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### APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 132 of 1924.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. L. D. C. HUGHES to be Additional Assistant Government Agent, Colombo, with effect from April 1, 1924, until further orders.

Mr. J. W. R. ILLANGAKOON, Advocate, to be a Crown Counsel for the Island for six weeks from April 7, 1924, till the return to duty of Mr. V. M. FERNANDO, or until further orders.

Mr. A. DE ABREW to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, from April 11 to May 4, 1924, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. W. H. B. CARBERY, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. N. IZAT to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional District Judge, Kurunegala, for April 5, 1924.

Mr. G. E. MADAWALA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, for April 1, 1924, during the absence of Mr. A. E. CHRISTOFFELSZ, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. MARKUS to act at Dandegamuwa as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Kurunegala for April 7, 8, 10, and 18 to 22, 1924, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. H. L. HOPPER, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to be Additional Police Magistrate, Panadura, for April 7, 1924.

Mr. O. L. DE KRETZER to be Additional Police Magistrate, Matara, for March 28, 1924.

Mr. O. L. DE KRETZER to be Additional Police Magistrate, Matara, for April 3, 1924.

Mr. D. E. RODRIGO to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Assistant Superintendent of Prisons, Galle, with effect from April 1, 1924, until further orders.

Mr. E. S. WILSON to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Dumbara during the absence of Mr. W. S. SYMONS from the Island.

Mr. R. BENZIE to be a Member of the Labour Advisory Committee, *vice* Mr. C. C. STEPHEN.

Dr. S. RAMANATHAN to be a Member of the Sanitary Board of the Puttalam District, *vice* Dr. K. KATHERAVELU.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 133 of 1924.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Ceylon Supply and Transport Corps to fill existing vacancies:—

*To be Lieutenants.*

Second-Lieutenant WILLIAM McCULLOCH.

Second-Lieutenant WILLIAM CARVER.

Second-Lieutenant ROBERT MURDOCH.

Second-Lieutenant ERIC STEPHEN PAUL CARRAD.

Second-Lieutenant HENRY JAMES DUDGEON STOKES.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 134 of 1924.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to post Lieutenant JOHN WILLIAM OLDFIELD, O.B.E., M.C., to the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps Reserve, with effect from March 27, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 135 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve that Captain GEORGE THORNTON PETT and Lieutenant STUART LINDSAY ROBERTSON, who are not returning to the Island, be struck off the strength of the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps Reserve, with effect from March 22, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, March 27, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 136 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Rev. A. S. BEATY to be a Member of the Kandy District Schools Committee under sections 6 (d) and 8 of the Rural Schools Ordinance of 1907, *vice* Rev. J. EAGLE, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 137 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. GORDON PYPHER to be a Member of the Provincial Road Committee, Central Province, and Additional Member of the District Road Committee, Kandy, under section 22 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, during the absence of Mr. MARTIN M. SMITH from the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, March 28, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 138 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. L. H. BAGATE to be an Additional Member of the District Road Committee, Kegalla, under the provisions of section 23 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, as amended by section 1 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1887, from April 1, 1924, for the remainder of the year 1924, *vice* Mr. H. FENNING.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 139 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. GORDON PYPHER to be a Member of the Sanitary Board of the Kandy District under

section 5 (1) (b) of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, as amended by section 2 of Ordinance No. 26 of 1908, during the absence of Mr. MARTIN M. SMITH, from the Island from April to October, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 140 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Dr. V. P. DE ZOYSA to be a Member of the Sanitary Board, Hambantota District, under section 5 (1) (c) of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, *vice* Dr. W. A. BARTHOLOMEUSZ.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 141 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate Messrs. CHARLES B. COLLISON and C. J. HAY as Visitors to the Deniyaya Hospital for the year 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 142 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has accepted the resignation tendered by Mr. G. HARBORD of his office of Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the District of Kandy.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 143 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. JOHN BENJAMIN EDIRMANA-SINGHE of 91, Wall street, Kotahena, to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

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

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

POLWATTE DANIEL WEERAMAN to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Galle, for eight days from April 23, 1924, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, D. E. WIJESURIYA, on other duty.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, March 27, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed JASINGE DON CHARLES provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Arakawila division and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from April 7, 1924, *vice*

JASINGE DON JULIS, retired. His office will be at Megodawatta in Handapangoda.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo March 29, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed KATRIVELU PONNIAH (provisionally) as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chinnachcheddikulam East division and of Marriages (General) of Vavuniya South division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, with effect from April 1, 1924, *vice* Registrar, K. A. MALANAPILLAI, resigned. His office will be at Udaiyavalavu at Periyapuhialankulam.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo March 31, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed Dr. SINNAH THURAYAPPAH as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Vavuniya town division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, with effect from April 10, 1924, *vice* Registrar, Dr. A. CHELLAPPA, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Vavuniya.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have confirmed the appointment of Mr. KRISHNAPILLAI VAIRAMUTTU as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Valikamam West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

Registrar-General's Office, W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924. 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 HANDAPANGODAMUDALIGE DON CHARLES JAYAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hanwella division and of Marriages (General) of Meda-pattu of Hewagam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from March 25, 1924, *vice* the Registrar, SENARATMUDALIGE DON PREMETHION, deceased. His office will be at Kongahawatta in Hanwella Pahala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed WEERAWARDANAPATRANNEHELAGE DON BRMPY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bem-mulla division and of Marriages (General) of Meda pattu of Siyane korale west division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from April 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, KURUPPUAPPUEMIL-LAGE ELIAS PERERA, on sick leave. His office will be at Batadombagahawatta in Pattalagedara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed PESTEUWELIYANARALIAGE SIMON COORAY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalutara North division and of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamuna division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for two days from March 31, 1924, during the absence of Registrar, D. A. WIJEMANNA, on leave. His office will be at Kurusiyawatta in Desastra Kalutara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON ANDREWS WETTASINHA TILAKARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yalagala division and of Marriages (General) of Munwattebage pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for eight days from April 4, 1924, during the absence of Registrar, D. W. PUNCHIHETTI, on leave. His office will be at Medawatta *alias* Meddewatta in Yalagala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed BOGODA-ARACHCHIGE DON EDWIN JAYAWARDENA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meegahatenna division and of Marriages (General) of Mahapattu South division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for nine days from April 4, 1924, during the absence of Registrar, B. D. D. JAYAWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Meegahatenna.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed SAMARAKOON MUDIYANSELAGE RAM BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Uda Bulatgama No. 2 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for four days from April 6, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. B. SAMARAKOON, on leave. His office will be at Ambagamuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed MADUGALLE WALAWWE WIJERATNA BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Uda Dumbara No. 2 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for twelve days from April 7, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, Y. T. B. RAMBUKWELLE, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Medi-waka.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed DELGODA LOKU BANDA ANGAMMANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Four Gravets division and of Marriages (General) of Nuwara Eliya town and Four Gravets division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for thirty days from March 24, 1924,

during the absence of the Registrar, H. B. PETHIYAGODA, on sick leave. His office will be at house No. 65, Nanu-oya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed GILMAN MENDIS WIJESEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bussa division and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for eight days from April 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, S. M. WIJESEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Mulgedarawatta in Ratgama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed LOUIS DISSANAYAKE SEDARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kamburupitiya division and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for five days from March 27, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. M. WANIGASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Godawakandewatta in Kamburupitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed JOHN WILFRED JUSTIN GUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for two days from March 24, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. J. JAYASUNDERA, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Tengalla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON LUWIS ATAPATU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nakulugamuwa division and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty-one days from March 28, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. DISSANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Nakulugamuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed ANTHONY MOTTAN PETUJU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nanaddan East division No. 1 and of Marriages (General) of Nanaddan division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for twenty days from March 26, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, A. M. SANTIYOKU, on leave. His office will be at the Registrar-valavu in Sirukkandal.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Trincomalee, has appointed SINNADDI SINNAH to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koddiiyar South division and of Marriages (General) of Koddiiyar pattu division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from April 1, 1924, *vice* Registrar, K. AKILASAPILLAI, resigned. His office will be at Naruviliadivalavu in Menkamam.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed GALMANGODA GURUGAL EDMUND ROBINSON DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for ten days from March 31, 1924, *vice* the Registrar, T. RANASINGHE, transferred. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Kurunegala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed ABHAYASINGHE HERATH MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Rajakumarawanni pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for five days from April 5, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, A. N. KAPURU BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Sembukkuliya.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed WATU-YAYE GAMAETIRALLAGE YASAWARDENA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tembiana division and of Marriages (General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for five days from March 28, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, W. G. GOONEWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at Higgashenyaye Pelapolwatta at Watuyaya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed EDIRISURIYA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA EDIRISURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gan-hatapalata division and of Marriages (General) of Parana-kuru korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for sixteen days from March 31, 1924, *vice* Registrar, A. P. U. BANDA, resigned. His office will be at Nittalawatta in Uggoda.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924. Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that licenses to import explosives into Ceylon during the current year have been issued to Messrs. The Colombo Apothecaries Co., Ltd., and Hunter & Co. of Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 28, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,  
CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE HOLIDAYS ORDINANCE, 1886."

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under the provisions of section 9 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1886, to appoint Monday, April 14, 1924, to be a Bank Holiday on account of the Hindu New Year.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 26, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,  
CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE, NO. 11 OF 1920."

IT is hereby notified that it is intended to vary the present administrative limits of the Matale Urban District Council specified in the first column of the schedule hereto in the manner set forth in the second column of the schedule hereto.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,  
CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

## Present Administrative Limits of the Matale Urban District Council.

A line beginning at the railway bridge over the Sudu-ganga river east of the North road and running north-east and parallel to the North road along the railway road till it meets the bridge over the Brachmana-ela, thence along the Brachmana-ela eastwards till it meets the Sudu-ganga river, thence along the Sudu-ganga river till it meets the Godapola stream, thence along the Godapola stream northwards and passing to the east of the Godapola spring until it reaches a point 100 yards east of the North road at Mandandawela, from this point a line running 100 yards east of and parallel to the North road and Rattota road to a point  $17\frac{1}{2}$  miles from Kandy, thence crossing the Rattota road to a point 100 yards north-west of it, thence a line running south-west 100 yards north of and parallel to the Rattota road to a point 100 yards east of North road, thence a line running north parallel to and 100 yards to the east of the North road to a point in line with junction of the North road and Aluwihare road, thence a line crossing the North road to a point 100 yards west of it, thence a line running southwards 100 yards from and parallel to the North road to a point 100 yards north of the Pansala path, and thence north-westwards 100 yards from and parallel to the Pansala path to a point 100 feet north of Harasgama bathing place, thence a line running westwards 100 feet from and parallel to the dam of the Harasgama bathing place and across the paddy fields till it reaches a point 100 yards beyond and on the west of the Harasgama path, thence a line running southwards and westwards 100 yards west of and parallel to the Harasgama path till it reaches a point 100 yards to the north of Agalawatta path, thence a line running southwards and westwards 100 yards west of and parallel to the Agalawatta path till it reaches a point 100 yards west

## Proposed Administrative Limits of the Matale Urban District Council.

*North.*—By Rukatteneyave claimed by P. B. Aluwihare, Aluwihare Sanitary Board limits, Madamewatta claimed by P. B. Hulangamuwa, Nikakotue estate claimed by Ceylon Land and Produce Company, irrigation channel, and Madiaddekumbure-ela.

*East.*—By Kaludawela estate claimed by Ceylon Land and Produce Company, Oyapala estate claimed by K. U. S. Ahamadu Lebbe, Maletotum claimed by P. Suppiah, I. L. Abdul Hannan, W. L. A. Majeed, and others, Paliyankuliyawatta claimed by N. Mohammadu Haniffa and others, Ambagahamulawatta claimed by V. Hamedo and M. A. Meera Saibo, Gansabhawa path, Ganayakeagala, Sudu-ganga, Brachmana-ela, railway reservation, and Diyabubule-oya.

*South.*—By Diyabubule-oya, Kumbiyangoda-oya, Panselakumbura claimed by the trustees of Kumbiyangoda Vihare, Marikaragekotuwa claimed by P. B. Madugalle and others, Gammehalegewatta claimed by W. Gammehe, Mailagasipitiyawatta claimed by J. P. Dionis, Batalakotuawatta claimed by Tepalis Panditaratna, Mailagasipitiyakumbura claimed by Tepalis Panditaratna, Wewakumbura claimed by N. Dingiri Banda, Makarakotuwakumbura claimed by A. Kiri Appu, Puakdandawakumbura claimed by Oyagawagedera Welappu and others, main road from Kandy to Matale, Hettiyakumbura claimed by K. Sittappu and others, Serugahakumbura claimed by A. Kandappu, M. Welappu, and Kendagolle Velu, Purankotuwakumbura claimed by the trustees of Nikakotuwa Vihare, Gansabhawa road from Padiwita to Kumbiyangoda, Purankotuwakumbura claimed by P. Rannaide, Badahelakotuwakumbura claimed by P. Kudaneide and others, Asweddumkumbura claimed by P. Punchi Etana, Wellakotuawatta claimed by P. Rannaide, and Kumbiyangoda-oya.

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Matale Urban District Council.

of the reservoir, thence a line running southwards 100 yards to west of and parallel to the Pondamada path crossing the Wiltshire road to a point 100 yards to the west of the Wiltshire road, thence a line running southwards 100 yards west of and parallel to the Wiltshire road to a point 100 yards from the Hulangomuwa road, thence southwards 100 yards to the west of and parallel to the Hulangomuwa road to the Kumbiyangoda-oya, thence along the Kumbiyangoda-oya to a point 100 yards south of the Nagolla road, thence northwards 100 yards east of and parallel to the Nagolla road to a point 100 yards from the Moysey crescent, thence eastwards 100 yards south of and parallel to Moysey crescent till it meets the southern boundary of lot 6001 in preliminary plan 1,871 which belongs to the Crown, thence eastwards along this boundary and till it crosses the Suduganga river, and thence along the eastern bank of the Suduganga river till it meets the railway bridge, and thence along the railway bridge to the point at which the line started.

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Matale Urban District Council.

*West.*—By Oyekumbura claimed by S. Mudalibami, Sittaragedarawatta claimed by S. Ranhami and K. Abranappu, Gansabhawa road, Hapugahamulakotuwa claimed by the heirs of Suppiah, Gallenamullehena claimed by Boraluwe Punchi Banda, B. Kiri Banda, and others, Udaboraluwewatta claimed by H. B. Hulangomuwa and P. Kalu Banda, Batalakotuwa claimed by P. B. Talgahagoda and others, Udahena claimed by Vihare Walawwe Medduma Kumarihami, village road, Polpeyewatte-ela, Thalapelihanagederawatta claimed by I. Ukku Banda, *ex-Arachchi*, Hulangamuwa estate claimed by J. T. Weerawagu, Gansabhawa road, Kumburukotuwewatta claimed by D. Wadu Dingiriya, Haluwaralagewatta claimed by D. Sakkaraya, road from Asgiriya to Dodandeniya, Miyanamaditta claimed by M. Kalu Banda, Honda-neidegewatta claimed by U. D. Dissanayaka, Mala-ela, Lokuruwagewatta claimed by D. A. Ukkunhamy, road to Kandegedera, Galekotuwawatta claimed by D. M. Dingiramma, Hulangamuwa estate claimed by Mr. W. T. Miller, Ambakotuwa claimed by P. Keerala and others, Simaneidegewatta claimed by Simanneide, Gambirigahamulahenawatta claimed by L. D. William Appuhami, Attikkagahamulahenawatta claimed by Ranaweera, Sappuwawatta claimed by Sabapathy Pillai, *ela*, Ruanpatayagewatta claimed by K. Hendrick, Kuruambagahamulawatta claimed by A. Kira and others, Kosgollewatta claimed by Tantirigedera Koluwa, Tabagala-ela, Gammehalagekumbura claimed by R. D. Tenna and others, Mala-ela, Meegahakotuwa claimed by R. D. Tenna, Galagawawatta claimed by G. Kiriya, Madittawatta claimed by K. Tikira, R. D. Aruma, and T. Boda, Gansabhawa road, Narankotuwahena abandoned cemetery claimed by the Crown, Pangallewatta claimed by K. Menika, Weeragewatta claimed by D. Ukku Menika, Polkotuwa claimed by Duggannaralage Dingiri Banda, D. G. Haragama, and others, Dorakumbura claimed by Gammulle Punchi Banda and others, Yakdehikotuwakumburapillewa claimed by Talgahagoda, Namalpihillewatta claimed by S. Natter and S. T. P. R. Komarappen Chetty, Adilechchemitotam claimed by S. T. P. R. Komarappen Chetty, Rukattanayaya claimed by P. B. Aluvihare, Rifle Range claimed by Crown, and Rukatteneyaya claimed by P. B. Aluvihare.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the Regulations published in the *Gazette* of November 23, 1923, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal to the following:—

Captain FRANCIS JAMES SLAKER TURNER, Sergeant JAMES GALWEY CREAGH, and TROOPER PERCY PENROSE MIERS of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles, and to Second-Lieutenant CLARE BABINGTON LOUDOUN SHAND of the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps.

By His Excellency's command,

CECEL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 28, 1924.

**Final Notice of Cancellation of Crown Lease in Respect of and Resumption by the Crown of Lots 1 and 5 in Preliminary Plan 5,155 in the Town of Anuradhapura, Nuwarakalawiya District.**

**W**HEREAS two allotments of Crown land called Thuparamakele, situated in the town of Anuradhapura, Nuwaragam palata, Nuwarakalawiya district, of the North-Central Province, bounded as follows :—

*Lot 1.*

North by reservation along the irrigation channel; east by reservation along the road; south by Thuparama Dagoba premises; and west by Thuparama reservation, lot 11303 in preliminary plan 3,565, and lot 2 in preliminary plan 5,155.

*Lot 5.*

North by reservation along the irrigation channel and lot 5A in preliminary plan 5,155; east by reservation along the road; south by land said to be Crown; and west by reservation along the irrigation channel, containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods 16·81 perches, and more particularly delineated in lease plans Nos. 1,479 and 1,480 dated September 18, 1917, and authenticated by W. C. S. Ingles, Esq., Surveyor-General, were by an indenture of lease dated October 23, 1917, leased to Catherine de Alwis, spinster, otherwise known as Sister Suddharmachari, presently of the Upasikarama in Kandy, and Jane Iris Preston, dentist (whose present address is not known) :

And whereas the said Sister Suddharmachari and Jane Iris Preston have committed a breach of the building conditions to be observed under the said lease :

And whereas the said land appears to have been abandoned by the said Sister Suddharmachari and Jane Iris Preston :

And whereas one of the said lessees, Sister Suddharmachari, has signed an endorsement to the lease on the Ninth day of February, 1924, whereby she has agreed to the cancellation of the lease, so far as her rights are concerned :

And whereas the other said lessee, Jane Iris Preston, has, by a letter addressed to the Government Agent, North-Central Province, consented to the cancellation of the said lease, and her present whereabouts cannot be traced :

And whereas by notification dated January 22, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,371 dated January 25, 1924, it was notified to all whom it might concern that the Governor, in virtue of the powers vested in him as Lessor, by and under the said indenture of lease, and in consideration of the premises herein above set out, would, on and after the expiration of a fortnight from the date of notification, declare the said lease forfeited to the Crown, and resume possession of the said land on behalf of the Crown, and the said original lessees and all persons claiming any interest in the said lease were thereby informed that if they or any of them desired to show any reason to the contrary, they should address themselves to the Government Agent of the North-Central Province at the Anuradhapura Kachcheri :

And whereas no such reason has been shown by any person whatsoever :

It is declared and notified hereby that the said indenture of lease is forfeited to the Crown.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924.

CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

**Passport Regulations.**

**T**HE following regulations in connection with the visa of passports are hereby published for general information in place of the regulations published in the *Government Gazettes* dated August 24, 1923, November 9, 1923, and January 11, 1924 :—

*Belgium.*

1. (a) All British-born subjects in possession of valid passports may travel to Belgium but, not to Belgian Colonies without obtaining a visa from the Belgian Consul; and

(b) All nationals of Belgium may similarly travel to the United Kingdom, but not to British Colonies without obtaining a British visa on their passports.

*France.*

2. (a) All British-born subjects in possession of valid passports may travel to France, but not to French Colonies without obtaining a visa from the French Consul; and

(b) All French-citizens and French subjects (*i.e.*, natives of French Colonies without full citizen rights) may similarly travel to the United Kingdom, but not to British Colonies or Protectorates without obtaining a British visa on their passports.

*Italy.*

3. (a) All British-born subjects in possession of valid passports may travel to Italy, but not to Italian Colonies without obtaining a visa from the Italian Consul; and

(b) All nationals of Italy may similarly travel to the United Kingdom, but not to British Colonies or Protectorates without obtaining a British visa on their passports.

*Norway.*

4. (a) All British-born subjects in possession of valid passports may travel to Norway without obtaining a visa from the Norwegian Consul; and

(b) All nationals of Norway may similarly travel to the United Kingdom without obtaining a British visa on their passports.

*Netherlands and Luxemburg.*

5. (a) All British-born subjects in possession of valid passports may travel to the Netherlands and Luxemburg, but not to Dutch Colonies without obtaining a British visa from the respective Consuls; and

(b) All nationals of the Netherlands and Luxemburg may similarly travel to the United Kingdom without obtaining a British visa on their respective passports. (This arrangement does not apply to the nationals mentioned above proceeding to the British Colonies and Protectorates.)

*Sweden.*

6. (a) All British-born subjects in possession of valid passports may travel to Sweden without obtaining a visa from the Swedish Consul; and

(b) All nationals of Sweden may similarly travel to the United Kingdom, the British Colonies (except Gibraltar and Malta), and Protectorates without obtaining a British visa on their passports.

*Switzerland.*

7. (a) All British-born subjects in possession of valid passports (except those intending to take up employment there) may travel to Switzerland without obtaining a visa from the Swiss Consul; and

(b) All Swiss nationals may similarly travel to the United Kingdom and to the British Colonies (except Gibraltar and Malta) and Protectorates without obtaining a British visa on their passports.

8. For all countries not mentioned above a visa is required, and must be obtained from the respective Consuls.

*Note.*—The arrangements in 1 (a), 2 (a), 3 (a), 4 (a), 5 (a), 6 (a), and 7 (a) excuse the bearer of the passport from obtaining a visa from the respective Foreign Consuls, but it is still necessary to obtain a visa from the British Passport Authorities for the foreign countries mentioned.

## VISA CHARGES.

The following charges will be levied by the Ceylon Government in respect of the visa of passports of the nationals of under-mentioned countries :—

<i>Brazil.</i>		Rs. c.
Transit and ordinary visas only valid for a single journey ..	..	9 0
<i>Bulgaria.</i>		
For all British visas valid for 12 months ..	..	15 0
<i>Colombia.</i>		
An ordinary visa ..	..	6 0
A transit visa ..	..	6 0
<i>Ecuador.</i>		
Transit or ordinary visa ..	..	32 0
<i>Finland.</i>		
An ordinary visa ..	..	6 0
A transit visa ..	..	1 0
<i>France.</i>		
<i>French citizens and French subjects proceeding to any British Colony :—</i>		
An ordinary or transit visa ..	..	15 0
<i>French Possessions in America, &amp;c.</i>		
<i>Natives of the French Possessions in America travelling to any part of the British Empire (for which visas are still required for French citizens), and all French citizens proceeding to British Possessions in America ..</i>		
		20 0
<i>Germany.</i>		
German nationals travelling to any part of the British Empire :—		
Ordinary visa ..	..	45 0
Transit visa ..	..	10 0
<i>Guatemala.</i>		
A single journey visa ..	..	8 0
<i>Kingdom of Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes.</i>		
British visa for a single journey ..	..	7 50
<i>Latvia.</i>		
An ordinary visa ..	..	6 0
Transit visa ..	..	1 0
<i>Peru.</i>		
An ordinary or transit visa ..	..	15 0

	<i>Poland.</i>	Rs. c.
A non-transit visa .. .. .		30 0
	<i>Russia.</i>	
<i>Soviet Government</i> :—		
Transit or ordinary visas valid for a single journey .. .. .		8 0
	<i>Roumania.</i>	
Single journey or transit visas .. .. .		30 0
	<i>Syria and French Citizens.</i>	
Natives of Syria travelling to any part of the British Empire, or to any British Mandated Territory, and all French citizens proceeding to Iraq or Palestine		15 0
	<i>United States of America.</i>	
An ordinary visa .. .. .		40 0
A transit visa .. .. .		4 0

*Note.*—A British "Non-transit" or ordinary visa is only valid for one year, unless it is stated that such a visa is valid only for the single journey.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 27, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,  
CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

"THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, NO. 8 OF 1912."

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Rev. G. W. Harrison to be a Member of the Excise Advisory Committee for the Trincomalee Revenue District area for the remaining period ending September 30, 1924, *vice* Rev. E. T. Selby, who has left the district.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,  
CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

**Rules made by the Governor in Executive Council under Article LXIV. of "The Ceylon (Legislative Council), Order in Council, 1923."**

1. Rule 16 in Schedule II. of the Order in Council shall be numbered as paragraph (1) of rule 16.
2. The following proviso shall be added at the end of the said paragraph (1) :—  
Provided that where an elector for any constituency is employed as a presiding officer or as a clerk at a polling station, and it is inconvenient for him to vote at the polling station in such constituency which has been allotted to him, the Returning Officer may authorize the elector, by a certificate under his hand, to vote at any other polling station in the constituency, and that polling station shall, for the purposes of this rule, be deemed to be the polling station allotted to such elector.
3. There shall be added as paragraph (2) of the said rule the following :—  
(2) Such certificate shall be given under the hand of the Returning Officer, and shall state the name of the elector, his number and description on the register of voters, and the fact that he is so employed as aforesaid.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, April 4, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,  
CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

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

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. D. R. Gunasegaram	Clerk in Class II. of the Clerical Service	Clerk on the staff of the Controller of Indian Immigrant Labour

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, April 4, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,  
CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.



## LOCAL LOANS AND DEVELOPMENT FUND.

## A.—Statement of Liabilities and Assets on September 30, 1923.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	ASSETS.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Capital Account	..	1,163,630	44	Loans—					
Suspense Account	..		9 10	Municipal Council, Kandy	..	145,000	0		
				Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya	..	19,950	0		
				Local Boards	..	281,387	49		
				Sanitary Boards	..	505,518	2		
				Village Committees	..	5,000	0		
				Co-operative Societies	..	46,382	64		
				Government officers for building houses	..	66,175	0		
								1,069,413	15
				Colonial Treasurer	..	—		94,226	39
								1,163,639	54
								1,163,639	54

The Treasury,  
Colombo, February 21, 1924.

W. W. WOODS,  
Chairman, Local Loans and Development Fund.

I hereby certify that the books kept by the Secretary, Local Loans and Development Fund, have been duly audited under my direction, and that the above statement shows a true account of the Capital and Assets of the Fund.

Audit Office,  
Colombo, March 1, 1924.

F. G. MORLEY,  
Colonial Auditor.

## B.—Cash Account.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance brought forward on October 1, 1922	..	—	21,250	92					
REVENUE.					EXPENDITURE.				
Grant in aid	..	—	250,000	0	Working expenses—				
Interest received—					Allowance to Secretary	..	900	0	
From Municipal Council, Kandy	..	3,750	0		Travelling expenses of Commissioner	..	24	50	
From Local Boards	..	11,334	96		Cost of printed forms	..	15	29	
From Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya	..	1,140	0						939 79
From Sanitary Boards	..	20,271	32						
From Village Committees	..	324	0						
From Co-operative Societies	..	1,370	5						
From Government officers	..	1,859	58						
On Bank balances	..	2,983	78						
			43,033	69					
<i>Less</i>					Loans—				
Excess interest received and refunded	..	0	35		To Municipal Council, Kandy	..	75,000	0	
			43,033	34	To Local Boards	..	56,000	0	
Loans repaid—					To Sanitary Boards	..	117,800	0	
By Municipal Council, Kandy	..	5,000	0		To Co-operative Societies	..	23,660	0	
By Local Boards	..	16,668	47		To Government officers	..	40,000	0	
By Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya	..	2,850	0						312,460 0
By Sanitary Boards	..	60,797	1		Suspense Account—				
By Village Committees	..	2,200	0		Fee paid to F. J. & G. de Saram for drawing up mortgage bonds in respect of loans to Government officers	..	689	25	
By Co-operative Societies	..	3,642	34		Fee paid to P. W. D. Officer for inspecting and reporting on house properties	..	0	90	
By Government officers	..	2,175	0						690 15
			93,332	82	Balance carried forward on September 30, 1923	..	—		94,226 39
Suspense Account—									408,316 33
Fee for drawing up mortgage bond, &c., in respect of loans made to Government officers	..	689	25						
Fee for inspecting and reporting on house properties	..	10	0						
			699	25					
			408,316	33					

The Treasury,  
Colombo, February 21, 1924.

W. W. WOODS,  
Chairman, Local Loans and Development Fund.

I hereby certify that this account has been duly audited under my directions and is correct:

Audit Office,  
Colombo, March 1, 1924.

F. G. MORLEY,  
Colonial Auditor.

## C.—Capital Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance carried forward on September 30, 1923 ..	1,163,630	44	Balance brought forward on October 1, 1922 ..	—	—	871,536	89
			Surplus for 1922-23 :—				
			Revenue ..	293,033	34		
			Less expenditure ..	939	79		
						292,093	55
						1,163,630	44

The Treasury,  
Colombo, February 21, 1924.

W. W. WOODS,  
Chairman, Local Loans and Development Fund.

I hereby certify that this account has been duly audited under my direction and is correct:

Audit Office,  
Colombo, March 1, 1924.

F. G. MORLEY,  
Colonial Auditor.

## D.—Statement of Loans.

To what Public Body or Person.	For what Purpose.	Original Loan.			Repaid to Sept. 30, 1923.	Balance Outstanding on Sept. 30, 1923.	Date when Loan will be extinguished.	
		Amount.	Rate of Interest per Annum.					When made.
			Rs.	Per Cent.				
114 Municipal Council, Kandy	Building model tenements	75,000..	5	Jan. 10..	5,000 0..	70,000 0..	1937	
139 Do. do.	do.	75,000..	5	Nov. 6..	— ..	75,000 0..	1937	
74 Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya	Construction of model dwellings for poorer classes	28,500..	5	July 15..	8,550 0..	19,950 0..	1930	
13 Local Board, Batticaloa	Water supply	25,000..	3½	Jan. 4..	5,011 61..	19,988 39..	1944	
16 Do. do.	do.	37,000..	3½	May 20..	7,417 47..	29,582 53..	1944	
51 Do. Matara	Erection of 50 pit latrines	20,000..	5	May 23..	10,000 0..	10,000 0..	1928	
63 Do. Nawalapitiya	Reclamation of swampy ground in the bazaar and its conversion into a recreation ground	5,000..	5	Dec. 20..	2,000 0..	3,000 0..	1928	
69 Do. Bandarawela	Improvement to water supply	17,000..	5	Dec. 18..	3,000 0..	14,000 0..	1936	
76 Do. Kalutara	Drainage scheme	25,000..	5	Sept. 1..	3,750 0..	21,250 0..	1940	
99 Do. Badulla	Improvement of town water supply	20,000..	5	May 3..	2,000 0..	18,000 0..	1941	
100 Do. Matale	Water works extension	47,000..	5	May 13..	6,266 67..	40,733 33..	1936	
107 Do. Negombo	Acquisition of land for opening a road	25,000..	5	Oct. 6..	2,500 0..	22,500 0..	1931	
112 Do. Moratuwa	Acquisition of land and erection of portion of Town Hall	25,000..	5	Dec. 13..	1,666 76..	23,333 24..	1936	
122 Do. Matale	Construction of rat-proof grain store	10,000..	5	July 7..	1,000 0..	9,000 0..	1932	
124 Do. Nawalapitiya	Erecting of rat-proof grain store	5,000..	5	July 17..	500 0..	4,500 0..	1932	
127 Do. do.	Reclamation of swampy ground, erection of grain store and acquisition of market site	10,000..	5	Aug. 26..	500 0..	9,500 0..	1942	
144 Do. Minuwangoda	Electric light and water service	6,000..	5	Jan. 19..	— ..	6,000 0..	1933	
156 Do. Hatton-Dikoya	Water supply scheme for Hatton	50,000..	5	July 16..	— ..	50,000 0..	1943	
21 Sanitary Board, Colombo District, Small Town, Avissawella	Improvement of town	15,000..	4½	Jan. 9..	9,000 0..	6,000 0..	1927	
22 Do. Kirillapone-Nuge-goda	Road widening and erection of markets	15,000..	4½	Feb. 1..	6,000 0..	9,000 0..	1932	
23 Do. Mount Lavinia	Erection of public markets	15,000..	4½	do. 1..	6,000 0..	9,000 0..	1932	
24 Do. Puwakpitiya	do.	15,000..	4½	do. 1..	6,000 0..	9,000 0..	1932	
25 Do. Peliyandara	Road widening	4,500..	4½	do. 1..	1,800 0..	2,700 0..	1932	
26 Do. Koehchikade	Erection of public markets	15,000..	4½	do. 1..	6,000 0..	9,000 0..	1932	
28 Do. Hanwella	Erection of market	2,000..	4½	Mar. 15..	799 98..	1,200 2..	1932	

To what Public Body or Person.	For what Purpose.	Original Loan.			Repaid to Sept. 30, 1923.	Balance Outstanding on Sept. 30, 1923.	Date when Loan will be extinguished.
		Amount.	Rate of Interest per Annum.	When made.			
		Rs.	Per Cent.	1917.			
29	Sanitary Board, Colombo District, Small Town, Ja-ela	..Acquisition of land for market and approach road to Railway Station	9,000..	4½	..Mar. 31..	3,600 0..	5,400 0..1932
31	Do. Gampaha	..Erection of markets	15,000..	4½	..April 21..	6,000 0..	9,000 0..1932
32	Do. Kelaniya	..Erection of market and construction of roads	15,000..	4½	..June 2..	6,000 0..	9,000 0..1932
33	Do. Veyangoda	..Extension of market, road construction, &c.	20,000..	4½	..do. 2..	7,999 98..	12,000 2..1932
34	Do. Diulapitiya	..Market road construction	4,000..	4½	..do. 2..	1,599 96..	2,400 4..1932
39	Do. Avissawella	..Water supply	25,000..	4½	..Oct. 1..	6,250 0..	18,750 0..1937
40	Do. Homagama	..Market scheme	12,000..	4½	..do. 1..	4,000 0..	8,000 0..1932
41	Do. Welikada-Nawala	Erection of market buildings	15,000..	4½	..do. 1..	5,000 0..	10,000 0..1932
72	Do. Avissawella	..Providing a pipe-borne water supply	8,300..	5	..Jan. 22.. 1920.	1,245 0..	7,055 0..1940
79	Do. Kirillapone-Nugegoda	..Construction of model bakery and market boutiques	12,000..	5	..Nov. 12..	1,600 0..	10,400 0..1935
80	Do. do.	..Purchase of site for slaughter house and trenching ground for night soil	4,500..	4	..do. ..	900 0..	3,600 0..1930
81	Do. Mount Lavinia	..Acquisition of land for roads and building sites	60,000..	5	..do. ..	8,000 0..	52,000 0..1935
82	Do. Gampaha	..Erection of two model market boutiques	4,000..	5	..do. ..	533 32..	3,466 68..1935
83	Do. do.	..Purchase of land for recreation ground and cemetery	6,000..	4	..do. ..	800 0..	5,200 0..1935
84	Do. Ja-ela	..Construction of permanent market	12,000..	5	..do. ..	1,600 0..	10,400 0..1935
85	Do. Veyangoda	..Purchase of lands for roads and building sites	10,000..	5	..do. ..	1,333 32..	8,666 68..1935
86	Do. Kochchikade	..Acquisition of land for trenching ground for night soil	3,000..	4	..do. ..	600 0..	2,400 0..1930
87	Do. Padukka	..Construction of permanent market	6,000..	5	..do. ..	800 0..	5,200 0..1935
88	Do. Peliyagoda	..Construction for permanent market and for filling up land purchased for a slaughter-house	15,000..	5	..do. ..	2,000 0..	13,000 0..1935
89	Do. Pugoda	..Purchase of land for market and construction of temporary market	2,000..	5	..do. ..	266 66..	1,733 34..1935
90	Do. Mirigama	..Building of a market	6,000..	5	..do. ..	800 0..	5,200 0..1935
95	Do. Mount Lavinia	..Acquisition of lands for roads and building sites	60,000..	5	..Feb. 7.. 1921.	8,000 0..	52,000 0..1936
105	Do. Gampaha	..Electric lighting and water supply scheme	7,500..	5	..Sept. 1..	1,000 0..	6,500 0..1936
111	Do. Kandane	..Building market and acquisition of land for opening roads, &c.	20,000..	5	..Dec. 9..	1,333 38..	18,666 62..1936
118	Do. Egoda-Kolon-nawa	..Acquisition of land for night soil depôt, slaughter-house, &c.	40,000..	5	..Mar. 15.. 1922.	2,500 0..	37,500 0..1938
126	Do. Seeduwa	..Acquisition of land for roads, open spaces and building sites	12,000..	5	..July 17..	1,000 0..	11,000 0..1934
143	Do. Gampaha	..Extension of electric lighting scheme	7,500..	5	..Jan. 6.. 1923.	—	7,500 0..1943
145	Do. Ja-ela	..Electric lighting scheme	14,000..	5	..Jan. 19..	—	14,000 0..1943
146	Do. Peliyagoda	..do.	12,000..	5	..do. ..	—	12,000 0..1938
147	Do. Kochchikadde	..do.	10,000..	5	..do. ..	—	10,000 0..1943
148	Do. Veyangoda	..do.	16,000..	5	..do. ..	—	16,000 0..1943
149	Do. Diulapitiya	..Acquisition of land for roads, installing town water supply, and erecting market bou.iques	7,000..	5	..do. ..	—	7,000 0..1943
150	Do. Avissawella	..Town improvements and electric lighting scheme	25,000..	5	..do. ..	—	25,000 0..1943

	To what Public Body or Person.	For what Purpose.	Original Loan.			Repaid to Sept. 30, 1923.	Balance Outstanding on Sept. 30, 1923.		Date Loan will be extinguished.	
			Amount.	Rate of Interest per Annum.	When made.		Rs.	c.		
			Rs.	Per Cent.	1918.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
52	Sanitary Board, Kalutara District, Small Town, Tebuwana	..Market scheme	8,000..	5	..July 1..	3,333	38..	4,666	62..	1930
53	Do. Neboda	..Completion of market scheme	3,000..	5	..do. ..	1,500	0..	1,500	0..	1928
56	Do. Alutgama	..Market scheme	10,000..	5	..Aug. 30..	5,000	0..	5,000	0..	1928
57	Do. Agalawatta	..Market scheme and acquisition of land	7,500..	5	..do. ..	3,750	0..	3,750	0..	1928
58	Do. Wadduwa	..Market scheme	5,000..	5	..do. ..	2,500	0..	2,500	0..	1928
59	Do. Beruwala	..do.	5,000..	5	..do. ..	2,500	0..	2,500	0..	1928
19	Sanitary Board, Kandy District, Small Town, Galaha	..Improvement of the town	4,500..	4½	..Nov. 3.. 1915.	2,100	0..	2,400	0..	1930
101	Do. Maskeliya	..Construction of market	3,500..	5	..June 17.. 1921.	350	0..	3,150	0..	1941
102	Do. Rattota	..Building permanent market	1,500..	5	..do. .. 1921.	1,000	0..	500	0..	1924
125	Do. Teldeniya	..Construction of permanent market	4,500..	5	..July 17.. 1922.	225	0..	4,275	0..	1942
109	Sanitary Board, Matale District, Small Town, Palpatwela	..Building market	450..	5	..Nov. 26.. 1921.	150	0..	300	0..	1924
152	Do. Aluwihare	..Acquisition of land for erection of latrine and walling in of a spring	500..	4	..Mar. 14.. 1923.	—	..	500	0..	1928
155	Do. Palpatwela	..Repairing and improving water well and constructing two meat stalls	800..	5	..July 5.. 1923.	—	..	800	0..	1931
129	Sanitary Board, Nuwara Eliya District, Small Town, Dimbulla	..Construction of new water works, latrine, drains, &c.	2,120..	5	..Aug. 31.. 1922.	212	0..	1,908	0..	1932
130	Do. Padiyapellella	..Construction of drains	2,000..	5	..do. .. 1922.	200	0..	1,800	0..	1932
131	Do. Hanguanketa	..Purchase of hand cart, scavenging materials, &c.	250..	5	..do. .. 1922.	25	0..	225	0..	1932
132	Do. Kandapola	..Sink a well for the use of the public	400..	5	..do. .. 1922.	40	0..	360	0..	1932
133	Do. Agrapatna	..Repairs to drains and latrines	300..	5	..do. .. 1922.	30	0..	270	0..	1932
55	Sanitary Board, Matara District, Small Town, Weligama	..Erection of markets	3,500..	5	..Sept. 10.. 1918.	2,500	0..	1,000	0..	1925
103	Sanitary Board, Badulla District, Small Town, Lunugala	..Erection of slaughter-house	1,000..	5	..Aug. 2.. 1921.	200	0..	800	0..	1931
128	Sanitary Board, Ratnapura District, Small Town, Kendangamuwa	..Acquisition of land for latrine, trenching ground and approach road	1,500..	5	..Aug. 31.. 1922.	125	0..	1,375	0..	1934
48	Village Committee, Weligama	..Erection of market at Denepitiya	7,000..	4½	..May 23.. 1918.	5,000	0..	2,000	0..	1925
50	Do. Wellaboda pattu	..Erection of market	6,000..	4½	..do. .. 1918.	3,000	0..	3,000	0..	1928
20	Co-operative Society, Kumbukke pattu	..Agricultural purposes	1,000..	4½	..April 14.. 1916.	600	0..	400	0..	1926
30	Do. Pandatarippu	..do.	1,000..	5	..April 17.. 1917.	500	0..	500	0..	1928
35	Do. Nanaddan East	..do.	500..	5	..Aug. 30.. 1917.	250	0..	250	0..	1928
42	Do. Dakunu-Talangama	..do.	1,000..	5	..May 23.. 1918.	333	36..	666	64..	1931
44	Do. Haltota	..do.	1,000..	5	..do. .. 1918.	400	0..	600	0..	1929
45	Do. Adikari pattu	..do.	1,000..	5	..do. .. 1918.	400	0..	600	0..	1929
65	Do. Tellipallai	..do.	1,000..	5	..May 29.. 1919.	300	0..	700	0..	1930
67	Do. Tholpuram-Moolai	..do.	1,500..	5	..Nov. 1.. 1919.	450	0..	1,050	0..	1930
70	Do. Matara District Wesleyan Methodist Church workers	..do.	1,000..	5	..Jan. 22.. 1920.	200	0..	800	0..	1931
73	Do. Deniyaya	..do.	2,000..	5	..June 19.. 1920.	400	0..	1,600	0..	1931
75	Do. Udupiddi	..do.	1,000..	5	..July 20.. 1920.	200	0..	800	0..	1931

To what Public Body or Person.	For what Purpose.	Original Loan.			Repaid to Sept. 30, 1923.	Balance Outstanding on Sept. 30, 1923.	Date Loan will be extinguished.
		Amount.	Rate of Interest per Annum.	When made.			
		Rs.	Per Cent.	1920.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
77 Co-operative Society, Udugaha-Meda Depattu	Agricultural purposes	1,000..	5	Oct. 16..	100 0..	900	0.. 1931
78 Do. Kevitiyagala	do.	1,000..	5	Oct. 25..	100 0..	900	0.. 1931
91 Do. Trincomalee District	do.	2,250..	5	Nov. 26.. 1921.	225 0..	2,025	0.. 1931
93 Do. Panadure-Talpiti-bedda	do.	1,500..	5	Jan. 4..	150 0..	1,350	0.. 1932
94 Do. Yatiyana	do.	700..	5	Feb. 1..	70 0..	630	0.. 1932
96 Do. Vavuniya South..	do.	390..	5	April 27..	39 0..	351	0.. 1932
97 Do. Padukka	do.	1,000..	5	do.	100 0..	900	0.. 1932
98 Do. Godakawela	do.	1,000..	5	do.	100 0..	900	0.. 1932
104 Do. Witiyala	do.	500..	5	Aug. 26..	—	500	0.. 1932
106 Do. Alutgama palata	do.	1,000..	5	Sept. 20..	—	1,000	0.. 1932
108 Do. Kumbukke palata	do.	1,000..	5	Oct. 31.. 1922.	—	1,000	0.. 1932
115 Do. Matale East	do.	500..	5	Jan. 16..	—	500	0.. 1933
119 Do. Medagama	do.	300..	5	Mar. 15..	—	300	0.. 1926
120 Do. Makulla	do.	300..	5	do.	—	300	0.. 1926
121 Do. Trincomalee District	do.	4,000..	5	May 31..	—	4,000	0.. 1933
134 Do. Achchuvvely	do.	200..	5	Sept. 8..	—	200	0.. 1933
136 Do. Mahagama	do.	500..	5	Oct. 4..	—	500	0.. 1928
140 Do. Trincomalee District	do.	2,325..	5	Dec. 2..	—	2,325	0.. 1933
141 Do. Tholpuram-Moolai	do.	2,335..	5	Dec. 7..	—	2,335	0.. 1933
142 Do. Mahanuwara-Janopahari	do.	1,000..	5	do.	—	1,000	0.. 1933
151 Do. Udugoda-Pallesiya	do.	500..	5	Mar. 5.. 1923.	—	500	0.. 1934
157 Do. Trincomalee District	do.	5,000..	5	July 14..	—	5,000	0.. 1935
159 Do. Dakunu-Talangama	do.	1,500..	5	Aug. 6..	—	1,500	0.. 1934
160 Do. Demala Hatpattu	do.	1,500..	5	do.	—	1,500	0.. 1934
161 Do. Pandatarippu	do.	5,000..	5	Aug. 7..	—	5,000	0.. 1934
163 Do. Kandy Sinhalese Young Men's	do.	3,000..	5	Sept. 11.. 1914.	—	3,000	0.. 1934
11 A. C. Beling	Building a house	5,000..	4½	Nov. 19 1915.	3,000 0..	2,000	0.. 1932
68 P. M. A. Fernando	do.	4,600..	5	Jan. 4 1919.	275 0..	4,325	0.. 1934
110 H. W. de Zoysa	do.	6,000..	5	Mar. 18 1920.	150 0..	5,850	0.. 1937
113 J. M. O. Felsingar	do.	6,000..	5	June 26 1922.	—	6,000	0.. 1937
116 J. Gajanayake	do.	5,000..	5	Aug. 19 1921.	—	5,000	0.. 1937
123 N. J. Samarasekera	do.	4,000..	5	Dec. 6 1922.	—	4,000	0.. 1932
135 F. H. P. Bartholomeusz	do.	7,000..	5	Jan. 20 1921.	—	7,000	0.. 1937

To what Public Body or Person.	For what Purpose.	Amount.	Original Loan.		When made.	Repaid to Sept. 30, 1923.	Balance Outstanding on Sept. 30, 1923.	Date Loan will be extin- guished.
			Rates of Interest per Annum.					
			Rs.	Per Cent.				
138 W. D. Abeyagoonewardene	Building a house	.. 6,000..	5	{ Oct. 13 1923. Feb. 3 Mar. 24 July 14 }	—	.. 6,000	0..1937	
154 F. P. S. Pereira	.. do.	.. 3,000..	5		{ May 28 Aug. 10 }	—	.. 3,000	0..1937
158 E. W. Abeyaratne	.. do.	.. 6,000..	5			.. July 23..	—	.. 6,000
162 G. L. VanTwist	.. do.	.. 2,000..	5	.. Aug. 27..	—	.. 2,000	0..1938	
164 Alfred Lewis	.. do.	.. 15,000..	5	.. Sept. 28..	—	.. 15,000	0..1936	
		1,281,020			211,606 85	1,069,413 15		

The Treasury,  
Colombo, February 21, 1924.

W. W. WOODS,  
Chairman, Local Loans and Development Fund.

I hereby certify that this statement has been duly audited under my direction and is correct :

Audit Office,  
Colombö, March 1, 1924.

F. G. MORLEY,  
Colonial Auditor.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the contract for the conveyance of mails for a period of three years from October 1, 1924, between Hambantota Post Office and Tissamaharama Post Office and the intermediate Receiving Office or Offices.

- (a) By motor coach or bus or car ; or  
(b) By motor van.

2. The hours of arrival and departure to be fixed from time to time by the Postmaster-General.

3. The contractor will be required to provide such number of motor conveyances as will, in the opinion of the Postmaster-General, be necessary for the service, and every such motor before being employed in the service will be subject to the approval of the Postmaster-General. The motor conveyances should also be provided at the contractor's cost with a separate locked receptacle for conveying mails. To some convenient part of every such motor shall be affixed at the cost of the contractor, and subject to the approval of the Postmaster-General, a suitable box provided with lock and key for the reception of any letters which may be posted on the road.

4. 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, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails between Hambantota Post Office and Tissamaharama Post Office" 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, May 6, 1924.

6. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Postmaster-General, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

7. Any alteration in the tender must bear the initials of the tenderer, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 100 for the service tendered for must be made at the General Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before a tender form is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Postmaster-General or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has

been accepted, such deposits 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 to the contract.

9. Security to the amount of one-tenth of the annual subsidy asked will be required in cash for the service.

10. Tenders for above service must be accompanied by a scale of the rates which it is intended to charge the public during the period of the service for the conveyance of passengers, luggage, and parcels, and the quantity of luggage per passenger allowed to be conveyed free. When such scale has been accepted by Government, the contractor shall not, without the express permission of Government, increase the rates charged for the conveyance of passengers, luggage, and parcels above the amount shown in the scale, or reduce the allowance of free luggage below the amount therein stated.

11. Further particulars regarding the terms of the contract will be found in the contract form Post Office N 10. Further information about the terms of the contract and any other information can be obtained on application to the Postmaster-General.

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

13. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Postmaster-General, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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

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

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

General Post Office,  
Colombo, March 27, 1924.

M. S. SRESHTA,  
Postmaster-General.

TENDERS are hereby invited for making and supplying the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract for this service from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925 :—

*For Workmanship only.*

To be made up from materials supplied by the Railway Storekeeper (needles and thread will not be supplied).

**All garments to be machine-stitched.**

*For Inspectors.*

Suits, fine serge, braided and lined, fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	About	20
Suits, drill, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	"	190
Shoulder straps made of cord ..	"	35 pairs

*For Station Masters, Relief Clerks, &c.*

Coats, fine serge braided and lined, fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	About	200
Coats, white drill, with fixed shoulder straps, to measurement ..	"	600
Trousers, white drill, to measurement ..	"	1,200

*For Guards, Gate Supervisors, and Car Attendants.*

Coats, fine serge, lined, to measurement	About	150
Coats, coarse serge, plain, to measurement ..	"	150
Suits, fine serge, plain, to measurement ..	"	150
Suits, coarse serge, to measurement ..	"	150
Trousers, fine serge, to measurement ..	"	10
Trousers, coarse serge, to measurement ..	"	10
Trousers, white drill, to measurement ..	"	1,650
Cuffs and collars ..	"	10 sets

*For Checkers.*

Coats, khaki drill, to measurement, with red epaulettes with the letters C. G. R. worked with black thread ..	About	400
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*For Sergeants, Shunters, Ticket Collectors, Ticket Examiners, &c.*

Suits, coarse serge, plain, to measurement ..	About	250
Suits, fine serge, plain, to measurement ..	"	50
Gold stripes ..	"	25 sets

*For Porters, Policemen, Gatemen, &c.*

Suits, coarse serge, 4 standard sizes ..	About	3,850
Coats, coarse serge, 4 standard sizes ..	"	20
Shoulder straps, red ..	"	700 pairs
Shoulder straps, green ..	"	900 "
Motor Chauffeurs' khaki uniforms, complete, to measurement, buttons not required ..	"	45
Motor Mail Service Conductors' khaki uniforms (shorts), with round khaki caps, buttons not required ..	"	10
Blue drill suits for carriage cleaners, &c. ..	"	200
Khaki drill overalls, to measurement ..	"	340
Drill slops ..	"	140
Khaki pigstickers, to sizes, with puggaries ..	"	20
Khaki helmets, Wolseley pattern, with puggaries ..	"	15
Peaked caps, Infantry pattern, with khaki covers ..	"	16
Boots, ammunition, with toe caps, to measurement ..	"	30 pairs

*For Peons, Messenger Boys, &c.*

Coats, coarse serge, to measurement ..	About	50
Coats, khaki drill, to measurement ..	"	270
Suits, coarse serge, ornamental, complete, including caps, to measurement, buttons not required ..	"	60

*Miscellaneous.*

For stitching in red thread the words "Extra Porter No.," "Outside Porter No.,"\* or "Goods Porter No.,"\* &c., on coarse serge or drill coat. Tender to be per letter or figure.

For stitching in red thread the words "Ticket Examiner," "Ticket Collector," &c., on cap. Tender to be per letter or figure.

\* Serial numbers from 1 onwards to appear here as may be ordered.

Notes.—(1) The above figures show approximate requirements for the period.

(2) All men to be measured at their respective stations free passes for the purpose being provided by the Department as and when required.

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 Railway Clothing" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 27, 1924.

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

6. The tenderers should specify the rate at which each different description of uniform or article would, as shown above, be made up of materials supplied (exclusive of needles and thread) by the Railway Stores Department, according to the specification which can be seen at the office of the Railway Storekeeper.

7. A deposit of Rs. 50 in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kacheheri, or Bank in Colombo, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. 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.

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

13. 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.

14. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

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

17. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the General Manager, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, March 25, 1924.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder and for the periods as noted in schedule below :—

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 may be for all or any of the buildings enumerated, but each must be quoted for separately.

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Buildings at Batticaloa Station on the Batticaloa-Trincomalee Light Railway," on the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on Tuesday, April 29, 1924.

6. Tenderers may obtain forms and copies of the bill of quantities, and inspect drawings and conditions of contract at the Office of the Chief Construction Engineer, Colombo.

7. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Chief Construction Engineer, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

8. 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.

9. The work is to be carried out in all respects as shown on drawings :—Nos. B. T. I/109—Goods Shed ; B. T. I/112 Engine Shed ; B. T. I/111—Two-roomed semi-detached bungalow for clerks, Junior Guards, and Under Guards ; B. T. I/113—Three-roomed semi-detached bungalow for Head Guards ; B. T. I/117—Three-roomed bungalow for Foreman Platelayer ; B. T. I/118—Two-roomed bungalow for Platelaying Overseer ; B. T. I/114—Quarters for A Class Firemen ; B. T. I/38A—Six rooms porters' lines and seven rooms, lines for labourers and lighters ; B. T. I/87—Sub-staff latrine ; B.T. IA/4—Passenger platform, and the printed specification.

10. Copies of the specification and drawings will be supplied to intending tenderers who have paid their money, *vide* paragraph 5.

11. The contract sum to be quoted is to be in lump sum, a separate quotation being given for each of the buildings.

12. Doors and windows for the buildings ready-made with all fittings will be supplied free to the contractor by the Department.

13. Timber in the log will be supplied to the contractor by the Department for other timber work in the buildings at Rs. 2 per cubic foot.

14. The contractor will have to provide for sawing timber for all timber work (except doors and windows) at the site. He must also provide for the supply of approved sand, bricks, tiles, and lime, &c. (the cement required will be supplied by the Department and charged for to the contractor at Rs. 12.50 per barrel), also any other materials and labour required to carry out the work on the buildings specified according to specification, and to provide accommodation for his labour.

15. Before any tender is accepted, the contractor will be required to sign an agreement to execute and perform the works in accordance with the drawings, specifications, and the general conditions therein set forth, and to complete the whole of the works within nine months from the date of the order to commence. The work will be paid for on monthly measurements of work done. 10 per cent. of the value of work done will be retained as security and will be refunded within one month of the satisfactory completion of the work. He will also be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 3,000 in cash for the due and faithful performance of the contract if the full list of buildings is tendered for, or Rs. 500 each in the case of D. E. H., Rs. 700 in the case of A & G., Rs. 800 in the case of B., Rs. 900 in the case of F., Rs. 600 in the case of C., Rs. 300 in the case of I. J. and K,

Rs. 150 in the case of M., and Rs. 100 in the case of L. of schedule below, which amount will be returned when the retention equals this sum.

16. The contract shall not be assigned or sublet without the written authority of the Tender Board.

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

18. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Chief Construction Engineer, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objections in writing.

19. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to any person whose name is on the defaulting contractor's list authorizing him to carry on the contract.

20. The Government reserves to itself the right to supply the contractor with all imported articles it may be necessary to use in the execution of the works included in the contract.

21. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

22. Any further information could be obtained on application at the Chief Construction Engineer's Office in Colombo, and not to the undersigned in person.

M. COLE BOWEN,  
Chief Construction Engineer,  
Colombo, March 29, 1924. Railway Extensions.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Date of Completion : Four months from date of order to commence.

Service.	Tender Deposit.	Security.
	Rs.	Rs.
A.—Goods Shed, 60 ft. by 20 ft., Drawing No. B. T. I/109 ..	50	700
B.—Engine Shed, Drawing No. B. T. I/112..	50	800
C.—Two-roomed semi-detached bungalow for Clerks, Drawing No. B. T. I/111	50	600
D.—Two-roomed semi-detached bungalow for Junior Guards ..	50	500
E.—Two-roomed semi-detached bungalow for Under Guards ..	50	500
F.—Three-roomed semi-detached bungalow for Head Guards, Drawing B. T. I/113 ..	50	900
G.—Three-roomed bungalow for Foreman Platelayer, Drawing B. T. I/117 ..	50	700

Date of Completion : Three months from date of order to commence.

H.—Two-roomed bungalow for Platelaying Overseer, Drawing B. T. I/118 ..	50	500
I.—Quarters for A Class Firemen, Drawing B. T. I/114 ..	50	300
J.—Six rooms, Porters' lines, Drawing B. T. I/38A ..	50	300
K.—Seven rooms, lines for Labourers and Lighters, Drawing B. T. I/38A ..	50	300
L.—Sub-staff latrine, Drawing B. T. I/87 ..	50	100
M.—Passenger platform, Drawing B. T. IA/4 ..	50	150

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of two row boats in good condition, 16 to 18 ft. long by 5 ft. by 1 ft. 10 in. Clincher-built, teak, copper-fastened throughout, complete, with 4 oars and rowlocks.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Row Boats to the Railway Extensions Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 15, 1924.

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



6. A deposit of Rs. 50<sup>00</sup> in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri or Colombo Bank, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

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

13. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the Chief Construction Engineer that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

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

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

16. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Chief Construction Engineer, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

**M. COLE. BOWEN,**  
Chief Construction Engineer,  
Railway Extensions.

Railway Extension Office,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from October 1, 1924, and terminating on September 30, 1925.

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 Diets, — Hospital," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 24, 1924.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and

bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing of the acceptance of the tender, 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 to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security according to the schedule hereunder, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract; also to furnish with each tender a letter in duplicate signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become an additional security for the due performance of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

9. Contracts may not be assigned, sublet, or otherwise transferred without the previous written sanction of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals. Sanction will not be given for any transfers including powers of attorney in favour of persons in the defaulting contractors' list. No defaulting contractor should be employed on any service connected with the contracts or the tenders.

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

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender or the whole of it for an year or any portion thereof.

12. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

13. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo.

**G. J. RUTHERFORD,**  
Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, March 29, 1924.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Services.	Tender Deposit. Rs.	Security. Rs.
Supply of cooked provisions, with milk, to the following Institutions—		
Alutnuwara Hospital ..	200	400
Buttala Hospital ..	200	400
Kurunegala Hospital ..	500	1 000
Koslanda Hospital ..	300	600
Mulhalkelle Hospital ..	200	400
Medagama Hospital ..	200	400
Moneragala Hospital ..	200	400
Supply of cooked provisions, without milk—		
Dikoya Hospital ..	500	1,000
Haputale Hospital ..	250	500
Maturata Hospital ..	300	600

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from October 1, 1924, and terminating on September 30, 1925.

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 Diets, — Hospital," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and

should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 29, 1924.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing of the acceptance of the tender, 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 to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security according to the schedule hereunder, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract; also to furnish with each tender a letter in duplicate signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become an additional security for the due performance of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

9. Contracts may not be assigned, sublet, or otherwise transferred without the previous written sanction of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals. Sanction will not be given for any transfers, including powers of attorney in favour of persons in the defaulting contractors' list. No defaulting contractor should be employed on any service connected with the contracts or the tenders.

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

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender or the whole of it for an year or any portion thereof.

12. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

13. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo.

G. J. RUTHERFORD,

Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, March 31, 1924.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Services,	Tender Deposit. Rs.	Security. Rs.
Supply of uncooked provisions, without milk, to the following Institutions—		
(1) Leper Asylum, Hendala ..	500	1,000
(2) Lunatic Asylum, Colombo ..	1,000	2,000
(3) General Hospital, Colombo (non-paying section) ..	1,000	2,000
(4) General Hospital, Colombo (paying section) ..	500	1,000
(5) Kanatta Infectious Diseases Hospital	250	500
(6) Lady Havelock Hospital, Colombo	500	1,000
(7) De Soysa Lying-in-Home, Colombo	200	400
(8) Victoria Memorial Eye Hospital, Colombo ..	200	400
(9) Borella Female and Police Hospital	200	400

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of lime (slaked, unslaked, and boiled), clay (white and yellow), and coral stones from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Lime" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 29, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. If required samples must be deposited.

8. The security required will be Rs. 500 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

April 1, 1924.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of coconut oil from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Coconut Oil" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. Failure to deposit samples will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 1,200 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of castor oil from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Castor Oil" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. Failure to deposit samples will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 400 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of South Indian tiles, first quality (flat, half, ridge, ventilation glass, finials, and ornamental ridge), from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 South Indian Tiles" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 29, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. The name of the tenderer, name of manufacturing firm, and place of manufacture should be marked on them. Failure to deposit samples for items tendered will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed in the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 1,000 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for conveyance of stores by cart within the gravets of Colombo, from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1927.

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 Conveyance of Stores" in the left-hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 30 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. The amount of security required will be Rs. 200 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

10. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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 for a period of one, two, or three years.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of kerosine oil from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Kerosine Oil" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. Failure to deposit samples for items tendered will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 1,000 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of glass panes from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Glass Panes" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. Failure to deposit samples for items tendered will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 250 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

April 1, 1924.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of furniture and tubs, buckets, and casks from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Furniture, &c.," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 13, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. The items tendered for must be of the best workmanship and finish, the decision of the Colonial Storekeeper to be accepted as final in the event of any dispute arising. It will be necessary for tenderers to furnish, free of charge, if called upon to do so by the Colonial Storekeeper, sketches of items tendered for. Failure to do so will render the tender null and void, and the name of the tenderer placed on the list of defaulting contractors.

8. The security required will be Rs. 1,000 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sums as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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, and the right of obtaining from the Convict Establishment any of the articles of furniture included in the contract.

April 1, 1924.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of bricks, tiles, bamboos, posts, and sea sand from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Bricks, &c.," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 29, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples of bricks and tiles in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. Failure to deposit samples

for items tendered will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 1,500 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of firewood to all Government Departments in Colombo which require it, Mahara Jail, and Mahara Quarry from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Firewood" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 13, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. The security required will be Rs. 1,000 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

10. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors,

either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

11. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

12. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender, and the right of obtaining the whole or any quantity of its firewood supply from the Forest Department irrespective of any contract that Government may accept under this tender.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for landing and delivery of Government cargo from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1927.

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 landing and delivery of Government cargo" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 13, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 300 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. The amount of security required will be Rs. 10,000 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

9. Every tenderer will be required to show that he has a sufficient number of lighters available for the work.

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of boots and shoes from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Boots and Shoes" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 29, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. The boots, shoes, &c., tendered for must be accompanied by samples, which are not returned, and should be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due, failure to do so will render the security liable to seizure.

8. The security required will be Rs. 250 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for clothing for Government Stores Department, Queen's House, Port Surgeon's Department, Pioneers, Postal Department, Police, &c., from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Clothing" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 13, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. The items tendered for must be of the best workmanship and finish, the decision of the Colonial Storekeeper to be accepted as final in the event of any dispute arising.

8. The security required will be Rs. 1,000 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection, in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of sundries from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Sundries" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 13, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due for every item tendered for. Failure to deposit samples for items tendered will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,500 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

April 1, 1924.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of cattle foods from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Cattle Foods" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 13, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate may be required by the Colonial Storekeeper after the tenders are due for every item tendered for. Failure to deposit samples when called for, for items tendered, will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 1,000 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the

Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sums as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of Madampe baskets, 16 in. by 4 in. by 10½ in., of whole cane, Madampe baskets, 16 in. by 4 in. by 8 in., of whole cane, Madampe baskets, cane, extra strong, 19 in. by 5 in. by 13 in., cup-shaped and saucer-shaped rattan baskets, and round-bottom earth baskets, from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Baskets" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. Failure to deposit samples for items tendered will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 500 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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



11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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, and the right of purchasing from the Convict Establishment not more than one-half of the basket required.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of lubricating oils from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 Lubricating Oils" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due for every item tendered for. Failure to deposit samples for items tendered will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed on the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of coffins, &c., from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1927.

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 Coffins, &c." in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 29, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100 in cash for the whole contract or part of it as may be demanded by the Colonial Storekeeper. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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 for a period of one, two, or three years.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

April 1, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of Madampe canes from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925. The canes should be delivered at the Negombo Jail.

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 Madampe Canes" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 6, 1924.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail 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. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper on or before the date the tenders are due. Failure to deposit samples will render the tenderer's deposit liable to seizure and the name placed in the defaulters' list. Samples tendered are not returned.

8. The security required will be Rs. 100 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

11. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Colonial Storekeeper, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

13. 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.

April 1, 1924.

JOHN GIBB,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials to be delivered at the Public Works Department Yards, Batticaloa, Kalmunai, and Trincomalee, from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925:—

- Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., each.
- Baskets, rattan, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep, each. (The canes holding the brim to the body of the basket should be turned down and inserted well into the weaving of the walls of the basket.)
- Bricks, kiln, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
- Lime, boiled, per bushel.
- Lime, slaked and screened, per bushel.
- Tiles, half-round, 10 in., 12 in., and 15 in., per 1,000.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Eastern Province, 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

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

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924:—

Baskets, ola	Bricks, kiln.
Baskets, rattan.	Tiles, half-round.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, 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.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

14. No contract shall be entered into with any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of the landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Public

Works Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

18. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, in the Central Province (North), and delivered at the Public Works Department Yards at Kandy, Katugastota, Matale, and Nalanda :—

*List of Materials.*

Bricks, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.  
 Tiles, Kandyan, flat, 10 in. by 6 in., per 1,000.  
 Tiles, half-round, 15 in. long, per 1,000.  
 Lime, slaked, obtained by burning white coral to a white heat, free from underburnt pieces, particles of stones, or other extraneous matter thoroughly slaked with water while hot and sifted clean, per bushel of 40-lb.  
 Lime, unslaked, of best quality, per bushel of 50-lb.  
 Lime, boiled, best, per bushel of 85-lb.  
 Clay, white, per bushel of 83-lb.  
 Clay, yellow, per bushel of 81-lb.  
 Small coral stones (punchi hirigal), per bushel of 65-lb.  
 Sand, best, per bushel.  
 Charcoal, per cwt.  
 Bamboo, each.  
 Cadjans, double, 7 feet long, per 100.  
 Straw, per 100 bundles, local size.  
 Planks, halmilla, 2½ in., per square foot.  
 Planks, milla, 2½ in., per square foot.  
 Half-inch jak reepers, per 1,000 lineal foot.  
 Jak rafters, 4½ in. by 2 in., per lineal foot.  
 Firewood, per cwt. and per cubic yard.  
 Canes for making baskets.

*Notes.*—(a) The slaked lime is to be delivered in a bushel or 8-bushel measure filled with a shovel, mamoty, or basket through a shute, the lime being dropped from a height of at least 12 in. above the measure.

(b) Tenderers must quote for the weights given per bushel and for first quality lime only.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and 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 to him through the post.

4. Tenders must be marked "Tender for the Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Central Province (North), 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

5. Samples of the articles to be tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets of the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (North), Kandy, not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the articles adopted in his tender.

7. Persons tendering for local timber should note that it will only be obtained from the successful contractor on such occasions when it is found impracticable to obtain it through the Forest Department.

8. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (North), Kandy, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the 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.

9. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail

to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, (North), Kandy, 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.

10. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (North), Kandy.

11. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

15. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly, with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (North), for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

16. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

18. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Public Works Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

19. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the survey of a road from Kirilapona Canal to Padukka.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate direct to the Director of Public Works, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for the Survey of a Road from the Kirilapona Canal to Padukka" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, and the Director of Public Works not later than midday on April 15, 1924.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. Plans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained on application at the Office of the

Provincial Engineer, Western Province, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

7. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

8. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,

Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, March 31, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, to be delivered at the places named below, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa:—

*List of Materials.*

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.  
Charcoal, per bag.  
Lime, boiled, per bushel.  
Lime, slaked, per bushel.  
Tiles, 15 in. half-round, per 1,000.  
Cadjans not less than 6 ft. long, per 1,000.  
Firewood, in length of 3 ft. and not less than 2 in. in diameter, per cubic yard.  
*Pelmadulla District.*—Pelmadulla, Balangoda, Rakwana.  
*Ratnapura District.*—Ratnapura, Kuruwita.  
*Avissawella District.*—Avissawella, Karawanella, and Yatiyantota.  
*Kegalla District.*—Kegalla, Ambanpitiya, and Aranayaka.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Province of Sabaragamuwa, 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

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

5. Samples of the bricks and tiles tendered for are to be deposited at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the 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.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, 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.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura.

10. Before any tender is accepted, the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general

conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

12. This contract shall not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

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

14. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Sabaragamuwa, for reasons which appear to him sufficient objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Public Works Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

18. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,

Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, March 31, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts:—

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Anuradhapura.

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Mihintale.

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Maradankadawala.

*List of Materials.*

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in., by 3 in. per 1,000.  
Lime, slaked, per bushel of 42-lb.  
Lime, boiled, per bushel of 92-lb.  
Tiles, half-round, 12 in., per 1,000.  
Cadjans, double, 7 ft. long, per 100.  
Straw, per 100 bundles.  
Charcoal, per bushel.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, North-Central Province, 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

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

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.

Tiles, half-round, 12 in.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the 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.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, 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.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura.

10. Before any tender is accepted, the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 50 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

14. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Public Works Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

18. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,

Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, March 31, 1924.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following Districts:—

*Kurunegala District.*

Within the town of Kurunegala.  
Within the departmental district of Kurunegala.

*Puttalam District.*

Within the town of Puttalam.  
Within the departmental district of Puttalam.

*Chilaw District.*

Within the town of Chilaw.  
Within the departmental district of Chilaw.

*Dandagamuwa District.*

Within the town of Dandagamuwa.  
Within the departmental district of Dandagamuwa.

*Maho District.*

Within the departmental district of Maho.

*List of Materials.*

Coir string, per cwt.  
Baskets, ola, each.  
Baskets, rattan, each (the canes holding the brim to the body of the basket should be turned down and inserted well into the weaving of the walls of the basket.)  
Lime, boiled, per bushel.  
Lime, slaked, per bushel.  
Tiles, half round, per 1,000.  
Bricks, kiln, per 1,000.  
Charcoal, per bushel.  
Cadjans, double, per 100.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, North-Western Province, 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

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

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

Baskets, rattan	Bricks.
Baskets, ola.	Tiles, half-round.
Coir string.	

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the 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.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, 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.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

14. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on

the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of the landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Public Works Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

18. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, for the use of the Public Works Department, in Central Province (South), in the following districts, and delivered at the under-mentioned places, viz. :—

*Pussellawa District.*

At Public Works Department Yard, Pussellawa.  
At Public Works Department Yard, Gampola.

*Nuwara Eliya District.*

At Public Works Department Yard, Nuwara Eliya.  
At Railway Station, Nuwara Eliya.

*Dimbulla District.*

At Public Works Department Yard, Dimbulla.  
At Railway Stations, Nawalapitiya and Talawakele.

*Dikoya District.*

At Public Works Department Yard, Norwood.  
At Railway Stations, Hatton.

*List of Materials.*

Baskets, rattan, Madampe, 19 in. diameter top, 5 in. diameter bottom, 13 in. deep.

Baskets, rattan, saucer-shaped, 18 in. diameter by 6 in. deep, of whole cane, each.

Note.—In the case of baskets, the canes holding the brim to the body of the baskets should be turned down and inserted well into the weaving of the walls of the baskets.

Bricks, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in. per 1,000 (Pussellawa, Dikoya, and Dimbulla districts only).

Lime, slaked, well burnt, and free from particles of stone, per bushel of 42-lb.

Lime, boiled, best, per bushel, of 85-lb.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Central Province (South), 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

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

5. Samples of the articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (South), Nuwara Eliya, not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (South), Nuwara Eliya, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (South), Nuwara Eliya, 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 Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (South), Nuwara Eliya.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

14. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (South), for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Public Works Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

18. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925 :—

*List of Materials.*

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Yards at Jaffna, Pallai, Vavuniya, and Mannar.

Coir string, per cwt.

Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., per 100.

Lime made from coral chips, per bushel.

Lime, shell, per bushel of 92-lb.

Charcoal, per bushel.  
 Cadjans, not less than 8 ft. by 18 in., per 100.  
 Palmyra rafters, 4 in. by 2½ in.  
 Palmyra reepers, 2 in. by 1 in.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard at Mannar only.

Baskets, Madampe, coal, extra strong, 19 in. diameter top, 5 in. diameter bottom, 13 in. deep. (The canes holding the brim of the body of the basket should be turned down and inserted well into the weaving of the walls of the basket.)

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Yards at Vaniya and Pallai only.

Burnt bricks, 9 in. by 4½ in.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tendere must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Northern Province, 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 13, 1924.

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

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, not later than midday, on May 13, 1924.

Baskets, naar.	Coir string.
Lime made from coral chips.	Baskets, Madampe, coal.
Lime, shell.	Burnt bricks.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tendere must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in the tendere should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tendere containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulting tenderer 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.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specifications and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

14. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tendere for ms, should furnish the office issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which districts or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tendere, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Public Works Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

18. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, F. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
 Colombo, March 31, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, for the following districts:—

#### COLOMBO DISTRICT.

To be delivered within the district—

Firewood of approved dry timber in lengths not more than 18 in., and in diameter not more than 6 in., per cubic yard.

Cadjans not less than 6 ft. in length, per 1,000.

Bricks, local, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in., per 1,000.

Lime, slaked, per bushel.

Lime, boiled, per bushel.

Tiles, half-round, per 1,000.

Cabook, 18 in. by 8 in. by 6 in., per 1,000.

Cabook, 14 in. by 7 in. by 6 in., per 1,000.

Coconut piles, 10 ft. by 8 in., per 1,000.

#### PANADURE DISTRICT.

To be delivered within the district—

Bricks, local, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in., per 1,000.

Cabook, 18 in. by 9 in. by 6 in., per 1,000.

Common planks, 2 in. thick, per square foot (mango or hora).

Common planks, 1 in. thick, per square foot (mango or hora).

Baskets, rattan, 18 in. by 10½ in. by 5 in., per 100.

Firewood of approved dry timber in lengths not more than 18 in., and in diameter not more than 6 in., per cubic yard.

Lime, boiled, best quality, per bushel.

Lime, slaked, best quality, per bushel.

Seasoned jak scantlings, per cubic foot.

Seasoned jak planks, 1½ in. to 1½ in. thick, per square foot.

Seasoned na or milla bridge planks, 6 in. by 4 in. in lengths not exceeding 13 ft. 6 in., per cubic foot.

Tiles, half-round, per 1,000.

#### KALUTARA DISTRICT.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard, Kalutara—

Bricks, local, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in., per 1,000.

Coconut rafters, 4 in. by 2½ in., per 100 lineal feet.

Lime, slaked, per bushel.

Lime, boiled, per bushel.

Planks, halmillia, 1 in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, halmillia, 1½ in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, halmillia, 1½ in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, halmillia, 2 in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, jakwood, 1 in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, jakwood, 1½ in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, jakwood, 1½ in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, jakwood, 2 in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, milla, 1 in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, milla, 1½ in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, milla, 1½ in., per 100 lineal feet.

Planks, milla, 2 in., per 100 lineal feet.  
 Bridge planks, 12 ft. by 6 in. by 4 in., per cubic foot.  
 Tiles, half-round, per 1,000.  
 Mango planks, 1 in., per 100 square feet.  
 Mango planks, 1½ in., per 100 square feet.  
 Mango planks, 2 in., per 100 square feet.  
 Cadjans, per 100.  
 Charcoal, per bushel.  
 Hora piles, per cubic foot.  
 Firewood of approved dry timber in lengths not more than 18 in., and in diameter not more than 6 in., per cubic yard.

## NEGOMBO DISTRICT.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard, Negombo, and to Overseers at Katunayaka, Ja-ela, Wattala, Kotugoda, Minuwangoda, Badalgama, Giriulla, Mirigama, Henaratgoda, Katana, Dunagaha, and Divulapitiya—

Cabook, 16 in. by 8 in. by 6 in., per 1,000.  
 Bags, gunny, second quality, per 100.  
 Bricks, local, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in., per 1,000.  
 Cadjans, not less than 6 ft. long each, per 100.  
 Charcoal, per cwt.  
 Coconut slabs, 6 in. wide, per lineal foot.  
 Coconut rafters, 4 in. by 2½ in., per lineal foot.  
 Coir string, per cwt.  
 Lime, slaked, per bushel.  
 Lime, boiled, per bushel.  
 Planks, halmilla, 2 in., per square foot.  
 Planks, halmilla, 2½ in., per square foot.  
 Planks, milla, 2 in., per square foot.  
 Planks, milla, 2½ in., per square foot.  
 Planks, hora, 2 in., per square foot.  
 Planks, jak, 2 in., per square foot.  
 Planks, jak, 1½ in., per square foot.  
 Planks, jak, 1 in., per square foot.  
 Firewood of approved dry timber in lengths not more than 18 in. and in diameter not more than 6 in., per cubic yard.  
 Planks, mango, 1 in., per 100 square feet.  
 Planks, mango, 2 in., per 100 square feet.  
 Half-inch luumidella ceiling boards, rebated and beaded and planed one side, 6 in. wide, per 100 square feet.  
 Jak rafters, 4 in. by 2½ in., per lineal foot.  
 Jak reapers, ½ in., per 1,000 lineal feet.  
 Jak reapers, 1 in., per 1,000 lineal feet.  
 Tiles, half-round, 14 in. long, per 100.  
 Timber, jak, per cubic foot.  
 Timber, mee, per cubic foot.  
 Coconut shells, per 1,000.  
 Coconut husks, per cwt.

To be delivered at Negombo Jail—

Madampe canes, 16 ft. in length, per 1,000.  
 2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.  
 3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Western Province, 1924-25," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.  
 4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.  
 5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, not later than 12 noon on May 13, 1924.  
 Baskets, Madampe, rattan, 18 in. by 10½ in. by 5 in.  
 Bricks, local.  
 Tiles, half-round.  
 Cabook, as specified.

*Note.*—The canes holding the brim to the body of the baskets should be turned down and inserted well into the weaving of the walls of the baskets.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Persons tendering for local timber should note that it will only be obtained from the successful contractor on such occasions when it is found impracticable to obtain it through the Forest Department.

8. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the 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.

9. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, 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.

10. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

11. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

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

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

15. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly, with any other person nor shall the contractor employ any person, whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient objects, after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

16. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property, and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

17. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Public Works Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts.

18. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with Departments other than the Public Works Department, the name of such Department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

19. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
 Colombo, March 31, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for drainage to Ethelwood bungalow, Regent street, Colombo.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken in agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Government Buildings, Colombo, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered-schedule of rates and finally subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

3. The drawings, specification, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other



information obtained from the office of the District Engineer, Government Buildings, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. (Saturdays 9:30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted, in duplicate, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates, Drainage, Ethelwood, Regent Street," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on April 15, 1924.

5. Any alterations made in the quotations should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all quotations containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. Government reserves to itself the right to supply the contractor with all imported articles such as cement, &c., which may be necessary in the execution of the work included in any agreement.

7. Only those contractors who hold licenses from the Colombo Municipality for drainage and waterwork need apply for schedules.

8. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors either individually or jointly with any other person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Colombo, March 28, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

NOTICE is hereby given that the date for opening of tenders for the supply of teak to the Railway Extensions Department, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, has been altered to April 29, 1924.

W. J. SHELLEY,  
for Chief Construction Engineer,  
Railway Extension Office, Railway Extensions,  
Colombo, April 3, 1924.

## SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

THE following found, unclaimed, and unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Railway premises at Maradana, at 2 P.M. on Wednesday, April 9, 1924:—

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| 1. A wristlet watch and a pendant  | 43. Lot old newspapers weighing about 125 pounds                   |
| 2. A watch chain with pendant and a fountain pen                             | 44. Bale fodder  |
| 3. Pair gold-rimmed spectacles in case                                       | 45. Bag iron filings   |
| 4. Do.   | 46. Lot books  |
| 5. Do. (damaged)   | 47. Lot hats   |
| 6. Pair sun glasses in case  | 48. Lot boots and shoes  |
| 7. Pair coloured pince-nez in case   | 49. A case and a bag containing sheets of rubber (about 90 pounds) |
| 8. Pair sunglasses in case   | 50. Small lot tea shooks   |
| 9. 3 bent combs  | 51. A stone mortar and 2 curry stones                              |
| 10. 2 boxes containing 20 packets of sewing needles and a packet ball thread | 52. A large dealwood box and 2 tubs                                |
| 11. A cigarette case and a Kalutara cigar pouch                              | 53. Lot mats and mat bags  |
| 12. 2 cigarette cases  | 54. Bundle linen   |
| 13. Do.  | 55. 9 bundles coir yarn  |
| 14. A card containing 5 pencil holders                                       | 56. Lot pillows  |
| 15. 2 new pairs stockings and piece of canvas                                | 57. Lot gunnies  |
| 16. Brass tumbler and a spoon  | 58. Lot baskets  |
| 17. Paper box cartridges (gauge 20)  | 59. 2 cart wheels  |
| 18. Parcel containing 12 Coast Moor caps                                     | 60. A new camp bed and 2 chairs                                    |
| 19. 3 felt hats  | 61. An old camp bed and 2 small chairs                             |
| 20. An Ellwood, 2 straw, and a Panama hat                                    | 62. A new wooden barrel  |
| 21. A new fez and 2 pairs of hair brushes in leather case                    | 63. 3 tables   |
| 22. A cushion  | 64. 7 pieces old furniture   |
| 23. A thermos flask  | 65. 7 lengths of 1-inch galvanized piping (new)                    |
| 24. Compressed fibre hand bag and a Kalutara bag                             | 66. 3 bags Fuller's earth  |
| 25. A thermos flask  | 67. 7 bundles coir bags  |
| 26. Motor bicycle rubber tube  | 68. 1 crate containing sheets of glass (damaged)                   |
| 27. Three bicycle inflators  | 69. 1 crate Asbestos packing (damaged)                             |
| 28. 2 small tins cement paint  | 70. 10 cases soap  |
| 29. 2 old cricket bats   | 71. 12 boxes, each containing 3 dozen packets of violet powder     |
| 30. A pair of new scales   | 72. 3 boxes containing about 3 dozen small leather purses          |
| 31. An aluminium breakfast carrier   | 73. 1 dozen pocket knives  |
| 32. 2 hurricane lamps and 2 cart lanterns                                    | 74. 24 boxes, each containing 12 cards of safety pins              |
| 33. 2 stew pans and a tin kettle   | 75. Parcel containing 22 snuff boxes                               |
| 34. Galvanized bucket and a basin  | 76. 1 box silk shoe lace   |
| 35. An empty patrol tin, 20 empty kerosine oil tins, and empty bottles       | 77. 1 ladies' overcoat marked A                                    |
| 36. 2 mammoties, a large bill hook, and a kattie                             | 78. 1 raincape marked B  |
| 37. Axe, hammer, sawer's implements, and a knife                             | 79. Do. C  |
| 38. 2 oil wells and frame of a lamp  | 80. Do. D  |
| 39. Parcel containing about 16 pounds of tea                                 | 81. Do. E  |
| 40. A large stone jar  | 82. 1 raincoat marked F  |
| 41. Old suit case with clothes   | 83. Do. G  |
| 42. A wooden box and a hat peg   | 84. Do. H  |
|  | 85. Do. I  |
|  | 86. Do. J  |
|  | 87. Do. K  |
|  | 88. Do. L  |

89.	1 raincoat marked	M		130.	1 bundle 3 old umbrellas marked	K	
90.	Do.	N		131.	Do.	L	
91.	Do.	O		132.	1 bundle 2 ladies' umbrellas (old) marked	M	
92.	Do.	P		133.	Do.	N	
93.	Do.	Q		134.	Do.	O	
94.	Do.	R		135.	1 bundle 2 silver-knobbed walking sticks marked	1	
95.	Do.	S		136.	1 bundle 3 walking sticks marked	2	
96.	Do.	T		137.	Do.	3	
97.	1 gentlemen's umbrella (new) marked		1	138.	Do.	4	
98.	Do.		2	139.	Do.	5	
99.	Do.		3	140.	Do.	6	
100.	Do.		4	141.	Do.	7	
101.	Do.		5	142.	Do.	8	
102.	Do.		6	143.	Do.	9	
103.	Do.		7	144.	Do.	10	
104.	Do.		8	145.	Do.	11	
105.	Do.		9	146.	Do.	12	
106.	Do.		10	147.	Pieces of rafters, planks, and 4 logs of timber		
107.	1 ladies' umbrella marked		11	148.	7 parts of an economic tea roller (more or less damaged)		
108.	Do.		12	149.	1 almirah in 5 pieces		
109.	Do.		13	150.	1 bed in 6 pieces and coir mattress		
110.	Do.		14	151.	1 sofa		
111.	1 bundle 2 gentlemen's umbrellas marked		15	152.	1 teapoy and a stool		
112.	Do.		16	153.	7 chairs		
113.	Do.		17	154.	3 packages buckets		
114.	Do.		18	155.	2 tables		
115.	Do.		19	156.	2 shelves		
116.	Do.		20	157.	1 basin, 2 curry stones, a door rug, and 2 small brackets		
117.	Do.		21				
118.	1 bundle 2 ladies' umbrellas marked		22				
119.	Do.		23				
120.	1 bundle 3 old umbrellas marked	A					
121.	Do.	B					
122.	Do.	C					
123.	Do.	D					
124.	Do.	E					
125.	Do.	F					
126.	Do.	G					
127.	Do.	H					
128.	Do.	I					
129.	Do.	J					

*Condemned Articles.*

158. 9 glaziers diamonds  
 159. 4 grind stones  
 160. 1 lamp, acetylene  
 161. 1 hand pump  
 162. 1 timber trolley  
 163. Forty-four water casks  
 164. 1 camera  
 165. 2 portable rail sawing machines

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, March 25, 1924.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

### VITAL STATISTICS.

#### Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended March 29, 1924.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 135 (4 Europeans, 9 Burghers, 83 Sinhalese, 18 Tamils, 16 Moors, 1 Malay, and 4 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1924, viz., 251,824) was 28.0, as against 22.4 in the preceding week, 29.5 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28.3 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 148 (4 Europeans, 11 Burghers, 82 Sinhalese, 27 Tamils, 18 Moors, 2 Malays, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 30.7, as against 33.8 in the previous week, 29.9 in the corresponding week of last year, and 35.6 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 148 total deaths, 28 were of infants under one year of age, as against 35 in the preceding week, 28 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 37 the average for last year.

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

**Principal Causes of Death.**—1. (a) Fifteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 3 in St. Paul's, 2 in Wellawatta North, and 1 each in Kotahena North, Maradana North, Maradana South, and Wellawatta South, as against 30 in the previous week, and 24 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Six deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 3 in Maradana North, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 in Kotahena South, as against nil in the previous week, and 6 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Three deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 1 each in Maradana hospital (of a non-resident), Maradana North and Maradana East, as against 5 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

2. Nine deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 2 each in Maradana hospitals (of non-residents), and Maradana North, and 1 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta North, as against 19 in the previous week, and 15 the weekly average for last year.

3. Nine deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 3 each in Maradana hospital and the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Wellawatta North, and 1 each in San Sebastian, Maradana East, and Kollupitiya, as against 8 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

4. One death from *Plague* was registered in Slave Island, as against 2 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

5. Eleven deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 11 from *Debility*, 7 from *Enteritis*, 6 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Dysentery*, 2 each from *Worms* and *Tetanus*, and 60 from *Other Causes*.

6. Thirty-two cases of *Chickenpox*, 10 of *Measles*, 8 of *Enteric Fever*, and 2 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 14, 8, 11, and nil, respectively, of the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 82.6°, against 82.0° in the preceding week, and 82.2° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.803 in., against 29.909 in. in the preceding week, and 29.890 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 1.26 in., against 5.59 in. in the preceding week, and 0.23 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,  
for Registrar-General.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GIRINDI ELLA TEA COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

- (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
- (s) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits of union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company, or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (u) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.
- (v) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (w) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company.
- (x) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (y) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all.
- (z) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (z 1) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever and to subscribe to and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (z 2) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or property, or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company, or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever with power to issue any shares either fully or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (z 3) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable and movable, estate, property, and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company, or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, in money or in shares, the shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person or partly one and partly the other.
- (z 4) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (z 5) To do all such other things as shall be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects above-mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "person" any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Seven hundred and Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 750,000), divided into 12,500 cumulative preference shares of Rs. 10 each and 62,500 ordinary shares of Rs. 10 each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. Such preference shares shall confer the right to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of seven and a half per cent. per annum on the capital for the time being paid up thereon, and shall rank as regards return of capital in priority to the ordinary shares, but shall not confer the right to any further participation in profits or assets. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company, other than the said preference shares, 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.

6. The profits of the Company of each year, which it shall from time to time be determined to distribute, shall (subject to the provisions of clauses 5 and 8 hereof) be applied in the manner and order following:—

- (1) In payment of a fixed cumulative preferential dividend of 7½ per cent. per annum on the capital for the time being paid up on the said preference shares.
- (2) The balance of the remaining profits shall be divided among the holders of ordinary shares in proportion to the amount paid on the shares held by them.

7. In a winding up voluntary or otherwise, the assets available for distribution amongst the members shall be applied:—

- (1) To the payment off of the capital paid up on the said preference shares with the arrears of dividend thereon whether declared or not up to the commencement of the winding up.
- (2) To the payment off of the capital paid up on all the remaining shares and any dividend on the said shares up to the date of winding up in accordance with the Articles of Association.
- (3) To the division among the Shareholders, other than the holders of the cumulative preference shares aforewritten, in proportion to the number of shares held by each of them, of any balance remaining after payment of capital and dividend as provided in sub-sections (1) and (2) hereof.

8. The rights for the time being attached to the said preference shares may be modified or dealt with in the manner mentioned in clauses 51 and 158 of the accompanying Articles of Association, but not otherwise, and those clauses shall be deemed to be incorporated herein and have effect accordingly.

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.
F. E. MACKWOOD, Colombo .. .. .	One
F. O. MACKWOOD, Colombo .. .. .	One
L. E. BAKER, Colombo .. .. .	One
J. C. KELLY, Colombo .. .. .	One
J. F. SIBBALD, Colombo .. .. .	One
P. J. PARSONS, Colombo .. .. .	One
AR HUR BOYS, Colombo .. .. .	One
Total Shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this 15th day of February, 1924 :

W. K. S. HUGHES,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo,

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GIRINDI ELLA TEA COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

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 Girindi Ella Tea Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

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

#### BUSINESS.

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

3. The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents. The Company being established on the basis that it shall acquire the Girindi Ella 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 Seven hundred and Fifty thousand Rupees (Rs. 750,000), divided into 12,500 cumulative preference shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, and 62,500 ordinary 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, provided, however, that such new shares shall have no preferential rights over the 12,500 cumulative preference shares above referred to.

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, provided, however, that such new shares shall have no preferential rights over the 12,500 cumulative preference shares above referred to.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

21. The 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.

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

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

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

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

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

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

30. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise; or in case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved of by them; and in no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

31. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Two Rupees and Fifty cents or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer; upon payment thereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 30, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

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

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

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

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

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

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

38. The Directors may except, 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, provided such acceptance is properly legalized.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

50. Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right or preference, whether in respect of dividend or of repayment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or at such a premium, or with such deferred rights as compared with any such 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, provided that no such shares shall have any preference over the 12,500 cumulative preference shares above referred to.

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

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

#### BORROWING POWERS.

53. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purpose of the Company, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed Rupees Two hundred thousand (Rs. 200,000).

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

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

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



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

## GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

65. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the object and business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convened the second meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## VOTING AT MEETINGS.

74. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some Shareholder, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, present and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution. The power of demanding a poll conferred by this clause may be exercised by the proxy or attorney of any Shareholder duly appointed in that behalf.

75. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present, his proxy or attorney, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, their proxies or attorneys at the meeting and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and place and in such manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided; and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote, in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder or proxy or attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

84. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than forty-eight 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 Girindi Ella Tea Company, Limited.*

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

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

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

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

**DIRECTORS.**

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

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

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

89. The first Directors shall be Howard Frank Parfitt of Colombo, and Herbert John Goddard Marley of Gampola, and also Frank Edward Mackwood and Charles Francis Broad who will join the Board after allotment. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

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

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

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

**ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

103. The office of Director shall be vacated—

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

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

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

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

105. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors, subject to the provisions of Article No. 123 for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

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

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

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

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

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

110. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Secretaries, in the event of a firm or registered company being the Secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, director, secretary, attorney or agent of the said firm or company signing for and on behalf of the said firm or company as such Secretaries.

111. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders of the Company in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in

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

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

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

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### AGENTS AND SECRETARIES.

123. (a) The firm of Mackwoods, Limited, shall be the first Agents and Secretaries of the Company.

(b) Unless and until otherwise mutually arranged, the Agents and Secretaries shall be entitled to receive by way of remuneration a sum not exceeding Rs. 3,500 per annum in addition to the customary commissions and charges usually charged by Estate Agents in Colombo.

## ACCOUNTS.

124. 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.

125. 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.

126. 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.

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

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

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

130. 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.

131. 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.

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

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

134. 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.

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

136. 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.

137. 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.

138. 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.

139. 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.

140. The Directors may, if they think fit, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, or pay bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year, provided the Directors are satisfied that the nett profits of the Company will be sufficient to justify such interim dividend or bonus.

141. 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.

142. Any General Meeting may direct payment of any dividend or bonus declared at such meeting or of any interim dividends or business 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.

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

144. 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.

145. 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.

146. Notice of any dividend that has been declared, or 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.

147. 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.

148. 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.

149. 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.

150. 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.

151. 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.

152. 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.

153. 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.

154. Any Shareholder who fails to give and register an address in Ceylon as provided in Article No. 150 shall not be entitled to be given any notices.

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

#### ARBITRATION.

155. 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.

156. 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.

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

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

F. E. MACKWOOD, Colombo.  
 F. O. MACKWOOD, Colombo.  
 L. E. BAKER, Colombo.  
 J. C. KELLY, Colombo.  
 J. F. SIBBALD, Colombo.  
 P. J. PARSONS, Colombo.  
 ARTHUR BOYS, Colombo.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this 15th day of February, 1924 :

W. K. S. HUGHES,  
 Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE A. &amp; E. MOTOR TRANSPORT, LIMITED.

1. THE name of the Company is "THE A. & E. MOTOR TRANSPORT, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is established are—
  - (a) To purchase and carry on the business of motor lorry proprietors and carriers, now carried on at Wattegama, in the Kandy District of Ceylon, by Messrs. Herbert Lempriere Anley and Cyril Austin Evans, under the style of the A. & E. Motor Transport Co.
  - (b) To carry on the business of motor vehicle proprietors, motor garage proprietors, motor repairers, and carriers of goods and passengers, in the Kandy District and in such other places in Ceylon as may from time to time be thought fit.
  - (c) To purchase, construct, repair, sell, hire or let motor lorries, motor omnibuses, motor cars, carts, carriages, horses, cattle, machinery, and other chattles and things used for any of the above purposes.
  - (d) To enter into contracts with any person or company as to interchange of traffic or otherwise.
  - (e) To obtain all powers and authorities necessary to carry out and extend any of the above objects.
  - (f) To acquire and deal with the property following :—
    - (1) The business property and liabilities of any company, firm or person carrying on any business within the objects of this Company.
    - (2) Lands, buildings, easements and other interests in real estate.
    - (3) Plant, machinery, personal estate and effects.
    - (4) Patents, patent rights or inventions, copyrights, designs, trade marks, or secret processes.
    - (5) Shares or stock or securities in or of any company or undertaking the acquisition of which may promote or advance the interests of this Company.
  - (g) To perform or do all or any of the following operations, acts or things :—
    - (1) To pay all the costs, charges, and expenses of the promotion and establishment of the Company.
    - (2) To sell, let, dispose of, or grant rights over all or any property of the Company.
    - (3) To erect buildings, plant and machinery for the purposes of the Company.
    - (4) To make experiments in connection with any business of the Company, and to protect any inventions of the Company by letters patent or otherwise.
    - (5) To grant licenses to use patents, copyrights, designs or secret processes of the Company.
    - (6) To manufacture plant, machinery, tools, goods, and things for any of the purposes of the business of the Company.
    - (7) To draw, accept and negotiate bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other negotiable instruments.
    - (8) To underwrite the shares, stock or securities of any other company, and to pay underwriting commissions and brokerage on any shares, stock or securities issued by this Company.
    - (9) To borrow money or to receive money on deposit either without security or secured by debentures, debenture stock (perpetual or terminable), mortgage or other security charged on the undertaking or all or any of the assets of the Company, including uncalled capital.
    - (10) To lend money, with or without security, and to invest money of the Company in such manner (other than in the shares of this Company) as the Directors think fit.
    - (11) To enter into arrangements for joint working in business or for sharing profits, or for amalgamation with any other company, firm, or person carrying on business within the objects of this Company.
    - (12) To promote companies.
    - (13) To sell the undertaking and all or any of the property of the Company for cash, or for stock, shares or securities of any other company, or for other consideration.
    - (14) To pay for any lands and real or personal immovable, and 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.
    - (15) To provide for the welfare of persons employed or formerly employed by the Company, or any predecessors in business of the Company, and the wives, widows, and families of such persons by grants of money or other aid or otherwise as the Company shall think fit.
    - (16) To subscribe to, or otherwise aid, benevolent, charitable, national or other institutions, or objects of a public character, or which have any moral or other claims to support or aid by the Company by reason of the locality of its operations or otherwise.
    - (17) To distribute in specie assets of the Company properly distributable amongst its members.
  - (h) To do all or any of the things hereinbefore authorized either alone, or in conjunction with, or as factors, trustees, or agents for others, or by or through factors, trustees or agents.
  - (i) To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.
4. The liability of the members is limited.
5. The share capital of the Company is Rs. 250,000, divided into 25,000 shares of Rs. 10 each, with power for the Company to increase or reduce the said capital and to issue any part of its capital, original or increased, with or without any preference, priority or special privilege, or subject to any postponement of rights, or to any conditions or restrictions, and so that unless the conditions of issue shall otherwise expressly declare, every issue of shares whether declared to be preference or otherwise, shall be subject to the power hereinbefore contained.

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.
R. H. SKRINE, Colombo .. .. .	One
G. R. WHITBY, Colombo .. .. .	One
G. R. NEALE, Colombo .. .. .	One
H. H. PIZEY, Colombo .. .. .	One
O. P. MOUNT, Colombo .. .. .	One
W. K. S. HUGHES, Colombo .. .. .	One
G. T. HALE, Colombo .. .. .	One
Total Shares taken .. .. .	Seven

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this 14th day of February, 1924 :

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

### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE A. & E. MOTOR TRANSPORT, 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.

#### IN 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 A. & E. Motor Transport, 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.

"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 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 whereby these Articles proxies are allowed) at any meeting of which notice specifying the intention to propose such resolution has been duly given.

#### BUSINESS.

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

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

#### CAPITAL.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Two hundred and Fifty thousand Rupees, divided into 25,000 shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

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



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

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

#### SHARES.

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

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

10. The shares, except when otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they consider proper. Provided that such unissued shares except when otherwise provided shall first be offered by the Directors to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholders 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 lands, property, rights, or privileges, being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such property, rights, or privileges, or as remuneration for work done for, or services rendered to the Company and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares such new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof, or any other General Meeting of the Company, shall direct, and if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends, and in the distribution of 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 lands, property, rights, or privileges being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such lands, property, rights, or privileges, and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

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

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

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

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

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

17. The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except an 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.

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

19. Every Shareholder shall be entitled to a certificate or certificates under the common seal of the Company, specifying the share or shares held by him and the amount paid thereon, provided that in the case of shares registered in the names of two or more persons, the Company shall not be bound to issue more than one certificate to all the joint-holders, and delivery of such certificate to any one of them shall be sufficient delivery to all.

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

#### CALLS.

21. 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.

22. 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.

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

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

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

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

28. 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.

29. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise; or in case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved of by them; and in no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declination shall be absolute.

30. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred, and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Two Rupees and Fifty cents, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer; upon payment thereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 29, shall register the transferee or a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

31. 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.

32. 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.

33. 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.

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

35. 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.

36. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 35, shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall within twelve calendar months after such death be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such shares, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

37. 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, provided such acceptance is properly legalized.

38. 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.

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

40. 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.

41. The surrender or forfeiture of a share 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.

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

43. 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 40 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

44. 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-holder 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.

45. 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.

46. 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 representative.

47. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that the power of sale given by clause 45 has arisen and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

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

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

49. 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 differed 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.

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

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

#### BORROWING POWERS.

52. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's business of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, 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 Twenty thousand (Rs. 20,000).

53. 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.

54. 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.

55. 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.

56. 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.

57. 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.

58. 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.

59. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

64. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution, the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

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

66. 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.

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

68. 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.

69. 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.

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

71. 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.

72. 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.

73. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some Shareholder, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, present and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution. The power of demanding a poll conferred by this clause may be exercised by the proxy or attorney of any Shareholder duly appointed in that behalf.

74. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present, his proxy or attorney, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, their proxies or attorneys at the meeting and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall to 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.

75. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote at least one month previous to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

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

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

83. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than forty-eight 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 A. & E. Motor Transport, 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 \_\_\_\_\_.

84. 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.

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

**DIRECTORS.**

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

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

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

88. The first Directors shall be Messrs. A. D. Skrine of Colombo and M. Gardner of Elkaduwa, and also Messrs. H. L. Anley and C. A. Evans, who will join the board after allotment. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

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

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

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

**ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.**

90. 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 91.

91. 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.

92. 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.

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

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

95. 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.

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

97. 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.

98. 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.

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

100. 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.

101. 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.

102. The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Manager, Agent or Secretary of the Company, or Trustee for Debenture Holders.
- (b) If he become bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he resigns his office under the provisions of clause 98.
- (f) If he ceases to ordinarily reside in Ceylon or is absent from Ceylon for a period of three consecutive months.

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

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

103. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the said business and the lease, purchase, or acquisition of any lands, property rights, or privileges they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

104. 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 subject to the provisions of Article No. 122 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 purchase, or acquisition of the said business, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

105. 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, 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.

106. 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.

107. 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.

108. 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.

109. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Secretaries, in the event of a firm or registered company being the Secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, director, secretary, attorney, or agent of the said firm or company signing for and on behalf of the said firm or company as such Secretaries.

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

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

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.

- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the awards.
- (c) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, or inspector, or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not to be immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees, without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (f) To delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon, or elsewhere, all or any of the powers or functions give 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 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.

112. The Directors may meet for the dispatch 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.

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

114. 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.

115. 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.

116. 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.

117. 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.

118. 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.

119. 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.

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

- (1) Of all appointments (a) of 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 the committees appointed by the Board.

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

#### AGENTS AND SECRETARIES.

122. The firm of Messrs. Skrine and Company, shall be the first Agents and Secretaries of the Company.

#### ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### AUDIT.

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

132. The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration. He or they shall hold office till the 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

139. The Directors may, if they think fit, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, or pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account, and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year provided the Directors are satisfied that the net profits of the Company will be sufficient to justify such interim dividend or bonus.

140. The Directors may, before recommending any dividend or bonus, set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund and may invest the same in such securities as they may select, or place the same on 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, maintaining, or extending the buildings and premises of the Company or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purposes connected with the interest of the Company that they may from time to time deem expedient without being bound to keep the same separate from the other assets.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

## NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## ARBITRATION.

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

## EVIDENCE.

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

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

157. If the Company shall be wound up, whether voluntarily or otherwise, the liquidator or liquidators may with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company divide among the contributories in specie any part the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator or liquidators with the like sanction shall think fit, and if thought expedient any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the members of the Company, and in particular any class may be given preferential or special rights or may be excluded altogether or in part and the liquidator or liquidators shall be entitled to sell all or any of the assets of the Company in consideration of or in exchange for shares, ordinary, fully paid, part paid, or preference, in the purchasing company, but in case any division otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories shall be determined on or any sale made of any or all of the assets of the Company in exchange for shares in the purchasing company either ordinary, fully paid, or part paid, or preference, any contributory who would be prejudiced thereby shall have a right to dissent as if such determination were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908, in England, but for the purposes of an arbitration as in the sub-section 6 of the said section, provided the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, and of the Ceylon Ordinance, 2 of 1889, shall apply in place of the English and Scotch Acts referred to in the said sub-section 6 of section 192 of the aforewritten Companies (Consolidation) Act and the said section 192 save as herein excepted shall be deemed to be part and parcel of these present Articles.

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

R. H. SKRINE, Colombo.  
G. R. WHITBY, Colombo.  
G. R. NEALE, Colombo.  
H. H. PIZEY, Colombo.  
O. P. MOUNT, Colombo.  
W. K. S. HUGHES, Colombo.  
G. T. HALE, Colombo.

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this Fourteenth day of February, 1924:

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

**The Pelok Bharu Coconut Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, April 17, 1924, at 11 A.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1923.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business of which due notice may have been given.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 10 to 17, 1924, both days inclusive.

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

Colombo, April 4, 1924.

**The Ceylon Ice & Cold Storage Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-second Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at its registered office, Prince building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, April 15, 1924, at noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1923.
2. To declare a final dividend.
3. To elect two Directors.
4. To appoint Auditors for 1924.
5. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 1 to 13, 1924, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,  
LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 2, 1924.

**The Cavunal Rubber & Tea Estates, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at 12 noon on Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at the registered office of the Company, No. 7, Steuart street, Welisara, Colombo.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1923.
  2. To elect a Director.
  3. To appoint auditors.
- And transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Board,  
S. OXTON JONES,  
Agent and Secretary.

Colombo, March 31, 1924.

**The L. L. P. Estates, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, April 14, 1924, at noon for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution:—

"That the Directors of the Company be and they are hereby authorized, in terms of Article 57 (a) of the Company's Articles of Association to mortgage New Gonakumbura estate which the Company is about to purchase, for securing the sum of Rs. 70,000, and interest thereon at 9 per centum per annum."

By order of the Directors,  
BOIS BROTHERS & Co., LTD.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 2, 1924.

**The Enselwatte Tea Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Boustead Bros., Colombo, on Wednesday, April 16, 1924, at 11 A.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1923.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 14 to 22, inclusive.)

By order of the Board,  
BOUSTEAD BROS.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

**The Kulla Kamby (Nilgiris) Tea Estates, 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, Lloyd's buildings, Prince street, Colombo, on Monday, April 14, 1924, at 11 A.M., for the following purposes, viz.:—

1. To confirm the Minutes of the Ninth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders held on February 20, 1923; and the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders held on October 17, 1923.
2. To receive the report of the Directors and audited accounts for the six months ended June 30, 1923.
3. To consider the question of arrears of Directors and Secretarial remuneration.
4. To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Reginald Nelson Watkins of Messrs. Mac Dermott & Co., Colombo, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up; and that the Agreement submitted to this Meeting dated the 29th day of January, 1924, and made between this Company of the one part and the Ceylon Land and Produce Company, Limited, of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved; and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to sign, seal, and execute all further deeds, contracts, documents, and writings necessary or sufficient for the purpose of adopting (with or without modification) the terms of the said Agreement, and carrying the same into effect, and to sign, seal, and execute all Transfers or other Deeds necessary or proper for conveying to, and vesting in, the said the Ceylon Land and Produce Company, Limited, the estates and premises agreed to be sold and to receive the purchase consideration of £57,000 payable in terms of the said agreement by the Ceylon Land and Produce Company, Limited, as to £15,000 in cash, and as to the balance £42,000 by the allotment to the said Liquidator or his nominee or nominees of 21,000 ordinary shares of the nominal value of £1 each in the capital of the said Ceylon Land and Produce Company, Limited, and after payment thereof of all liabilities of this Company and the expenses of liquidation, to distribute the available assets amongst the Shareholders of the Company in proportion to the number of shares held by them respectively."

Should the above resolution No. 4 be duly passed in the requisite manner it will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to a further Extraordinary General Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

By order of the Board,

Colombo, April 2, 1924.

R. N. WATKINS,  
Secretary.

**Cader and Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, York House, York street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, April 11, 1924, at 3 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1923.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect Directors.
4. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

A. A. LAMBETH,  
Secretary.

Colombo, April 1, 1924.

**Auction Sale of that Extensive Property known as Philip de Silva's Plumbago Works at Wellawatta also one Steam Engine.**

*D. C., Colombo, No. 591 Testamentary.*

WE are instructed by the administrator of the estate of the late Philip de Silva Thanapathy, to sell by public auction on Wednesday, April 30, 1924, at 4.30 P.M. at the spot—

All that allotment of land called Ambalgemewatta, now called Canal Side Plumbago Works, with the buildings and plantations thereon, situated at Kirillapone in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo; in extent 9 acres and 23 perches.

This property is favourably situated having the Pamanakada-Bambalapitiya road as one boundary and in close proximity to the canal.

We are also instructed by the administrator to sell by public auction at the said premises on the same day immediately upon the conclusion of the sale of the said premises, one No. 19 Marshall's 10/12 h. p. steam engine with boiler shafting, pulleys, &c., complete:

For further particulars apply to us:

No. 4, Baillie street, Fort,  
Phone 289.  
Telegram "Lions"A. Y. DANIEL & SONS,  
Auctioneers and Brokers.**Auction Sale.***A Residential House situated at Hill Street, Colombo.*

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in testamentary proceedings No. 5,016 of the District Court of Jaffna, and in guardianship proceedings No. 1,607 of the District Court of Colombo and on conditions of sale approved by the said courts, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Thursday, May 15, 1924, at 5 P.M. at the spot, all those premises with the buildings standing thereon, bearing assessment Nos. 50 and 51, situated at Hill street, Colombo; and containing in extent 34 93/100 square perches.

For deeds, &c., apply to Messrs. Wilson & Kadirgamer, Arcade buildings, Fort, Colombo.

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

Phone No. 733.

**Auction Sale under Primary Mortgage Decree and Commission in Case No. 11,612, D. C., Colombo.**

*Valuable Property in Kirillapone, Colombo, and the Contiguous New Building standing thereon within Municipal Limits belonging to D. J. A. S. Kawiratne.*

ALL that allotment of land called Bulugahawatta, situated at Kirillapone, Colombo; bounded on the north by lots 68 and 71, south by lots 92 and 93, on the east by lot 83, and west by lots 77, 78, and 80; in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 13 perches.

On Saturday, May 3, 1924, at 4 P.M. at the spot.

58, Belmont street,  
Hulftsdorp, Colombo.A. C. KOELMEYER,  
Auctioneer and Commissioner.**Auction Sale.**

*A Valuable Property at Wellawatta. Five minutes walk from the Railway Station, and adjoining Mudaliyar D. D. Wickremasinghe's Property.*

UNDER instructions from the administratrix of the intestate estate of Adambarage Antonis de Alwis of Mutwal in Colombo, deceased, and with the leave of court obtained in testamentary case No. 1,088 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Wednesday, April 16, 1924, at 5 P.M. at the spot—

An allotment of land with the buildings thereon, called and known as Kelamkaduwawatta, bearing lot No. 25, assessment No. 1,013/616, situated at Wellawatta, within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 20/20 perches, according to the figure of survey No. 324 dated March 21, 1924, made by Mr. A. F. A. Jayawardana, Registered Licensed Surveyor.

For further particulars apply to C. B. Dias, Esq., Proctor, and Notary, Colombo, or to me:

A. V. PERERA,

No. 115, Hulftsdorp, Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale.**

*Three Tenements at Dematagoda, presently bearing Assessment Nos. 63, 3 and 2, and the adjoining Bare, 1 and.*

UNDER instructions from the administrator of the intestate estate of Palliandian Assen Meera of Dematagoda, deceased, and with the leave of court obtained in testamentary case No. 1,288 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Thursday, April 17, 1924, at 5 P.M. at the spot—

The defined portion marked C in the plan from and out of the premises presently bearing assessment Nos. 63, 3 and 2, situated at Dematagoda road in Maradana Ward, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 9 perches.

For inspection of plans and title deeds apply to John Leopold Perera, Proctor, Supreme Court, or to me:

A. V. PERERA,

No. 115, Hulftsdorp, Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale of Valuable Lands at Pamunuwila, Gonawala, Galedanda, and Dalugama.**

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 10,707 of the District Court of Colombo, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 27,679.15, with legal interest thereon, and costs of suit due to the plaintiff in the said case upon a primary mortgage decree, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, May 3, 1924, commencing at 1 P.M. at the secondly mentioned land herein, the following property, to wit:—

(1) All that land called Palugahahena or Naiyidewidanage hena, situated in the village Pamunuwila in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale; in extent 8 acres.

(2) All that land called Kongahawatta alias Kattiwillagewatta, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, situated at Gonawala in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale; in extent 3 bushels of paddy sowing.

(3) All that allotment of land called Kandawalawana, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 32 perches.

(4) All that land called Kandawalawatta, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 7 acres 1 rood and 28 perches.

(5) All that land called Millagahawatta alias Kandawala-kumburapillawa, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 32 perches.

(6) All that contiguous lands called Kahatagahawatta, alias Ketakelagahawatta alias Elamullewatta and Meegahawatta, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 22 11/100 perches.

(7) All that undivided 1/12 part of the land called Ellamullewatta, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent about 16 bushels of paddy sowing.

(8) Undivided 1/4 share of the land called Attikkagahawatta, situated at Gonawala; in extent 2 acres 2 roods.

A portion of the land called Attikkagahawatta, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 3 bushels of paddy sowing.

(10) All that land called Meegahawatta, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 3 bushels of paddy sowing.

(11) All that land called Meegahawatta or Hettigawatta, situated in the village Galedanda, in the Adikari pattu of the Siyane korale; in extent 6 acres 1 rood and 25 perches.

(12) Divided 11/12 parts or shares of and in all that portion of the land towards the north of the cart road from and out of all that land called Bogahawatta, situated at Gonawala aforesaid, which said divided 11/12 parts are according to the figure of survey thereof No. 0149, described as all that allotment of land called Uswatta or Bogahawatta, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 18 perches.

(13) All that land called Delgahawatta, situated at Galedanda aforesaid; in extent 3 acres and 8 perches.

(14) All that land called Batalahenkanatta, situated at Dalugama in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale; in extent 10 acres 3 roods and 31 85/100 perches.

(15) All those contiguous lands called Bogahawatta *alias* Uswatta, Halwilakumbura *alias* Hamibatuwa, Halwila-pillewa, and Gorakagahakumbura, situated at Gonawala aforesaid; in extent 8 acres and 2 perches.

For further particulars please apply to C. E. A. Samarakody, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or to—

No. 60, Belmont street,  
Colombo, March 13, 1924.

H. J. F. RODRIGO,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

*Valuable Properties situated at Mahara Dalupitiya in Adikari Pattu of the Siyane Korale.*

A few Minutes walk from Mahara Resthouse.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in P. C., Colombo, case No. 10,683, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, April 26, 1924—

At 4.30 P.M.

1. Millagahawatta situated at Mahara Dalupitiya in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent about 3 acres, excluding therefrom an undivided portion in extent 1/2 acre towards the north-west.

At 5 P.M.

2. The land called Pulunhenakele, with the tiled house standing thereon, situated at Mahara Dalupitiya aforesaid; containing in extent 6 acres 2 roods and 28 perches.

Further particulars from A. C. M. Abdul Cader, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, or—

No. 119, Hulftsdorp street, FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI,  
Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

*Valuable House Property bearing Assessment No. 28A, situated at Layard's Broadway in Grandpass, Colombo.*

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in P. C., Colombo, case No. 11,576, D. C., Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Friday, April 25, 1924, at 5 P.M. at the spot—

All that defined portion of land bearing assessment No. 28A, with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Layard's Broadway in Grandpass, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by Mansergh avenue (now Prince of Wales avenue), on the east by the property bearing assessment No. 29 said to belong to the heirs of the late A. L. Bawa Saibo, on the south by Layard's Broadway, and on the west by premises bearing assessment No. 28 belonging to U. L. Kadija Umma; containing in extent 12 36/100 perches according to the plan No. 10A/1922 dated January 25, 1922, made by C. H. Frida, Registered Licensed Surveyor, from and out of all that house and ground bearing No. 28A, situate at the north of Layard's Broadway; within the Municipal limits of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by the field of I. L. M. H. Abdul Rahaman, on the east by the

property of A. L. Bawa Saibo, on the south by the Layard's Broadway, and on the west by the property of Saibo Mapoola Wappu Marikar Hadjar; containing in extent 34 15/100 perches, and now bounded on the north by Mansergh avenue (now Prince of Wales avenue), on the east by property bearing assessment No. 29, Layard's Broadway said to belong to the heirs of the late A. L. Bawa Saibo, on the south by road (Layard's Broadway), and on the west by the property bearing assessment No. 27 said to belong to the heirs of the late Saibo Mapoola Wappu Marikar Hadjar; containing in extent 20 43/100 perches according to the figure of survey thereof No. 462 dated August 24, 1917, made by S. S. Ratnam, Licensed Surveyor.

Further particulars from A. C. M. Abdul Cader, Esq., Proctor; Supreme Court, and Notary, or—

No. 119, Hulftsdorp street, FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI,  
Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C. Colombo, No. 11,400.

*Valuable Properties at Yatiyana in Uthurumahapattu of Pasden Korale, and at Alutgama Street in Alutgama Pattu, in the District of Mahara.*

I SHALL sell by public auction on Saturday, May 3, 1924, commencing from 4.30 P.M. at my office, No. 119, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, the following property, to wit:—

(1) An undivided 1/2 share of the land called Gorakagahamanane, together with the rubber plantations and of all other plantations and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated at Yatiyana aforesaid; containing in extent 13 acres 1 rood and 18 perches.

(2) All that allotment of land called Jambughawatta *alias* Mawatbodawatta, together with all the trees and plantations and buildings thereto belonging, situated at Alutgama street aforesaid; containing in extent 32 41/100 perches.

For further particulars please apply—

No. 119, Hulftsdorp street, FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI,  
Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

And Seena Ana Navana Somasindram, Petty of Sea street in Colombo, Plaintiff.

No. 8,780.

Vs

Abdul Majeed K. theija Umma and her husband, Defendant.

UNDER a decree entered and by virtue of commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell all that defined portion of land marked A in the plan, with the buildings thereon, bearing assessment No. 58, situated at New Moor street in Colombo; and containing in extent 4 5/100 square perches on Friday, April 25, 1924, at 4 P.M. at the spot—

131, Hulftsdorp street, C. P. AMERASINGHE,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale under the Partition Ordinance. Case No. 4742 of the District Court of Colombo.

*Valuable House Property in Kandy.*

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in Case No. 4742 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, May 20, 1924, at 1.30 P.M. at the spot—

All that house with the lands thereto attached, situate in King's street, within the Municipality of Kandy, in the District of Kandy, Central Province, and bearing assessment No. 57, now called and known as Grand Hotel, and comprising the following contiguous portions of land, to wit:—

1. A piece of Crown land situated at Castle street, within the town of Kandy, in the Central Province; and bounded on the north by the property of Mr. A. Staples, on the east by Castle street, on the south by the property of J. J. Staples, Esq., and on the west by the property of W. A. Staples and Dehigama Navaratne Atapattu Wahala Mudiyanse; containing in extent 29 17/100 square perches.

2. A spot of ground situated within the town of Kandy, in the Central Province; bounded on the north by Crown land possessed by Mr. Staples, on the east by Castle street, on the south by King's street, and on the west by property of Dehigama Nawaratne Attapattu Wahala Mudiyanse; and containing in extent 1 rood and 10 square perches.

3. A piece of ground situated in the town of Kandy aforesaid, bounded on the north, east, and south by the property of the said John James Staples, and on the west by the property of the said Dehigama Nawaratne Attapattu Wahala Mudiyanse, Senior; containing in extent 9 square perches.

4. A piece of waste land situated in the town of Kandy aforesaid, bounded on the north by Church street, on the east by Castle street, on the south by the property of the said John James Staples, and on the west by the property of the said William Adolphus Staples, deceased; containing in extent 29  $\frac{31}{100}$  square perches.

The sale will first take place among the co-owners at the upset price at which it has been valued and, if not purchased by any of them, it will immediately thereafter be put up for sale among the public.

One of the best sites in Kandy facing two roads, and in extent nearly 3 roods.

H. M. GUNASEKERA,

Colombo, April 1, 1924. Commissioner and Auctioneer.

### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Ranamukage Peter Peris Weerasuriya of Nelundeniya, administrator of the estate of the late Ranamukage Francis Peris Harine, deceased, of Kudahakapola. . . . . Plaintiff.

No. 12,888. Vs.

Kurugamage Francisco Perera of Kudahakapola. . . . . Defendant.

UNDER the decree in the above case and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the amounts stated therein, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged as a primary mortgage by bond No. 5,196 dated November 30, 1911, attested by T. H. de Silva, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, April 26, 1924, commencing at 10 A.M., to wit:—

1. An undivided  $\frac{1}{10}$  share of the undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Beligahawatta, situate at Kudahakapola in Ragam pattuwa; in extent about 2 acres.

2. An undivided  $\frac{1}{10}$  share of the southern undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the two contiguous portions of land called Madangahawatta, situate at Kudahakapola aforesaid; in extent about 2 roods.

3. An undivided  $\frac{1}{10}$  share of the contiguous high and low land Attikkagahawatta and the field, situate at Kudahakapola aforesaid; in extent about 2 acres.

Further particulars from Arthur de Silva, Esq., Proctor of Negombo, or from—

K. L. PEREIRA & SON,

Negombo, April 1, 1924. Auctioneers.

### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Mutukula Arachchige Don Egoris Samarawickrama Gunasekara of Madamp. . . . . Plaintiff.

No. 15,424. Vs.

Rev. M. D. Siriniwasathissa Thera of Demanhandiya in Negombo. . . . . Defendant.

UNDER the decree in the above case and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,255, less a sum of Rs. 50 paid after the institution of this action, with interest on Rs. 1,000 at 18 per cent. per annum from May 24, 1922, till November 20, 1922, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit Rs. 317.70, we shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Friday, April 25, 1924,

the under-mentioned properties mortgaged as a primary mortgage by bond No. 168 dated December 24, 1920, attested by M. E. Marasinhe, Notary, to wit:—

At 3 P.M.

1. All that divided portion on the north-eastern direction of the land called Medagodella, situate at Demanhandiya in Dumagaha pattuwa of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo; which said divided portion in extent 3 roods, together with the plantations and buildings standing thereon.

At 4, 30 P.M.

2. All that undivided south-western  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Kekunagahawatta, situate at Andiambalama in Dasiya pattuwa of the Alutkuru korale; in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 37 perches, excluding a portion of 8 feet in breadth on the west.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Samaratunga & Pereira, Proctors, Negombo, or to us:

K. L. PEREIRA & SON,

Negombo, April 1, 1924. Auctioneers.

### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Heenkenda Mudiannelage Loku Banda. . . . . Plaintiff.

No. 31,044. Vs.

Duggannarallagegedera Keerala and another. Defendants.

UNDER decree in the above case and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the amounts therein stated, we shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, April 26, 1924, the following property belonging to the 1st defendant, to wit:—

At 2 P.M.

1. Galagawakumbura of 8 lahags in paddy sowing or now of 12 lahags in paddy sowing extent, situate at Harasgama, which is now known as Nekettakotuwegagalagawakumbura; containing in extent 1 rood and 30 perches according to the plan made by Mr. S. S. Kandasamy, Surveyor.

On the same Day at 3 P.M.

2. Gederawatta of about 4 nellies in kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Harasgama aforesaid.

3. Nitulgahakotuwa of about 2 nellies in kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Harasgama aforesaid. The second and third lands adjoin each other, now known as Gederawatta; contain in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 2 perches according to the plan made by Mr. S. S. Kandasamy, Surveyor, together with the buildings, plantations, and everything thereon.

The purchaser shall immediately after the sale pay one-fourth of the purchase amount, auctioneer's commission, and other expenses of sale.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Weerasuriya & Wijenayake, Proctors, Kandy, or to—

B. R. PERERA & Co.,

Auctioneers, Matale.

### Sale Under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 20,626, D. C., Galle, in favour of Apa Lina Rawanna Mana Ramanathan Chetty of Galle, against Malliyawadu Appu Sinno de Silva of Telwatta and the order to sell issued therein, I shall sell by public auction at the spot on May 3, 1924, at 2 P.M., the following declared bound and executable for the recovery of Rs. 685.70, with interest at 9 per cent. per annum from July 13, 1923, costs of suit:—

All that undivided  $\frac{2}{20}$  parts of the soil and of the trees, exclusive of those trees belonging to the planter's share of the third plantation of the land Maradanawatta, together with the 15 cubits boutique consisting of 2 rooms built, adjoining the high road on the said land, situate at Telwatta in Wellaboda pattu of Galle; in extent about 1 acre and 15 perches.

CHAS. W. GOONASEKERA,

Galle, April 1, 1924. Auctioneer.

**Sale by Auction under Partition Decree.**

In the District Court of Galle.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in partition case No. 20,222 of the District Court of Galle, I shall sell on Saturday, May 7, 1924, commencing at 3 P.M. at the spot:—

The land called Ponnamiarakkalgederawatta, situated at Goddena in Wellaboda pattu of Galle District; and bounded on the north by Wellalagewatta *alias* Walawvewatta, east by wela, south by Pahalawatta *alias* Adderawatta, and west by Liyanagewatta; and containing in extent 2 roods and 22.50 perches as per plan No. 300, made by Mr. W. V. Gunawardane, Surveyor, and filed of record in the said case,

The said land will be sold in 5 lots as follows:—

Lots 1 and 2 together.	Lots 7, 8, and 9 together
Lots 3 and 10 together.	Lots 11 to 16 together.
Lots, 3, 5, and 6 together.	

The sale will take place first among the co-owners at the appraised value and, if not bidden for or purchased by any one of them, the said premises will immediately thereafter be sold among the public.

W. KODIKARA,  
Ambalangoda. Licensed Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale of Land at Vannarponnai East, in the District of Jaffna.**

UNDER decree in case No. 18,574, D. C., Jaffna, entered in favour of the plaintiff Sithamparapillai Vaitilngam of Vannarponnai East, against the defendant Swaminathan Seganambo of Vannarponnai East, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned land by public auction on Saturday, April 26, 1924, at 3 P.M. at the spot:—

All that piece of land situated at Vannarponnai East, Jaffna, called and known as Kampavayal; containing in extent 22½ lachams p. c., together with well, house, that is being built, cultivated and spontaneous plants, and all other appurtenances belonging thereto; and bounded on the east by the property of Kannamma, widow of Theagarajah, on the north by the property of Sivakuru Theagarajah, on the west by the property of Thamboo Retnam and wife Parupathipillai, and by water channel, and on the south by road.

District Court,  
Jaffna, April 1, 1924.

B. EMMANUEL,  
Commissioner.

**Auction-Sale.**

Land at Vannarponnai East, in the District of Jaffna.

UNDER decree in case No. 18,032, D. C., Jaffna, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Dr. Issac Thiagarajah Kunaratnam of Mannar, against the defendants, Nannitambiyar, Suppiah Rajah, and another of Pulianativu in Batticaloa, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned land by public auction on Saturday, May 10, 1924, at 5 P.M. at the spot:—

Land situated at Vannarponnai East, called Vanchippulam and Kallanpuliady; in extent 15 lachams varagu culture and 13½ kulies with house, well, and cultivated and spontaneous plants; and bounded on the east by the property of Arumugam Ayampillai and wife Nagamuttu, and on the north by the property of Arumugam Ampalavaner and Chellam, widow of Alfred; on the west by the property of Chellam, widow of Alfred, Ramasy, widow of Elladdy, Ledchumy, wife of Karthy, and the heirs of the late Chellam, widow of Solomon; and on the south by the property of the heirs of the late T. M. Tampu, Kathirasipillai, widow of Kathiravelu, and Arumugam Ayampillai, and wife Nagamuttu. The whole hereof.

District Court,  
Jaffna, March 25/28, 1924.

K. SIVAPRAGASAM,  
Commissioner.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

In the District Court of Trincomalee.

Class IV, No. 1,025.

(1) Tungamma, widow of Kathirhamatamby Nagaratnapillai of Trincomalee, presently of Colombo, (2) Nagaratnapillai Krishnadasan, (3) Nagaratnapillai Sangaradasan, by their next friend Tangamma, widow of Kathirhamatamby Nagaratnapillai afore-said ..... Plaintiffs.

Vs.

Kaddaithamby Sathaku Lebbe of Pereyakinia. Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of a decree entered in the above case on February 18, 1924, made absolute on February 25, 1924, and a commission issued to me thereunder on March 11, 1924, I shall put up for sale by public auction at the Village Tribunal Court at Tamblegam, commencing at 3 P.M. on Saturday, April 26, 1924, the following properties subject to condition which will be read out at the sale:—

**PROPERTIES REFERRED TO:**

(1) A field called Peenkanudaichakadu bearing lot No. 18 described in P. P. 4,908, and situated at Tamblegam in Tamblegam pattu, Trincomalee District, Eastern Province; bounded on the north by lot No. 17 in P. P. 4,908, on the east by lot No. 12 in P. P. 4,908, on the south and west by Crown land; containing in extent 2 acres and 33 perches.

(2) A piece of land called Katheriadaipanchenai bearing lot No. 2501 described in P. P. 4,644, and situated at Periyakinia in Tamblegampattu, Trincomalee District, Eastern Province; bounded on the north by Crown land, on the east by lands bearing lot Nos. 2500 and 2502 in P. P. 4,644 and Crown land, on the south by lot No. 2502 in P. P. 4,644, and on the west by Crown land; containing in extent 4 acres 1 rood and 23 perches.

(3) A field called Peenkanudaichakadu bearing lot No. 19 in P. P. 4,908, and situated at Tamblegam pattu, Trincomalee District, Eastern Province; bounded on the north by lot No. 20 in P. P. 4,908 reserved along the river, on the east by lot No. 13 in P. P. 4,908, on the south by lot No. 18 described in P. P. 4,908 and Crown land, on the west by lot No. 24 in P. P. 4,908; containing in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 39 perches.

(4) An undivided ½ share of a piece of field called Thilayadivayal, and situated at Sampanthuraiveli in Tamblegam pattu, Trincomalee District, Eastern province; bounded on the east by the land of Suppar Murugappar and water-course, on the north by the land of V. Vairamuttu and others, on the west by the land of S. Seeniamma, on the south by the land of Umayathapillai, widow of Suppa Udayar; containing in extent 7 acres 2 roods and 9 perches.

N.B.—Intending purchasers may inspect the lands before the date of sale.

M. SUBRAMANIAM,  
Trincomalee, March 24, 1924. Commissioner.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

(1) S. P. A. V. Kannappa Chetty by attorney Ana Lana Wellasamy, (2) S. P. A. V. Angamalay Chetty by attorney M. Dharmalingam Pulla, both of Kurunegala ..... Plaintiffs.

No. 9,142.

Vs.

(1) Meeyanna Mura Ummasali Umma, (2) Thana Nana Kader Saibo, Police Officer, (3) Abdul Majeed, all of Potuhera ..... Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of decree entered in the above case and by virtue of order issued to me for the recovery of the amount stated therein, I shall sell by public auction the following property herein below declared bound and executable under the said decree on Friday, April 25, 1924, commencing at 4 P.M., on the first land herein below:—

1. An undivided 7/64 shares of Indigollehena, now garden of 2 acres and 2 roods.

2. An undivided 21/256 shares of Gaala and adjoining Pahalakotuwekumbura of 2 seers kurakkan sowing.

3. An undivided 7/256 shares of Pitiyekumburepillewa of 1 seer kurakkan sowing.

4. Siyambalagahamulawatta of  $\frac{1}{2}$  seer kurakkan sowing, an allotment of Bulugahamulawatta separated by the rail road.

5. Hitinagederawatta of 1 seer kurakkan, Hitinawatta of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  seer kurakkan, a  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of Godakumbura of 15 lahas paddy, thereto adjoining pillewa of 4 seers kurakkan, Kosgahamulahena of 2 seers kurakkan, Bulugahamulawatta alias Kadewatta of 3 lahas kurakkan, these contiguous lands now forming one property called Bangalawatta of 5 acres 1 rood and 31 perches in extent; all situate at Potuhera in Udapola Medalassa korale, together with all the plantations and buildings appertaining all the aforesaid lands.

Further particulars from me :

T. B. AMUNUGAMA,  
Kurugala, March 23, 1924. Licensed Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Chilaw, No. 7,300.**

IN virtue of the decree entered in favour of Weerawarnakulasuriya Busabaddage Girigoris Fernando of Katuneria and by virtue of the commission issued to me, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, April 26, 1924, at the spot at 1.30 P.M., the following property for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree :—

The divided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of all plantations and soil and all things appertaining thereto of the divided portion from the land bearing No. 103,417, situate at Lunuwila in Otara palata, in the Chilaw District; and bounded on the north by the remaining portion of this land belonging to Paulis Perera, east by high road and south and west by the land belonging to R. M. Kandappuhamy; containing in extent 1 acre and 3 roods.

S. P. ABEYAKOON,  
Chilaw, March 28, 1924. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Chilaw, No. 7,301.**

IN virtue of the decree entered in favour of Weerawarnakulasuriya Busabaddage Girigoris Fernando of Katuneria and by virtue of the commission issued to me, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, April 26, 1924, at the spot, commencing at 2 P.M., the following property for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree :

(a) Undivided 3/7 shares of the plantations, soil, and buildings, including the life interest of the western divided portion belonging to the 1st defendant of the land bearing No. 2,460, situate at Dematapitiya in Meda palata, Chilaw District; and bounded on the north by land mentioned in plan No. 103,452, east by a portion of this land belonging to Manel Appu, south by road, and on the west by land appearing in plan No. 103,435; containing in extent 1 acre.

(b) Undivided 3/7 shares of the plantations, soil, and buildings, including the life interest of the whole land belonging to the 1st defendant of the land bearing No. 2,459, situate at Demete at Dematapitiya; and bounded on the north by a road, east by a canal bank, south by lands mentioned in plans Nos. 13,408 and 103,434, and west by land appearing in plan No. 103,435; containing in extent 1 acre.

(c) Undivided 10/14 shares of all plantations and soil of the divided portion of the land called Galowita bearing letter P and figure 107, situate at Dematapitiya; and bounded on the north by land appearing in plan No. 103,452, east by a portion of this land belonging to the defendants and others, south by a portion of this land belonging to Velappu, and west by land mentioned in plan No. 103,447; containing about 25 coconut trees plantable soil.

(d) Undivided 10/14 shares of all plantations and soil of the divided portion of land called Meegahawatta, situate at Dematapitiya; and bounded on the north by land appearing in plan No. 103,420, east by a portion of this land belonging to Thepanis Appuhamy, south by a portion of this land belonging to Lewis Appuhamy, and west by road now formed for separating the lands appearing in plan Nos. 103,421 and 103,430; containing in extent 1 acre and 1 rood.

S. P. ABEYAKOON,  
Chilaw, March 28, 1924. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree**

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Mena Pana Suna Palaniappa Chetty by his attorney  
Mena Pana Suna Udayappa Chetty of Puttalam. Plaintiff.

No. 3,602. Vs.

Seynadeen Maraikar Naina Mohamado Maraikar alias  
Sego Mohiedin Abdul Rahiman Maraikar  
Teli ..... Defendant.

BY virtue of the order that has been directed to me by the District Court of Puttalam in the above case, I hereby give notice that I will put up for sale by public auction, the following properties on the date and at the hour mentioned below, at the spot :—

April 15, 1924, at 10 A.M.

(a) Boundaries of the garden called Peernadutotam or Maduwadytotam, situate at Teli in Akkarai pattu in Kalpitiya division, in Puttalam District; containing in extent about 4 acres and bounded on the north by land belonging to Levvai Kanian's heirs and others, east by the land belonging to Kothuba Pallivasal (Mosque), south by land belonging to Sinna Marikar Seynadeen Marikar, and west by path and garden belonging to the heirs of Levvai Kanian; the land and the coconut trees and other things within these boundaries.

April 15, 1924, at 10.15 A.M.

(b) Boundaries of the coconut garden called Idroos Lebbe Kudiyurundatotam, situate at Teli aforesaid; and containing in extent about 1 acre, are on the north by the garden called Muduthennaitotam belonging to S. M. Sellathamby Maraikar and others, east by the bund of the field belonging to Kader Meera Saibo, south by the garden belonging to I. Naina Mohamado Lebbe, and west by garden belonging to Sena Muna Sellathamby Maraikar and others and path; an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land, coconut trees, and other things within these boundaries.

April 15, 1924, at 10.30 A.M.

(c) Boundaries of the garden called Kalmottaitotam, situate at Katkuda in Teli aforesaid; containing in extent about 500 acres, are on the north and east by lake, south by garden belonging to Mohamad Meera Lebbe Kader Saibo Maraikar and others, and west by sand mound; out of the land and coconut trees within these boundaries, excluding the coconut trees for the planter's share an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the remaining trees and soil.

April 15, 1924, at 10.45 A.M.

(d) Boundaries of the portion of land called Veedovalavukany, situate at Teli aforesaid; measuring in extent 44 yards from north to south and 17 yards from east to west, are on the north by garden belonging to Tana Muna Sena Sego Mohideen Abdul Rahiman and others, east by garden belonging to S. M. Sellathamby Maraikar and others, south by the garden belonging to the heirs of Pathumuttu Natchia, and west by the ridge wall of the house in which Alliar Maraikar resides. The land within these boundaries and the house, well, and other things belonging thereto.

April 15, 1924, at 11 A.M.

(e) Boundaries of the garden called Thadipitchay Undupanniatotam, situate at Kurinjimottai in the aforesaid pattu; containing in extent about 4 acres, are on the north by garden belonging to the heirs of Aseikali Saibo and others, east and west by garden belonging to M. Assen Meera Lebbe and others, and south by garden belonging to the heirs of S. M. Mohamado Meera Lebbe Maraikar and others; an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land, coconut trees, and other things within these boundaries.

April 15, 1924, at 12 NOON.

(f) Boundaries of the garden called Kattapitchaytotam, situate at Thannirkuda in the aforesaid pattu; containing in extent about 5 acres, are on the north by the under-mentioned Mundiriyaditotam, east by garden belonging to Assana Marikar and others, and Karukkuwathi tree, south by land belonging to Sinnathamby and others, and west by garden belonging to the heirs of Seyado Lebbe and others; an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land, coconut trees, and other things within these boundaries.

April 16, 1924, at 10 A.M.

(g) Boundaries of the garden called Mundiriyaditotam, situate at Thannirkuda aforesaid, are on the north by garden belonging to Kader Mohideen and others, east by land belonging to Sinnathamby, south by the above-mentioned Kattapitchetotam, and west by lane; an undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land, coconut trees, and other things within these boundaries.

April 16, 1924, at 10.30 A.M.

(h) Boundaries of the garden called Panamtotam, situate at Thannirkuda, aforesaid; containing in extent about  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre, are on the north, south, and west by land belonging to Sena Segona Lebbe, and east by lane; an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land, coconut trees, and other things within these boundaries.

April 16, 1924, at 10.45 A.M.

(i) Boundaries of the portion of land forming a part of Veetadytotam, situate at Teli aforesaid; and containing in extent about  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre, are on the north by path, east by garden belonging to Muna Ana Muna Wawa Saibo Lebbe,

south by land belonging to the heirs of S. M. Mohamado Meera Lebbe, and west by garden belonging to Assan Kudus. The land within these boundaries and all things belonging thereto.

April 16, 1924, at 11 A.M.

(j) Boundaries of the garden called Alaiyaditotam, situate at Peemadu in Teli aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 acres, are on the north by land belonging to the heirs of Muna Sinna Maraikar and others, east by garden belonging to Muna Sinna Maraikar, and the tree called Thettamaram, south by garden belonging to Mohallam Assan Mohideen Wawa Saibo Lebbe and others, and west by garden belonging to Sena Muna Sellathamby Maraikar and others. The land containing within these boundaries and other things belonging thereto and all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said defendant in, to, upon, or out of the said several premises.

P. M. M. KADER SAIBO MARAIKAR,  
Puttalam, March 17, 1924. Auctioneer.

## NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1924"

### Toddy Rents, Matale District, 1924-25.

NOTICE is hereby given that the privilege of selling fermented toddy by retail in the areas specified in the schedule below for the period of 12 months from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, will be put up for sale by public auction at the Matale Kachcheri, on Friday, April 25, 1924, at 1 P.M.

Conditions of sale can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Matale, or from the Ratemahatmayas of the respective divisions.

Intending purchasers of toddy rents are being informed that, save in exceptional circumstances, no trees will be licensed in areas in which there are no taverns.

The Kachcheri, T. A. HODSON,  
Matale, March 29, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

#### SCHEDULE.

No.	Division.	Locality or Range.
Within the limits of—		
1	Matale North	Ambokka and Millawana wasamas
2	Do.	Akuramboda wasama
3	Matale South	Udasgiriya wasama
4	Do.	Gammulla wasama
5	Do.	Dullewa wasama
6	Do.	Galwadukumbura wasama
7	Do.	Udugama wasama
8	Do.	Within the Urban District Council limits of Matale Town
9	Do.	Tenne wasama
10	Do.	Wariyapola wasama
11	Do.	Ukuwela wasama
12	Do.	Bandarapola and Ulpotapitiya wasamas
13	Do.	Palle Hapuwida and Muwandeniya wasamas
14	Do.	Udangamuwa and Imbulpitiya wasamas
15	Matale East	Within the Sanitary Board limits of Rattota Town
16	Do.	Within the limits of Maussagolla wasamas
17	Do.	Pallegama wasama
18	Do.	Weragama wasama
19	Do.	Etanwela wasama

### Sale of Toddy Rents, 1924-25.

SEALED tenders will be received at the Kurunegala Kachcheri by the Government Agent, North-Western Province, till 1 P.M. on May 14, 1924, for the

purchase of the exclusive privilege of selling fermented toddy by retail in the areas specified in the schedule below for the period of 12 months from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925, subject to the Toddy Rent Sale Conditions.

2. A separate tender should be sent in for each toddy tavern.

3. No tender will be considered unless the person making such tender be present in person at 1 P.M. on May 14, 1924. A tender may be sent in by post, but the envelope must be sealed and superscribed "Toddy Rent Tender" in red ink.

4. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders, and of putting up immediately to public auction, such taverns for which no satisfactory tenders have been received.

5. The successful tenderer shall, immediately on being declared the grantee, sign the Conditions of Sale, and pay to the Government Agent a sum equivalent to two months' rent of the privilege as a security deposit, which amount shall be liable to forfeiture, in whole or in part, at the discretion of the Government Agent, for breach of any of the Toddy Rent Sale Conditions; and such forfeiture shall be in addition to any other penalty prescribed by the conditions for such breach. The grantee shall hypothecate the said security deposit by a bond in form Excise T 23 within fourteen days of sale of the privilege.

6. Further information can be obtained on application from the Kurunegala Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri, F. G. TYRRELL,  
Kurunegala, March 26, 1924. Government Agent.

No. of Tavern.	Schedule referred to.	
	Division.	Locality or Range.
Within the village of—		
1	Katugampola hatpattu	Karaula
2	Do.	Eriyagolla
3	Do.	Halpane
4	Dambadeni hatpattu	Hatalispahuwa
5	Do.	Potuhera
6	Do.	Mailla
7	Do.	Wadawa
8	Do.	Pambadeniya
9	Do.	Paramaulla
10	Weudawili hatpattu	Indulgodakanda
11	Do.	Udamarakada
12	Do.	Kitulgolladunumawa
13	Do.	Rambodagalla
14	Local Board, Kurunegala	Kurunegala town



## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages which have been lying at Messrs. The Ceylon Wharfage Company's premises beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, May 6, 1924, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, May 9, 1924 :—

## B I WAREHOUSE.

Number.	Date of Entry, 1923.	Ship.	Marks and Number.	Number of Packages and Description of Goods.
F 598	Sept. 8	ss. Celebes Maru	O T C in a diamond, \$ 1 outside..	1 case merchandise
F 1,659	Sept. 20	ss. Madura	A P in a diamond \$ 8/9 outside..	2 cases merchandise
F 2,607	Sept. 29	ss. Wakasa Maru	T Bros in a rectangle, \$ 1 outside	1 case merchandise
F 1,357	Oct. 15	ss. Argun Maru	T M in a triangle, \$ 1/2 outside..	2 bundles merchandise
F 1,358	Oct. 15	ss. Argun Maru	Y B upon S in a circle	1 case merchandise
F 1,359	Oct. 15	ss. Argun Maru	Akberally Esmail & Bros 4th Cross street	1 parcel merchandise
F 1,368	Oct. 15	ss. Gloucestershire	B L M H \$ 1/6 upon 62 in a diamond	6 casks merchandise
F 1,395	Oct. 15	ss. Wartenfels	378 in a diamond, A A N B outside	3 cases merchandise
F 2,540	Oct. 26	ss. Moldavia	\$ 30527/1-3 upon D. Douglas Scott, care of Thos. Cook & Son	2 cases merchandise
F 586	Nov. 6	ss. Merkara	C upon MMM in a diamond, \$ 2991 outside	1 case merchandise
F 2,056	Nov. 21	ss. Dumana	M Ltd or ML upon nil	5 rods iron
F 2,057	Nov. 21	ss. Merkara	K. L. Knight	1 case merchandise
F 2,412	Nov. 27	ss. Esperance Bay	C. D. Armstrong Cey. Motor Tourist Agency, Grand Oriental Hotel, Colombo	1 case merchandise

## T I WAREHOUSE.

—	—	ss. Perwa	Nil	1 bale fibre
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## No. 9 WAREHOUSE.

—	—	—	Nil	1 bundle flat iron
—	—	—	Nil	1 bundle hoop iron
—	—	—	Nil	1 coil hoop iron
—	—	—	Nil	1 roll wire netting
—	—	—	Nil	2 bundles tea shooks

## CASK WAREHOUSE.

—	—	ss. Clan Sinclair	S H	1 bundle galvanized tubes (loose)
—	—	ss. Novara	Nil	6 steam tubes
—	—	ss. Nagoya	E C F H	1 joist
—	—	ss. Clan Macindoe	C A H	2 steam pipes
—	—	ss. Malakand	Hunter in a rectangle	1 empty cask
—	—	ss. Clan Maciver	Achary	2 bundles galvanized tubes
—	—	ss. Matheson	Nil	1 bundle tea shooks
—	—	—	Hoare	1 bar round iron
—	—	—	Nil	2 bars T iron
—	—	—	Nil	1 bar angle iron

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924.

B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
for Principal Collector.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying at Indian Goods Shed, Maradana beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, May 16, 1924 :—

Invoice No.	Shipper.	From	To	Description.
9 of December 8, 1923	Madura Co.	Dhanushkodi	Colombo	2 bundles timber

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
for Principal Collector.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying in No. 15 Warehouse beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, May 27, 1924, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, May 30, 1924 :—

No.	Vessel.	Date of Landing.	Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
1924.				
56 ..	ss. Gandara	Jan. 24 ..	National Bank J C A L S P D. Reid & Co. H. C. C. Co. Gibbon & Co. Mackwoods, Ltd. H. R. H. P. Mohamed	2 parcels sugar samples 2 do. 1 parcel sugar sample 3 parcel sugar samples 2 do. 2 do. 1 parcel sugar sample
58 ..	ss. Jalavihar	Jan. 24 ..	Nil	1 bag grain
67 ..	ss. Clan Mackellar	Jan. 31 ..	Nil	5 bars flat iron
71 ..	ss. Gharinda	Jan. 26 ..	Various	2 bags grain
72 ..	ss. Lady McCallum	Jan. 24 ..	Nil	1 bag grain
77 ..	ss. Mulbera	Jan. 28 ..	Nil	1 keg red composition
83 ..	ss. Lepanto	Feb. 11 ..	A K	3 bags dhall
84 ..	ss. Skuld	Feb. 11 ..	E R H upon a triangle	1 case electrical goods
86 ..	ss. Trantenfels	Feb. 15 ..	O C L W M A J Nil	2 sheets iron 1 sheet iron 11 bars iron
87 ..	ss. Jalaputra	Jan. 28 ..	Nil or various	3 bags grain
89 ..	ss. Clan Ogilvy	Jan. 20 ..	A M M I in a diamond Nil Nil E P C or nil	3 cart brushes 5 pieces castings 1 steel plate 7 bundles hoop iron
90 ..	ss. Baroda	Feb. 18 ..	M S V or nil	1 bag dhall
91 ..	ss. Duranda	Feb. 8 ..	C C C	1 cask cement
1923.				
92 ..	ss. Rosandra	Jan. 16 ..	A J	1 case wearing apparel
1924				
93 ..	ss. Wildenfels	Jan. 30 ..	nil.	2 bundles iron
94 ..	ss. Venezia	Feb. 14 ..	818 in a diamond, V B outside S in a diamond, G T C M S outside C/204 in a diamond, F B C B outside	12 jars acid (empty) 1 case merchandise 15 jars acid (empty)
1923.				
95 ..	ss. Legaspi	Sept. 27 ..	A B upon Q	1 pipe wine
1924.				
96 ..	ss. Kyber	Feb. 10 ..	K M M S	1 case milk (empty)
97 ..	Unknown	—	Nil	2 bags sweepings
1923.				
106 ..	ss. Andijk	Dec. 19 ..	T upon H B, and C below	2 cases milk (empty)
1924.				
107 ..	ss. Modasa	Feb. 15 ..	2993 in a diamond A R A H outside	2 boxes apples (empty)
108 ..	Unknown	—	Nil	6 bundles hoop iron
111 ..	Unknown	—	Nil	1 bale coir rope
115 ..	ss. Trantenfels	Feb. 15 ..	W or Nil	23 bags manure
116 ..	ss. Venezia	Feb. 15 ..	D S C upon 823 in a diamond	5 carboys acetic acid (broken)

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

B. P. DE GLANVILLE,  
for Principal Collector.

Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the  
different Ports of Ceylon during the Week  
ended March 29, 1924.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.	Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	.. Akyab	.. 3,140	Kayts	.. Adirampatam	.. 439
Do.	.. Bombay	.. 44	Galle	.. Calcutta	.. 15,723
Do.	.. Calcutta	.. 25,991	Do.	.. Cocanada	.. 1,400
Do.	.. Karachi	.. 210	Valvedditurai	.. Akyab	.. 45
Do.	.. Rangoon	.. 14,392	Talaimannar	.. Negapatam	.. 85
Do.	.. Dhanushkodi	.. 8,734	Other Ports	.. Nil	.. Nil
Trincomalee	.. Negapatam	.. 501	(2,919 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)		

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
for Principal Collector.

## UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.—REGULATIONS FOR MATRICULATION.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

The attention of all students who matriculate is directed to the following extract from Statute No. 120 :—

"No student shall be admitted to the Final Examination for a degree until the expiration of at least three years after Matriculation, unless the Senate in special cases or special classes of cases otherwise determine."

## MATRICULATION.

Candidates for any Degree in this University, unless admitted under Statute 113\* or 113A,\* must become matriculated students at least three years before entry to the Final Examination for a First Degree.†

Note.—In order to become a matriculated student, a candidate must pass either one of the three examinations conducted by the University, viz. : (1) The ordinary Matriculation Examination, (2) the General School Examination, (3) the examination under Statute 116\* ; or one of the examinations conducted by other bodies, which is accepted by the University in lieu of the Matriculation Examination. For the General School Examination, the examination under Statute 116, and the examinations on which total exemption is granted, the relevant regulations must be consulted in each case.

Students admitted under Statute 113, or under Statute 116, in virtue of an examination conducted by another body, must pay a registration fee of £3. 3s. to the appropriate Registrar.

The Matriculation Examination and all other examinations of the University are open to men and women.

There shall be two examinations at Ceylon centres—Colombo and Jaffna—for matriculation in each year, one commencing on the second Monday‡ in January, and the other on the first Monday‡ in June.

The dates of closing entries are as follows :—

For January examination	..	July 31
For June examination	..	December 31

Each form of entry (whether first entry or re-entry) must be forwarded so as to reach the Education Office not later than the dates specified above, and with it in the same cover must be sent (1) certificate of age showing that the candidate will have completed his sixteenth year on or before January 14 for the January examination, or on or before July 31 for the June examination; (2) a certificate of good conduct taken not more than six months previously; and (3) a bank receipt for the fees, which should be credited to the account of the Director of Education in the Mercantile Bank of India, Limited, Colombo.

Those offering a special language other than Sinhalese or Tamil, or Geology, or Zoology must apply seven calendar months before the month of the examination, i.e., before May 31 for the January examination, or before October 31 for the June examination.

All entry forms received at the Education Office not accompanied by the proper bank receipt and other necessary documents or after the dates specified above will be rejected.

Those who enter for the examination as private candidates should forward with their applications for admission to the examination a certificate from their private tutors, stating their qualifications, and whether they have a reasonable chance of passing the examination.

Every candidate entering for the Matriculation Examination must pay a fee of Rs. 45-50. If a candidate withdraws his name before the last day assigned for the closing of entries the fee shall be returned to him. If he fails to present himself at a January examination he shall be permitted to enter for the June examination of that year, if he fails to present himself at a June examination, he shall be permitted to enter for the January examination of the following year on payment of a fee of Rs. 22|| in each case. If he retires after the commencement of the examination, or fails to pass it, the full fee shall be payable upon every re-entry.

Candidates who desire to re-enter must obtain fresh entry forms and forward them duly filled up so as to reach this office by the dates specified above.

\* See Appendices, page 891.

† The Medical and Surgical Degrees of this University are registrable qualifications, and it is not necessary for Students to register as Medical Students in order to qualify for the examinations for these degrees. Compliance with the University Regulations is sufficient. For the diplomas of certain other licensing bodies, however, registration as a Medical Student by the General Medical Council is a necessary preliminary: particulars may be obtained from the Registrar to the General Medical Council, 44, Hallam street, Portland place, W.1.

‡ In and after January, 1925, the examination will begin not on a Monday, but on the Tuesday following the date prescribed in these Regulations.

§ The fee should not under any circumstances be remitted direct to this office or to the University; only bank receipts will be accepted.

|| This concession can, in no case, be extended to any subsequent examination.

¶ Candidates, as a rule, may be examined only for supplementary certificates in the subjects set out in the Regulations. For information whether a supplementary examination in any optional language can be held or not, application should be made to the Director of Education.

Except in accordance with the conditions of the paragraph next following, matriculated students are not permitted to take the Matriculation Examination as a whole; but any matriculated student may enter for the Matriculation Examination with a view to passing in one or more supplementary subjects¶. The fee payable is Rs. 22 for each subject, in addition to any special fee payable. Every such candidate must apply by the date specified in respect of the Matriculation Examination for a form of entry for the Matriculation Supplementary Certificate\*\*.

For the purpose of competing for Scholarships or Exhibitions awarded otherwise than by the University, matriculated students may be admitted to the Matriculation Examination; but the results of such re-examination will be communicated only to the body making the award; the names of successful candidates will not appear on the Pass List, and no certificates will be awarded to them.

The examination shall be conducted by means of printed papers; but, for the purpose of ascertaining the competence of a candidate to pass, the Examiners may test the candidate by means of *vivd voce* questions.

No candidate shall pass the examination unless he shall at one and the same examination satisfy the Examiners as to his competence in each of the following five†† subjects, selected according to the details specified under each of the several heads :—

## COMPULSORY SUBJECTS FOR ALL CANDIDATES.

- (1) English. Two papers covering three hours.
- (2) Elementary Mathematics. Two papers of three hours each.

## OPTIONAL SUBJECTS TO BE SELECTED BY THE CANDIDATE.

- (3) Latin,\*\* or Greek,\*\* or Botany, or Chemistry, or Heat Light, and Sound, or Mechanics, or Electricity and Magnetism. One paper of three hours in the subject selected.
- (4) and (5) Two of the following subjects, neither of which has already been taken under section (3). One paper of three hours in each subject. If neither Latin nor Greek has been taken under section (3), one of the other subjects selected must be a language other than English :—

Latin.\*\*  
Greek.\*\*  
French.  
German.  
Italian.  
Russian.  
Spanish.  
Welsh.

Either Ancient History or English History or Modern European History.

Physical and General Geography.

Logic.

Geometrical and Mechanical Drawing.

Mathematics (more advanced).

Mechanics.

Chemistry.

Heat, Light, and Sound.

Electricity and Magnetism.

Botany.††

Zoology.§§

Geology.§§

Instead of one of the languages mentioned under headings (4) and (5) above, a candidate may take another language||| provided the same shall have been approved by the University. Every candidate who desires to take a special language other than Sinhalese or Tamil under this Regulation must fill in and return seven months before the commencement of the examination for which he intends to enter a form of application which may be obtained from the Education Office. An additional fee|||

\*\* In as much Latin or Greek is compulsory at the Intermediate Examination in Arts, candidates proposing to enter for that examination are advised to take Latin or Greek at the Matriculation Examination.

†† Not more than five subjects may be offered.

‡‡ In this examination special stress is laid on competence in Drawing.

§§ Candidates for examination in these subjects must give notice and pay their fee at least two months before the date fixed for sending in entries for ordinary subjects.

||| The special languages accepted by the University are Portuguese, Modern Dutch, Arabic, Sanskrit, Hebrew, Chinese, Burmese, Gaelic (Irish, Scotch, or Welsh), Hindustani, Persian, Tamil, Urdu, Siamese, Yoruba, Sinhalese, Malayalam, Pali, and Swahili.

No extra fee is charged for Sinhalese and Tamil.

The extra fee per candidate is Rs. 16 in the case of Hebrew and Rs. 31-50 in the case of any other of the special languages except Siamese, Yoruba, Malayalam, and Pali for which the rates of extra fees are as follows :—

If one candidate offers the subject, the extra fee payable shall be Rs. 126.

If two candidates offer the subject, the extra fee payable shall be Rs. 63.

If three candidates offer the subject, the extra fee payable shall be Rs. 47-25.

If four or more candidates offer the subject, the extra fee payable shall be Rs. 31-50.

is payable in respect of every special language other than Sinhalese or Tamil taken under this Regulation, and such fee is not returnable in any circumstances. When applying for the form referred to, candidates should state (i.) the date upon which they propose to enter for the Matriculation Examination, and (ii.) the remaining optional subjects selected by them.

The following are the particulars of the foregoing subjects of examination:—

#### I.—ENGLISH.

The Examination in English will consist of two papers covering three hours, and will include—

- (a) A subject for an essay to be chosen by each candidate from several subjects set. Those proposed may include some having reference to Geography and History, and some involving an acquaintance with English Authors, as well as more abstract subjects, the main object being to test power of expression, thought, and arrangement, general reading, and knowledge.
- (b) Questions testing knowledge and command of English. These may include questions on précis writing, paraphrase, and analysis of sentences.
- (c) Questions testing general reading and knowledge of English books.

Candidates are expected to devote to the essay at least one hour, after the expiry of which they will be supplied with the Second Paper.

#### II.—ELEMENTARY MATHEMATICS.\*

There will be two papers: one in Arithmetic and Algebra and the other in Geometry.

*Arithmetic.*—Elementary principles and processes of Arithmetic. The principles of vulgar and decimal fractions (excluding recurring decimals).

Knowledge and use of the tables required, both in the English and Metric System for the measurement of length, area, volume, capacity, weight, and time.

Mensuration of the rectangle, parallelogram, triangle, and trapezium. (*Note.*—Questions on these may be such as will involve the application of Algebra and Geometry.)

Averages, Ratio, Proportion, Percentages.

Practical applications of Arithmetic.

Great importance will be attached to correct working. The use of Logarithms\* is allowed except in questions where they are expressly forbidden.

*Algebra.*—The fundamental processes of Algebra

Symbolical expression of general results in Arithmetic.

Interpretation and evaluation of Formulæ. Changing the subject of a Formula.

Factors of expressions of simple types.

Equations of the first and second degree containing one unknown quantity. Simultaneous equations of the first degree, and two simultaneous equations of which one is of the first degree and the other of the second degree.

Easy examples in fractions.

Graphs of simple algebraic functions with easy applications.

Simple questions on fractional and negative indices (formal proofs not being required).

Use of logarithms to the base 10.\*

Arithmetic and Geometric Series.

Application of Algebra to the solution of problems.

*Geometry.*—The subjects of Euclid I.—IV., with simple deductions, including easy loci and the areas of triangles and parallelograms of which the bases and altitudes are given commensurable lengths.

Euclid's proofs will not be insisted on, but all proofs of geometrical theorems must be geometrical. The use of properties of similar figures will be allowed.

#### III.—OPTIONAL LANGUAGES.

*Latin.*—The paper shall contain passages to be translated into English from Latin books not previously prescribed, together with questions on Grammar and simple and easy sentences of English to be translated into Latin.†

*Greek.*—The paper shall contain passages to be translated into English from Greek books not previously prescribed, together with questions on Grammar and simple and easy sentences of English to be translated into Greek.‡

*French or German.*—The paper shall contain (1) passages for translation from the language, (2) a fairly easy and a more difficult passage for translation into, and a fairly easy and a more difficult subject for free composition in, the language, candidates being allowed the option of doing either the more easy translation and the more difficult free composition, or the more difficult translation and the more easy free composition.

*Other Modern European Languages.*§—The paper in any other Modern European Language approved for the Matriculation Examination shall be drawn up as nearly as may be practicable in conformity with the following syllabus:—

The paper shall contain (1) an easy passage or easy passages for translation from the language in question, (2) a fairly easy and a more difficult passage for translation into, and a fairly easy and a more difficult subject for free composition in, the language in question, candidates being allowed the option of doing either the more easy translation and the more difficult free composition, or the more difficult translation and the more easy free composition.

*Oriental Languages (including Hebrew).*§—The paper in any Oriental Language, including Hebrew, approved for the Matriculation Examination, shall be drawn up as nearly as may be practicable in conformity with the following syllabus:—

The paper shall contain (1) an easy passage or easy passages for translation from the language in question; (2) an easy piece for translation into the language in question, or as an alternative an essay of a simple character to be written in the language in question; (3) questions on Grammar, limited to Accidence and Elementary Syntax.

Candidates will be required to satisfy the Examiners in each of the three sections of the syllabus. Candidates offering Modern Hebrew are required to use the Square Script, but are permitted to make use of Hebrew grammatical terminology where English terminology is difficult of application.

#### IV.—HISTORY.

The questions will be framed to test the general conceptions of history and historical development rather than technical detail.

*Ancient.*—The general course of Greek and Roman History, and an outline of the earlier monarchies.

*English.*—The general course of English history from 1485 to the death of Queen Victoria, with some reference to the contemporary history of Europe and Colonial developments.

*Modern European.*—The period from 1789 to 1910.

#### V.—PHYSICAL AND GENERAL GEOGRAPHY.

The following regions in decreasing detail:—(a) England and Wales, (b) Scotland and Ireland, (c) Europe, the Mediterranean, the North Atlantic, North America, and Greenland, (d) the remaining Continents. Recapitulation from the point of view of the British Empire.

Attention should be directed to the following aspects of the several regions:—The broad contrasts and chief features of the land relief. The chief features of the coastal outline as related to those of the relief. The disposition of the water partings and of the chief river basins. The winds and sea currents, distribution of rainfall, the climatic contrasts, and the resulting agricultural contrasts. The district of exceptionally dense or rare population considered in relation to their position, natural resources, and industrial activities. The arrangement of the political divisions upon the land relief and with reference to the drainage system. The analysis of the positions of the great towns.

Candidates will be expected to understand the main physical causes of the phenomena they describe, such as variations of atmospheric temperature and pressure, their seasonal and regional distribution; the causes of precipitation, winds—their cause and prevalence in different regions, the interpretation of weather charts, and the meaning of the network and other conventional symbols employed in maps. Time need not be spent in elaborate map drawing. The answers in the examination should be illustrated, where necessary, by simple diagrams, correct in general proportion, but without detail. Candidates may be expected to identify maps without names, to insert upon such maps the position of geographical features, and to work problems as to local time.

#### VI.—LOGIC.

The Term: classification of terms, denotation and connotation. Division, definition, the Predicables.

The Proposition: classification of propositions, reduction of sentences to logical form.

Laws of thought, opposition of propositions, immediate inference.

The Syllogism: moods and figures, the expression of arguments in syllogistic form.

Hypothetical and disjunctive propositions and arguments.

Inductive reasoning in its various forms.

Observation and experiment: canons of scientific induction.

Combination of induction and deduction: hypothesis and explanation.

Fallacies.

*These three subjects will be treated in a specially elementary manner.*

\* Logarithms or four-figure logarithmic tables will be supplied to candidates in the room by the University. Candidates who so desire can obtain copies of these tables from the University of London Press, 17, Warwick Square, E.C. 4. Candidates are not permitted to bring their own copies into the Examination Room.

† Candidates in order to pass must satisfy the Examiners in translation at sight from English into Latin, from Latin into English, and in Grammar.

‡ Special stress is laid on accuracy in the answers to the Grammar questions and on the correct rendering of English into Greek.

§ See last paragraph on page 887.

¶ Candidates in order to pass must satisfy the Examiners in translation at sight from English into the selected language and from the selected language into English.

## VII.—GEOMETRICAL AND MECHANICAL DRAWING.

*Plane Geometry.*—Construction of scales, triangles, quadrilaterals, and polygons. Problems on circles and tangents and on areas of plane figures. Simple problems on loci, including paths of points in elementary linkwork. Construction of Archimedean spiral, ellipse, cycloid, and involute of circle, with their tangents and normals.

*Solid Geometry.*—Elementary projections of points, lines, planes, inclined surfaces, and solids, including the cylinder, cone, and sphere. Simple sections. Projection of additional plans and elevations.

Isometric or oblique projection, without using "isometric scale," of simple plane surfaces and solids.

Developments of the surfaces of simple solids; elementary problems in interpenetration of prisms, cylinders and cones, and developments of penetrated surfaces.

Projection of simple helix and square-threaded screw.

*Machine Drawing.*—Making scale drawings, two or more views, with simple sections of elementary machine parts, from rough partly-dimensioned sketches.

## VIII.—MATHEMATICS (MORE ADVANCED).

Harder questions may be set on the syllabus of Elementary Mathematics.

*Algebra.*—Theory of indices; logarithms, and the use of logarithmic tables.\*

Theory of quadratics.

Permutations and Combinations.

Binomial Theorem for a positive integral index.

*Trigonometry.*—Including the addition formulæ and the solution of triangles, together with the practical solution of triangles and applications, and numerical examples involving the use of logarithmic and other tables.

*Geometry.*—Similar figures.

Mensuration of the Circle.

Elementary Co-ordinate Geometry of the straight line and circle.

*Calculus.*—Limits. Gradient of a graph.

Differentiation of sum, product, and quotient of functions. Differentiation of a function of a function.

Differentiation of simple algebraic functions involving positive and negative integral powers of the variable.

Differentiation of elementary trigonometric functions (the inverse functions are excluded).

Simple questions on maxima and minima.

Integration of expressions formed by sums of terms of the type  $x^n$  (excluding  $n = -1$ ),  $\sin x$  and  $\cos x$ . (Integration by parts is excluded.)

Elementary questions and problems involving differentiation and integration with simple applications to rates, areas, and volumes.

The Sections on Geometry and on Calculus are alternative. Candidates may not attempt questions in both.

## IX.—OPTIONAL SCIENCES.

The Examinations in Science shall aim at ascertaining whether candidates possess a knowledge of fundamental scientific methods acquired by observation of nature or by a simple course of experiments in physical measurement, or by the investigation of simple problems and commonly occurring phenomena illustrating natural laws.

*Mechanics:*

Elementary notions of Displacement, Velocity, and Acceleration. Motion of a body with constant Acceleration.

Resolution and Composition of Velocities, Accelerations, &c.

Elementary notions of Mass and Momentum.

Elementary notions of Force as measured by rate of change of Momentum.

Newton's Laws of Motion.

Kinetic Energy and Work.

Units of Force and Measurement.

Balancing of Forces.

Torques or Moments.

Conditions for the equilibrium of Three Parallel Forces.

Resolution and Composition of Parallel Forces in one plane. Centre of Parallel Forces. Centre of Gravity. Stable, Unstable, and Neutral Equilibrium.

Conditions for the equilibrium of Three Forces not parallel. Triangle and Parallelogram of Forces. Moments, Simple illustrations of Conditions of Equilibrium and of the Principle of Work, as in levers, pulleys, the inclined plane, &c.

Pressure in Liquids; variations with depth.

Transmission of Liquid Pressure; Hydraulic Press.

Pressures on immersed and floating bodies.

Density; methods of determining Relative Densities.

Relation between volume and pressure in Gases.

Atmospheric Pressure.

*Chemistry.*

Combination and Decomposition. Elements and compounds. Elementary experimental study of air, water, and calcium carbonate. Solvent power of water. Natural waters, solution, crystallization, and distillation.

Elementary experimental study of oxygen, hydrogen, carbon sulphur, nitrogen, phosphorus, chlorine, and their common compounds, together with bromine and iodine so far as is required to show their relationships to chlorine.

Composition and properties of silica, action of silica upon bases, nature of glass.

General characteristics of the metals, including an elementary study of sodium, calcium, and iron, and their common compounds.

The oxidation of the metals, magnesium, zinc, iron, copper, lead, and the properties of their oxides. The interaction of these metals and their oxides with the common acids.

Action of water on sodium, magnesium, and iron. The reversible character of the action of water on iron.

Elementary experiments illustrating the quantitative nature of chemical combination.

Quantitative interaction of acids with metals and bases. Equivalents—Atomic Theory, Symbols, and Formulæ. Boyle's and Charles' Laws. Diffusion.

The more obvious phenomena of Electrolysis. Development of heat in chemical reaction. Combustion. Flame and Incandescence.

Candidates will be required to give evidence by their answers that they have seen experiments illustrative of all the subjects included in the syllabus, and that they have themselves performed a variety of simple qualitative and quantitative experiments.

The questions set will have regard to the conditions under which the subject may best be experimentally taught in schools.

*Heat, Light, and Sound.*

*Heat.*—Temperature. Construction and use of the mercury thermometer.

Expansion of Solids and Liquids, with rise of Temperature. Effect of change of Temperature on the Volume and Pressure of Gases.

Quantity of Heat. Specific Heat.

Change of State. Latent Heat. Elementary notions of the transfer of Heat. Heat considered as a form of Energy.

*Light.*—Propagation of Light. Laws of Reflection and Refraction.

Reflection at Plane and concave Spherical Surfaces, and the formation of Images.

Refraction at Plane Surfaces and by Prisms. The Spectrum. The formation of Images by single convex Lenses. The simple magnifying glass. Photometry.

*Sound.*—The production and propagation of Sound.

Nature of Wave-motion. Amplitude, Wave-length, and Frequency.

Experimental determination of the Velocity of Sound in Air.

Determination of Frequency by simple methods

Experiments on the modes of Vibration of Strings.

The questions set will have regard to the conditions under which these subjects may best be experimentally taught in schools.

*Electricity and Magnetism.*

Simple Phenomena of Magnetism. Properties of Magnets. The Law of Magnetic Force.

Lines of force. Magnetic moment.

The Simpler Phenomena of Electrified Bodies. Conduction and Insulation. Electrification by Friction and by Induction (Influence).

Quantity of Electricity.

The Law of Electric Force.

Lines of Electric Force.

Electric Currents.

The Simple Voltaic Cell. The Daniel Cell.

Magnetic Field of Current. Galvanometers.

Simple Electromagnets.

Electromotive Force. Resistance.

Ohm's Law.

Heating Effects of Currents.

Elementary Phenomena of Electrolysis.

The Simple Phenomena of Induced Currents. Induction Coil.

The questions set will have regard to the conditions under which these subjects may best be experimentally taught in schools.

*Botany.*†

1. The appearance and structure of the organs of a flowering plant so far as these can be observed with the naked eye or with the aid of a hand lens.

The functions of these organs so far as they can be ascertained by observation and simple experiment;

\* Five-figure logarithmic tables will be supplied by the University.

† Candidates should bring a hand lens, a sharp knife, drawing pencil, and Indian rubber. In this examination special stress is laid on competence in drawing.

2. The main phenomena of the life-history of common flowering plants (excluding the microscopic processes of maturation and union of the sexual elements and of the development of the seed). The mechanisms of pollination; fruit and seed dispersal. Germination, particularly as illustrated by seedlings easily grown in the garden or in pots or boxes. The structure of garden soil. Different types of soil and their water and air contents. Rough methods of mechanical analysis of soils.

3. The nature and structure (excluding microscopic details) of the vegetable materials met with in every day life, such as wood, cork, &c. (excluding manufactured substances); also of the common edible fruits and vegetables.

4. The description of a flowering plant (not necessarily belonging to one of the Natural Orders enumerated below) and a knowledge of the following Natural Orders, as illustrated by wild or commonly cultivated plants:—Dilleniaceæ, Malvacæ, Myrtaceæ, Leguminosæ, Compositæ, Convolvulacæ, Scrophulariaceæ, Palmaceæ or Commelinaceæ, Orchidaceæ.

5. An elementary knowledge of the nutrition, growth, irritability of plants, particularly of such facts as can be demonstrated by simple qualitative and quantitative experiments. Candidates will be expected to show evidence that they have performed such experiments themselves.

The questions set will have regard to the conditions under which these subjects may best be experimentally taught in schools.

(An elementary knowledge will be assumed of the chemical and physical properties of the atmosphere and of water, together with some acquaintance with the use of the barometer and thermometer.)

6. The main features of the more easily accessible types of Vegetation, and of the different habitats in which they are found. Common weeds of cultivated soil, and the causes of their prevalence.

An elementary knowledge of the adaptations shown by native plants to their environment.

7. The outlines of the cellular structure of the living plant as shown for example in simple fresh-water algae and in the mesophyll of a foliage leaf.

#### Zoology.\*

(1) The general principles of animal life treated in an elementary fashion and illustrated by the types specified in paragraph (4). Growth and Metamorphosis as illustrated by the frog and butterfly. Conditions under which life can exist. Differences between animals and plants.

(2) The gross structure of the skin; the skeleton; the alimentary tract and its glands; the respiratory mechanism; the vascular system; the central nervous system; and the functions of these organs in a typical mammal.

(3) The structure and mode of life of *Amœba* and *Hydra* treated in an elementary manner.

(4) The chief external characters and mode of life of a jelly fish (*Aurelia*), an anemone, and a coral, an earth worm, a crayfish or lobster, a blow-fly, a bee, a butterfly, a spider (the structure of the mouth parts of the foregoing arthropods not to be studied in detail), a starfish, a freshwater mussel, and a snail, a fish, a frog, a lizard, a tortoise, and a snake, and a typical bird and mammal.

Candidates must possess a practical acquaintance with the external characters of the types specified in section (4).

(5) The distinguishing features of the following groups:—Protozoa, Coelenterata, Echinodermata, Annelida, Arthropoda (Crustacea, Insecta, Arachnida), Mollusca, Vertebrata (Fishes, Amphibians, Reptiles, Birds, and Mammals).

#### Geology.\*

(1) The Crust of the Earth. Nature of Common Rocks and Rock-forming Minerals.

(2) The Ocean. Nature of ocean floors and sea margins and comparison of them with sedimentary Rocks. Action of the sea in Denudation and Deposition.

(3) Circulation of Atmospheric waters. Formation of springs, rivers, and lakes. Geological action of wind, rain, rivers, and ice. Materials formed by these agencies and comparison of them with sedimentary Rocks. Origin of valleys, estuaries, and deltas.

(4) Internal movements acting in the Earth's crust. Bending, Folding, and Fractures of different kinds, Induration, Jointing, and Cleavage. Earthquakes and Volcanic phenomena.

(5) Forms of the Earth's Surface resulting from the action of internal and external forces. Escarpments, Outliers, Inliers, Unconformities, Igneous Intrusions. Production of different types of Scenery.

(6) Fossils, their nature and uses to the geologist and biologist. General succession of the Fossiliferous Strata. Candidates are expected to have practical acquaintance with the commonest minerals, rocks, and fossils.

The examination shall be conducted in the following order†:—

#### First day—

Afternoon, 2 to 5 .. English Essay and English (1).

(The paper in English will be given out at 3.)

#### Second day—

Morning, 9.30 to 12.30 .. } Elementary Mathematics (2).  
Afternoon, 2 to 5 .. }

#### Third day—

Morning, 9.30 to 12.30 .. } Latin (3).  
Greek (4).

Afternoon, 2 to 5 ..

Greek (4).  
Drawing—Geometrical and Mechanical (5).  
Botany (6).  
Chemistry (7).  
Heat, Light, and Sound (8).  
Mechanics (9).  
Electricity and Magnetism (10).

#### Fourth day—

Morning, 9.30 to 12.30 ..

Botany (6).  
Chemistry (7).  
Heat, Light, and Sound (8).  
Mechanics (9).  
Electricity and Magnetism (10).  
Ancient History (11).  
Modern European History (12).  
English History (13).  
French (14).  
German (15).  
Welsh (16).  
Spanish (17).  
Geography (18).  
Logic (19).

Afternoon, 2 to 5 ..

French (14).  
German (15).  
Welsh (16).  
Spanish (17).  
Geography (18).  
Logic (19).  
Mathematics, more advanced (20).  
Sinhalese (21).  
Tamil (22).

Except in the case of English and Elementary Mathematics candidates will only be allowed to take one paper in each subject. Two papers will be set in many other subjects in order to compress the examination into as short a period as possible, but no candidate will be allowed to take more than one of these papers. No option is allowed as to the order in which they are taken, and if the candidate does not present himself for examination in a given subject at the right time, he will on no account whatever be allowed to take a paper which may be set later in the same subject. It is, therefore, of the greatest importance that candidates should attend to the following rule:—

Candidates, having selected their subjects in accordance with the Regulations, will be examined in these subjects in the numerical order in which they occur in the above list, and must take each subject on the first possible occasion accordingly.

Thus, for example, a candidate who offers, in addition to English and Mathematics (Elementary), Botany, Mechanics, and French, must take Botany (No. 6) on the afternoon of the third day, Mechanics (No. 9) on the morning of the fourth day, and French (No. 14) on the afternoon of the fourth day. Again, a candidate who offers Latin, French (14), and German (15), must take French in the morning and German in the afternoon of the fourth day.

Candidates who take any of the subjects for which two additional months' notice or more is required will be informed when the examinations in these subjects will take place.

A pass certificate, signed by the principal officer and setting forth the subjects of examination taken by the candidate, shall be delivered to each successful candidate after the report of the Examiners shall have been approved by the Senate.‡

Education Office,  
Colombo, February 25, 1924.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

\* See note §§ on page 887.

† Changes in the details of this order may be found necessary from time to time, but in all such cases due notice will be given to candidates.

‡ Certificates are generally ready for issue about a month after the publication of the pass list, and, in the absence of any request to the contrary, will be posted to the addresses given by the candidates on their forms of entry.

## APPENDICES.

## I.

Statute 113 :—

113.<sup>o</sup> Provided also that the Senate may admit as Internal Students and as candidates for any of the higher degrees (except in Medicine and Surgery) without their having previously taken any lower degree the following persons (that is to say) :—

- (1) Graduates of Universities approved by the Senate for this purpose ;
- (2) Persons who have passed the examinations required for a degree in some University approved as aforesaid ;
- (3) Persons who have obtained from the University of Cambridge a certificate stating that they have satisfied the examiners in a Tripos Examination qualifying as a Final Examination for a first degree ;
- (4) Persons who have passed or obtained Honours at the Second Public Examination of the University of Oxford, provided that they have also either passed or obtained Honours at the First Public Examination, or have passed such other examination or examinations as under the provisions of the University of Oxford are accepted as statutorily equivalent thereto.

113A. Provided also that the Senate may admit as Internal Students and as candidates for a first degree (except in Medicine and Surgery) without their having previously satisfied the Examiners at an Intermediate Examination, Graduates of the University, who have taken degrees as External Students and also the persons specified in the last preceding Statute if such persons shall have prior to admission pursued an approved course extending over not less than three years.

## II.

## REGULATIONS FOR REGISTRATION AS EXEMPT FROM THE MATRICULATION EXAMINATION.

Statute 116 is as follows :—Every candidate for admission as a student of the University shall pass such Entrance or Matriculation Examination or fulfil such other tests of fitness to be admitted as a student as may be from time to time prescribed.

No person who has been registered under Statute 116 is permitted to enter for the Matriculation Examination.

Students proposing to be registered under Statute 116 as exempt from the Matriculation Examination should carefully observe that while such registration secures to them within the University all the privileges of matriculated students, except that of entry for the matriculation supplementary certificate, it does not follow that other Public Authorities or Bodies outside the University will accord to students thus registered the facilities or exemptions which they may have undertaken to accord to students who have passed the Matriculation Examination of the University of London. All inquiries as to the conditions under which such facilities or exemptions are given must be directed not to the University of London nor to the Director of Education, Ceylon, but to the Bodies from whom such privileges are sought.

Students registered under Statute 116 receive an official notification that they have been exempted from the Matriculation Examination and admitted as matriculated students of the University; no certificate or diploma is sent, nor is there any mention of the examination in virtue of which the exemption has been granted.

No person can be registered as a matriculated student of the University until after the last day upon which the Matriculation Examination immediately following the completion of his sixteenth year can commence, but students who attain the age of sixteen years between June 14 and July 31 will be registrable as from the June Matriculation Examination of the year in which they attain that age.

The standing of students registered under Statute 116 shall date, for the purposes of External Examinations, from the Matriculation Examination immediately preceding the date of registration. To secure that a registration under Statute 116 shall date from any Matriculation Examination, such registration must be completed before the commencement of the next Matriculation Examination, as defined above.

The basic date for registration is *as from the September Matriculation Examination, i.e., between September 15 and January 14.* Students effecting registration between these dates are eligible (under Statute 120) to enter for the Degree Examination in any Faculty other than Medicine or Veterinary Science at the expiry of the normal three-year period, *i.e., in June of the year next following but two.*

Candidates registering from a June Matriculation Examination, *i.e., between June 7 and September 14,* cannot complete their Degree Examinations any earlier than would be the case if they

had registered as from the following September; but by registering as from June, they become admissible to the Additional External Intermediate Examinations held in November\* of the same year.

Candidates registering between January 15 and June 7 are deemed to have registered as from the preceding January examination; and, provided they register in sufficient time to permit compliance with the appropriate Regulations, are eligible for admission to the July Intermediate Examinations. Such candidates, moreover, are, under Statute 120, eligible to enter for the Final Examinations in Theology and Engineering in June–July, and in Arts, Science, and Music in November–December\* of the year next but one following, as provided in the relevant Regulations.

Nevertheless Oxford and Cambridge Graduates in First or Second Class Honours can be admitted to their Degree Examination in any Faculty other than Medicine or Veterinary Science after two years from any September Matriculation Examination, provided that their registration be completed before January 14 of the year succeeding such September Matriculation Examination; and provided further that in each case the interval specified by the Regulations between the Intermediate and Final Examination is observed.

No further exemptions from the examinations of this University are granted to persons registering under Statute 116, save those provided for in the current Regulations.

Persons presenting any of the approved certificates with a view to registration under Statute 116 are informed that departure from the conditions laid down can under no circumstances be allowed. The subjects in which the applicant has attained the necessary standard must be specifically those set forth in the Regulations relating to the several certificates so approved, and further, the subjects must all have been taken on *one and the same occasion.*

It should be carefully observed that the certificates herein described are registrable under present Regulations and until further notice; but the Senate reserves the right to withdraw any certificate from the list of those upon the basis whereof exemption can be claimed, or to alter the terms upon which it is recognized. Students proposing to claim exemption in virtue of such certificates are therefore advised to register without undue delay after obtaining them.

There are no *partial* exemptions from the Matriculation Examination. If the qualifications of which a candidate can produce evidence are not sufficient to exempt him altogether, the examination for matriculation must be taken in its entirety, according to the Regulations.

Applications for registration must be accompanied by a registration fee of three guineas, together with official certification of qualification in accordance with the conditions set forth below. Bank Draft or Money Orders must be made payable to the "University of London" and crossed "Westminster Bank, Ltd., Brompton Square, S. W., University of London Account." The fee and evidence must be forwarded together by registered post and addressed to "The External Registrar, University of London, S.W. 7." Should the certificate be found insufficient for registration purposes the fee will be at once returned, as will the certificate in any case.

There is no special form for these applications.

Unless the certificate shows the names in full and that the applicant is at least sixteen years of age, evidence of age must be produced.

No candidate will be admitted to any examination, nor registered as an Internal Student in this University who has not furnished to the University his full name in accordance with the above paragraph.

Such registered student will then come under the Regulations of the University with respect to every examination above the matriculation, all of which he will proceed to take in accordance with the said Regulations, which may be obtained post free on application to the University, his standing in the University dating, for the purposes of External Examinations, from the Matriculation Examination immediately preceding the date of his registration. No student registered under Statute 116 will be permitted to enter for the Intermediate Examination in Arts for Internal students, with Latin as one of his subjects at that examination, unless he has, not later than the January preceding the Intermediate Examination in question, either passed with Latin an examination accepted by the University as exempting from the Matriculation Examination, or satisfied the Examiners in Latin at an examination accepted by the University as exempting from the Matriculation Examination subsequently to having passed such examination as a whole, or satisfied the Examiners in Latin at a Matriculation Examination or at any examination conducted by the University in lieu thereof.

\* November–December Intermediate and Final Examinations are not held in Ceylon.

No foreign certificates are recognized as giving exemption from the Matriculation Examination.

The following certificates of qualifications obtained in Great Britain or Ireland are severally recognized under Statute 116 as giving exemption from the Matriculation Examination of the University of London :—

**GRADUATES OF, AND PERSONS WHO HAVE PASSED ALL THE EXAMINATIONS REQUIRED FOR A DEGREE IN, UNIVERSITIES RECOGNIZED.**

Graduates of such British, Colonial, and Indian Universities, as are approved by the Senate for that purpose, and those who have passed all the examinations required for a degree in those Universities, also women who have obtained tripos certificates granted by the University of Cambridge, and women who have obtained certificates showing that, under the conditions prescribed by the Delegacy for Women Students at Oxford, they have passed the Second Public Examination of that University or have obtained Honours in the Oxford University Examination for women in Modern Languages, may on application be registered as matriculated students on payment of the registration fee of £3. 3s. without passing the Matriculation Examination.

For conditions under which the following examinations will give exemption from the Matriculation Examination of the University of London, see separate Regulations obtainable on application to the External Registrar, University of London, South Kensington, London, S.W. 7 :—

- Oxford Senior Local Examination.
- Higher Certificate Examination of the Oxford and Cambridge Schools Examination Board.
- School Certificate of the Oxford and Cambridge Schools Examination Board.
- Previous Examination of the University of Cambridge.
- Matriculation Examination of the Joint Board of the Northern Universities.
- Senior School Certificate of the Joint Matriculation Board of the Northern Universities.
- Scotch School-leaving Certificate Examination.

CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE CAMBRIDGE SENIOR CERTIFICATE GAINED IN AND AFTER DECEMBER, 1923, WILL GIVE EXEMPTION FROM THE MATRICULATION EXAMINATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

The students must have at one and the same Examination obtained a Certificate (with or without Honours) in the

Examination as a whole and passed with credit in the following subjects :—

- (1) English.
- (2) Mathematics (Arithmetic, Geometry, Algebra).
- (3) Three of the following :—
  - (a) Latin.
  - (b) Greek.
  - (c) French.
  - (d) German.
  - (e) Spanish.
  - (f) History.\*
  - (g) Geography.
  - (h) Two of the three following subjects: Advanced Mathematics I., Advanced Mathematics II., Applied Mathematics.
  - (i) Chemistry.
  - (j) Physics.
  - (k) Botany.
  - (l) Sinhalese.
  - (m) Tamil.

provided that either Latin, or Chemistry, or Physics, or Botany is included, and provided further that one language other than English is included.

*N.B.*—Applications for a Special Certificate must be made to the General Secretary, Syndicate Buildings, Cambridge, stating the centre and index number, and accompanied by the fee of 1s. for each candidate.

**PRIVILEGES AND EXEMPTIONS GRANTED BY OTHER BODIES.**

For privileges and exemptions granted by other bodies to persons who have passed the Matriculation Examination (in its ordinary form or in the form of the School Examination Matriculation standard) of the University of London, see separate regulations obtainable on application to the External Registrar, University of London, South Kensington, London, S.W. 7.

\* English History, or History of the British Empire, or Modern European History, or Roman History.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. A. T. de Alwis has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Mr. G. G. Peiris :—

*School referred to.*

Sri Punyakami Vernacular Mixed School, Mount Lavinia,  
Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, March 21, 1924. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. G. D. Thomas has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, at the request of the Secretary, American-Ceylon Mission, Manipay :—

*Schools referred to.*

Vaddukoddai Vernacular School.  
Pandateruppu Vernacular School.  
Changanai Vernacular School.  
Chandilipay Vernacular School.  
Moolai Vernacular School.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, March 26, 1924. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ven. F. H. de Winton, Archdeacon of Colombo, has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Mr. C. E. A. Dias :—

*School referred to.*

Christ Church Boys' English School, Kurunegala.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. D. S. Senanayake has been appointed Acting Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Mr. W. A. de Silva :—

*School referred to.*

Ananda College, Colombo.  
Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Rev. G. W. Forster has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of His Lordship the Bishop of Colombo.

*School referred to.*

C/Bishop's College, Colombo.  
Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. P. de S. Kularatne, Principal, Ananda College, Colombo, has been appointed Acting General Manager of Buddhist schools, during the absence of Mr. W. A. de Silva from the Island.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. Director of Education.

**Survey Department Senior Examination, 1924.**

*Old Regulations.*

NO candidate has completed the Examination under the Old Regulations.

Mr. C. J. Sabapathy has passed in Geometry.

*New Regulations.*

Messrs. A. L. Grice, I. F. Wilson, and V. Rasaretnam have passed the whole Examination.

Mr. J. P. Weerawardene has passed in Parts I. and II.

Surveyor-General's Office, A. J. WICKWAR,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924. Surveyor-General.



**Licensed Surveyors and Levellers.**

IT is hereby notified under Ordinance No. 26 of 1909, that the under-mentioned have been licensed to practise as Surveyors and Levellers for the current year :—

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
March 28, 1924	309	A 978	Aldons, E. E.	Way and Works Department, Ceylon Government Railway, Colombo
Do.	371	A 979	Arthenayake, R. M.	do.
Do.	381	A 980	Fernando, M. D. E.	do.
Do.	373	A 981	Vaidyalingam, V.	do.
Do.	341	A 982	Peiris, E. A.	do.

Surveyor-General's Office,  
Colombo, March 29, 1924.

G. K. THORNHILL,  
for Surveyor-General.

**Registrars of Births and Deaths.**

WITH reference to the Government Notification dated March 24, 1924, appearing in *Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, it is hereby notified that I have appointed with effect from April 1, 1924, the persons whose names appear in the subjoined schedule to be Registrars of Births and Deaths for the divisions noted opposite their names, holding office in the places appearing in column 4.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.

**SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.****Northern Province.—Mannar District.**

No. of Registration Division.	Name of Registrar.	Name of Registration Division.	Place of Office
8 (a)	Manattampimarakkayer Muhammatu Saliku	Musali South division No. 1	Registrar Valavu at Tampaddamutalikaddu
8 (b)	Savuriyapichchai Mariyanu Peiris (provisional)	Musali South division No. 2	Registrar Valavu at Mullikulam

**Lease of Building Lots**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent, Western Province, will receive sealed tenders up to 12 noon, on Tuesday, July 1, 1924, for the lease of the following six building lots in the Fort of Colombo, shown and delineated in preliminary plan 18,340, viz. :—

Lot.	Extent. A. R. P.	Boundaries.
1	0 1 6.57	North by road reservation along Main street, south by lot 4 in preliminary plan 18,340, east by lot 2 in preliminary plan 18,340, west by reservation for road.
2	0 1 9.85	North by road reservation along Main street, south by lot 3 in preliminary plan 18,340, east by pavement along Lotus pond road, west by lot 1 in preliminary plan 18,340.
3	0 1 10.80	North by lot 2 in preliminary plan 18,340, south by lot 6 in preliminary plan 18,340, east by pavement along Lotus pond road, west by lot 4 in preliminary plan 18,340.
4	0 1 6.77	North by lot 1 in preliminary plan 18,340, south by lot 5 in preliminary plan 18,340, east by lot 3 in preliminary plan 18,340, west by reservation for road.
5	0 1 9.64	North by lot 4 in preliminary plan 18,340, south by reservation for road, east by lot 6 in preliminary plan 18,340, west by reservation for road.
6	0 1 9.87	North by lot 3 in preliminary plan 18,340, south by reservation for road, east by pavement along Lotus pond road, west by lot 5 in preliminary plan 18,340.

for a period of 99 years, commencing from a date to be specified in the lease to be entered into upon acceptance of the tender.

2. Every such lease shall be as nearly as possible in the form of the draft lease herewith annexed and upon the terms and conditions therein set out.

3. The buildings to be erected on the lots shall be relatively of the same standard as other modern buildings in the Fort, such as Caffoor's buildings, Walker's premises, Messrs. Cargills, Ltd., and shall at the expiration of the lease become the absolute property of the Crown.

4. A separate tender shall be made in respect of each of the said lots hereinbefore referred to, and the tenderer shall state therein the annual rent which he is prepared to pay for the lease of the said lot and shall give a description of the said building he proposes to erect thereon and the amount he undertakes to spend in the erection of such building. There shall be annexed to the tender, plans, elevations, section, and specifications of the building to be erected which shall be deemed at all times to be the property of the tenderer and shall be returned to him if his tender is not accepted.

5. The person whose tender is accepted shall within 14 days of the acceptance of his tender pay and deposit to and with the Government Agent of the Western Province a sum equivalent to 10 per centum of the rent of the lot for one year.

6. Upon failure to make the said deposit the offer to lease shall be deemed to be cancelled and Government shall be at liberty to sell, lease, or dispose of the said land as if no tender had been made or accepted.

7. The person whose tender is accepted shall within one month of the acceptance of the tender enter into and execute a lease as nearly as possible in the form hereunto annexed subject to such modifications as may be agreed upon and on his failure, neglect or refusal to enter into and execute such lease the amount of the deposit hereinbefore referred to shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

8. Government reserves to itself the full power to reject all or any of the tenders which may be made in pursuance of this notice, and to accept any tender or tenders whether such tender or tenders be made by the highest bidder or not.

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, March 26, 1924.

R. N. THAINE,  
Government Agent.

*Fort Building Blocks.*

This Indenture made the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-three, between His Excellency Sir William Henry Manning, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor of Ceylon (hereinafter referred to as the lessor, which expression shall include his successors in office for the time being as Governor of Ceylon) acting herein for and on behalf of His Majesty King George the Fifth, His heirs and Successors, of the one part, and \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter referred to as the lessee, which expression shall, where the context so requires or admits, mean and include \_\_\_\_\_) of the other part.

Witnesseth as follows :—

1. In consideration of the expense to be incurred by the lessee in the erection of the buildings hereinafter mentioned and of the rent and lessee's covenants hereinafter reserved and contained the lessor doth hereby demise unto the lessee all that allotment of land situated in the Fort within the Municipal limits of Colombo, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north \_\_\_\_\_, south \_\_\_\_\_, east \_\_\_\_\_, west \_\_\_\_\_; containing in extent \_\_\_\_\_; according to Lease plan bearing No. \_\_\_\_\_, dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, authenticated by \_\_\_\_\_, Surveyor-General, hereto annexed, to hold to the lessee from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 192—, for a term of Ninety-nine years, yielding and paying therefor in advance on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in each year, a yearly rental of Rupees \_\_\_\_\_ free from all deductions, to the Government Agent of the Western Province, at the Colombo Kachcheri.

2. The lessee for himself and his permitted assigns and to the intent that the obligations may continue throughout the term hereby created covenants with the lessor, as follows :—

- (1) To pay the reserved rent on the days and in the manner aforesaid :
- (2) To bear, pay, and discharge all existing and future rates taxes, and assessments, assessed, charged or imposed or which may hereafter be assessed, charged or imposed upon the demised premises or upon the owner or occupier in respect thereof or payable by either in respect thereof.
- (3) At his own cost to erect upon the premises hereby demised in a substantial and workmanlike manner with the best material of their several kinds and in accordance with the specifications, plans, elevations, sections, and drawings to be approved and signed by the Director of Public Works for the time being for and on behalf of the lessor, and under the inspection and to the satisfaction of the said Director of Public Works a building of not less than two storeys suitable for shops, offices, or residential purposes with all the necessary water-closets, lavatories, sewers, and drains. And to complete the same in all respects fit for immediate occupation by the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192— (unless prevented by accident or unavoidable causes, and in such case as soon after such date as is practicable); and to expend upon such works the sum of Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ at the least in the cost price of materials and labour, such expenditure if required to be verified to the satisfaction of the said Director of Public Works by the production of proper vouchers.
- (4) To execute the works hereinbefore covenanted to be executed in accordance with any Ordinance applicable thereto and with the by-laws, rules, and regulations of the local authorities and to pay all fees and charges properly payable to such authorities in relation to the said works.
- (5) To keep the exterior and interior of the buildings so to be erected as aforesaid, and all other buildings and erections which may at any time during the said term be erected on the land hereby demised, and all additions to such buildings and the fixtures therein and the drains and appurtenances thereof in good and substantial repair and condition.
- (6) Not to cut or damage any of the principal walls or timbers of the buildings for the time being on the demised premises, nor to make any alteration in the external elevation or architectural design thereof without first obtaining the consent in writing of the lessor.
- (7) To permit the lessor and his agents at all reasonable times, both during the erection of the buildings and after, to enter upon the demised premises to view the condition of the buildings for the time being erected or in course of erection thereon and for all other reasonable purposes.
- (8) To forthwith insure and keep insured in the joint names of the lessor and the lessee all buildings, erections, and fixtures of an insurable nature from time to time erected or standing upon or affixed to the demised land against loss or damage by fire in some insurance office to be approved in writing by the lessor to the full value thereof as determined from time to time by the said Director of Public Works for the time being, and to pay all premiums necessary for that purpose as the same shall become due, and whenever required so to do to produce to the Government Agent for the time being of the Western Province, the policy or policies of insurance and the receipt of the current year's premium or premiums. And in case of fire forthwith out of the moneys received by virtue of any insurance and out of his own private moneys, if necessary, to rebuild, repair, or otherwise reinstate in a good and substantial manner under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works for the time being any premises destroyed or damaged. And that if the lessee shall at any time fail to insure or keep insured the said premises or to produce the receipt for any premium upon request, the lessor may do all things necessary to effect or maintain such insurance and all moneys expended by him for such purpose shall be repaid by the lessee on demand.

9. Not to cause, permit, or suffer upon the demised premises anything which may be or become a nuisance or annoyance or may cause damage to the lessor or the occupiers of neighbouring houses.

(10) Nor to assign this lease or create or transfer any interest therein nor mortgage his interest in this lease or create any charge in or over the said interests without the consent of the lessor first had and obtained in writing: Provided that such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

(11) At the determination of this lease to yield up the demised premises with all buildings erected thereon during the said term and the additions thereto and all fixtures affixed thereto in good substantial and tenantable repair and condition.

3. The lessor hereby covenants with the lessee as follows :—

That the lessee paying the rent hereby reserved and observing and performing the several covenants and stipulations herein on his part contained shall peaceably hold and enjoy the demised premises during the said term without any interruption by the lessor or any person rightfully claiming under him.

4. Provided always and it is hereby expressly agreed as follows :—

If the rent reserved or any part thereof shall be unpaid after the same shall become payable, or if any covenant on the lessee's part herein contained shall not be performed or observed, or if the lessee or other the person in whom for the time being the term hereby created shall be vested shall become bankrupt, then and in any of the said cases this demise shall absolutely cease and determine.

## Lease of Building Lots.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent, Western Province, will receive sealed tenders up to 12 noon, on Tuesday, July 1, 1924, for the lease of the following eleven building lots reclaimed from the Beira Lake, Colombo, shown and delineated in preliminary plans 17,502, 18,339, and 18,341, viz. :—

Preliminary Plan.	Lot.	Extent. A. R. P.	Boundaries.
17,502 ..	2 ..	1 0 5·60 ..	North by pavement along McCallum road, south by road reservation along lake, east by road reservation, west by road reservation.
17,502 ..	3 ..	1 0 2·04 ..	North by pavement along McCallum road, south by road reservation along lake, east by road reservation, west by road reservation.
17,502 ..	4 ..	1 0 25·08 ..	North by pavement along McCallum road, south by road reservation along lake, east by road reservation, west by road reservation.
17,502 ..	5 ..	0 2 34·99 ..	North by pavement along McCallum road, south by road reservation along lake, east by road reservation along canal, west by road reservation.
18,339 ..	1 ..	0 1 37·83 ..	North by reservation along K. V. canal basin, south by pavement along McCallum road, east by road reservation, west by reservation along K. V. canal basin.
18,339 ..	2 ..	0 1 21·30 ..	North by reservation along K. V. canal basin, south by pavement along McCallum road, east by Crown land, west by road reservation.
18,339 ..	3 ..	1 0 31·53 ..	North by pavement along McCallum road, south by reservation for the lake east by road reservation, west by reservation for the lake.
18,339 ..	4 ..	1 0 21·37 ..	North by pavement along McCallum road, south by reservation for the lake east by lot 5 in preliminary plan 18,339, west by road reservation.
18,339 ..	5 ..	1 0 14·26 ..	North by pavement along McCallum road, south by reservation for the lake, east by pavement along McCallum road, west by lot 4 in preliminary plan 18,339.
18,341 ..	1 & 2 ..	1 3 6·94 ..	North by pavement along the road through Parson's road overhead bridge, east by ditto and lot 1½ in preliminary plan 18,341, south by the pavement of McCallum road, west by lot 2½ in preliminary plan 18,341, and pavement along the road through Parson's road overhead bridge.
18,341 ..	3 & 4 ..	0 1 34·35 ..	North by lot 4½ in preliminary plan 18,341, pavement along Parson's road, east by pavement along Parson's road, south and west by pavement along the road through Parson's road overhead bridge.

for a period of 99 years commencing from a date to be specified in the lease to be signed upon acceptance of the tender.

2. A separate tender shall be made in respect of each of the said lots hereinbefore referred to and the tenderer shall state therein :

- (a) The purpose or purposes for which he proposes to use the said lots.
- (b) The nature and class of the building which he proposes to erect thereon and the amount he is prepared to expend in erecting the buildings.
- (c) The annual rent which he is prepared to pay for the lease of the said lot. There shall be annexed to every such tender a rough sketch of the lot showing the disposition of the buildings it is proposed to erect thereon, and a plan of specification of such buildings.

3. The person whose tender is accepted shall within 14 days of the acceptance of his tender pay and deposit to and with the Government Agent of the Western Province in cash a sum equivalent to ten per centum of the rent of such lot for one year.

4. Upon failure to make the said deposit the offer to lease the said premises shall be deemed to be cancelled and Government shall be at liberty to sell, lease, or dispose of the said land as if no tender had been made or accepted.

5. The person whose tender is accepted shall, within one month of the acceptance of the tender, enter into and execute a lease as nearly as possible in the form hereunto annexed subject to such modifications as may be agreed upon, and on his failure neglect or refusal to enter into and execute such lease the amount of the deposit hereinbefore referred to shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

6. Government reserves to itself full power to reject all or any of the tenders which may be made in pursuance of this notice, and to accept any tender or tenders, whether such tender or tenders be made by the highest bidder or not.

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, March 26, 1924.

R. N. THAINE,  
Government Agent.

## Lake side Blocks.

This Indenture made the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-three, between His Excellency Sir William Henry Manning, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor of Ceylon (hereinafter referred to as the lessor, which expression shall include his successors in office for the time being as Governor of Ceylon) acting herein for and on behalf of His Majesty King George the Fifth, His heirs and Successors, of the one part, and \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter referred to as the lessee, which expression shall, where the context so requires or admits, mean and include \_\_\_\_\_) of the other part.

Witnesseth as follows :—

1. In consideration of the expense to be incurred by the lessee in the erection of the buildings hereinafter mentioned, and of the rents and lessee's covenants hereinafter reserved and contained, the lessor doth hereby demise unto the lessee all the allotment of land situated in \_\_\_\_\_ within the Municipal limits of Colombo, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north \_\_\_\_\_, south \_\_\_\_\_, east \_\_\_\_\_, west \_\_\_\_\_; containing in extent \_\_\_\_\_, according to Lease plan bearing No \_\_\_\_\_, dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, authenticated by \_\_\_\_\_, Surveyor-General, to hold to the lessee from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_, for the term of Ninety-nine years yielding and

paying therefor in advance on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in each year, a yearly rental of \_\_\_\_\_ free from all deductions, to the Government Agent of the Western Province, at the Colombo Kachcheri.

2. The lessee for himself and his permitted assigns and to the intent that the obligations may continue throughout the term hereby created covenants with the lessor, as follows:—

(1) To pay the reserved rent on the days and in the manner aforesaid:

(2) To bear, pay, and discharge all existing and future rates and assessments, assessed, charged or imposed, or which may hereafter be assessed, charged or imposed upon the demised premises or upon the owner or occupier in respect thereof or payable by either in respect thereof.

(3) At his own cost to erect upon the premises hereby demised in a substantial and workmanlike manner with the best material of their several kinds and in accordance with the specifications, plans, elevations, sections, and drawings to be approved and signed by the Director of Public Works for the time being for and on behalf of the lessor and under the inspection and to the satisfaction of the said Director of Public Works a building \_\_\_\_\_ with all the necessary water-closets, lavatories, sewers, and drains. And to complete the same in all respects fit for immediate occupation by the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192— (unless prevented by accident or unavoidable causes, and in such case as soon after such date as is practicable). And to expend upon such works the sum of Repees \_\_\_\_\_ at the least in the cost price of materials and labour, such expenditure if required to be verified to the satisfaction of the said Director of Public Works by the production of proper vouchers.

(4) To execute the works hereinbefore covenanted to be executed in accordance with any Ordinance applicable thereto and with the by-laws, rules, and regulations of the local authorities, and to pay all fees and charges properly payable to such authorities in relation to the said works.

(5) To keep the exterior and interior of the buildings so to be erected as aforesaid, and all other buildings and erections which may at any time during the said term be erected on the land hereby demised, and all additions to such buildings and the fixtures therein and the drains and appurtenances thereof in good and substantial repair and condition.

(6) Not to cut or damage and of the principal walls or timbers of the buildings for the time being on the demised premises, nor to make any alteration in the external elevation or architectural design thereof without first obtaining the consent in writing of the lessor.

(7) To permit the lessor and his agents at all reasonable times, both during the erection of the buildings and after, to enter upon the demised premises to view the condition of the buildings for the time being erected or in course of erection thereon and for all other reasonable purposes.

(8) To forthwith insure and keep insured in the joint names of the lessor and the lessee all buildings, erections, and fixtures of an insurable nature from time to time erected or standing upon or affixed to the demised land against loss or damage by fire in some insurance office to be approved in writing by the lessor to the full value thereof as determined from time to time by the Director of Public Works for the time being, and to pay all premiums necessary for that purpose as the same shall become due, and whenever required so to do to produce to the Government Agent for the time being of the Western Province the policy or policies of insurance and the receipt of the current year's premium or premiums. And in case of fire forthwith out of the moneys received by virtue of any insurance and out of his own private moneys, if necessary, to rebuild, repair, or otherwise reinstate in a good and substantial manner under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Works for the time being any premises destroyed or damaged. And that if the lessee shall at any time fail to insure or keep insured the said premises or to produce the receipt for any premium upon request, the lessor may do all things necessary to effect or maintain such insurance, and all moneys expended by him for such purpose shall be repaid by the lessee on demand.

(9) Not to assign this lease or create or transfer any interest therein nor mortgage his interest in this lease or create any charge in or over the said interests without the consent of the lessor first had and obtained in writing:—Provided that such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

(10) At the determination of this lease to yield up the demised premises with all buildings erected thereon during the said term and the additions thereto and all fixtures affixed thereto in good substantial and tenantable repair and condition.

3. The lessor hereby covenants with the lessee as follows:—

That the lessee paying the rent hereby reserved and observing and performing the several covenants and stipulations herein on his part contained shall peaceably hold and enjoy the demised premises during the said term without any interruption by the lessor or any person rightfully claiming under him.

4. Provided always and it is hereby expressly agreed as follows:—

If the rent hereby reserved or any part thereof shall be unpaid after the same shall become payable, or if any covenant on the lessee's part herein contained shall not be performed or observed, or if the lessee or other the person in whom for the time being the term hereby created shall be vested shall become bankrupt, then any of the said cases this demise shall absolutely cease and determine.

#### Lease of the Produce of Trees.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Western Province will sell by public auction, at his office in Colombo, at 12 noon, on Saturday, April 12, 1924, the lease of the produce of the trees on the two under-mentioned lots from April 15, 1924, to December 31, 1924, subject to the following conditions:—

1. The purchase amount should be paid in full on the day of sale by the purchaser.

2. The purchaser or his workmen shall not cut any tree or interfere with any existing fence or boundary.

3. The purchaser or his workmen shall not pick any immature nuts.

4. The purchaser shall not assign, transfer, or sublet without permission previously obtained in writing from the Government Agent.

5. The purchaser shall pay all Municipal taxes.

6. The Government Agent or any one acting under his authority will be entitled to re-enter into occupation at any time on giving one month's notice to the lessee.

7. The purchaser shall keep the premises clean and in good order, and also comply with the Municipal regulations.

8. The Government Agent shall have the liberty to cut as many trees as are found to be necessary, for which proportionate refunds will be made to the lessee.

9. In the event of any breach of the foregoing conditions the Government Agent will resume possession of the land, and eject the purchaser from the premises without compensation.

10. The Government Agent reserves the right to reject any bid or all bids.

*Lots of Land referred to.*

Preliminary plan 14,596.—Regent street.  
Ward place and Norris Canal road.

1. Lots O 12 and J 12 contain 64 coconut trees, 4 mango trees, 2 breadfruit trees, and 3 jak trees.

2. Eye Hospital premises contain 42 coconut trees, 3 mango trees, 2 breadfruit trees, and 3 arecanut trees.

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924.

R. N. THAINÉ,  
Government Agent.

**Auction Sale of Surrendered Firearms.**

THE under-mentioned firearms surrendered to me under section 28 (4) of "The Firearms Ordinance, No. 23 of 1916," will be sold by public auction at the Land Sale Room of the Galle Kachcheri, at 1 P.M. on May 2, 1924.

Any person purchasing a firearm will be required to deposit the full purchase amount immediately after the sale, but no firearm may be removed until a permit to purchase a gun under section 14 of the Ordinance is produced by the purchaser, and a license for the gun is obtained after payment of the license fee. A period of 3 weeks will be allowed for production of the permit and license. If a license is not obtained within this period the sale will be cancelled, and the purchase amount will be returned to the buyer.

*List of Firearms.*

4 revolvers.

The Kacheheri,  
Galle, March 27, 1924.P. H. DE LA HARPE,  
for Government Agent.**Notice of Sequestration for Default of Payment of Irrigation Rate under Maha Uswewa.**

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Irrigation Ordinance No. 45 of 1917, lot No. 3897, under Maha Uswewa Irrigation Work, and described in the schedule hereto, is declared specially bound and liable to pay a contribution of Rs. 5.93 per annum; and whereas default has been made in the payment of the said contribution for the year 1923: Notice is hereby given that the said land having been duly seized by the Water Rate Collector of Maha Uswewa on authority issued by me under section 65 (1) of the said Ordinance, and no purchaser having come forward at the sale thereof fixed for March 1, 1924, the said land will be put up for re-sale at the spot, on April 28, 1924, at 10 A.M., if the said amount, together with any costs payable under section 67, shall not be sooner paid or tendered.

Puttalam Kacheheri,  
March 28, 1924.E. R. SUDBURY,  
for Assistant Government Agent.*SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.**Date of Specification: February 9, 1912.*

Village: Maha Uswewa.

Serial No.	Lot No.	Name of Proprietor.	Amount. Rs. c.
132	3897	Ukku Banda, ex Arachchige Herathami and others of Alankulama	5 93

**Sale of Building Materials.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned building materials, which are at present lying in the Stores of the District Engineer, Buildings, will be sold by public auction on the spot on Saturday, April 12, 1924, at 2 P.M. :—

*List of Materials.*

1 lot cast iron gutters.	7 brass fittings in pieces
13 ventilator tiles	6 gas lamps
2 pedestal closets, broken	12 glass panes in pieces
7 fan lights	1 window frame
4 glazed doors	40 pieces of floor planks
4 glazed shutters	9 pieces of floor joists
12 louvered shutters	2 swing door shutters
1 flushing cistern	15 pieces of wooden railings
140 lineal feet G. I. gutters	1 lot iron pieces
70 lineal feet G. I. down pipes	1 Kandyan tile
26 gutter and down pipe hooks	1 piece of valley gutter
1 cistern head	1 broken basin
4 angle iron	2 manhole frames
5 brass window catches	4 sunshades
	26 squatting plates

2. The materials may be inspected at the site on or after April 5, 1924, on permit of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo.

3. The purchasers will be required to deposit the full amount of the purchase money with the District Engineer, Buildings, at the close of the auction, when the materials become the property of the respective buyers at their risk. All materials must be removed within three days from the date of sale.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Colombo, March 31, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

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

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

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

**Tea Estates.**

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

*Galle District.*

Galagawa estate .. Akuressa P. O.

PROVINCE OF UVA.

*Badulla District.*

Nilwa estate .. Bandarawela P. O.

*Hauptale District.*

Acton estate .. Bandarawela P. O.

Ambatenne estate .. do.

Arcadia estate .. Diyatalawa P. O.

Hapugahawatte estate .. do.

Kapuwatte alias Koswatte estate .. do.

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

A. W. R. JOACHIM,  
Department of Agriculture, for Director of Agriculture.  
Peradeniya, March 27, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 8, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,381 of March 14, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 24, situated at Jampettah street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infested area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infested area.

This declaration shall take effect from March 20, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 24, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated February 21, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,379 of February 29, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 83, situated at Mahawatta, Colombo, were proclaimed an infested area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infested area.

This declaration shall take effect from March 2, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 24, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,374 of February 8, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 10, situated at Maligawatta, Colombo, were proclaimed an infested area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infested area.

This declaration shall take effect from February 16, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 24, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,374 of February 8, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 46, situated at Wasala road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from February 5, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 24, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,374 of February 8, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 51/52, situated at Kochchikade, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from January 8, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 24, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,374 of February 8, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 76, situated at Barber street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from February 5, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 24, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 79, situated at Wolfendhal 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 March 10, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 24, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 195/196, situated at Grandpass 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 March 17, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 25, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 13, situated at New Urugodawatta 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 March 21, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 25, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 56, situated at Old Urugodawatta 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 March 22, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 26, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 153, situated at Chapel place, Grandpass, 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 March 24, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 27, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 14, situated at New Urugodawatta 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 March 24, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, March 27, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared infected at Meetotamulla, Nedimale, Welikade, and Watumulla (Watarappola) in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division of the Western Province, under section 5, subsections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and proclaimed in *Gazettes* of February 8, 15, and 29, 1924, are now free from rinderpest.

The Kachcheri, K. VAITHIANATHAN,  
Colombo, March 25, 1924. for Government Agent.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in garden No. 109, at Weragoda in Colombo Mudaliyar's division, in the District of Colombo, of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, published in the *Government Gazette* of January 4, 1924. The area is bounded on the north by Sedawatta Public Works Department road, east by Heen-ela, south and west by Grandpass canal.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

D. E. WIJESEKERA,  
Colombo Mudaliyar.  
Colombo Mudaliyar's Office,  
March 22, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the land called Gorakagahawatta, at Pannipitiya in Colombo Mudaliyar's division, in the District of Colombo of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, published in *Government Gazette* of January 4, 1924:—

This area is bounded on the north by high road to Mattegoda, east by the residing land of W. Agiris Fernando and Waljambughawatta, south by Errewwala fields, and west by Village Committee road to Errewwala.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

Colombo Mudaliyar's Office, D. E. WIJESEKERA,  
March 27, 1924. Colombo Mudaliyar.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in garden No. 199, at Nawala in Colombo Mudaliyar's division, in the District of Colombo of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by

Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, published in *Government Gazette* of January 4, 1924. :—

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

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

Colombo Mudaliyar's Office, D. E. WIJYESEKERA,  
March 27, 1924. Colombo Mudaliyar.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in garden No. 36, at Weragoda in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division, in the District of Colombo of the Western Province. It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, published in *Government Gazette* of January 4, 1924. :—

The area is bounded on the north by Kelani river, south by Railway line to Kolonnawa, east by land No. 60 belonging to V. C. Wijewardena, west by land No. 18 belonging to D. C. Wijewardena.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

Colombo Mudaliyar's Office, D. E. WIJYESEKERA,  
March 27, 1924. Colombo Mudaliyar.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Timbirigasyaya, in Ahitkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The land called Ambagahawatta, bounded on north by land belonging to Manchanayaka Arachchige Peduru Appu, east by the dewata road leading to the land belonging to Palihammadana Arachchige Andiris Perera, and west by land belonging to late Halahapperumage Paulu Fonseka Gunasekera and others.

This declaration is to take effect from this day.

TIMOTHY F. ABEYAKOON,  
Mudaliyar, Ahitkuru Korale South.

Wattala, March 20, 1924.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Henaratgoda in Siyane korale west of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by Waturugama Village Committee road, east by the lands of Don Davith, ex Police Vidane, and others, south by tract of fields, and west by the lands of M. Punchappu and others.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

Henaratgoda, D. C. R. WIJYESINGHE,  
March 25, 1924. Mudaliyar, Siyane Korale West.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on the land called Katukurundulanda at Kottawa, in Hewagam korale of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5,

sub-section (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by Delgahawatta belonging to Kassiyage Pody Appu, east by Egodawelle of Talgahakumbura, south by Delgahawatta belonging to R. de Carolis, and west by Kottawa Malapalle Gansabhawa road. This declaration is to take effect from this date.

A. ABHAYARATNE,  
March 24, 1924. Mudaliyar, Hewagam Korale.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on the land called Hunuganwalawatta at Talahena in Hewagam korale of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by Hellakandeniyakumbura, south by Gansabhawa road to Mulleriyawa, east and west by village cart road leading to Simona Hamy's property.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

A. ABHAYARATNE,  
March 25, 1924. Mudaliyar, Hewagam Korale.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Yakkala in Siyane korale west of the Western Province, It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by the land of G. Nonchi Hamy and tract of fields, east by Kandy road, south by the land of R. Jambuwa and others, and west by Werella estate.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

D. C. R. WIJYESINGHE,  
Mudaliyar, Siyane Korale West.  
Henaratgoda, March 27, 1924.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on the land called Mathotiya Malla at Mulleriyawa Udumulla in Hewagam korale, Western Province. It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by village boundary Mulleriyawa Udumulla, east by village boundary Weliwita and Kurundugasodella, south by dewata road from Araliya to Mulleriyawa tank, and west by Wewkandiya (bund of the tank).

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

A. ABHAYARATNE,  
March 26, 1924. Mudaliyar, Hewagam Korale.

#### Anthrax.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 10, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,382 of March 21, 1924, Mattamagoda in Dehigampal korale, Megodapota pattu of Three Korales, Kegalla District, was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas anthrax no longer exists in the said area, it is now declared free from anthrax, and no longer an infected area.

Kegalla, Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,  
March 24, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

## NOTICES UNDER "THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE," No. 11 OF 1920.

### Trade or Business of Auctioneer and Broker.

THE following person was licensed during the month of March to carry on the trade or business of an Auctioneer within the Matara Urban District Council area for the year 1924, and his name is published in terms of section 17 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1889, as amended by Ordinance No. 25 of 1922.

Aaron Perera Karunaratne, Weraduwa, Matara.

Office of the Urban District Council,  
Matara, March 26, 1924.

EDWARD BULTJENS,  
Chairman, Urban District Council, Matara.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

*Ref 90083*

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) Trade Mark No. 2,946.
- (2) Date of Receipt: August 2, 1923.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Marks): MAHARRAKKALAGE TELENIS FERNANDO, carrying on business as M. C. FERNANDO & BRO., 13, Norris road, Pettah, Colombo; Merchant.
- (4) Address for service in the Island, if any: —.
- (5) Class: Forty-five.
- (6) Goods: Cigars.
- (7): Mark:



*Ref*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, March 5, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
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) Trade Mark No. 3,103.
- (2) Date of Receipt: March 5, 1924.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE ASIATIC PETROLEUM COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company organized under the laws of Great Britain), St. Helens Court, Great St. Helens, London, England; Merchants.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, Bristol buildings, York street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Seventeen.
- (6) Goods: Manufactures of asphalt, bitumen, and other substances for road making.
- (7) Mark:

**SPRAMEX**

*Ref*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
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) Trade Mark No. 3,104.
- (2) Date of Receipt: March 5, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE ASIATIC PETROLEUM COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company organized under the laws of Great Britain), St. Helens Court, Great St. Helens, London, England; Merchants.

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

(5) Class: Four.

(6) Goods: Asphaltum and bitumen, raw or partly prepared, for use in manufactures.

(7) Mark:

**SPRAMEX**

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.

*Ref*

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) Trade Mark No. 3,105.

(2) Date of Receipt: March 5, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE UNITED KINGDOM TOBACCO COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company registered under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), 74-80, Middlesex street, Bishopsgate, London E., 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:

**FEDERAL**

*Ref*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
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) Trade Mark No. 3,111.

(2) Date of Receipt: March 8, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): CERTAIN-TEED PRODUCTS CORPORATION (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of Maryland, United States of America), No. 100, East 42nd street, City, County, and State of New York, United States of America; Manufacturers.

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

(5) Class: One.

(6) Goods: Chemical substances used in manufactures, photography, or philosophical research, and anti-corrosives.

(7) Mark:

**Certain-teed**

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.



*Recd*  
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) Trade Mark No. 3,112.  
(2) Date of Receipt: March 8, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): CERTAIN-TEED PRODUCTS CORPORATION (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of Maryland, United States of America), No. 100, East 42nd street, City, County, and State of New York, United States of America; Manufacturers.

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

- (5) Class: Thirty-six  
(6) Goods: Carpets, floor-cloth, and oil-cloth.  
(7) Mark:

**Certain-teed**

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Registrar-General.

*Recd*  
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) Trade Mark No. 3,113.  
(2) Date of Receipt: March 8, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): CERTAIN-TEED PRODUCTS CORPORATION (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of Maryland, United States of America), No. 100, East 42nd street, City, County, and State of New York, United States of America; Manufacturers.

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

- (5) Class: Seventeen.  
(6) Goods: Manufactures from mineral and other substances for building or decoration.  
(7) Mark:

**Certain-teed**

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Registrar-General.

*Recd*  
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) Trade Mark No. 3,114.  
(2) Date of Receipt: March 8, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): ALABASTINE COMPANY (BRITISH), LIMITED (a Company registered under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), 16, Church street, South Lambeth, London S. W., England; Manufacturers.

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

- (5) Class: One.  
(6) Goods: Colours, distempers, paints, enamels, varnishes, japans.  
(7) Mark:

**ALABASTINE**

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Registrar-General.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

### MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

NOTICE is hereby given that the bathing or washing of cattle at the under-mentioned place is prohibited, in terms of section 195 (1) of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.

Any person who contravenes such prohibition shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction, in terms of section 195 (2) of the same Ordinance, to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

*Place referred to.*

Bathing place known as Welikada-ela, near the old toll bar, Welikada.

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, March 25, 1924.

T. REID,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

### MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on January 19, 1924, at 8 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated January 15, 1924.

Present:—Hon. Mr. W. L. Kindersley, Chairman; Mr. J. C. Ratwatte; Mr. L. H. S. Pieris; Mr. G. E. de Silva; Mr. M. S. Usoof Ismail; Mr. S. A. Wijayatilleka; Dr. G. P. Hay; Mr. P. M. Bingham; and Dr. R. F. La Brooy.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the General Meeting and the Budget Meeting held on December 15, 1923, having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval and copies thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted:—

- (a) Statement of receipts and disbursements from close of 1922, to December 31, 1923, on account of the Municipal fund.  
(b) Progress report of works brought up to the same date.  
(c) Health Officer's report for December, 1923.  
(d) Statements of cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of December, 1923.  
(e) The reservoir readings for December, 1923.

Resolved that the statement (a), together with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, as required by section 83 of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910," be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the Government Gazette.

3. The following papers were laid on the table :—Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries bakeries, dairies, standpipes, and house-service taps inspected during December, 1923.

4. Mr. de Silva presented two petitions from P. S. Fernando Bros. of No. 86, Brownrigg street, and Mathias and Peter Fernando of No. 92, Brownrigg street, praying that they may be allowed to trade in dry-fish in their boutiques in Brownrigg street, until they secure premises elsewhere which could be licensed under the Dry-fish Regulations.

Resolved that the petitions be referred to the Sanitation Committee.

5. Correspondence—(1) Letter No. 47 of December 17, 1923, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, nominating Dr. Hay, Dr. La Brooy, and Mr. Bingham as Members of the Council for three years from January 1, 1924.—Read.

(2) Letter No. 48 of December 18, 1923, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, suggesting by-law for adoption to limit the speed of motor lorries to 8 miles per hour.—Read.

Resolved that the by-law as proposed by the Colonial Secretary be adopted.

(3) Letter No. 49 of December 20, 1923, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, sanctioning the grant of temporary increases to pensioners.—Read.

(4) Letter of January 7, 1924, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary to Mr. F. G. Morley, Colonial Auditor, appointing him Auditor for the Kandy Municipal Council for the year 1924.—Read.

(5) Letter No. 2 of January 15, 1924, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, approving the appropriation of taxes and license fees on motor buses and lorries in certain proportions by the Council and the Government.—Read.

(6) Letter No. 358 of December 20, 1923, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary to the Government Agent, Central Province, stating that Government is not prepared to fix up the Gampola bridge when removed at Lewella, but if the Council will undertake to carry out the work at their expense the bridge will be given free of cost.—Read.

Resolved that estimates be called for from known Engineering Firms and from the Public Works Department for cost of taking down, transporting, and erecting the bridge at Lewella and to ask sanction of Government to establish a toll at the bridge when erected.

(7) Letter No. 3,580 of December 18, 1923, from the Director of Public Works stating that he would reconsider the question of contributing for widening Cemetery road after the Financial Relations Commission issue their report.—Read.

(8) Letter of December 17, 1923, from the Hon. Secretary, Disabled Ceylon Men's Fund, stating that their offer to lend money cannot remain open till February.—Read.

6. Notice was given of the following motion by Dr. Hay :—In view of increasing motor traffic and the number of dangerous crossings and curves in Kandy, I intend to propose the following motion at the February meeting of the Council, in the interests of all road-users—(1) Adoption of white lines on curves ; (2) Traffic emerging from by-roads to be forced to come to a dead stop, on a line marked on the road-way, from which a view, both up and down the main road could be commanded ; (3) Buses and lorries to be not only equipped with mirrors, but to have a man behind to warn the driver of overtaking cars ; (4) Compulsory fitment of signalling arms on closed cars, buses, and lorries, where the seating position renders arm-signalling difficult ; (5) Where possible hedges or walls on approaches to cross roads and curves to be replaced by open railings.

7. Pursuant to notice, Mr. de Silva, moved—As the Buddhist portion of the burial ground in the General Cemetery is in a very bad condition, I move that the Superintendent of Works be asked to submit an estimate for restoring it to a good condition.—Mr. Wijayatilleka seconded.

The motion was adopted with the substitution of the words " Buddhist and Hindu area " for the words " Buddhist portion."

8. Papers relating to the division of the town into sections for scavenging with the cost of working each section, and the Medical Officer of Health's report on Dumping Grounds.—Resolved that the papers be circulated and brought up at next meeting.

9. Papers relating to the proposal from the Conservator of Forests for afforesting the catchment area of the reservoir.—Resolved that the terms offered by the Conservator of Forests be accepted, viz. :—The Forest Department might undertake the work in conjunction with the proposed fuel plantation on the Uduwela patanas, the expenses of formation will be chargeable to Forest Department votes, and the future management of the plantations will rest with the Conservator of Forests on the assurance that the water supply will not be polluted and the plantation once formed will be utilized with proper precautions, subject to the condition that the Conservator of Forests agrees to keep a separate account of all expenditure incurred on the work, and the Municipal Council have the option of taking the plantations over on payment of all charges with interest at any future date.

10. Papers relating to the amendment to the Municipal Pension Minute.—Resolved that the papers be circulated and brought up at next Meeting.

11. To obtain sanction for the grant of an extension of three months' half-pay leave to Mr. J. R. Jayatileke, Secretary, Municipal Council, from March 1, 1924, on the ground of ill-health—Medical Certificates submitted.—Resolved that the extension of three months' leave on half-pay be sanctioned.

12. To nominate two members for the Education District Committee of the Municipal Town of Kandy, under section 18 (2) (a) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.—Resolved that Mr. J. C. Ratwatte, and Mr. S. A. Wijayatilleka be nominated.

13. Recommendations of the Standing Committees :—

*S. C. (A).*

(1) That Miss van Dort be offered Rs. 250, without prejudice, the Council not admitting that they incurred any legal obligation, as compensation for losses sustained by her as a result of the acquisition proceedings with regard to her property, No. 19, Lady MacCarthy's road.

(2) That the following by-law be made regarding glaring head-lights on motor cars :—No head light shall be used within the limits of the Municipality of Kandy, except on the following conditions :—

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

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

(iii.) No lamp constructed to be used as a head-light shall be used as a side light within the Municipal limits of Kandy.

(iv.) In the case of side lights either oil lamps shall be used or electric lamps not exceeding 6 candle-power.

*S. C. (C).*

(3) That Supplemental Budget No. 2 of 1923 be adopted.

(4) That the staff of the Electricity Department engaged on the erection of the Storage Battery be paid half month's pay each by way of remuneration for overtime work done.

## S. C. (D).

(5) That the following steps be taken with regard to the under-mentioned lots of land in preliminary plan 6,980 :—

Lot. No. 124—To notice estate of the encroachment and to inquire what steps they propose to take, meantime to demand a rent of Re. 1 per acre.

Lots 125 and 126—To offer to sell to estate.

Lots 31, 33, and 35—To take same action as in lot 124.

Lot 34—To sell.

Lots 55 and 57—To be exchanged with land of equal value.

(6) That a vote of Rs. 350 be taken to meet half cost of rebuilding retaining wall opposite Castle Hill bungalow in Gregory road.

(7) That the following applications for water service be allowed :—

(i.) 96, Colombo street—W. M. Fernando.

(ii.) 325, Trincomalee street—Solomon de Silva.

(iii.) 168, Peradeniya road—T. A. S. Pillai.

Resolved that the recommendations be adopted.

14. To re-appoint the following Committees :—

(1) Special Committee appointed to inquire generally into the working of the various departments with a view to reorganization of the same as will ensure retrenchment coupled with greater efficiency—(Chairman, Messrs. Ratwatte, Pieris, and de Silva, Dr. Hay, Mr. Bingham, and Dr. Attygalle).

(2) Special Committee appointed to consider the question of abolishing of the Poll Tax—(Law and Finance Committees).

(3) Special Committee appointed to consider the question of starting a propaganda for advertising Kandy town—(Chairman, Messrs. Ratwatte, Pieris, de Silva, Dr. Hay, Messrs. Valipuram and Perera).

(4) Special Committee appointed to consider the advisability of opening an Industrial School within Municipal limits—(Messrs. Ratwatte, de Silva, and Perera).

Resolved that the Special Committees be re-appointed with the addition of Messrs. Ismail and Wijetileke, and the omission of Dr. Attygalle in No. (1); addition of Messrs. Ismail and Wijetileke, and the omission of Messrs. Valipuram and Perera in No. (3); addition of Messrs. Ismail and Wijetileke, and the omission of Mr. Perera in No. (4).

15. To elect Standing Committees for 1924.

The elections resulted as follows :—

A.—Law and General Subjects : Messrs. G. E. de Silva, S. A. Wijetileke, and L. H. S. Pieris.

B.—Sanitation and Markets : Dr. G. P. Hay, Dr. R. F. La Brooy, and Mr. P. M. Bingham.

C.—Finance and Assessment : Messrs. J. C. Ratwatte, M. S. Usoof Ismail, and Dr. G. P. Hay.

D.—Works : Messrs. J. C. Ratwatte, P. M. Bingham, and L. H. S. Pieris.

Confirmed this 16th day of February, 1924 :

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy.

## A.—GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT.

## Revenue Account for One Month, January 1 to 31, 1924.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1924.		Incurred from January 1 to 31, 1924.		REVENUE.	Estimated for 1924.		Accrued from January 1 to 31, 1924.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1 Administrative, personal emoluments ..	62,719	0	5,270	66	1 Consolidated rate ..	188,000	0	—	—
1A Administrative, other charges ..	17,543	0	1,987	68	2 Taxes ..	27,755	0	3,157	0
2 Rice allowance to coolies ..	1,500	0	—	—	3 Tolls ..	27,066	0	406	37
3 Collectors ..	10,480	0	148	50	4 License fees and stamp duties—				
4 Infectious diseases, prevention ..	5,000	0	235	33	(a) License fees ..	4,500	0	719	60
5 Scavenging streets and removal of house and trade refuse ..	29,213	75	2,047	4	(b) Stamp duties ..	13,850	0	1,538	0
6 Conservancy of latrines ..	42,820	0	3,136	37	5 Slaughter-house fees ..	9,330	0	858	84
7 Minor sanitary services ..	1,895	0	52	77	6 Conservancy fees ..	28,150	0	2,621	68
8 Roads, buildings, parks, &c., maintenance ..	43,441	72	5,126	84	7 Rents ..	61,100	0	5,006	91
9 Public lighting ..	28,500	0	2,401	17	8 Judicial fines ..	3,500	0	295	74
10 Water services ..	11,600	0	1,167	45	9 Water service ..	10,275	0	3,578	29
11 Town improvements ..	6,750	0	573	59	10 Government grants ..	34,100	0	—	—
12 Markets ..	7,316	0	611	17	11 Education account ..	1,200	0	1,060	80
13 Slaughter-houses ..	3,214	0	244	50	12 Miscellaneous receipts ..	14,900	0	1,845	25
14 Cemetery ..	2,338	0	181	30		423,726	0	21,088	38
15 Municipal Court ..	2,222	0	143	50	Balance being excess of expenditure over revenue ..	—	—	14,990	46
16 Police ..	30,000	0	—	—					
17 Education ..	4,040	0	230	53					
18 Free library ..	2,400	0	2,400	0					
19 Poor relief and public recreation ..	4,400	0	212	45					
20 Pensions ..	4,398	83	366	51					
21 Loan repayments and interest ..	49,394	84	8,500	0					
22 Miscellaneous services ..	11,180	0	1,038	52					
	382,366	14	36,075	88					
23 Capital expenditure (provided from revenue) ..	33,266	93	2	96					
	415,633	7	36,078	84					
									36,078 84

## Balance Sheet on January 31, 1924.

LIABILITIES.	Amount.		Total.		Expended up to Dec., 1923.		Expended in January, 1924.		Total			
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.				
Loans outstanding —					ASSETS AND CAPITAL							
Government of Ceylon ..	105,402	98			OUTLAY.							
Local loans, Commissioners on December 31, 1923 ..	190,000				Town Hall and Municipal Offices ..	37,469	98	—	37,469	98		
Less repayment in January, 1924 ..	5,000				Markets ..	73,479	2	—	73,479	2		
	185,000	0			Rice granaries and depôts ..	60,138	58	—	60,138	58		
Loans redeemed account on Dec. 31, 1923 ..	313,897	2	290,402	98	School buildings ..	7,252	95	—	7,252	95		
Redeemed, Jan., 1924 ..	5,000	0			Model dwellings ..	135,407	29	3,108	50	138,515	79	
			318,897	2	Other Municipal buildings ..	59,771	91	—	59,771	91		
Revenue contributions to capital outlay ..	—		538,436	96	Roads, streets, &c. ..	104,932	42	—	104,932	42		
Sinking fund:—					Drainage ..	134,006	77	—	134,006	77		
Amount to credit invested as per contra ..	—		54,365	20	Public latrines ..	19,146	0	—	19,146	0		
Government contribution towards increasing the sources of Kandy water supply ..	—		17,365	0	Carriage and rickshaw stands ..	371	78	—	371	78		
Sundry creditors:—					Recreation grounds ..	30,374	26	—	30,374	26		
Police bill account ..	5,000	0			Waterworks ..	295,366	45	—	295,366	45		
Tradesmen ..	10,054	13			Lands in the catchment area ..	103,000	0	—	103,000	0		
Outstanding wages ..	3,777	47			Steam road rollers ..	14,902	36	—	14,902	36		
Market stall rent securities ..	4,116	0			Conservancy hand carts ..	226	0	—	226	0		
Model tenement securities ..	474	0			Deacon meters ..	7,298	50	—	7,298	50		
Sundry securities ..	5,571	60				1,083,144	25	3,108	50	1,086,252	75	
Free library deposits ..	3,381	65			Loan to Electricity Department ..			—	—	224,154	83	
Tender deposits ..	750	0			Investments by trustees of the Sinking Fund ..			—	—	54,365	20	
Miscellaneous deposits ..	2,345	40			Stocks and stores:—							
Tools and stores lost account ..	3	0			Stores ..			6,163	1			
Advertising committee ..	135	9			Rice ..			51	50			
			46,108	34	Stationary stock account ..			56	0			
Back lane scheme, contribution ..	—		5,080	84						6,270	51	
Mercantile Bank overdraft ..	—		68,602	97	Value of goods misappropriated by the late storekeeper ..			—	—	1,910	88	
Revenue account, balance from 1923 ..	84,467	67			Sundry debtors:—							
Less excess of expenditure over revenue for January, 1924 ..	14,990	46			Rates, taxes, &c. ..			31,279	0			
			69,477	21	Advance of pay ..			549	43			
					Miscellaneous advances ..			2,492	15			
										34,320	58	
					Petty cash in hand ..					461	74	
			1,408,736	52	Times Book Club account ..					1,000	0	
											1,408,736	52

## B.—ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

## Revenue Account for the Month, January 1 to 31, 1924.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1924.		Expended in Jan. 1924.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Generation of electricity —						
Fuel ..	18,150	54	1,030	42		
Oil, waste, and engine room stores ..	6,199	0	460	1		
Salaries and wages at works ..	8,296	0	603	69		
Repairs and maintenance	1,380	0	—	—		
(a) Buildings ..	1,500	0	248	51	2,342	63
Distribution of electricity —						
Salaries of outdoor staff ..	1,600	0	679	44		
Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus ..	2,900	0	854	8	1,533	52
Public lamps —						
Attendance and maintenance ..	7,040	0	438	94	438	94
Works executed for customers:—						
Labour ..	3,000	0	115	71		
Materials ..	4,500	0	728	52	844	23
Management and general expenses —						
Salaries ..	15,040	0	1,253	50		
Rent of Engineer's bungalow ..	1,200	0	100	0		
Printing and stationery ..	7	0	29	17		
Audit fees ..	250	0	—	—		
Insurance ..	937	50	78	13		
Legal expenses ..	50	0	—	—		
Telephone ..	225	0	225	0		
Sundry charges ..	250	0	257	91		
Bicycle ..	200	0	—	—		
					1,943	71
Total amount of working expenses ..	73,468	06	7,103	3	7,103	3
Gross profit carried to nett revenue account ..	—		—		4,752	33
					11,855	36

INCOME.	Estimated	Realized	Total.
	for 1924.	in January, 1924.	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Sale of electricity :—			
Private lighting .. .. .	78,000 0	7,057 42	
Power of heating .. .. .	—	—	
Public lighting .. .. .	36,000 0	2,619 53	
Municipal Departments .. .. .	475 0	53 20	
			9,730 15
Public lamps :—			
Attendance and maintenance .. .. .	—	—	
Works executed for customers and goods sold :—			
From customers .. .. .	9,500 0	1,882 21	1,882 21
Rent of meters :—			
Recoveries .. .. .	3,000 0	243 0	243 0
Sundry revenue :—			
Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .	500 0	—	—
	121,475 0		11,855 36

Kandy, February 15, 1924.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

## Nett Revenue Account January 1 to 31, 1924.

	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Interest .. .. .	1,518 0	Balance from 1923 .. .. .	47,347 0
Balance (Nett profit) .. .. .	50,581 33	Gross profit for the month, as per revenue account .. .. .	4,752 33
	52,099 33		52,099 33

Kandy, February 15, 1924.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

## Balance Sheet, January 31, 1924.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Expended up to Dec. 31, 1923.	During 1924.	Total.
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Temporary loan from Municipal fund .. .. .	224,154 86	Capital outlay —			
Sundry creditors .. .. .	10,935 94	Acquisition of un-			
Customers deposits .. .. .	2 47	dertaking .. .. .	150,000 0	—	150,000 0
Nett revenue account :—		Extension to			
Balance at credit .. .. .	50,581 33	buildings .. .. .	10,603 33	—	10,603 36
		New parts for			
		engines .. .. .	7,276 73	—	7,276 73
		Storage battery .. .. .	47,867 70	1,006 25	48,873 95
		Switch board .. .. .	1,940 60	—	1,940 60
		Meters .. .. .	1,388 67	—	1,388 67
		Mains .. .. .	22,558 62	—	22,558 62
		Air compressor .. .. .	2,319 21	—	2,319 21
			243,954 9	1,006 25	244,961 14
		Stores on hand .. .. .	—	—	20,668 90
		Fittings on hire pur-			
		chase agreements .. .. .	—	—	800 57
		Sundry debtors .. .. .	—	—	18,204 24
		Insurance premium			
		paid in advance .. .. .	—	—	179 66
		Petty cash .. .. .	—	—	36 98
		Engineer's account .. .. .	—	—	823 11
	285,674 60				285,674 60

Kandy, February 15, 1924.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

## High Forest-Bramley 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, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 138, sanctioned on December 8, 1923.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 1,575.00  
Private contributions .. Rs. 1,590.75

1st to 4th section, 1.92 mile.

Total acreage, 3,054—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,585.95—  
Sectional rate, .5193c.—Total rate, .5193c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
Bois Bros., Agents (R. R. Jaques)	Kurunduoya	683	354 68
J. M. Robertson & Co. (F. F. Woodyer)	Rillamulla	230	119 44
Carson & Co. (T. H. Williams)	Bramley	297	154 23
Boustead Bros. (T. H. Williams)	Lauriston	235	122 4
Whittall & Co. (W. Polson)	High Forest	1,609	835 56
Total			1,585 95

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1924.

N.B.—Private contributions .. Rs. c. 1,590.75  
Unexpended balance on September 30, 1923 .. 4 80

Amount to be recovered on account 1923-24 .. 1,585 95

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.  
Kandy, March 25, 1924.

## Dotale Branch Road.

(Between Wattegama near Railway Bridge and Elkaduwa.)  
(Flood Damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for repairing flood damages on the above road for the year ending September 30, 1924, 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 655, sanctioned on January 9, 1924.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 250.00  
Private contributions .. Rs. 256.25

Total acreage, 2,728—Rate per acre, .0939.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
P. W. Mackie and F. A. E. Price	Merrig	100	9 40
Ukuwela Estates Co. (H. L. Anley)	Talingamadde	75	7 6
Bosanquet & Co. (F. A. E. Price)	Elkaduwa Group	886	83 21
Skeen & Co. (C. A. Evans)	Hinugalla Group	686	64 43
C. W. Mackie & F. A. E. Price	Weygalla	344	32 31
H. L. Anley	Mahatenna	384	36 7
Geo. Steuart & Co. (C. G. Graham)	Galgawatta	253	23 77
Total			256 25

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1924.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.  
Kandy, March 25, 1924.

## Duckwari-Ferndale 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, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 92, sanctioned on November 14, 1923.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 1,314.00  
Private contributions .. Rs. 1,327.14

1st section,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile.

Total acreage, 3,769—Moiety of cost, Rs. 269.08—  
Sectional rate, .0713c.—Total rate, .0713c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
Heirs of C. J. Patterson (E. R. Cox)	Peru	138	9 94

1st and 2nd sections,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mile.

Total acreage, 3,631—Moiety of cost, Rs. 269.08—  
Sectional rate, .0741c.—Total rate, .1454c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (W. S. Symons); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Rangalla	130	18 94

1st to 3rd section,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles.

Total acreage, 3,501—Moiety of cost, Rs. 269.08—  
Sectional rate, .0768c.—Total rate, .2222c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (W. S. Symons); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Poodelgodde	331	73 65

1st to 4th section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 3,170—Moiety of cost, Rs. 269.08—  
Sectional rate, .0848c.—Total rate, .3070c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (W. S. Symons); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Madultenne	202	62 11

1st to 5th section,  $3\frac{3}{4}$  miles.

Total acreage, 2,968—Moiety of cost, Rs. 269.09—  
Sectional rate, .0906c.—Total rate, .3976c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
The Rangalla Tea Co., Ltd. (W. S. Symons); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Kaladuriya	216	85 98
A. H. Kerr & Beilby	Ferndale	310	123 36
Galaha Co. (A. H. Kerr)	Liangapella	338	134 49
Rangalla Consolidated Tea Co., Ltd. (W. S. Symons); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Esperanza	523	208 4
Do.	Mount Mar and Winfield Park	500	198 90
R. H. Ellis	St. Martins	594	236 27
H. J. Temple and D. Scott (D. E. Burnett)	Kaluratty and Keloya	487	193 73
Total			1,345 41

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1924.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions ..	1,327 14
Flood damages: unexpended balance on September 30, 1923 ..	1 3
	1,326 11
Excess on maintenance, 1922-23 ..	19 30
	1,345 41

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, March 25, 1924.

#### Nugatenna-Deanstone Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the said road as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 91, sanctioned November 14, 1923.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 1,314·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 1,327·14
1st to 5th section, 2½ miles.	
Total acreage, 4,077½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 702·25—	
Sectional rate, ·1722c.—Total rate, ·1722c.	
	Amount.
Proprietors or Agents. Estates. Acreage. Rs. c.	
Burke Estates Co., Ltd. (R. G. Johnston) .. Nugagalla ..	222 .. 38 23
1st to 8th section, 3¼ miles.	
Total acreage, 3,855½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 351·12—	
Sectional rate, ·0910c.—Total rate, ·2632c.	
S. Moorhouse (J. G. Horsfall) .. Nawangalla ..	295 .. 77 70
1st to 10th section, 4·77 miles.	
Total acreage, 3,560½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 286·54—	
Sectional rate, ·0804c.—Total rate, ·3436c.	
Whittall & Co. (J. G. Horsfall) .. Meemunugala ..	535 .. 183 88
Do. .. Deanstone ..	576 .. 197 97
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston) .. Hare Park ..	454 .. 156 5
Whittall & Co. (J. G. Horsfall) .. Kobonella ..	718 .. 246 76
Kana Luna Meeya Pulle .. Fincham's Land No. 1 ..	96 .. 33 4
Puncha, Vidane Duraya .. Fincham's Land No. 2 ..	31½ .. 10 88
Whittall & Co. (J. G. Horsfall) .. Ensalwatta ..	264 .. 90 76
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston) .. Dehigolla ..	475 .. 163 26
Do. .. Loolooowatta ..	309 .. 106 23
S. P. Santhiveeram and M. Aiyasamy .. Seacumbura ..	22 .. 7 61
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston) .. Yahangalla ..	80 .. 27 54
	Total .. 1,339 91

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contribution ..	1,327 14
Deduct unexpended balance on September 30, 1923, flood damages estimate ..	1 35
	1,325 79
Add excess on maintenance 1922-23 ..	14 12
	1,339 91

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1924.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, March 25, 1924.

#### Darrawella-Annfield 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, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 175, sanctioned on December 7, 1923.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 1,440·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 1,454·40
1st section, 32·85 lines.	
Total acreage, 2,883—Moiety of cost, Rs. 266·90—	
Sectional rate, ·09257c.—Total rate, ·09257c.	
	Amount.
Proprietors or Agents. Estates. Acreage. Rs. c.	
N. G. Campbell .. Darrawella ..	629 .. 58 23
1st to 2nd section, 1 mile 17·65 lines.	
Total acreage, 2,254—Moiety of cost, Rs. 305·48—	
Sectional rate, ·13552c.—Total rate, ·22809c.	
Carson Co. .. Hadley ..	228 .. 52 0
1st to 3rd section, 1 mile 32·56 lines.	
Total acreage, 2,026—Moiety of cost, Rs. 121·15—	
Total rate, ·28788c.	
M. L. Wilkins .. Invery ..	513 .. 147 70
R. C. Scott .. Ottery, No. 1 ..	243 .. 69 96
1st to 4th section, 2 miles 19·07 lines.	
Total acreage, 1,270—Moiety of cost, Rs. 319·40—	
Sectional rate, ·25149c.—Total rate, ·53937c.	
R. C. Scott .. Ottery ..	138 .. 74 44
(Stamford Hill Division.)	
1st to 5th section, 2 miles 31·84 lines.	
Total acreage, 1,132—Moiety of cost, Rs. 103·75—	
Sectional rate, ·09165c.—Total rate, ·63102c.	
A. G. Johnstone .. St. Leys ..	130 .. 82 4
1st to 6th section, 3·50 miles.	
Total acreage 1,002—Moiety of cost, Rs. 384·75—	
Sectional rate, ·38398c.—Total rate, 1·01500c.	
H. B. Daniel (Agent) .. Annfield ..	284 .. 288 27
George Steuart & Co. .. Roscrea ..	205 .. 208 8
H. M. McLeod .. Erlsmere ..	173 .. 175 60
Vogan Tea Company (Lee, Hedges & Co., Agents; A. Alger, Superintendent) Stamford Hill ..	138 .. 140 7
Do. .. Barkindale ..	81 .. 82 22
H. B. Daniel .. Kinloch ..	121 .. 122 82
	Total .. 1,501 43

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1924.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions ..	1,454 40
Excess, 1922-23 ..	47 3
	Amount to be recovered on account 1923-24 .. 1,501 43

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, March 25, 1924.

**Bathford Valley Branch Road.**

(Between Dikoya Post Office and Tillyrie Stores.)

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, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 168, sanctioned on November 26, 1923.)

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Government contribution			Rs. 2,610.00
Private contributions			Rs. 2,636.10
1st section, 1 mile.			
Total acreage, 7,851—Moiety of cost, Rs. 406.51—			
Sectional rate, .05177c.—Total rate, .05177c.			
Anglo-Ceylon and General Estates Co.	Darawella	629	32 57
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited	Menikwatta	478	24 75
Battalgalla Tea Estates Company	Hadley	228	11 81
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited	Invery	306	15 85
Vogan Tea Company	Stamford Hill	138	7 15
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited	Waterloo	207	10 72
H. B. Daniell	Annfield	284	14 71
Do.	Kinloch	121	6 27
R. C. Scott	Ottery	381	19 73
H. M. Me Leod	Erlsmere	173	8 96
Trustees of the late W. H. Walker	Roserea and Dorothea	205	10 62
J. W. Holt (A. G. Johnstone)	St. Ley's	130	6 74
1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.			
Total acreage, 4,571—Moiety of cost, Rs. 813.02—			
Sectional rate .17786c.—Total rate .22963c.			
Battalgalla Tea Estates Co.	Battalgalla	444	101 96
Lanka Tea Estates Co.	Fordyce Group	938	215 40
Vogan Tea Estates Company	Barkindale	81	18 61
1st to 4th section, 4 miles.			
Total acreage, 3,108—Moiety of cost, Rs. 406.51—			
Sectional rate, .13079c.—Total rate, .36042c.			
Chas. Mackwood & Co.	Bathford	219	78 94
Hornsey Tea Estates Company, Limited	Hornsey	251	90 47
1st to 5th section, 5 miles.			
Total acreage, 2,638—Moiety of cost, Rs. 406.51—			
Sectional rate, .15409c.—Total rate, .51451c.			
Whittall & Co.	Ingestre	732	376 63
Hornsey Tea Estates Company, Limited	Abercainey	222	114 23
C. Mackwood & Co.	Berat	226	116 28
Mrs. F. A. Davis	Blinkbonnie	223	114 74
1st to 7th section, 6.60 miles.			
Total acreage, 1,235—Moiety of cost, Rs. 650.42—			
Sectional rate, .52665c.—Total rate, 1.04116c.			
The Ceylon Tea Plantation Company, Limited	Tillyrie	756	787 12
South Wanarajah Co.	Poyston	316	329 0
The Robgill Tea Co., Ltd.	Bon Accord	163	169 71
Total			2,682 97

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1924.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions	2,636 10
Excess, 1922-23	46 87

Amount to be recovered on account 1923-24 .. 2,682 97

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, March 25, 1924. Chairman.

**Padiyapelella-Ellamulla Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 78, sanctioned on November 7, 1923.)

	Rs. c.		
Government moiety	Rs. 1,800.00		
Private contributions	Rs. 1,818.00		
1st to 4th section, 4 miles.			
Total acreage, 1,753—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,478.80—			
Sectional rate, .8435c.—Total rate, .8435c.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co. (N. Rayner)	Kabaragala	560	472 44
1st to 5th section, 4.89 miles.			
Total acreage, 1,193—Moiety of cost, Rs. 329.39—			
Sectional rate, .2760c.—Total rate, 1.1195c.			
The Anglo-American Direct Tea Trading Co., Ltd. (J. Graham Bell)	Mandaranewara	474	530 72
Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. (C. D. O. Marriott)	Ellamulla Group	719	805 0
Total			1,808 16

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1924.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions	1,818 0
Unexpended balance on September 30, 1923	9 84

Amount to be recovered on account 1923-24 .. 1,808 16

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, March 25, 1924. Chairman.

**Wariyapola-Kandanewara Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held on Saturday, April 12, 1924, at the Kandanewera Factory, at 9.30 A.M.

*Business.*

- To consider the application of Pitakande Group to withdraw its traffic from this road.
- Any other business brought properly before the meeting.

Wariyapola Estate, JOHN A. M. BOND,  
Matale, March 22, 1924. Chairman, Local Committee.

**Election of Member, District Committee, Mullaittivu.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under the 26th clause of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of European Member of the District Committee of Mullaittivu, for the remaining period of 1924, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Northern Province, at least 10 days before the day of election. The election will be held on April 28, 1924, at noon, at the Mullaittivu Kachechi.

Provincial Road Committee, C. RASANAYAGAM,  
Jaffna, March 25, 1924. Secretary.



## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

## Statement of Receipts and Payments of the Town of Yatiyantota for the Year 1923.

RECEIPTS.		Amount.	Total.	PAYMENTS.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1922	..	—	1,698 99				
REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.			
Taxes ..	..	2,476 36		Establishment ..	..	823 19	
Licenses ..	..	1,264 90		Commission ..	..	214 63	
Rents ..	..	60 0		Office contingencies ..	..	99 98	
Slaughter-house fees ..	..	191 2		Sanitation ..	..	1,411 73	
Interest on fixed deposit ..	..	45 0		Lighting ..	..	190 58	
Miscellaneous ..	..	3 0		Audit ..	..	42 36	
			4,040 28	Miscellaneous ..	..	157 86	
				Balance on December 31, 1923	..	—	2,920 33
Total ..		5,739 27					2,818 94
				Total ..		5,739 27	

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities on December 31, 1923.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Rs. c.
Surplus ..	2,818 94	Cash in Kegalla Kacheheri ..	2,918 94

## Statement of Receipts and Payments of the Town of Dehiowita for the Year 1923.

RECEIPTS.		Amount.	Total.	PAYMENTS.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1922	..	—	3,905 18				
REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.			
Taxes ..	..	2,674 47		Establishment ..	..	943 20	
Licenses ..	..	1,055 71		Commission ..	..	213 81	
Slaughter-house fees ..	..	357 30		Office contingencies ..	..	99 97	
Interest on fixed deposit ..	..	135 0		Sanitation ..	..	1,261 57	
Cemetery fees ..	..	16 0		Lighting ..	..	194 25	
Miscellaneous ..	..	4 51		Audit ..	..	39 40	
			4,242 99	Miscellaneous ..	..	156 69	
				Balance on December 31, 1923	..	—	2,908 89
Total ..		8,148 17					5,239 28
				Total ..		8,148 17	

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities on December 31, 1923.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Rs. c.
Surplus ..	5,239 28	Cash in Kegalla Kacheheri ..	5,239 28

Kegalla Kacheheri,  
March 26, 1924.J. R. WALTERS,  
Chairman.

## Statement of all Moneys received and paid, and all Sums levied and expended under "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinances, 1892-1900," for the Small Town of Vavuniya for the Year 1923.

RECEIPTS.		Amount.	Total.	PAYMENTS.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1922	..	—	141 27				
Assessment tax ..	..	427 22		Administration ..	..	288 29	
Licenses ..	..	255 0		Sanitation ..	..	673 69	
Road Ordinance collection ..	..	701 25		Public works ..	..	172 18	
Market and gala rents ..	..	288 34		Miscellaneous ..	..	2 0	
Miscellaneous ..	..	23 25					
			1,695 6	Balance ..	..	—	1,136 16
Total ..		1,836 33					700 17
				Total ..		1,836 33	

## Statement of Arrears of Sanitary Rates at end of 1923 for the Sanitary Board Town of Vavuniya.

For which Quarter.	Amount.	For which Quarter.	Amount.
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
First quarter ..	5 2	Fourth quarter ..	142 89
Second quarter ..	27 88		
Third quarter ..	142 89		
			319 33

Sanitary Board Office,  
Mullaittivu, February 27, 1924.M. K. T. SANDYS,  
Chairman.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

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Prices of Foodstuffs, &amp;c., in Colombo, on April 2, 1924.

	Per	Wholesale.		Per	Retail.		Per	Wholesale.		Per	Retail.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.					Rs. c.	Rs. c.		
Paddy, Country	.. Bushel	.. 2 75	.. Measure	..	..	Salt	..	..	..lb.	..	0 6
Paddy, Imported	.. do.	.. 3 0	.. do.	..	..	Dried Chillies	..	..	.. do.	..	0 22
Rice, Country	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	..	Corriander	..	..	.. do.	..	0 18
Rice, Kara	.. do.	.. 5 50	.. do.	..	0 17½	Pepper	..	..	.. Measure	..	0 40
Rice, Kallunda	.. do.	.. 5 75	.. do.	..	0 18	Garlic	..	..	..lb.	..	0 48
Rice, Sulai	.. do.	.. 5 88	.. do.	..	0 19	Mustard	..	..	.. Measure	..	0 36
Rice, Muttusamba	.. do.	.. 7 0	.. do.	..	0 22	Turmeric	..	..	..lb.	..	0 48
Raw Rice (Rangoon)	.. do.	.. 6 0	.. do.	..	—	Fenugreek	..	..	.. do.	..	0 18
Raw Rice (Singapore)	.. do.	.. 5 50	.. do.	..	—	Cummin	..	..	.. do.	..	0 60
Raw Rice (Batavia)	.. do.	..	.. do.	..	—	Aniseed	..	..	.. do.	..	0 36
Dhall (Tuvarai)	..	..	.. Seer	..	0 22	Tamarind	..	..	.. do.	..	0 12
Dhall (Mussouri)	..	..	.. do.	..	0 16	Jaggery	..	..	.. Bundle	..	30-36c.
Green Peas	..	..	.. do.	..	0 16	Gingelly	..	..	.. Seer	..	0 25
Ulundu	..	..	.. do.	..	0 16	Gingelly Oil	..	..	.. Bottle	..	1 0
Gram	..	..	.. do.	..	0 14	Coconut Oil	..	..	.. Measure	..	0 60
Wheat Flour	..	..	..lb.	..	0 13	Kerosine Oil, Daylight	..	..	.. Bottle	..	—
American Flour	..	..	.. do.	..	0 12	Kerosine Oil, Elephant	..	..	.. do.	..	—
Ghee, Cow	..	..	.. Bottle	..	5 0	Brand	..	..	.. do.	..	—
Ghee, Buffalo	..	..	.. Seer	..	2 75	Kerosine Oil, Monkey	..	..	.. do.	..	0 19
Milk	..	..	.. Bottle	..	0 40	Brand	..	..	.. do.	..	—
Potatoes (Indian)	..	..	..lb.	..	0 10	Bulk Oil, Rising Sun	..	..	.. do.	..	—
Potatoes (Bangalore)	..	..	.. do.	..	0 9	Matches, Three Stars	..	..	.. Packet of	..	0 16
Onions (Bombay)	..	..	.. do.	..	0 7	12 boxes	..	..	..	..	0 16
Onions, Red	..	..	.. do.	..	0 7	Matches, (Ceylon)	..	..	.. do.	..	—
Bread	..	..	..1-lb. loaf	..	0 18	Matches (Japanese)	..	..	.. do.	..	0 14
Tea	..	..	..lb.	..	1 0	Beef	..	..	..lb.	..	0 35
Coffee	..	..	.. do.	..	0 60	Mutton	..	..	.. do.	..	0 80
Limes	..	..	..Dozen	..	0 24	Pork	..	..	.. do.	..	0 60
Coconut	..	..	..Each	..	0 10	Chicken	..	..	..Each	..	50-75c.
Sugar, Soft	..	..	..lb.	..	0 26	Eggs	..	..	.. do.	..	0 7
Sugar, Crepe	..	..	.. do.	..	0 23	Dry Fish, Nettali (Hal-	..	..	..lb.	..	0 30
Sugar, Ceylon	..	..	.. do.	..	—	messan)	..	..	.. do.	..	0 68
Sugar, Candy	..	..	.. do.	..	0 32	Dry Fish (Maldiva)	..	..	.. do.	..	—
Sugar, Brown	..	..	.. do.	..	—						
Salt	..	..	.. Measure	..	0 12						

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, April 2, 1924.G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.