, unless sufficient cause be shown to the contrary on or before February 8, 1924.

E. RODRIGO,
District Judge.

December 6, 1923.

In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late
No. 2,976. Palliye Guruge Don Naderis of Kekana-
dure, deceased.

Palliye Guruge Don Andris, Police Officer of Kekana-
dure Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Hewa Geeganage Babunhamy of Kekanadure, (2) Palliye Guruge Dona Karlina of Parawahera, (3) ditto Don Abraham of Kekanadure, (4) ditto Dona Gimara of Owitigamuwa, (5) Paranagamage Don Nickulas of ditto, (6) Palliye Guruge Dona ciliyana of Udu'awa, (7) Subasinha Don Johannes of ditto, (8) Palliye Guruge Don Samel of Kandy, (9) ditto Don Charles of ditto, (10) ditto Don Siman, Vel-Vidane of Kekanadure, (11) ditto Don James of ditto, (12) ditto Don Hendrick of ditto Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before E. Rodrigo, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on November 16, 1923, in the presence of the petitioner appearing in person; and the petition and affidavit of the said petitioner dated November 18, 1923, having been read : It is ordered that the petitioner

be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the said deceased, to administer the said estate, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before January 24, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

E. RODRIGO,
District Judge.

November 16, 1923.

In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of Kulasinge
No. 2,980. Don Bastian, late of Wattagama, de-
ceased.

Wijesin Kodippili Aratchige Dona Karlina of Watta-
gama Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Kulasinge Seminona, (2) ditto Charlis, (3) ditto Hendrick, (4) Wijesin Kodippili Aratchige Deoni, all of Wattagama Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before E. Rodrigo, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on November 20, 1923, in the presence of the petitioner appearing in person; and the petition and affidavit of the said petitioner dated November 13, 1923, having been read : It is ordered that the petitioner, be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the said deceased, to administer the said estate, and that letters of administration do issue to her accordingly, unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before January 31, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is also ordered that the 4th respondent be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd respondents, unless sufficient cause be shown to the contrary on January 31, 1924.

E. RODRIGO,
District Judge.

November 20, 1923.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Achchippillai, wife of Nannitamby Rasiah
No. 4,850. of Kokuvil, deceased.

Chinnatamby Thampee of Kokuvil Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Ratnam, daughter of Rasiah, (2) Nannitamby Rasiah of Kokuvil, presently of Federated Malay States Respondent.

THIS matter of the petition of Chinnatamby Thampee of Kokuvil, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, Achchippillai, coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge, on January 9, 1923, in the presence of Mr. V. K. Gnanasundaram, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated May 23, 1922, having been read : It is declared that the petitioner is the father of the said intestate, and is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondents or any other person shall, on or before February 8, 1923, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.

January 9/26, 1923.

Extended for January 22, 1924.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Nagamuttu, wife of Karthigasu of Vanni-
No. 5,051. narponnai West, deceased.

Murugappan Karthigasu of Vannarponnai West Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Karthigesu Subramaniam, (2) Pooranam, daughter of Karthigasu, and (3) Nagamuttu, widow of Nagamuttu, all of Vannarponnai West; the 1st and 2nd respondents are minors by their guardian *ad litem* the 3rd respondent Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of Murugappan Karthigasu of Vannarponnai West, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, Nagamuttu, wife

of Karthigasu of Vannarponnai West, coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge, on November 22, 1923, in the presence of Mr. K. Sivapirakasam, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated January 20, 1923, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the lawful husband of the said intestate, and is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondents or any other person shall, on or before January 22, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

December 21, 1923.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Konamalai Vannithamby of Mathakal, No. 5,335. deceased.

Elayachchi, widow of Konamalai Vannithamby, of Mathakal..... Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Vannithamby Ponnampalam (minor), (2) Konamalai Vannanathar, both of Mathakal..... Respondents.

THIS matter of appointing the 2nd respondent as guardian *ad litem* over the minor, the 1st respondent, and praying for grant of letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased to the petitioner, coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge, Jaffna, on December 18, 1923, in the presence of Mr. P. Canapathypillai, Proctor, for petitioner; and the affidavit and petition of the petitioner having been read:

It is ordered that the 2nd respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minor, 1st respondent, and that letters of administration to the said estate be granted to the petitioner, as a creditor and son-in-law of the deceased, unless the respondents or any other persons shall, on or before January 22, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

December 22, 1923.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Mullaittivu.

No. 193. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Kathiravelu Sinniah of Anantharpuliankulam, deceased.

(1) Vinasitamby Sekanathapillai, and wife (2) Ponnammah of Anantharpuliankulam..... Petitioners.

Vs.

(1) Pakkiam, widow of Kathiravelu Sinniah of Anantharpuliankulam, (2) Sinniah Sellaturai of ditto, (3) Sinnachy, daughter of Sinniah of ditto, (4) Nagammah, daughter of Sinniah of ditto; 2nd, 3rd, and 4th respondents are minors..... Respondents.

THIS action coming on for disposal before M. K. T. Sandys, Esq., District Judge, Mullaittivu, on November 29, 1923, in the presence of Mr. K. Kasipillai, Proctor, for petitioners; and on reading the affidavit and petition of the petitioners: It is ordered that the 1st respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th minor respondents, and also it is ordered that the petitioners be appointed administrators of the estate of the late Sinniah Udaiyar of Anantharpuliankulam, unless the respondents show sufficient cause to the contrary on or before December 21, 1923.

M. K. T. SANDYS,
District Judge.

Extended for January 24, 1924.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate and the Effects Jurisdiction. of the late Kidnapillai Annamuttu, No. 98. widow of Sinnappu of Periakallar, deceased.

Kidnapillai Vyramuttu of Kodaikallar..... Petitioner.

Vs.

Sinnappu Kidnapillai, a minor by his guardian *ad litem* Reverend Father Alphonsus Reichard of Batticaloa..... Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. E. Ernst, Esq., District Judge of Batticaloa, on November 27, 1923

in the presence of Mr. D. W. Kadramer, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit and petition of the petitioner dated August 9, 1923, and November 27, 1923, respectively, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as brother of the deceased, to administer the estate of the deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the above respondent or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before January 31, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

November 27, 1923.

N. E. ERNST,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary In the matter of the Last Will of the late Jurisdiction. Katiragalaipodi Odayar Periatamby No. 113. Vannia of Kalmunai, deceased.

Periatamby Vannia Krishnapillai of Kalmunai..... Petitioner.

Vs.

Periatamby Vannia Katiravelpillai, Chief Inspector of Telegraphs, Kandy..... Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. E. Ernst, Esq., District Judge of Batticaloa, on December 6, 1923, in the presence of Mr. D. W. Kadramer, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavits of the petitioner and of the notary who attested the last will and the witnesses who subscribed to the last will dated November 29, 1923, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of Katiragalaipodi Odayar Periatamby Vannia of Kalmunai, deceased, dated November 6, 1923, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless the respondent shall, on or before January 29, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said Periatamby Vannia Krishnapillai of Kalmunai is the executor named in the said will, and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless the respondent shall, on or before January 29, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

December 6, 1923.

N. E. ERNST,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Ratnapura.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Narisse Gamaetige Mudaliam of Hatha- No. 790. ella, deceased.

Narisse Gamaetige PUNCHIMAHATMAYA..... Petitioner.

And

Narisse Gamaetige Ratranhamy of Narissa..... Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before H. J. V. I. Ekanayaka, Esq., District Judge, Ratnapura, on January 7, 1924, in the presence of Mr. A. Wijetilaka, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner above named dated November 21, 1923, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as son of the deceased, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondent above named, or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before January 29, 1924, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 9, 1924.

H. J. V. I. EKANAYAKA,
District Judge.