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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS a road $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles in length, leading from Arambakade to Bokkawala, in the District of Kandy, Central Province, has been constructed by the proprietors of Morankande estate and Morankande plumbago mines, and maintained by the District Road Committee, Kandy, and the estates concerned:

And whereas such proprietors have applied to the Governor that such road may be treated as a road constructed under "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," and it is to Us expedient to declare that the said road shall be treated as a road under the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power vested in Us by section 38 of the said Ordinance, do hereby proclaim and declare that the said road of $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles in length, leading from Arambakade to Bokkawala, in the District of Kandy, Central Province, and constructed by the proprietors of the said Morankande estate and Morankande plumbago mines, and maintained by the District Road Committee, Kandy, and the estates concerned, shall be treated, as from and after the First day of April, 1924, as a road made under the said "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902."

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

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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

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WHEREAS a building has been erected by the Sanitary Board of the Colombo District on the land called Pelangahawatta at Mirihana, in the District of Colombo, Western Province, for the purpose of a public slaughter-house for the Small Town of Kirillapone-Nugegoda, and such building has been certified to the Governor by the "Proper Authority," to wit, the Government Agent, Western Province, as sufficient for the said purposes:

Now Know Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 22 of "The Butchers' Ordinance, 1893," do hereby declare and proclaim the said building to be a public slaughter-house as from and after the date hereof.

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

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

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WHEREAS the District Committee elected under "The Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, 1905," as amended by Ordinance No. 14 of 1907, for the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa, has applied for the exemption of the temple known as Ganegoda Vihare, situate at Ganegoda in the Meda pattu of Nawadun korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa, from the operation of Chapter III., sections 17 to 30 of the said Ordinance, and whereas it is expedient to exempt the said temple from such operation:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the power vested in Us by section 3 of the said Ordinance, do hereby exempt the said temple, Ganegoda Vihare, from the operation of the said Ordinance as aforesaid, as from and after April 11, 1924.

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

By His Excellency's command.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

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W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend rule No. 3 of the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," appearing by Notification dated June 1, 1906, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,124 of the same date, by revoking the first schedule attached to the said rules and substituting therefor the schedule attached hereto:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor in Executive Council, in exercise of the power in Us vested by section 40 of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," do amend rule No. 3 of the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," by revoking the first schedule attached to the said rules and substituting therefor the schedule hereto attached, with effect from and after May 3, 1924.

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

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

First Schedule.

	FEES.	Rs. c.
1.	On application to register a trade mark for one or more articles included in one class	10 0
2.	On application to register a series of trade marks for one or more articles included in one class	10 0
3.	On notice of opposition for each application opposed, by opponent	20 0
4.	On filing a counter-statement in answer to a notice of opposition, by the applicant for each application opposed	10 0
5.	For registration of a trade mark for one or more articles included in one class	20 0
6.	For registration of a series of marks for one or more articles included in one class—For the first mark And for every other mark of the series	20 0 2 50
7.	On application to register a subsequent proprietor in cases of assignment or transmission of a single mark—(i.) If made within one year from the date of acquisition of proprietorship, or the coming into force of this schedule (ii.) If made after expiration of one year from date of acquisition of proprietorship, and the coming into force of this schedule	20 0 50 0
8.	On application to register a subsequent proprietor of more than one mark standing in the same name, the devolution of title being identical in each case—(i.) If made within one year from the date of acquisition of proprietorship, or the coming into force of this schedule—For the first mark And for every other mark (ii.) If made after expiration of one year from date of acquisition of proprietorship, and the coming into force of this schedule—For the first mark And for every other mark	20 0 2 0 50 0 2 0
9.	For the continuance of a trade mark at the expiration of fourteen years, for each class	20 0
10.	For the continuance of a series of trade marks at the expiration of fourteen years, for each class—For the first mark of the series And for every other mark of the series	20 0 2 0
11.	Additional fee under sub-section (3) of section 22	10 0
12.	Additional fee under sub-section (4) of section 22	20 0
13.	For altering a single entry of the address of a registered proprietor	2 50
14.	For altering more than one entry of the address of a registered proprietor where the address in each case is the same and is altered in the same way—For the first entry And for every other entry	2 50 1 0
15.	For every entry in the register of a rectification thereof or an alteration therein, not otherwise charged	10 0
16.	For cancelling the entry or part of the entry of a trade mark upon the register on the application of the owner of such trade mark	5 0
17.	On request, not otherwise charged, for correction of clerical error, or for amendment of application, or for entry of disclaimer	5 0
18.	For certificate of registration to be used in legal proceedings	10 0
19.	For certificate of registration to be used for the purpose of obtaining registration abroad	5 0
20.	For certificate of registration of a series of marks for the purpose of obtaining registration abroad	10 0
21.	For certificate of refusal to register a trade mark under section 20	10 0
22.	For certificate of refusal at the same time for more than one trade mark, for each additional trade mark after the first	5 0
23.	For a certificate under section 36	5 0
24.	For inspecting register, notice of opposition, counter-statement, or any other document in connection with any particular trade mark, for every quarter of an hour	0 50
25.	For making a search amongst the classified representations of trade marks, for every quarter of an hour	0 50
26.	For copy of notification of registration	1 0
27.	For office copy of documents, for every 120 words or part thereof	0 50
28.	For certifying office copies, manuscript, or printed	1 0
29.	For settling a special case under section 14	20 0
30.	In cases where the advertisement relating to a trade mark requires a greater space than two inches of the depth of the page of the <i>Government Gazette</i> , for each additional inch or part of an inch	1 0

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W. H. MANNING.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor in Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 26 of "The Co-operative Societies Ordinance, No. 34 of 1921," do hereby remit—

- (a) The Stamp duty with which, under any law for the time being in force, instruments executed by or on behalf of "The Puttalam Pattu Co-operative Society," "The Pussella Sucharithawardena Co-operative Society," "The Galle Christian Co-operative Society," "The Kavisigamuwa Sri Subadra Co-operative Credit Society," "The Oyapalata Co-operative Society," or by an officer or member of the said societies, and relating to the business of the said societies, are chargeable.
- (b) Any fee payable under the law of registration for the time being in force in respect of the instruments aforesaid, provided, however, that such exemption may be withdrawn under sub-section (2) of the said section.

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

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 144 of 1924.

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

Mr. F. N. DANIELS to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, and Additional District Judge, Kegalla, from April 14 to May 1, 1924, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. A. BEVEN, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. NAVARATNARAJAH to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura, from April 13 to 22, 1924, during the absence of Mr. C. J. S. PRITCHETT, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. A. MARTIN to act as District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate for the Districts of Chilaw and Puttalam and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Chilaw, from April 14 to 28, 1924, during the absence of Mr. N. M. BHARUCHA, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. D. W. SUBASINGHE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle; Additional District Judge, Galle; and Municipal Magistrate, Galle, for April 8 and 9, 1924, during the absence of Mr. V. P. REDLICH, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Puttalam, and Additional District Judge, Puttalam, for April 8, 9, and 10, 1924, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. G. C. MILES, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. F. INGLEDOW to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional District Judge and Commissioner of Requests from April 15 to 17, 1924, during the absence of Mr. H. J. V. I. EKANAYAKA, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, from April 12 to 23, 1924, during the absence of Mr. R. ALUWIHARE, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. D. K. MCMINN, Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, to be a Member of the Local Board, Kurunegala, *vice* Mr. A. DE C. CARSON.

Messrs. I. H. M. CLARK and C. M. DURBIM to be Visitors to the Nuwara Eliya Hospital and Mrs. C. M. DURBIM to be a Visitor to the Baker's Ward of the same hospital for the year 1924.

Mr. V. T. DICKMAN, Inspector of Police, Hatton, to be, in addition to his own duties, Registrar of Servants for the Hatton District, with effect from March 18, 1924, *vice* Chief Inspector, D. E. RODRIGO, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 10, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 145 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Ceylon Light Infantry:—

To be Second-Lieutenants.

Mr. SAMUEL ALGERNON LUDOVICI ANTHONISZ.
Mr. EDMUND CLARENCE DE FONSEKA.

By His Excellency's command,

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

No. 146 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 11 (2) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, to nominate Mr. S. W. DASSANAIKE to be a Member of the Jaffna Urban District Council, *vice* Mr. D. K. McMINN.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 8, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 147 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Visitors to the Hospitals stated against their names for the year 1924 :—

Mr. H. S. HAWKES	}	Lindula Hospital
Mr. C. L. BLISS		Dimbula Hospital
Mr. F. E. WARING	}	Agrapatana Hospital
Mr. G. COX SCOTT		Ramboda Hospital
Mr. J. FORBES	}	
Mr. P. P. C. WALKER		
Mr. A. H. HALL		
Mr. E. R. M. GORDON		

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 148 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. E. P. ANDREWS to be an Inquirer for the judicial division of Gampola, *vice* Mr. C. H. BRADFORD.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 10, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 149 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. GERALD FONSEKA DISANAYAKE, at present practising as a Notary Public at Marawila in Chilaw District, to be a Notary Public throughout Weudawili hatpattu of Kurunegala District, with residence and office at Kurunegala, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 8, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 150 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. PONNAMPALAM BALASINGAM, at present practising as a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Colombo, to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Ratnapura, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 8, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 151 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. JALIGODAGE WILLIAM PETER WEERASINHA of Telawala, Mount Lavinia, to be a Notary Public throughout Badulla District, with residence and office at Lunugala and additional offices at Medagama and Bellanoya, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint CHELLAPPA RASANAYAGAM MUDALIAR to act as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Jaffna District of the Northern Province for four days, with effect from April 9, 1924, *vice* P. O. FERNANDO, on duty, or until further orders. His office will be at the Jaffna Kacheheri.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, April 9, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that Dr. SAMUEL GARDNER JACKSON, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Moratuwa town division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, will, with effect from April 12, 1924, hold his office at Homeleigh, Uyana, Moratuwa, instead of at No. 81E, Lyndhurst, Uyana, Moratuwa, as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,371 of January 25, 1924.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 9, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that M. U. CHANTAMPILLAI, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chinnachcheddikulam West division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province,

will, with effect from April 1, 1924, have a station at Vidnaivalavu in Suduventapulavu, where he will hold office on the last working day of every month.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that K. A. GABRIEL APPUHAMI, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kolonnagam pattu Ereporuwa division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kolonna korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, will, with effect from April 20, 1924, hold his office at Talagahalanga Bandarawatta in Ereporuwa, instead of at Alutwatta in Ereporuwa, as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,768 of January 7, 1916.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Registrar-General.

WITH reference to the notification published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,944 of May 24, 1918, it is hereby notified that R. B. UKKU BANDA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nilgala division and of Marriages (General and Kandyan) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, will, with effect from May 1,

1924, have two additional offices, one at Pallegama on the 7th and 10th and another at Mullegama on the 8th and 9th of each month.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Registrar-General.

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

MUDIANSSELAGE PUNCHIAPPUHAMY DIYAGAMA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for fifteen days from April 1, 1924, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, J. P. SILVA, on leave.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed PULAHINGE WILLIAM RODRIGO GUNAWARDENA (provisionally) as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waddubadda division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Panadure totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from March 24, 1924, *vice* Registrar, C. P. JAYAWARDANA, retired. His office will be at Alubogahakurunduwatta in Morontuduwa.

The notification dated March 18, 1924, published in *Gazette* No. 7,382 of March 21, 1924, is hereby cancelled.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed GALMANGODA GURAGAE EDMUND ROBINSON DE SILVA as Additional Registrar of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, with effect from April 10, 1924, *vice* T. RANASINGHE, transferred. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Kurunegala.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed PATIRANNEHELAGE PUNCHIMAHATMAYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ellawala division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for two months, with effect from April 11, 1924, *vice* Registrar, P. LOKUAPPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Welgedera Alutwatta at Ellawala.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed EDIRISURIYA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRIBANDA EDIRISURIYA provisionally as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ganhetapalata division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Paranakuru korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from April 16, 1924, *vice* Registrar, A. P. N. BANDA, resigned. His office will be at Nittalawatta in Uggoda.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo April 7, 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 District, has appointed Dr. J. H. V. MENDIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Colombo Municipality division No. 5, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for five days from April 9, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. J. L. FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at 20c, Mayfield road, Kotahena.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON SETAN WEERAKOON to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalupahana division and of

Marriages (General), Udugaha pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for two days from April 7, 1924, during the absence of Registrar, D. J. A. PETTIKIRI, on leave. His office will be at Kospotugalawatta in Kalupahana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed KOSWATTEGEDERA KIRI BANDA WICKREMASINGHE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Oyalalata korale division and of Marriages (General) of Walapane (excluding portion in Gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for twenty days from April 3, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. G. APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Moraketiya in Kumbalgamuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed WEERASINGHA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yalpalata korale division and of Marriages (General) of Walapane (excluding the portion in Gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for two days from April 7, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, W. M. K. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Nildandahinna.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed TIKIRI BANDA ARAWWAWELA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matale Medasiya pattu division and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, on April 7, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, A. B. NUGAPITIYA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinagedarawatta in Nugapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ROBERT SOLOMON DE COSTA DASSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Induruwa division and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for ten days from April 1, 1924, *vice* the Registrar, G. F. DE ALWIS GUNATILAKA, deceased. His office will be at Owite-watta in Aturuwella.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ALBERT MENDIS WICKRAMASINGHE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Welitara division and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on April 4, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, C. DE Z. ABEYSIRIWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Mawatabodawatta in Welitara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON JOHANIS ABAYAGUNARATNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Telijjawila division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for ten days from April 3, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. PALIHAWADANA, on leave. His office will be at Kappargahena in Malimboda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DAVID DISSANAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dikwella division and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for six days from April 3, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, C. D. WAKISTA, on leave. His office will be at Keressabadawatta in Dikwella.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed WILLIAM OBESEKARA WEERASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Denepitiya division and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, on April 4, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, A. O. WEERASINHA, on leave. His office will be at Naigewatta in Denepitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON BASTIAN MERENCHI ABEYSEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pathegama division and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, on April 7, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. K. NANAYAKKARA, on leave. His offices will be at Dangahawatta *alias* Godakadurugahawatta in Patagama and Weligamageruppu in Kottagoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed ANDRAYAS NIKULAS RAJAPAKSA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Marakada Upper division and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twelve days from April 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. RAJAPAKSA, on leave. His office will be at Godawanewatta in Buddiyagama.

The Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed VAYITILINKAM THAMOTHARAMPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Valikamam East division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for fifteen days from April 4, 1924, *vice* Registrar, V. KANTAIYA, retired. His office will be at Alakavudai in Koppay South.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed A. M. SITHAMPARAPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karunavalpattu South and Udaiyaur North division and of Marriages (General) of Karunavalpathu South and Udaiyaur North division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for fourteen days from March 31, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar,

V. KASITAMBY, on sick leave. His office will be at Pulumaichinathikulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed KATRIVELU PONNIAH to act 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, for ten days from April 1, 1924, *vice* Registrar, K. A. MALANAPILLAI, resigned. His office will be at Udaiyavalavu at Periyapuliyalankulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed THOMAS FERDINANDUS ABEYASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meda pattu division and of Marriages (General) of Tamankaduwa palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for fourteen days from April 8, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, U. B. ILANGASINHA, on leave. His office will be at Gansabhawa, Topawewa.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 8, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

“THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, NO. 8 OF 1912.”

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under section 7, sub-section (c), of “The Excise Ordinance No. 8 of 1912,” to appoint Messrs. G. G. Perkins and A. V. Tatlock to perform throughout the Island the acts and duties mentioned in sections 32, 34, and 45 (a) of the said Ordinance.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 8, 1924.

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

“THE FOREST ORDINANCE, NO. 16 OF 1907.”

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 62 of the above Ordinance, has been pleased to make the following regulation to be added at the end of Chapter X. of the regulations and rules dated April 21, 1909, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,306 of April 23, 1909:—

“In cases under section 51 of the Ordinance, Government Agents and Assistant Government Agents may authorize the payment of a portion of the amount realized as compensation to any person or persons who have contributed to the discovery of the offender.”

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

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

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Accountant Officer, H. M. Naval Office, Colombo (Paymaster Commander C. S. Johnson, D.S.O., R.N.), has been authorized to sign Customs certificates in future under section 2 (1) of Ordinance No. 20 of 1892, instead of the District Intelligence Officer, Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1924.

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

HIS 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 Rifleman Stuart Champion-Jones of the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1924.

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

"THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE, No. 11 OF 1920."

BY-LAWS made by the Matara Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 (1) (a) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, approved by the Local Government Board, confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, and published for general information under section 166 (1).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 7, 1924.

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

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

Meetings.*Notice, Agenda, Quorum, &c.*

1. (a) There shall be twelve general meetings of the Council in every year for the transaction of business.
- (b) The general meeting of the Council shall be held at the Urban District Council Office on the first Saturday of every month at 9 A.M., or as soon after as seems expedient to the Chairman, except in cases of special meetings, when the dates shall be fixed by the Chairman.
- (c) Notice of every such meeting and of the business to be transacted at it shall be served on each Councillor at least three days—exclusive of Sundays and Government holidays—before the meeting.
- (d) No business shall be brought before or transacted at any meeting, general or special, other than the business specified in the notices of the meetings without the permission of the Council.
- (e) No business shall be transacted at any Council meeting or adjourned meeting unless a quorum of at least five Councillors is present.
- (f) If at any Council Meeting there is not a sufficient number of Councillors present to form a quorum, the Chairman shall adjourn the meeting to such date not more than fifteen days after the date of the meeting so adjourned as he thinks fit, and the business which would have been brought before the meeting so adjourned, if there had been a quorum present, shall be brought before, and disposed of, at such adjourned meeting.

Adjournment of Meetings:

2. (a) The Chairman of a Council meeting, general or special, at which a quorum of the Council is present may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn the meeting from time to time; but no business shall be transacted without the permission of the Council at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which such adjournment took place.
- (b) Notice of an adjourned meeting shall be served on members at least twenty-four hours before the time fixed for such meeting.

Presence of Strangers.

3. Strangers, including the Press, may be present at Council meetings in the places set apart for them, but must withdraw when called upon to do so by the Chairman, when in the opinion of the majority of the members of the Council present at the meeting, expressed by resolution, such exclusion is deemed advisable in the public interest.

Order of Business.

4. The business of the Council shall be transacted in the following order:—
 - (1) Confirmation of the minutes of the last preceding meeting.
 - (2) Memorials, petitions, complaints, and communications addressed to the Council, of which due notice has been given by a Councillor, shall be laid before the Council.
 - (3) Questions of which previous notice has been given.
 - (4) Motions.
 - (5) Any other matter set down in the notice shall be proceeded with, provided that the Council may, if it sees fit, deviate from the order herein prescribed.
 - (6) Monthly statements of receipts and disbursements, progress reports of works, and such other documents as are required by the Council shall be submitted to the Council.

Order of Precedence.

5. For all purposes connected with the Council, the precedence and seniority of Councillors shall be regulated as follows:—

After the Chairman shall rank the Vice-Chairman and then the Councillors in order of the priority of their nomination or election, and in the case of former Councillors re-elected or re-nominated, of the priority of their continuous membership of Council (such continuous membership being deemed to be unimpaired during the absence of a nominated member for whom a temporary successor has been nominated).

Minutes.

6. The minutes of each meeting shall be circulated. At the next or some subsequent meeting the question shall be put that the minutes be taken as read and confirmed. In the absence of objection or correction, the minutes as recorded shall be confirmed.

Memorials, Petitions, &c.

7. (a) A member presenting a petition or memorial to the Council may state concisely the purpose of the petition or memorial.
- (b) Any member presenting a petition or memorial or other communication will be held responsible for its contents being throughout respectful.
- (c) It shall be competent for any member to move that such petition or memorial be read. In making such motion he shall state concisely his reasons for wishing to have it read.
- (d) No debate shall be permitted on such motion, nor shall any other member speak upon or in relation to such petition or memorial, except to second the motion formally.
- (e) Such motion being seconded, the question shall be put whether the petition or memorial shall be read.

Questions.

8. (a) Questions relating to Urban District Council affairs may be put to the Chairman.
- (b) At least four clear days' notice—exclusive of Sundays and Government holidays—shall be given of such questions.
- (c) A written reply shall be read by the Chairman to each question.
- (d) No member shall address the Council upon any question, nor shall the terms of any question contain any argument or expression of opinion or statement of fact, except in so far as may be necessary to explain such question.
- (e) Any member may put a supplementary question for the purpose of further elucidating any matter of fact regarding which an answer has been given.
- Provided that the Chairman shall disallow any supplementary question if, in his opinion, it infringes the rules as to the subject matter of questions, and in that case the question shall not appear on the record of the minutes of the Council.

Motions.

9. (a) Every notice of motion shall be in writing, signed by the member of the Council giving the notice. Unless such notice shall be in the hands of the Secretary four clear days—exclusive of Sundays and Government holidays—before the meeting of Council, the motion shall not be included in the agenda.
- (b) All notices of motions shall be dated and numbered as received, and shall be entered by the Secretary upon the agenda in the order in which they are received.
- (c) Before any notice of motion is placed on the agenda paper, it shall be submitted to the Chairman, who, if he be of opinion that it is out of order, shall cause the giver of the notice to be so informed.
- (d) Every notice of motion shall be relevant to some question affecting the Urban District Council administration of Matara.
- (e) No motion to rescind any resolution which has been passed within the preceding six months, nor any motion to the same effect as any motion which has been negatived within the preceding six months, shall be in order unless notice thereof shall have been given and specified in the agenda, and the notice shall bear, in addition to the member who proposes the motion, the signatures of five other members; and when such motion has been disposed of, it shall not be competent for any member to propose a similar motion within a further period of six months.
- (f) No motion shall be deemed to have been submitted for debate until it shall have been proposed and seconded.
- (g) Any member may second a motion or amendment by rising in his place and bowing to the Chair, without prejudice to his right to speak at a later period of the debate.
- (h) Every motion moved in Council, and of which previous notice has not been given, shall be reduced to writing, signed by the mover and handed to the Secretary.
- (i) When a motion has been made and seconded and the debate thereon concluded, the question thereupon shall be put to the vote by the Chairman.

Withdrawal of Motion or Amendment.

10. A member who has made a motion or amendment may withdraw the same by leave of the Council, which shall be signified without debate, and it shall not be competent for any member to speak upon it after the mover has asked for permission for its withdrawal, unless such permission shall have been refused.

Re-introduction of Motion.

11. A motion which has been withdrawn may be made again at any subsequent meeting; but no motion shall be proposed which is the same in substance as any motion which, within the period of six months referred to in rule 9 (e), shall have been resolved in the affirmative or negative.

Amendments.

12. (a) Every amendment shall be in writing and handed to the Secretary by the member proposing it.
- (b) Every amendment shall be relevant to the motion on which it is moved.
- (c) Every amendment shall be read before being moved.
- (d) No amendment shall be discussed or put to the Council until it shall have been seconded.
- (e) A member who has seconded an amendment in a formal manner shall be permitted afterwards to speak upon it.

(f) Whenever an amendment upon an original motion has been moved and seconded, no second or subsequent amendment shall be moved until the first amendment shall have been disposed of. If an amendment be carried, the motion as amended shall take the place of the original motion, and shall become the question upon which any further amendment may be moved.

Debate ceases when Question fully put.

13. No member may speak to any question after the same has been fully put by the Chairman. A question is fully put when the voting has been taken thereon.

Voting and Recording of Votes.

14. (a) The question shall be put by the Chairman, and the votes may be taken by a show of hands, and the result shall be declared by the Chairman; but any member may call for a division when the votes shall be taken by the Secretary asking each member separately, according to the order of precedence, how he desires to vote, and recording the votes accordingly.

(b) On any question being put, either in Council or in Committee of the whole Council, every member present shall, unless he declines to vote, record his vote, either for ayes or noes.

(c) In the event of a member declining to vote, the Secretary, in case a division has been called for, shall enter his name upon the minutes as having declined to vote.

Casting Vote of Chairman.

(d) The Chairman shall have an original vote in common with other members of the Council, as also a casting vote if upon any question the votes are equal.

(e) When the Council is in Committee of the whole Council, the Chairman shall have an original vote in common with the other members and also a casting vote if upon any question the votes shall be equal.

Members dissenting.

15. It shall be competent for any Councillor who is in a minority to record the reasons of his dissent from the opinion of the majority, and such written dissent, if sent to the Secretary within one week of the Council meeting in question, shall be entered by the Secretary at the end of his minutes of the proceedings.

Order of the Day.

16. The "Order of the Day" shall include all business to be transacted arranged according to rule No. 4. Unless otherwise resolved, the business shall be taken in the order printed.

Preservation of Order.

17. (a) It shall be the duty of the Chairman to preserve order, and his decision on all disputed points of order shall be final.

(b) Any member of the Council deviating from the rules may be immediately called to order by the Chairman, or by any other member of the Council or Committee of the Council rising to a point of order.

Decision of Questions of Order.

18. When the question of order has been stated, the member who raises it shall resume his seat, and no other member, except by leave of the Chairman, shall rise till the Chairman has decided the question, after which the member who was addressing the Council or Committee of the Council at the time the question was raised shall be entitled to proceed with his speech, if he conforms to the Chairman's ruling. If he does not so conform, the Chairman may refuse to allow him to proceed with his speech.

Member not explaining or retracting.

19. Any member having used objectionable words and not explaining or retracting the same, or offering apologies for the use thereof to the satisfaction of the Council, may be censured or otherwise dealt with as the Council thinks fit.

Chairman speaking.

20. When the Chairman is addressing the Council or Committee of the Council, any member then standing shall immediately resume his seat.

Naming of Members.

21. (a) The Chairman may name any member immediately after the commission of the offence of disregarding the authority of the Chair, or of abusing the rules of the Council by persistently and wilfully obstructing the business of the Council, and the Chairman may forthwith put the question, on a motion being made by any member or from the Chair (no amendment, adjournment, or debate being allowed), "that such member be suspended from the service of the Council."

(b) If any such motion be carried and any member be suspended under this rule, his suspension on the first occasion shall continue for one month, on the second occasion for two months, and on the third or subsequent occasion for three months.

(c) Not more than one member shall be named at the same time, unless several members present together have jointly disregarded the authority of the Chair.

(d) If any member or members acting jointly who have been suspended under this rule from the service of the Council shall refuse at any time during the period of suspension to obey the directions of the Chairman to withdraw from the precincts of the Council Chamber, the Chairman may direct such steps to be taken as are required to enforce his decision.

Irrelevance or Tedious Repetition.

22. The Chairman after having called the attention of the Council or Council in Committee to the conduct of a member who persists in irrelevance or tedious repetition, either of his own arguments or of the arguments used by other members in debate, may direct the member to discontinue his speech.

Disorderly Conduct.

23. (1) The Chairman may order members whose conduct is grossly disorderly to withdraw immediately from the Council Chamber during the remainder of the meeting, and may direct such steps to be taken as are required to enforce his order.

(2) If on any occasion the Chairman deems that his powers under this rule are inadequate, he may name such member or members in pursuance of rule 21.

Duty to obey Order of Suspension or Withdrawal.

24. Members who are suspended under rule 21, or are directed to withdraw under rule 23, shall forthwith withdraw from the precincts of the Council Chamber.

Power to adjourn.

25. An adjournment of the discussion of any question may be moved by a Councillor at any time, and, if seconded, shall be forthwith put to the vote.

26. In the case of grave disorder arising in the Council or Committee of the Council, the Chairman may, if he thinks it necessary to do so, adjourn the Council or Committee of the Council without question put, or suspend the meetings for a time to be named by him.

Rules for Members speaking.

27. In speaking to any proposition under consideration of the Council or a Committee of the whole Council, the following rules shall be strictly observed :—

- (1) The business shall be conducted in the English language.
- (2) Every member shall address his observations to the Chairman, and shall speak standing.
- (3) He shall not be interrupted unless out of order.
- (4) When he has finished his observations he shall resume his seat, and any other member wishing to address the Council or Committee of the Council may rise.
- (5) A member shall not read his speech, but he may read extracts from written or printed papers in support of his argument.
- (6) If two members rise at the same time, the Chairman shall call on the member who first catches his eye.
- (7) Every member must confine his observations to the subject under consideration.
- (8) No member shall impute improper motives to any other member.
- (9) All personalities shall be avoided.
- (10) A member may speak to the question before the Council or any amendment proposed thereto.
- (11) No member shall speak more than once on any proposition before the Council, except in explanation or to order, or when the Council is in Committee, or as is provided by rule 12 (e).
- (12) By the indulgence of the Council, a member may explain matters of a personal nature, although there be no question before the Council, but such matters may not be debated, and he must confine himself strictly to the vindication of his own conduct.
- (13) The mover of any resolution or motion may reply after all the other members present have had an opportunity of addressing the Council and before the question is put, but he shall strictly confine himself to answering previous speakers, and shall not introduce any new matter into the debate. The right of reply shall not extend to the mover of an amendment which having been carried has become the substantive motion.

Committee of Council.

28. The Council may at any time resolve themselves into a committee of the whole Council, and, on their resuming, the result of their deliberations shall be dealt with by the Council.

29. It shall be competent for any member of the Council at any stage of any discussion in committee to move that the Council should resume. The question shall be put to the vote by the Chairman, and if the motion is carried, the Council will immediately resume from committee.

Special Committees.

30. (1) The Council may from time to time appoint from among their own number such special or standing committees, consisting of such number of Councillors as they think fit for the purpose of inquiring into and reporting upon any matters connected with the purposes of the Local Government Ordinance.

(2) Provided, however, that no committee shall take any proceedings after the close of the year during which it shall have been so appointed as aforesaid.

(3) In every such committee the quorum thereof shall be two, unless otherwise specially fixed.

(4) In the absence of the Chairman at a meeting of any committee, the members present shall choose one of them to preside who shall for that meeting have all the powers of the Chairman.

(5) When a committee shall have agreed to a report, the same shall be signed by the members, and shall, together with the minutes of proceedings, be submitted to the Council.

(6) In the event of any division taking place in a committee, a record thereof shall be entered in the minutes, together with the motion or resolution proposed the name of the proposer, and the respective votes of the members present, and such minutes shall be submitted with the report of such committee.

31. The Press shall be excluded from all meetings of special and standing committees.

“ THE CEYLON TELEGRAPH ORDINANCE, 1908.”

RULES made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 7 of “The Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908,” as amended by Ordinance No. 10 of 1923, and declared to be in force from the date hereof.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 11, 1924.

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

Rules referred to.

1. The scale of charges for three minutes' conversation published by Notification dated May 14, 1923, appearing on page 1055 of *Government Gazette* No. 7,328 of May 18, 1923, is hereby amended by the addition of the following at the end thereof :—

	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Between Madulkele and—		Between Panwila and—	
Hakmana ..	2 25	Hakmana ..	2 25
Kamburupitiya ..	2 25	Kamburupitiya ..	2 0
Somerset ..	0 50	Somerset ..	0 25

Note.—Additional fee of 10 cents is charged for the use of call office.

2. The scale of charges for three minutes' conversation published by Notification dated May 14, 1923, appearing on page 1056 of *Government Gazette* No. 7,328 of May 18, 1923, is hereby amended by the addition of the following at the end thereof :—

	Rs. c.
Between Weligama and—	
Hakmana ..	0 25
Kamburupitiya ..	0 25
Somerset ..	1 75

3. The scale of charges for three minutes' conversation published by Notification dated October 3, 1923, in *Government Gazette* No. 7,353 of October 5, 1923, is hereby amended by the addition of the following at the end thereof :—

	Rs. c.
Between Kegalla and—	
Hakmana ..	1 75
Kamburupitiya ..	1 75
Somerset ..	0 50

4. The scale of charges for three minutes' conversation published by Notification dated November 15, 1923, appearing on page 2487 of *Government Gazette* No. 7,361 of November 16, 1923, is hereby amended by the addition of the following at the end thereof :—

	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Between Bandarawela and—		Between Diyatalawa and—	
Hakmana ..	3 0	Hakmana ..	3 0
Kamburupitiya ..	3 0	Kamburupitiya ..	3 0
Somerset ..	1 0	Somerset ..	1 0

5. The scale of charges for three minutes' conversation published by Notification dated November 15, 1923, appearing on page 2488 of *Government Gazette* No. 7,361 of November 16, 1923, is hereby amended by the addition of the following at the end thereof :—

	Rs. c.
Between Beruwala and—	
Hakmana ..	1 0
Kamburupitiya ..	0 75
Somerset ..	1 25

"THE REGISTRARS' PROCEEDINGS VALIDATION ORDINANCE, NO. 3 OF 1912."

An Order in Council for the purpose of giving Validity to certain Registrations of Marriages and Proceedings relating thereto in the Galle District of the Southern Province; to certain Notices of Marriage, a Registrar's Certificate, and Registrations of Births and Deaths in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province; to certain Registrations of Births, Deaths, and Stillbirths in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province; and to a Registration of Death in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province.

WHEREAS the registrations and proceedings specified in the first column of the schedule hereto annexed relative to certain marriages in the Galle District of the Southern Province; to certain notices of marriage, a Registrar's certificate, and births and deaths in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province; to certain births, deaths, and stillbirths in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province; and to a death in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province are invalidated by reason of the informality set forth in the second column of the said schedule:

And whereas no other means are by law provided by which the said registrations and proceedings may be validated:

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of "The Registrars' Proceedings Validation Ordinance, No. 3 of 1912," and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct and order as follows:—

That the said registrations and proceedings be as valid and effectual for all purposes as if the said informalities had not occurred.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 7, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Southern Province—Galle District.

General marriage registrations Nos. 1,054 and 1,055 of October 11, 1923, of the Galle District and the licenses under section 36 (2) of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907 therefor granted.

These marriages were solemnized and registered, and the licenses granted by Mr. G. N. Farquhar before he was duly appointed Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar.

North-Western Province—Chilaw District.

Notices of marriage Nos. 2,303 of December 14, 1923, and 2,304 of November 15, 1923, Registrar's certificate No. 2,287 of November 15, 1923, birth registrations Nos. 9,199 of November 14, 1923, and 9,200 of November 15, 1923, and death registrations Nos. 5,916 and 5,917 of November 15, 1923, of the Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale south and Births and Deaths of Medapalata West in the District of Chilaw.

The notices were accepted and the certificate issued, and the births and deaths were registered by the Acting Registrar, D. A. Ratnayaka, before he was duly appointed.

Eastern Province—Trincomalee District.

Stillbirth registration No. 635 of November 3, 1923, birth entries Nos. 8,206 and 8,207 of November 4 and 5, 1923, respectively, and death entries Nos. 9,981 and 9,982 of November 3, 1923, No. 9,983 of November 4, 1923, No. 9,985 of November 5, 1923, and Nos. 9,986 and 9,987 of November 7, 1923, of the division of Trincomalee town.

The events were registered by Mr. C. Visuvalingam before he was duly appointed Deputy Medical Registrar.

Northern Province—Mullaittivu District.

Death registration No. 1,327 dated July 15, 1923, of the division of Kilakku-mulai south (Sinhalese) in the District of Mullaittivu.

The event was registered by the Acting Registrar, V. P. P. Banda, after the expiration of the period for which he was appointed to act.

"THE STAMP ORDINANCE, NO. 22 OF 1909."

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has, by virtue of the powers by section 5 (1) (c) of "The Stamp Ordinance, No. 22 of 1909," on him conferred, authorized the following Joint Stock Company, incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, to compound for the payment of stamp duty on share certificates, specified in Schedule B of "The Stamp Ordinance, 1909," as set forth in section 2 of "The Stamp (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 10 of 1919," on the conditions set out in section 5 aforesaid, sub-sections (1) (c) (i.), (iii.), and (iv.).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

COMPANY REFERRED TO.

The Glenanore Tea Company, Limited.

"THE STAMP ORDINANCE, No. 22 OF 1909."

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

COMPANY REFERRED TO.

The Maharajah Estates Company, Limited.

A COPY of a circular issued by the Foreign Office, London, to His Majesty's Consuls abroad with regard to the procedure to be adopted by British nationals born in Tunis who desire to decline French nationality in accordance with a French law passed on December 20 last is given below for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 8, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

CIRCULAR REFERRED TO.

Circular.

Foreign Office, February 13, 1924.

French Law of December 20, 1923, concerning the Acquisition of French Nationality in Tunis.

SIR.—By a decree published in Tunis on November 8, 1921, persons of foreign origin born in Tunis of parents, of whom one was also born there, were declared to be French citizens.

2. By an agreement with His Majesty's Government dated May 24, 1923, the French Government undertook to make arrangements whereby British nationals born in Tunis of British parents, who were themselves born there, should be entitled to decline French nationality. This right would extend to all British subjects born in Tunis before November 8, 1921, whether of the second generation born in Tunis, or beyond.

3. By the recent French law of December 20, 1923, provision is accordingly made whereby:—

- (1) All such British subjects may decline French nationality within the year following the attainment of their majority on production of evidence of their British nationality.
- (2) In the case of such British subjects as are already 21 years and 9 months over that age, this right may be exercised within a period of three months after the date of the law of December 20, 1923, viz., until March 20, 1924.
- (3) The declaration declining French nationality should be signed in the presence of two witnesses. - If the applicant resides in Tunis, it should be personally presented by him to the *juge de paix* in the district in which he resides. If he is resident outside Tunis, it should be presented by him to the nearest French diplomatic agent or Consular officer.

4. A certificate of British nationality will also be required by the French authorities with the declaration above referred to. For this purpose, His Majesty's Consul-General in Tunis has been authorized, on production of valid evidence, to issue to applicants certificates in the form shown in the Annex hereto. Similar certificates may be issued for a like purpose to applicants by His Majesty's Consular officers abroad on production of valid evidence of their British nationality.

5. For your guidance in issuing such certificates, it may be said that, for the purposes of paragraph 3 of Chapter XXV. of the Consular Instructions, the children of British parents born in Tunis, if such children were born before October 15, 1897, are to be regarded as persons born within an ex-territorial country.

6. You should take such steps as you may deem necessary or expedient to bring the provision of the French law of December 20, 1923, and the means of complying therewith, to the knowledge of British subjects who may be affected in your Consular district.

7. In cases of proved destitution the fee for the certificate of British nationality may be waived.

I am, &c.,
EYRE A. CROWE.

*Form of Certificate of British Nationality for Issue under the Agreement of
May 24, 1923, between Great Britain and France.*

I, _____, His Britannic Majesty's Consul-General at Tunis, hereby certify that _____ is a British subject. This certificate is furnished to him for the purpose of enabling him to take the necessary steps for declining French nationality, in accordance with the terms of the Agreement between His Britannic Majesty's Government and the French Government of May 24, 1923.

"THE CEYLON TELEGRAPH ORDINANCE, 1908."

RULE made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 7 of "The Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908," as amended by Ordinance No. 10 of 1923, and declared to be in force from the date hereof.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 11, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

RULE REFERRED TO.

The following shall be the scale of charges for the use of the telephone trunk line between Mount Lavinia Post Office and the other stations named:—

Scale of Charges for 3 Minutes' Conversation.

Between Mount Lavinia and—	Rs.	c.
Colombo, Dehiwala, Kesbewa, Moratuwa, and Panadure	0	15*
Kelaniya, Kotte, Wadduwa, and Wattala	0	15
Bandaragama, Beruwala, † Horana, Ingiriya, Kalutara, Neboda, Padukka, Paiyagama, Ragama, and Tebuwana	0	25
Ambalangoda, Avissawella, Elpitiya, Kochchikade, Negombo, Polgahawela, and Wennappuwa	0	50
Baddegama, Chilaw, Galle, Habaraduwa, Kegalla, Kurunegala, Magalla, Peradeniya, Ratnapura, and Weligama	0	75
Elkaduwa, Galagedera, Galaha, Gampola, Hewaheta, Kamburūpitiya, Kandy, Kandy-Sub, Katugastota, Kundasala, Lochnagar, Madulkele, † Matale, Matara, Nawalapitiya, Panwila, † Pussellawa, Rangala, Somerset, Teldeniya, and Wattedgama	1	0
Bogawantalawa, Hakmana, Hatton, Kotagala, Kotmale, Maskeliya, Norwood, and Rattota	1	25
Agrapatana, Kandapola, Maturata, Nanu-oya, Nuwara Eliya, Pundaluoya, Radella, Ragalla, Talawakele, Tillicoultry, Uda Pussellawa, Watagoda, and Watawala	1	50
Diyatalawa, Golconda, and Haputale	1	75
Bandarawela	2	0

* Including Call Office fee.

† To be opened shortly.

Note.—Additional fee of 10 cents is charged for the use of the Call Office.

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.

By His Excellency's command,

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

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

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.

WHEREAS 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.

"THE TRUSTS ORDINANCE, NO. 9 OF 1917."

WHEREAS under and by virtue of the provisions of "The Trusts Ordinance, No. 9 of 1917," power is given to the Governor in Executive Council to authorize by Order in Council the incorporation of the trustees of any charitable trust:

And whereas certain moneys have been subscribed and collected by certain members of the public interested in the advancement of Oriental Medical Science in Ceylon:

And whereas at a general meeting of the said subscribers the said moneys, now amounting to a sum of Rs. 61,358.29, more or less, were handed over in trust as a Fund for the advancement of Oriental Medical Science in Ceylon to a Board of Trustees consisting of the following:—

P. E. Pieris, Litt.D., C.C.S., *President*.
Donald Obeyesekere, M.A. (Cantab.), Barrister-at-Law, *Secretary*.
L. W. A. de Soysa, *Treasurer*.
The Hon. Mr. W. M. Abdul Rahiman.
K. Balasingham, Advocate.
Sir Solomon Dias Bandaranaike, Kt., C.M.G., Maha Mudaliyar.
The Hon. Sir Ambalavanar Kanagasabai, Kt.
The Hon. Mr. T. B. L. Moonemalle.
The Hon. Sir Solomon Christoffel Obeyesekere, Kt.
D. D. Pedris.
Tudor Rajapakse, Mudaliyar of the Gate.
F. R. Senanayake, M.A., L.L.M., Barrister-at-Law.
A. N. de Silva.
A. J. R. de Soysa.
The Hon. Mr. O. C. Tillekeratne, Mohottiar.

And whereas on the death of the said A. N. de Silva and the said Hon. Mr. O. C. Tillekeratne, there have been elected in their respective rooms W. A. de Silva, J.P., and the Hon. Mr. T. E. de Sampayo, K.C.:

And whereas application has been made by the said trustees to the Governor in Executive Council for the incorporation of the said trustees to hold and administer the said moneys and any other moneys that may be received in the future for the purposes aforesaid:

And whereas it is expedient to grant the said application:

Now, therefore, I, Sir William Henry Manning, G.C.M.G., K.B.E.; C.B., Governor, as aforesaid, under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon me by section 114 of the said Ordinance, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby order and declare as follows:—

1. The above-mentioned—

P. E. Pieris, Litt.D., C.C.S.;
 Donald Obeyesekere, M.A. (Cantab.);
 L. W. A. de Soysa;
 The Hon. Mr. W. M. Abdul Rahiman;
 K. Balasingham, Advocate;
 Sir Solomon Dias Bandaranaike, Kt., C.M.G., Maha Mudaliyar;
 The Hon. Sir Ambalavanar Kanagasabai, Kt.;
 The Hon. Mr. T. B. L. Moonemalle;
 The Hon. Sir Solomon Christoffel Obeyesekere, Kt.;
 D. D. Pedris;
 Tudor Rajapakse, Mudaliyar of the Gate;
 F. R. Senanayake, M.A., L.L.M., Barrister-at-Law;
 A. J. R. de Soysa;
 W. A. de Silva, J.P.;
 The Hon. Mr. T. E. de Sampayo, K.C.;

and such other persons as may from time to time be appointed trustees under the provisions of this order—are hereby created a body incorporated by the name of “The Board of Trustees of the Oriental Medical Science Fund” (hereinafter called “The Board”), and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and may receive, take, hold, or otherwise dispose of all descriptions of property, both movable and immovable, and shall and may be able and capable in law to sue and be sued, answer and be answered, in any court or elsewhere, in all causes and actions whatsoever.

2. The Board shall have and use a corporate seal, which may be changed or varied at pleasure.

3. The moneys now entrusted to the Board, and all moneys and other property which may be hereafter acquired, shall be called the Oriental Medical Science Fund.

4. This Fund shall be vested in the aforesaid Board of fifteen trustees with full authority to invest the same on such security as they deem fit, and shall be utilized by them for the advancement of Oriental Medical Science in Ceylon.

5. The present trustees and those hereafter to be appointed shall hold office for life or till resignation, and all vacancies on the Board shall be filled up by the vote of the surviving trustees.

6. A meeting of the Board shall be held in August of each year, when the accounts of the Fund shall be presented. Such accounts when passed shall be published in the *Government Gazette* and certified as correct by the officers of the Board.

7. The officers of the Board shall consist of a President, Treasurer, and Secretary elected from among the trustees at the meeting next above referred to, and shall continue to hold office until the close of the next Annual Meeting.

8. The Board may from time to time frame by-laws and rules to define the duties of its several officers and to regulate the manner in which its meetings shall be held. Such by-laws and rules, when made, shall not be revoked or altered, save at a meeting of the said Board duly convened by notice to all the trustees for the time being, specifying the proposed alteration.

This Order may from time to time be varied or amended by order of the Governor in Executive Council.

By order of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, this Fourth day of April, 1924.

C. H. COLLINS,
 Clerk to the Executive Council.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

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 May 6, 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, April 9, 1924.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Services	Tender Deposit. Rs.	Security. Rs.
Supply of cooked provisions, with milk, to the following Institutions—		
Dolosbage Hospital	100	200
Madulkele Hospital	300	600
Maskeliya Hospital	300	600
Nawalapitiya Hospital	500	1,000
Pussellawa Hospital	200	400
Ramboda Hospital	200	400
Supply of cooked provisions, without milk—		
Dimbula Hospital	200	400
Gampola Hospital	200	400
Lindula Hospital	300	600
Teldeniya Hospital	100	200

TENDERS are hereby invited for the following supply of teak to the Ceylon Government Railway:—

	Tons.
For Locomotive Department	1,200
For Way and Works Department	100

Selected Indian first class squares Bangkok or Rangoon teak, averaging 40 to 50 cubic feet, with sides not less than 12 inches and length not less than 15 feet. About 10 per

cent. of the logs must be heavy enough to cut sound panels 24 inches wide for carriages. It must be clearly stated on tender whether price quoted is for "Bangkok" or "Rangoon" teak.

2. The teak must be sound in every respect, free from knots, shakes, and bee holes.
3. Firms or persons desiring to tender must do so through their agents in Ceylon.
4. A deposit of Rs. 100 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. Applications for tender forms must be made at the Office of General Manager, and applicants must satisfy him, or a person delegated by him, that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, documentary or other evidence being produced for the purpose if called for.
5. Applications from outside Ceylon accompanied by a draft on a Colombo Bank in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be considered on intimation being received from the Bank that such a draft has been placed to the credit of Government.

6. Tenders must be in duplicate, and 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. The documents must be sealed under one cover, marked "Tender for Supply of Teak to the Ceylon Government Railway," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and be addressed to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, and must either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post to reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 20, 1924.

7. Tenders from tenderers not resident in the Colony will not receive consideration, unless submitted by a duly constituted agent resident in the Colony specially empowered to tender for the same, and to execute a valid contract in that behalf and to fulfil all the terms of the contract.

8. No tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form, and in respect of it each and every condition above laid down has been strictly fulfilled. All alterations or erasures should bear the initials of the tenderers.

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

10. Security to the extent of Rs. 2,000 in cash or fixed deposit will be required to be furnished for the due fulfilment of the contract.

11. Should any successful tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish the required security within 21 days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, the deposit of Rs. 100 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 the contract.

12. The contractors shall not assign or transfer the contract, or any interest therein, without the permission of the General Manager of the Railway.

13. The tenderers shall specify their prices in rupees and cents at per ton of 50 cubic feet for delivery over ship's side in Colombo Harbour, free of all freight and charges, and the teak shall be at the risk of the contractors until it is so delivered.

14. The teak is to be delivered in Colombo Harbour in the following approximate quantities, and at the following approximate dates, viz.:—

For Locomotive Department: 300 tons in October, 1924, 300 tons in January, 1925; 300 tons in April, 1925; 300 tons in September, 1925.

For Ways and Works Department: 100 tons in January, 1925.

15. If any teak delivered shall be objected to by the Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Superintendent or Engineer of Way and Works as not being of the size or quality contracted for as laid down in clauses 1 and 2 of this notice, the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to

deduct from the price such sums as he may consider justifiable by reason of such inferior size or quality, or he may reject such teak. Whenever any teak is so rejected, the contractors shall, at their own cost and expense, remove the rejected teak, and pending removal the teak shall remain and be at the risk of the contractors, and the contractors shall, in addition to any other penalty, be liable to refund to the General Manager the cost incurred in landing such teak, and the cost so incurred, when certified under the hand of the General Manager, shall be deemed final and conclusive.

16. If the contractors at any time fail to supply the teak at the time and in the quantities specified in clause 14 of this notice, or should any teak be rejected, the General Manager shall be at liberty to purchase elsewhere, at whatever price he may deem fit, such quantity of teak as the contractor may have failed to supply or as may have been rejected, and should the teak so purchased cost more than the contract price, the contractor shall be liable to pay to the General Manager the full amount of the excess cost, together with all expenses attending the purchase and procuring of the same.

17. Should the contractors fail to supply teak in the quantities and at the time agreed upon or should they supply teak inferior in quality, or should they commit a breach of any of the covenants of the contract, the General Manager shall be at liberty by notice in writing, to forthwith determine the contract, and thereupon the contractors will be liable to pay to the General Manager all costs and expenses incurred by failure to supply teak or by the supplying of teak of inferior size and quality, or by the breach of any other covenants of the contract, and shall in addition be liable to forfeit the sum of Rs. 2,000 deposited by them as security.

18. The General Manager of the Railway may deduct from sums payable to the contractors all sums payable to the Ceylon Government by the contractors under their contract, or such sums may be recovered by action at law.

19. 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.

20. If at any time any question, dispute, or difference shall arise between the General Manager of the Railway and the contractors upon or in relation to or in connection with the contract, either party may forthwith give the other notice in writing of the existence of such question, dispute, or difference, and such question, dispute, or difference shall be referred to arbitration of a person mutually agreed upon. The award of such arbitrator shall be final, conclusive, and binding on both parties.

21. 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.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 4, 1924.

T. E. DUTTON,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of displaying during a period of two years commencing on October 1, 1924, approved advertisements on the below mentioned spaces in the General Post Office at Colombo, which will be shown to the tenderers on application:—

- (a) Twenty-two panels at the front of the Money Order Counter, about 12½ in. by 17½ in. each.
- (b) Eight panels at the back of the Money Order Counter, about 15½ in. by 14 in. each.
- (c) Fifty-two wall spaces in the hall, about 12 in. by 18 in. each.

(d) Eight wall spaces under the arches at the entrance, about 28 in. by 64 in. each.

(e) Four panels at the sides and back of the letter box, two about 26 in. by 13 in. each, and two about 27½ in. by 13 in. each.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Postmaster-General, Colombo.

3. The covers containing the tenders should be superscribed "Tender for Display of Advertisements in the General Post Office" at the left hand top corner, and should reach the Office of the Postmaster-General not later than midday on June 2, 1924.

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

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 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 security or pay in full the amount tendered for the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Postmaster-General or his representative that his tender has been accepted, the deposit made shall 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.

7. The successful tenderer must give security to the amount of Rs. 500 in cash.

8. Further information regarding the terms of the contract and any other information can be obtained on application to the Postmaster-General.

9. No contract will 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.

10. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Postmaster-General.

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

12. The Postmaster-General reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all of the tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

13. The advertisements should be neatly printed or lithographed, and placed in teak frames without any gold beading. The frames should be according to a pattern which can be inspected at the Office of the Postmaster-General and not exceed the dimension of the spaces described above, which they are to cover. They should be fixed by means of battens and rawlplugs so as to cause no damage or disfigurement to walls and panels.

14. No advertisement shall be displayed which, in the opinion of the Postmaster-General, may be in any way unsuitable, and he reserves to himself the right to require at any time the immediate withdrawal or removal of any advertisement. The contractor shall make all necessary and proper arrangements for procuring and submitting proofs of advertisements and obtaining the approval of the Postmaster-General before the advertisements are displayed.

15. In particular no advertisements shall be displayed which—

- (a) Relate to alcoholic liquors, lotteries, betting, or gambling.
- (b) May be contrary to public policy.
- (c) Relate to any illegal or immoral business or matter.

16. The fixing, cleaning, maintenance, and replacement of advertisements must be undertaken by the contractor. The Postmaster-General will accept no responsibility for defacement, damage, theft, or loss of advertisements or of accessories.

17. The acceptance by the Postmaster-General of any tender shall not constitute a contract. The contractor will be required to enter into an agreement in writing to be prepared by the Postmaster-General. The contractor will be required to indemnify the Postmaster-General against claims for infringement of copyright, trade mark, design, or patent rights, or in respect of any error or omission, or of anything of a defamatory nature in any advertisement.

Colombo, April 8, 1924.

M. S. SRESHTA,
Postmaster-General.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the conveyance of materials by boat from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1926, to and from the under-mentioned places :—

(a) Chilaw and Puttalam and intermediate stations and branch canals and backwaters at Rs. — per mile per cwt.

(b) Colombo and Bolgoda and intermediate stations and branch canals and backwaters at Rs. — per mile per cwt.

(c) Colombo and Digarolla and intermediate stations and branch canals and backwaters at Rs. — per mile per cwt.

(d) Colombo and Diyagama or intermediate stations and branch canals and backwaters at Rs. — per mile per cwt.

(e) Colombo, Kalutara, and Nambapane and intermediate stations on the Kalu-ganga and the Kuda-ganga at Rs. — per mile per cwt.

Two tons to be taken as a boat load.

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 Conveyance of Materials by Boat during 1924-26," 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.

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. Tendere must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Director of Public Works, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tendere should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tendere containing alterations not so initialled will 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 signed by the Director of Public Works 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. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Director of Public Works.

8. 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. 200 for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

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

10. 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.

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

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 Director of Public Works, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

13. 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.

14. 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.

15. 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.

16. 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, April 5, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for drainage of Law Courts, 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, Government Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Drainage of Law Courts, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing offices, on or before 12 noon on April 25, 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 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, 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, 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, April 8, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the erection and completion of a new Three Storey Ward at the Lunatic Asylum, Angoda.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates and finally subject to the approval of the Director of Public Works or his representative.

3. The drawings, specification, bills of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained, from the Public Works Department Head Office, 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. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for same before any form of schedule will be issued. Should any person decline to enter into the agreement within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, that his schedule of rates 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 deposits will be returned upon signature of an agreement.

5. Schedules of rates must be submitted in duplicate, duly signed and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, one addressed to the Director of Public Works, Public Works Office, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates, Angoda Lunatic Asylum," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on Wednesday, April 23, 1924.

6. 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.

7. Government reserves to itself the right to supply the contractor with any materials, including any imported articles, which may be necessary in the execution of the work included in any agreement.

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, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, 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 nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,
Colombo, April 9, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying the following delivered in good order at site of Power Station near Municipal Metal Quarry, Galle:—

(a) Two crude oil-engine-driven (direct-coupled) alternator-set to generate 60 K. W. Three phase 50 cycle alternating current at 80 per cent. power factor or 75 K. V. A.

(b) One crude oil-engine-driven (direct-coupled) alternator-set to generate 20 K. W. Three phase 50 cycle alternating current at 80 per cent. power factor or 25 K. V. A.

2. The engines may be of the four stroke or two stroke vertical multi-cylinder type, and should be capable of developing the loads specified on crude oil fuel of .92 specific gravity 19,300 B. T. U. calorific value.

3. The alternators to be of the two bearing revolving field type with self-contained exciters and designed to develop the out-puts specified at 380/440 volts 50 cycle between phases and star wound for star-point to be earthed.

4. These generator-sets should be capable of carrying the loads specified on a six-hour continuous run and a 25 per cent. overload for two hours immediately thereafter without excessive temperature rise.

5. These sets are intended for parallel operation and they should be provided with speed regulation and light load running devices.

6. Each set should be provided with a flexible coupling placed between engine and alternator.

7. A pillar exciter rheostat to be provided for each generator-set also cooling and service oil tanks with standard pipe connections.

8. A full list of accessories and spare parts offered for each set as well as bed plates, foundation bolts, &c., to be supplied.

9. Foundation plans for each set should accompany tenders.

10. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Director of Public Works, Colombo.

11. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Generator-sets, Galle," on the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Director of Public Works, Colombo, on or before May 15, 1924.

12. 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.

13. The successful tenderer on receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted will be required to enter into an agreement to supply the engines, &c., within fifteen (15) weeks of signing the contract.

14. For the due and faithful performance of the agreement a deposit of Rs. 1,000 will be required to be made at the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Hon. the Colonial Treasurer, and the Bank Book produced for the same before the agreement is entered into.

15. Further information may be obtained on application at the office of the Electrical Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo.

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 Director of Public Works, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

17. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

SEPARATE tenders are hereby invited for the supply of Milchar rice No. 1, best quality, and Soolai rice, according to the requirements of the Public Works Department.

(a) In general, to be delivered *ex* Granaries, Colombo (Milchar rice No. 1, best quality only);

(b) In Southern Province only, to be delivered *ex* Stores, Galle (Milchar rice No. 1, best quality and Soolai rice);

as per schedule attached to tender form, for the period May 15, 1924, to August 14, 1924.

2. All tenders for either (a) or (b) 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 the Supply of Rice, Public Works Department," 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 6, 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 rice are not required to accompany the tender notice, but the successful tenderer in each case will be required to submit for approval of the Director of Public Works or his representative samples of the rice with which he proposes to meet each order before acceptance and delivery of supplies in respect of such order.

6. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the office of the Director of Public Works, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in the tender should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

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 and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Director of Public Works, 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.

8. Further information may be obtained *re* (a) on application at the Office of the Director of Public Works, Colombo, and *re* (b) on application to the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle.

9. On the acceptance of a tender the successful tenderer will be required to sign a contract to make due delivery in accordance with the description and the quality of rice tendered, by him and as per approved samples submitted as required and in the quantities that may be ordered by the Director of Public Works or his representative from time to time, deliveries to be made within ten days of receipt of order. It should also be noted that payment of rice supplies will be made on or about a date 6 weeks subsequent to delivery. In order to secure the due and punctual performance of each of the contracts, the successful tenderer in each case will be required to deposit the following sum in respect of the particular contract entered into by him, if any:—

- (a) *ex* Granaries, Colombo, P. W. D. supplies generally, Rs. 500.
 (b) *ex* Stores, Galle, P. W. D. supplies in S. P. only, Rs. 200.

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

11. 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.

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 Director of Public Works, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

14. 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.

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, 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 tendered 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, April 8, 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 construction of a school building, 90 ft. by 20 ft., and attached quarters and two temporary pit latrines at Dedunupitiya in Tumpane, and for the construction of a school building, 70 ft. by 20 ft., and attached quarters and two temporary pit latrines in Kirinda-Udapalata, Kandy District.

2. Tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, District Schools Committee, Kachcheri, Kandy, and should reach the Kachcheri on or before 12 noon, on April 24, 1924.

3. The plans and specification may be seen, and further information obtained at the Kandy Kachcheri. A bill of quantities will be issued to any intending tenderer to assist him in making up his estimate. No further payment will be made on the agreement for any extra work done without the sanction of the Chairman.

4. Tenderers must be prepared to enter into an agreement with the Chairman of the District Schools Committee for the due performance of the contract at the price quoted in the tender.

5. The successful tenderer will be required to enter into an agreement and to furnish security for the due performance of the contract.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 should accompany the tender. Should any person decline to enter into the contract or bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within seven days of receiving a notice in writing from the Chairman that his tender has been accepted, his deposit shall be forfeited to the District Schools Committee. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or agreement.

7. The Chairman, District Schools Committee, does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to himself the right of accepting or rejecting any tender.

Kandy Kachcheri, W. L. KINDERSLEY,
 April 9, 1924. Chairman.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned private property of long-sentenced prisoners of the Welikada Jail, will be sold by public auction at the Welikada Jail premises at 9 A.M. on Wednesday, April 30, 1924 :—

41 coats	22 buttons
190 sarongs	9 P. B. studs
121 cloths	8 shop studs
120 banians	5 trouser studs
22 shirts	3 German silver waistchains
16 trousers, pairs	4 white metal bangles
9 boots, pairs	1 string beads
6 hats	8 white metal rings
7 ties	1 brass ring
4 collars	1 penknife
60 handkerchiefs	1 pruning knife
75 belts	1 nose ornament
6 shawls	2 crooked combs
7 socks	1 watch and yellow metal chain
1 drawers, pairs	1 leather purse
4 jackets	
1 bodice	
10 towels	

Welikada Prison,
April 7, 1924.

C. C. SCHOKMAN,
for Superintendent.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned unserviceable article will be sold by public auction on April 16, 1924, at 10 A.M., at the District Court, Colombo :—

1 Remington Typewriter (Old Model).

District Court,
Colombo, April 8, 1924.

W. S. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following private properties of long-sentenced and deceased prisoners of Bogambara Jail will be sold by public auction at the Jail premises on Saturday, April 26, 1924, at 11 A.M. :—

16 sarongs	2 towels
15 cloths	2 shirts
2 coats	4 jackets
12 banians	5 cambayas
10 handkerchiefs	8 rags
4 belts	1 German silver waist string

Bogambara Prisons,
Kandy, April 7, 1924.

J. LAMBERT,
Superintendent.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended April 5, 1924.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 119 (1 European, 11 Burghers, 69 Sinhalese, 16 Tamils, 16 Moors, 5 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1924, viz., 251,824) was 24·7, as against 23·0 in the preceding week, 31·8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28·3 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 127 (5 Burghers, 70 Sinhalese, 17 Tamils, 25 Moors, 5 Malays, and 5 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 26·4, as against 30·7 in the previous week, 36·8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 35·6 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 127 total deaths, 26 were of infants under one year of age, as against 28 in the preceding week, 41 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 15.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Sixteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 3 each in Kotahena South and Maradana hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 2 each in Pettah, Kotahena North, and New Bazaar, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Maradana East, Maradana South, and Kollupitiya, as against 15 in the previous week, and 24 the weekly average for last year.

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

(c) One death from *Bronchitis* was registered in Maradana North, as against 3 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

2. Five deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 2 each in New Bazaar and Maradana hospitals, and 1 in Maradana South, as against 9 in the previous week, and 15 the weekly average for last year.

3. Five deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 1 each in Kotahena South, New Bazaar, Maradana hospital, Slave Island, and Wellawatta North, as against 9 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

4. Three deaths from *Plague* were registered, 2 in Maradana hospitals, and 1 in Kotahena North, as against 1 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

5. Fifteen deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 8 from *Debility*, 5 each from *Enteritis* and *Worms*, 4 from *Dysentery*, 3 from *Diarrhœa*, and 50 from *Other Causes*.

6. Nineteen cases of *Chickenpox*, 15 of *Measles*, 5 of *Enteric Fever*, and 3 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 32, 10, 8, and 2 respectively, of the preceding week.

State of Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 82·8°, as against 82·6° in the preceding week, and 82·5° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·852 in., against 29·803 in. in the preceding week, and 29·855 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 5·49 in., against 1·26 in. in the preceding week, and 0·10 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 8, 1924.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Registrar-General.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages which have been lying in B 2 Warehouse 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.

Entry No.	Date.	Vessel.	Marks.	Description.
202	March 2, 1922	Scheidjk	C C upon G S	2 cases hardware
H. M. Customs, Colombo, April 2, 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 :—

Date.	Number of Way Bill.	From Station.	Name.	Description.
December 25, 1923	43/12	Madura Jn.	P. D. Thomas	1 case ebony articles
H. M. Customs, Colombo, April 5, 1924.				B. G. DE GLANVILLE, for Principal Collector.

Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the different Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended April 5, 1924.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Bombay	3
Do.	Calcutta	9,988
Do.	Karachi	20
Do.	Karikal	4,406
Do.	Rangoon	65,188
Do.	Dhanushkodi	6,643
Beruwala	Negapatam	500
Kayts	Adirampatam	875
Do.	Akyab	350
Do.	Negapatam	846
Galle	Rangoon	3,545
Do.	Karikal	2,301
Do.	Negapatam	4,100
Do.	Dhanushkodi	256
Kankasanturai	Negapatam	377
Talaimannar	Kumbakonam	3
Other Ports	Nil	Nil

(5,302 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs, Colombo, April 8, 1924. B. G. DE GLANVILLE, for Principal Collector.

Change of Managamant.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. S. Cr Arnold has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below in place of Rev. G. D. Thomas :—

Schools referred to.

Navaly Vernacular School.
Anaicottai Vernacular School.

Education Office, Colombo, March 28, 1924. L. MACRAE, Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. N. Cumaraswamy Iyer of Naipattimunai, Kalmunai, has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, in place of Mr. T. S. Kingioliyapody :—

Schools referred to.

BT/Naipattimunai Vernacular Mixed School.
BT/Pandiruppu Vernacular Mixed School.

Education Office, Colombo, April 2, 1924. L. MACRAE, Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. Alver Kanthapper Sinniah has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, in place of Mr. S. Sabapathi Pillai :—

Schools referred to.

J/Karaveddi South Boys' Vernacular School.
J/Karaveddi Saraswati Girls' Vernacular School.

Education Office, Colombo, April 2, 1924. L. MACRAE, Director of Education.

CEYLON MEDICAL COLLEGE.

Final Examination—March, 1924.

First Class (in Order of Merit).
None.

Second Class (in Order of Merit).

No. 2. A. S. W. Goonewardena.
No. 6. R. Jeremiah.
No. 5. E. St. J. Caspersz.

The following candidates complete the Examination :—

No. 9. J. H. V. Mendis.
No. 18. P. C. Wickremesinghe.
No. 26. E. L. W. de Silva.

The above-named students have satisfied the requirements for the License in Medicine, Surgery, and Midwifery of the Ceylon Medical College,

Ceylon, Medical College, Colombo, April 4, 1924. F. O'B. ELLISON, Registrar and Professor of Physiology.

Second Apothecaries' Examination—March, 1924.

First Class (in Order of Merit).
None.

Second Class (in Order of Merit).

No. 3. L. P. A. A. de Silva | No. 1. M. W. Siriwardene.
No. 7. K. Thambirajah. | No. 5. M. D. S. Allan.
No. 2. M. S. Hamid.

Ceylon Medical College, Colombo, April 4, 1924. F. O'B. ELLISON, Registrar and Professor of Physiology.

Admission of Students to the Apothecary Classes of the Ceylon Medical College.

APPLICATIONS for the above will be received by the undersigned till April 20, 1924. Applicants must (a) produce a certificate of being 16 years of age, (b) of good character, (c) of having obtained a pass in English, Arithmetic, and one of the following languages: Latin, Sinhalese or Tamil in the English School Leaving; Cambridge Junior Local; Senior Local, Entrance, or Matriculation of Indian Universities examinations.

The department provides without tuition fee two years' course to qualify for post of Government Apothecary, but before commencing studies they will be required to sign a bond to serve as Estate Dispensers for 3 years, if necessary. Those admitted should each deposit Rs. 10 at the General Treasury or a Kachcheri to be refunded on passing the First Examination.

F. O'B. ELLISON,
Registrar and Professor of Physiology.

Back-lane Scheme for the Scavenging of the Area of the Town of Kandy.

IN accordance with section 53 (3) of the "Housing and Town Improvement Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915," notice is hereby given that the Back-lane Scheme for the scavenging of the area, bounded on the north by Colombo street, south by Ward street, east by Trincomalee street, and west by Castle Hill street, as finally approved by the Board of Improvement Commissioners, Kandy, has been submitted for sanction to the Governor in Executive Council.

Particulars of this Scheme, as finally approved by the Board of Improvement Commissioners, Kandy, were published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, and in "The Ceylon Morning Leader" of March 28, 1924, and "The Ceylon Independent" of March 28, 1924.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman, Board of Improvement Commissioners.
Town Hall, Kandy, April 8, 1924.

Sale of Wolseley Car.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned car will be sold by public auction on Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at 9 A.M., at the Government Factory premises:—

Wolseley motor car 16-20 h.p., seven-seater, in good order, complete with 2 brass head lights, 2 brass side lamps, 1 tale lamp, cushion covers, horn, 1 stepney wheel with tyre, complete set of tools, 4 second-hand serviceable tubes 880 by 120, and 1 set of spare parts.

2. The above car may be inspected at the site on and after April 10, 1924, on application to the Factory Engineer.

3. The purchaser will be required to deposit the full amount of the purchase money with the auctioneer at the close of the auction, when the car becomes the property of the buyer at his risk. The car must be removed within seven days of the date of sale.

Public Works Office, Colombo, April 8, 1924. E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,
for Director of Public Works.

Sale of Satinwood.

AN auction sale of the under-mentioned satinwood will be held at the Central Timber Depot, Kew road, Slave Island, Colombo, on Friday, May 10, 1924, at 9 A.M., subject to the following conditions:—

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Division.	No. of Logs.	Cubic Feet.
Northern Division	27	1,074.40
North-Central Division	2	33.00
Eastern Division (South)	1	35.00
Total	30	1,142.40

LIST OF SATINWOOD LOGS REFERRED TO.

Northern Division.							
Div. No.	C. No.	T. No.	D. No.	Length. Ft. in.	Girth. Ft. in.	Cubic Feet.	Soundness of Log.
48	1122	23	0	4 11	34.74	Unsound*	
44	1235	24	0	4 8	32.66	do.†	
28	1669	14	6	5 2	24.00	Sound†	
16	1670	10	3	5 9	21.00	do.†	
12	1671	27	9	4 8	38.00	do.†	
22	1672	13	3	5 5	24.00	do.‡	
21	1673	16	0	4 9	23.00	do.*	
19	1674	14	9	5 1	24.00	do.†	
15	1675	16	3	4 11	25.00	do.†	
32	1676	15	3	5 5	28.00	do.†	
25	1677	23	9	4 10	35.00	Partly unsound†	
13	1678	22	0	4 10	32.00	Sound*	
27	1679	21	9	4 11	33.00	do.†	
29	1680	22	3	5 2	37.00	do.†	
3	1681	22	6	6 0	51.00	do.*	
8	1682	15	0	6 7	41.00	do.§	
12	1683	14	9	7 2	47.00	do.†	
11	1684	15	3	7 11	60.00	do.†	
6	1685	15	6	7 3	51.00	do.†	
2	1686	15	0	7 2	48.00	do.†	
7	1687	15	9	7 2	51.00	do.§	
3	1688	16	6	7 3	54.00	do.§	
1	1689	16	0	7 0	49.00	do.†	
4	1690	12	9	7 1	40.00	do.§	
10	1691	14	9	7 11	58.00	do.§	
9	1692	15	0	8 3	64.00	Partly unsound§	
5	1693	16	0	7 0	49.00	Sound†	

North-Central Division.						
480	1535	12	0	4 9	17.00	Sound†
488	1542	15	0	4 2	16.00	do.†

Eastern Division (South).						
502	1638	15	6	6 0	35.00	Sound†

* Streaked. † Flowered.
† Plain. § Slightly flowered.

Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, April 7, 1924. J. D. SARGENT,
Conservator of Forests.

Sale of Timber.

AN auction sale of under-mentioned timber lying at Jaffna Customs Depot will be held on the spot by the Divisional Forest Officer, N. D., Jaffna, on Thursday, April 24, and Friday, April 25, 1924, at 9.30 A.M., subject to the following conditions:—

1. The timber will be put up either singly or in lots to suit buyers at a rate per cubic foot, &c., and no advance of less than 10 cents per cubic foot, &c., will be accepted.

2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting

the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.

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

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

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

6. Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid when so required, or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or balance thereof, as the case may be, and to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 5 above, the lot will again be put up for auction, and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at the re-sale, while, if

an enhanced price is realized at such re-sale, he shall however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.

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

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

List of Logs to be auctioned on Thursday, April 24, 1924.

70 Palu logs.

List of Logs to be auctioned on Friday, April 25, 1924.

69 Palu logs.

J. D. SARGENT,
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, April 2, 1924.

Registrars of Births and Deaths.

WITH reference to the Government Notification dated March 28, 1924, appearing in the *Gazette* No. 7,384 of the same date, 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 of the divisions noted opposite their names, holding office in the places appearing in column 4.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 8, 1924.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,
for Registrar-General.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO. *Southern Province.—Galle District.*

No. of Registration Division.	Name of Registrar.	Name of Registration Division.	Place of Office.
7	Hettiachchi Baptist Wickramaratna	Hikkaduwa	Hettiachchi Divelwatta in Hikkaduwa
8 (b)	Hikkaduwa Vidaneralalage Don Arthur Abeyratne Wickramasingha	Weragoda	Pingahawatta in Godagama; Station: Achariaramba <i>alias</i> Kumarungewatta in Alutwala

Ninety-second Annual Report of the Ceylon Savings Bank.

Board of Directors:

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary.

The Hon. the Controller of Revenue.

The Postmaster-General.

REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1923.

THE Ninety-second Annual Report of the Ceylon Savings Bank is submitted, together with Statements of Accounts and Balance Sheet for 1923. It is gratifying to note that the Bank continues to progress satisfactorily, and it is largely availed of as a medium of thrift by all classes of the community.

New Accounts opened and closed.—The number of new accounts opened during the year was 2,802, against 2,152 in the previous year. The number of accounts closed was 1,492, being 74 less than in the previous year.

Number of Depositors.—The total number of depositors at the end of the year was 43,504, being 1,310 more than in the previous year.

Deposits and Withdrawals.—The amount deposited during the year was Rs. 2,070,646, and the amount withdrawn was Rs. 1,786,491, and the amount to credit of depositors on December 31 last was Rs. 4,903,716·88.

Interest.—The interest paid and credited to depositors for last year was Rs. 155,045·99, against Rs. 150,817·18 in 1922—an increase of Rs. 4,228·81.

Investments on House Property.—Thirteen (13) new loans were granted on landed property within the Municipal limits of Colombo, amounting to Rs. 280,931·51, and Rs. 90,781·51 was repaid on moneys lent. The total investments under this head stands at Rs. 613,318·06.

It will be of interest to depositors to know that the borrowers in many cases have used the money in building new houses in the town or in improving old dwelling houses. It is the policy of the Bank to lend money on easy terms of re-payment on town property at a reasonable rate of interest.

Investments on Foreign Securities.—£7,000 worth of Victoria 3½ per cent. stock, which matured in October last, was converted to 5 per cent. War-stock worth £6,816·8·4 by the Crown Agents.

Profits.—The nett profit for the year amounted to Rs. 17,335·47 an appreciable increase of Rs. 5,129·31 against 1922. The Reserve Fund, which has been augmented by this sum, now stands at Rs. 743,657·47.

Loss by Defalcation.—The sum of Rs. 318·30 was written off the Profit and Loss Account for 1923. This sum represents a further amount misappropriated by the late Accountant Mr. S. W. Dabrera, which came to light during the course of the year.

GENERAL.

Amendment of Savings Bank Ordinance.—The Attorney-General was of opinion that section 10 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1859 did not state with sufficient clearness for what purposes moneys of the Bank could be spent, and it was decided to repeal this section and re-enact in its present form by Ordinance 17 of 1923 so as to provide for the payment of rent of premises occupied by the Bank, cost of furniture, fees, and other necessary expenses in carrying on the business of the Bank.

Revision of Rules.—Rule No. (4). It was decided to amend rule No. 4 with a view to open the Bank on Saturdays between 10.30 A.M. and 12 noon. This concession is appreciated both by the general public and the teaching profession, and Saturday is fast becoming a popular day with them.

Rule No. (9). It was found that there was no valid reasons to deprive a depositor of interest on his deposit one year after his death, or after his ceasing to reside in Ceylon, and consequently paragraph 2 of Rule 9 has been deleted. It is now possible for depositors who leave the Island to continue their deposits, and for Ceylonese abroad to open new accounts in the Bank.

Interpretation of Section 8 of Ordinance 12 of 1859.—A doubt having arisen as to whether the Bank was justified in refusing to accept from a depositor who deposited Rs. 1,000 in January, 1923, and withdrew Rs. 500 in February, 1923, any further deposits during 1923, the matter was referred to the Attorney-General who was of opinion that the section empowers the Bank to allow further deposits provided the total of Rs. 1,000 is not exceeded in any one year after deducting the withdrawals made. This ruling is now followed by the Bank.

A telephone was added for the convenience of the public, and much business is being done since its introduction. On the instruction of the President Director the Balance Sheet duly audited and certified by the Colonial Auditor is laid before you.

The Late Accountant.—It is with deep regret that I have to record the death on February 25, 1923, of Mr. H. D. Morrow, Accountant, who was employed in the Bank for nearly 29 years. By his death the Bank has lost the services of an experienced and trustworthy public officer. Mr. H. A. S. Hamer of the Colonial Auditor's Office has been appointed to succeed him.

Native Rank.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confer in honour of the Birthday of His Majesty the King the rank of Mudaliyar of the Governor's Gate on Mr. Edwin de Livera, J.P., the Head Shroff of the Bank in recognition of his long and meritorious services.

Ceylon Savings Bank,
Colombo, March 14, 1924.

A. W. METZELING,
Secretary.

Statement showing the Annual Progress of the Ceylon Savings Bank.

Year.	Number of Accounts opened.	Number of Accounts closed.	Amount deposited.	Amount withdrawn.	Number of Depositors.	Amount to Credit of Depositors.
			Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
1913 ..	3,107	1,922	2,238,026	2,033,609	39,331	5,584,703
1914 ..	2,354	2,199	1,831,755	2,760,691	39,486	4,655,767
1915 ..	1,543	2,202	1,270,995	1,811,128	38,827	4,115,634
1916 ..	1,640	1,568	1,401,333	1,409,050	38,899	4,107,917
1917 ..	1,282	1,773	1,169,934	1,479,371	38,408	3,798,480
1918 ..	1,666	1,447	1,286,756	1,342,643	38,627	3,742,593
1919 ..	2,577	1,498	1,814,836	1,469,632	39,706	4,089,722
1920 ..	2,646	1,682	1,938,168	1,714,672	40,670	4,283,218
1921 ..	2,549	1,611	1,896,524	1,676,150	41,608	4,503,592
1922 ..	2,152	1,566	1,822,361	1,706,392	42,194	4,619,561
1923 ..	2,802	1,492	2,070,646	1,786,491	43,504	4,903,716

Nationality of New Depositors.

	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.
Burghers ..	308	324	230	432
Cochinese ..	4	12	7	5
Europeans ..	106	143	152	81
Goanese ..	1	2	3	—
Indians ..	—	—	1	4
Malays ..	41	34	22	55
Moors ..	129	139	100	180
Parsees ..	3	7	3	3
Sinhalese ..	1,756	1,668	1,438	1,794
Tamils ..	298	220	196	248
Total ..	2,646	2,549	2,152	2,802

Distribution of New Accounts.

	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.
Western Province ..	2,323	2,111	1,844	2,416
Central Province ..	115	145	133	175
Southern Province ..	65	72	56	91
Northern Province ..	27	24	26	30
Eastern Province ..	14	52	13	11
North-Western Province ..	40	61	27	22
North-Central Province ..	17	20	10	17
Province of Uva ..	19	23	7	15
Province of Sabaragamuwa ..	26	41	36	25
Total ..	2,646	2,549	2,152	2,802

Classification of Professions of New Depositors.

	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.
Artificers	93	135	83	150
Civil Servants and Families	8	26	11	13
Clergy and Church Funds	11	24	19	47
Clerks and Families	933	752	669	1,125
District Mudaliyars and Ratemahatmayas	4	3	2	7
Domestic Servants	232	207	152	127
Educational	90	69	41	72
Labourers	142	84	94	148
Legal	13	13	9	22
Medical	19	67	42	61
Merchants and Traders	328	291	312	49
Military Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates	32	6	9	221
Minors	393	445	410	418
No occupation	167	97	91	127
Planters and Landowners	22	25	31	37
Policemen and Peons	55	170	67	79
Post and Telegraphs	7	19	41	15
Railway and Breakwater	74	89	43	47
Seafaring	5	8	10	9
Surveyors	5	9	7	12
Police Vidazes	1	4	4	5
Engineers	12	6	5	11
Total	2,646	2,549	2,152	2,802

	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Interest paid to Depositors	114,455	143,179	150,817	155,045.99
Interest on loans against property	21,399	30,870	34,582	42,130.57
Balance transferred to Reserve Account	23,523	14,231	12,206	17,335.47

Dr.		Balance Sheet of the Ceylon Savings Bank—December 31, 1923.		Cr.	
LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	ASSETS.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
To Amount due to Depositors	4,903,716	88		By cash in Banks:—	
Suspense Account	322	27		At credit of Directors	57,883
Miscellaneous Account	131	0		At credit of Treasurer	17,797
Reserve Fund	743,657	47			75,681
				By fixed deposits in Local Banks:—	
				Eastern Bank	165,000
				National Bank	120,000
				Imperial Bank	250,000
				Chartered Bank	40,000
				Mercantile Bank	40,000
				P. & O. Bank	310,000
					925,000
				By investments at cost:—	
				Indian Government 3½	
				per cent.	1,892,166
				Ceylon Government 4	
				per cent.	653,260
				Colonial Government 3	
				and 4 per cent. and 5	
				per cent. War Loans	
				No. 2	1,300,000
				United Kingdom War	
				Loans 5 per cent.	103,984
					3,949,410
				By loans on landed pro-	
				perty	613,318
				By Accrued Interest:—	
				On loans	6,619
				On Investments, &c.	75,813
					82,433
				By Deposit Account (Trunk	
				line fees)	10
				By Office furniture	1,973
Total	5,647,827	62		Total	5,647,827
					62

* Estimated market value on December 31, 1923, Rs. 2,820,314.90.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Profit and Loss Account of the Ceylon Savings Bank—December 31, 1923.			
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
To Interest paid to Depositors ..	155,045 99	By Interest on loans against property ..	42,130 58
Rent of premises ..	5,100 0	Interest on Bank Deposits, Indian Govern- ment Paper, Ceylon Inscribed Stock, Colonial Government Investments, and 5 per cent. War Loans (Nos. 1 and 2) ..	173,585 53
Cost of Account Books ..	365 75		
Stationery, printing, and advertisements	1,619 80		
Salaries, pensions, audit, and lawyers' fees, &c. ..	35,826 92		
5 per cent. Depreciation on furniture ..	103 87		
Loss on account defalcation by Mr. S. W. Dabrera, the late Accountant ..	318 30		
Balance, being profits transferred to Reserve Fund ..	17,335 47		
Total ..	215,716 10	Total ..	215,716 10

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Reserve Fund.			
	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
To Balance on December 31, 1923 ..	743,657 47	By Balance on December 31, 1922 ..	726,322 00
		Profits of 1923 transferred ..	17,335 47
Total ..	743,657 47	Total ..	743,657 47

Ceylon Savings Bank,
Colombo, March 14, 1924.

HENRY A. S. HAMER, Accountant.

Auditor's Certificate.

I certify that the Accounts have been examined under my direction, and that the Balance Sheet correctly sets forth the state of the Bank's affairs according to the Bank's books.

Colombo, March 26, 1924.

F. G. MORLEY,
Colonial Auditor.

Destruction of a Dangerous Elephant.

THE Assistant Government Agent, Matale, is prepared to issue free of stamp duty a license for the destruction of a dangerous elephant which is haunting the vicinity of Elehera, 14 miles east of Naula.

Description.

About 8½ feet in height. Has large white blotch on forehead. Tail shortened by an injury.

The Kachcheri,
Matale, April 9, 1924.

T. A. HODSON,
Assistant Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 23, situated at Wolfendahl street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from March 28, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 41, situated at Prince of Wales Avenue, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from March 23, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 226, situated at Nagalagam street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from March 27, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 67, situated at Messenger 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 26, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,
The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 1, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 12, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,382 of March 21, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 17, situated at Piachaud's lane, 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 March 16, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 2, situated at Kuruwe 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 30, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 158, 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 27, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 6, situated at Albert Crescent, 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 26, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated February 19, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,378 of February 22, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 100, situated at Timbirigasyaya 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 20, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 20, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, the premises known as the S. P. C. A. Refuge for Animals, Baseline 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 April 1, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 3, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 21, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 15, situated at New Urugodawatta 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 April 3, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 4, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 933, situated at Ferguson's 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 April 1, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 19, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 66, situated at Mahawatta, 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 March 30, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 21, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 16, situated at Nagalagam 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 April 1, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated March 21, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,384 of March 28, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 53, situated at Mahawatta, 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 April 2, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated December 5, 1923, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,365 of December 14, 1923, the premises bearing assessment No. 12, situated at Colpetty 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 December 30, 1923.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated January 17, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,371 of January 25, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 10, situated at Stewart street, Slave Island, 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 10, 1924.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Rinderpest.

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared infected at Telengapatha in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2) of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in the *Government Gazettes* of January 11, February 1 and 29, and March 14, 1924, are now free from rinderpest.

R. J. PEREIRA,
Colombo, April 2, 1924. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Egoda Kolonnawa, in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in *Gazette* No. 7,380 of March 7, 1924, is now free from rinderpest.

K. VAITHIANATHAN,
Colombo, April 3, 1924. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Moratuwa in Salpiti 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 Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north De Mel's lane, east Main street, west Prince of Wales Avenue, south Moratuwa Station Approach road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, K. VAITHIANATHAN,
Colombo, April 4, 1924. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Keregepokuna, in Alutkuru 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 Kahatagahawatta; bounded on north by land belonging to Gunatilaka, east by Colombo-Negombo road, south by land belonging to W. P. de Silva, and west by land belonging to I. Agilis Fernando.

This declaration is to effect from this day.

TIMOTHY F. ABEYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Wattala, March 27, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on the land called Beligahawatta at Hokandera North, 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 Managgonadeniya, east by the lands belonging to Wadduwage and Handaragamage people, south and west by the village boundary of Hokandera South.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

March 31, 1924. A. ABHAYARATNE,
Mudaliyar, Hewagam Korale.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at the butchers' cattle shed near Lady Horton's walk within the limits of the Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya:

It is hereby declared that the area situated within the limits of the Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya, is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This proclamation is to take effect from April 5, 1924.

E. T. DYSON,
Nuwara Eliya, April 5, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

NOTICES UNDER "THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE," No. 11 OF 1920.**Licensed Auctioneers and Brokers for 1924.**

THE following list of persons licensed to carry on the trade or business of an Auctioneer or of a Broker within the limits of the Urban District Council area of Kalutara, during the month of March, 1924, is published in terms of section 17 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1889, as amended by Ordinance No. 25 of 1922 :—

- C. Jayawardana, Auctioneer, Kalutara North.
- Manuel Fernando Wanigaratnam, Auctioneer and Broker, Kalutara South.
- G. de S. Goonawardana, Auctioneer, Kalutara South.
- B. H. D. Peter, Auctioneer, Kalutara South.
- D. M. D. S. Goonaratna, Auctioneer, Kalutara South.
- H. O. Scharenguivel, Auctioneer, Kalutara South.
- D. C. de S. A. Goonaratna, Auctioneer, Kalutara South.

OLIVER G. DE ALWIS,
Vice Chairman, Urban District Council.

Office of the Urban District Council,
Kalutara, April 2, 1924.

Police and Water-rates.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lands at Matale mentioned in the under-mentioned schedule having been seized for default in payment of U. D. C., Police and Water-rates, Matale, for 4th quarter, 1923, will be sold by public auction on April 28, 1924, on the spot at Matale at 9 A.M., in conformity with the Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920, unless in the meantime the amount owing in respect of rates, together with lawful cost of seizure and sale, are duly paid.

Further particulars can be obtained at the Office of the Urban District Council, Matale.

E. de SILVA,
Vice Chairman, Urban District Council.
Office of the Urban District Council,
Matale, April 7, 1924.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

- Property No. 195.—Hulangomuwa road.
- Property No. 82.—Harasgama road.
- Properties Nos. 6 and 29.—Moysey Crescent road.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Prices of Foodstuffs, &c., in Colombo, on April 9, 1924.

	Per	Wholesale.	Per	Retail.
		Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Paddy, Country	Bushel	2 75	Measure	—
Paddy, Imported	do.	3 0	do.	—
Rice, Country	do.	—	do.	—
Rice, Kara	do.	5 62½	do.	0 17½
Rice, Kallunda	do.	5 75	do.	0 18
Rice, Sulai	do.	5 88	do.	0 18½
Rice, Muttusamba	do.	6 75	do.	0 21½
Raw Rice (Rangoon)	do.	5 88	do.	—
Raw Rice (Singapore)	do.	5 75	do.	—
Raw Rice (Batavia)	do.	—	do.	—
Dhall (Tivarai)	—	—	Seer	0 32
Dhall (Mussouri)	—	—	do.	0 16
Green Peas	—	—	do.	0 16
Ulundu	—	—	do.	0 16
Gram	—	—	do.	0 14
Wheat Flour	—	—	lb.	0 13
American Flour	—	—	do.	0 12
Ghee, Cow	—	—	Bottle	5 0
Ghee, Buffalo	—	—	Seer	2 75
Milk	—	—	Bottle	0 40
Potatoes (Indian)	—	—	lb.	0 11
Potatoes (Bangalore)	—	—	do.	0 10
Onions (Bombay)	—	—	do.	0 7
Onions, Red	—	—	do.	0 6
Bread	—	—	1-lb. loaf	0 18
Tea	—	—	lb.	1 0
Coffee	—	—	do.	0 66
Limes	—	—	Dozen	0 24
Coconut	—	—	Each	0 9
Sugar, Soft	—	—	lb.	0 27
Sugar, Crepe	—	—	do.	0 23
Sugar, Ceylon	—	—	do.	—
Sugar, Candy	—	—	do.	0 32
Sugar, Brown	—	—	do.	—
Salt	—	—	Measure	0 12
Salt	—	—	lb.	0 6
Dried Chillies	—	—	do.	0 22
Corriander	—	—	do.	0 18
Pepper	—	—	Measure	0 40
Garlic	—	—	lb.	0 50
Mustard	—	—	Measure	0 35
Turmeric	—	—	lb.	0 48
Fenugreek	—	—	do.	0 18
Cummin	—	—	do.	0 60
Aniseed	—	—	do.	0 36
Tamarind	—	—	do.	0 12
Jaggery	—	—	Bundle	30-36c.
Gingelly	—	—	Seer	0 25
Gingelly Oil	—	—	Bottle	1 0
Coconut Oil	—	—	Measure	0 60
Kerosine Oil, Daylight	—	—	Bottle	—
Kerosine Oil, Elephant	—	—	do.	—
Brand	—	—	do.	—
Kerosine Oil, Monkey	—	—	do.	0 19
Brand	—	—	do.	—
Bulk Oil, Rising Sun	—	—	do.	—
Matches, Three Stars	—	—	Packet of 12 boxes	0 17
Matches (Japanese)	—	—	do.	0 14
Matches, (Ceylon)	—	—	do.	0 14
Beef	—	—	lb.	0 35
Mutton	—	—	do.	0 80
Pork	—	—	do.	0 60
Chicken	—	—	Each	50-75c.
Eggs	—	—	do.	0 7
Dry Fish, Nettali (Hal-messan)	—	—	lb.	0 30
Dry Fish (Maldiva)	—	—	do.	0 72

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1924.G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of consolidated

rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the consolidated rates and costs be duly paid.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, April 9, 1924.G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : Monday, May 5, 1924.

Gintupitiya.

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
616/9-17	3rd quarter, 1923	9
617/9-17	Do.	9.15

De Waas lane.

1010B/24	3rd quarter, 1923	9.40
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Wilson street.

190/50	3rd quarter, 1923	9.50
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Galkapanawatta.

1077/83	3rd quarter, 1923	10
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Date of Sale : Tuesday, May 6, 1924.

Alutmauwata.

3070/130	2nd quarter, 1923, balance to 4th quarter, 1923	7
3073/129	2nd quarter, 1921, to 3rd quarter, 1923, riot tax 1917	7.10

Layard's Broadway.

326/7	4th quarter, 1922, to 4th quarter, 1923	7.30
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Madampitiya Cemetery road.

1577A/37A	2nd quarter, and 3rd quarter, 1923	7.45
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List of Auctioneers' and Brokers' Licenses issued for the Month of March, 1924.

Date 1924.	No.	Name and Address.
Mar. 6	65	A. C. Koelmeyer, 58, Belmont street
Mar. 7	66	H. C. Obeyasekera, Mount Lavinia
Mar. 8	67	L. B. Neydorf, 18, Upper Chatham street
Mar. 10	68	D. S. Walles, 95, Dam street
Mar. 11	69	Ayres Karunaratne, 51, Belmont street
Mar. 15	71	M. D. W. Perera, 148, 1st Maligakanda
Mar. 15	72	G. V. Ebell, 7, York street
Mar. 15	73	H. W. Treloar, Messrs. Keell & Wal-dock
Mar. 22	74	C. Vallipuram, 6, Hulftsdorp
Mar. 26	75	R. R. H. de Mel, Moratuwa
Mar. 27	76	M. G. Rodrigo, 89, 3rd Division, Maradana
Mar. 27	77	W. T. Nicolle, 119, Hulftsdorp
Mar. 29	78	B. A. Keyser, 32, Bristol buildings, Colombo
Mar. 29	79	Lazarus Motha, 25, Upper Chatham street
Mar. 29	80	Geo. Boulton, 18, Upper Chatham street
Mar. 31	81	C. E. Karunaratne, 84, Bristol buildings

List of Brokers' Licenses issued for the Month of March, 1924.

Date. 1924.	No.	Name and Address.
Mar. 1	61	T. A. S. Samarasinghe, 78, Temple road
Mar. 4	62	K. Ramanathan, 4, Queen street
Mar. 4	63	V. Arunachalam, 4, Queen street
Mar. 5	64	S. Abeyawickrema, 18, Baillie street
Mar. 10	65	E. O. Gerreyn, 171, Grandpass road
Mar. 11	66	E. W. Jansz, 38, 2nd Cross street
Mar. 15	67	P. E. Muller, 5, Baillie street
Mar. 15	68	B. T. K. Preena, 39, Chatham street
Mar. 15	69	Muna Kandappapillai, 50, Maliban street
Mar. 15	70	A. P. Pichandiappillai, 50, Maliban street
Mar. 15	71	M. Meera Saibo, 50, Maliban street
Mar. 15	72	D. Weeraratne, Kahira buildings, 2nd Cross street
Mar. 21	73	H. R. de Silva, 127, Mutwal
Mar. 21	74	V. S. M. Muttukumarasampillai, 52, Wolfendahl street
Mar. 21	75	T. W. Peris, 531, Hampden lane
Mar. 22	76	Harry C. Fernando, 26, Norris road
Mar. 22	77	Valentine de Mel, 26, Norris road
Mar. 24	78	T. Don Francis Perera, 17, College street
Mar. 24	79	A. M. Jawardane, 23, Princee street
Mar. 25	80	W. G. David Weeratne, 26, Norris road
Mar. 26	81	Karim Omar, 50, 4th Cross street
Mar. 27	82	P. Sithamparakuttalampillai, 16, 4th Cross street
Mar. 28	83	A. C. M. Saheed 34/5, Chatham street
Mar. 28	84	P. L. A. Mendis, 31/32, Chatham street

Date. 1924.	No.	Name and Address.
Mar. 29	85	M. K. Rawther Assenar, 37, 2nd Cross street
Mar. 29	86	W. S. Fernando, 26, Norris road
Mar. 29	87	D. A. Samaraweera, 30, 5th Cross street
Mar. 31	88	K. K. Mohideen Rawther, 18A, 4th Cross street
Mar. 31	89	D. A. de Silva Tudawe, 23, Maliban street
Mar. 31	90	M. A. Mohideen, 109, 4th Cross street
Mar. 31	91	M. P. Meera Saibo, 41, 2nd Cross street
Mar. 31	92	Aboobucker Osman Meya, 33, 2nd Cross street
Mar. 31	93	R. H. Dunuville, Rodney street
Mar. 31	94	D. S. Kuruppu, 9, 2nd Cross street
Mar. 31	95	N. A. Joseph, 22, Baillie street
Mar. 31	96	Denis A. Kellar, 33, Laurie's road

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, April 3, 1924.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.
Licensed Auctioneers.

THE following have been licensed in March, 1924, by the Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy, under the Surveyors, Auctioneers, and Brokers, Ordinance, No. 15 of 1889 :—

A. E. David, Kandy } Auctioneer.
S. S. Vas, Kandy }

E. B. PEIRIS,

Acting Secretary, Municipal Council.

The Municipal Office,
Kandy, April 2, 1924.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

European Member, District Road Committee,
Kalutara.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the 26th clause of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of European Member of the District Road Committee of Kalutara, for the unexpired period of 1924, rendered vacant by the departure of Mr. W. T. Miller from the Island, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee, for the Western Province at least ten days before the day of election.

The election will be held on May 1, 1924, at 2 P.M., at the Kalutara Kachcheri.

Provincial Road Committee, W. A. WEERAKOON,
Colombo, April 7, 1924. Secretary.

Liyangahawela-Poonagala Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety of the cost of maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October, 1923, to September, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road as follows :—

LIYANGAHAWELA-POONAGALA ROAD.

Government moiety .. Rs. 2,941.00
Private contributions .. Rs. 3,000.02

1st section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 561.81—Total acreage, 3,191—
Rate per acre, 17.60c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Haputale Co., Ltd.	Liyangahawela	533	93	83
J. A. Bell & Co., Ltd.	Broughton	433	76	22

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ampitikanda and Arnhall	541	95	24
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	77	11
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Poonagala Group	1,246	219	41
			3,191	561 81

2nd section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 561.81—Total acreage, 2,658—
Rate per acre, 21.14c.

J. A. Bell & Co., Ltd.	Broughton	433	91	52
Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ampitikanda and Arnhall	541	114	34
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	92	57
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Poonagala Group	1,246	263	38
			2,658	561 81

3rd section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 561.81—Total acreage, 2,225—
Rate per acre, 25.25c.

Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ampitikanda and Arnhall	541	136	60
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	110	60
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Poonagala Group	1,246	314	61
			2,225	561 81

4th section, 1 mile.
Private contributions, Rs. 561·81—Total acreage, 2,225—
Rate per acre, 25·25c.

Proprietors of Agents.	Estates.	Acreage	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	.. Ampitikanda and Arnhall	.. 541	.. 136 60
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	.. Mahakanda and Malvern	.. 438	.. 110 60
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	.. Poonagala Group	1,246	.. 314 61
		2,225	561 81

5th section, 1 mile.
Private contributions, Rs. 561·81—Total acreage, 1,684—
Rate per acre, 33·36c.

Gibson & Co., Ltd.	.. Mahakanda and Malvern	.. 438	.. 146 12
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	.. Poonagala Group	1,246	.. 415 69
		1,684	561 81

6th section, 3/4 mile.
Private contributions, Rs. 190·97—Total acreage, 1,684—
Rate per acre, 11·34c.

Gibson & Co., Ltd.	.. Mahakanda and Malvern	.. 438	.. 49 67
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	.. Poonagala Group	1,246	.. 141 30
		1,684	190 97

Abstract.	Rs. c.
Liyangahawela ..	93 83
Broughton ..	167 74
Ampitikanda and Arnhall ..	482 78
Mahakanda and Malvern ..	586 67
Poonagala Group ..	1,669 0
	3,000 2

The proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay the above amounts to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, on or before May 24, 1924.

R. A. G. FESTING,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Badulla, April 4, 1924.

Branch Road from Koslanda to Poonagala Factory.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety for the cost of maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October, 1923, to September, 1924, the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have

assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road as follows:—

ROAD FROM KOSLANDA BAZAAR TO POONAGALA FACTORY.

Government moiety	..	Rs. 823·50
Private contributions	..	Rs. 839·97
1st to 2nd section, 1 mile.		
Private contributions, Rs. 305·44—Total acreage, 3,456— Rate per acre, 8·84c.		
		Amount.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage Rs. c.
J. M. Robertson & Co. . . .	Arnhall	.. 271 .. 23 90
Messrs. Bois & Co., Ltd. . . .	Macaldeniya	.. 800 .. 70 71
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe, Manager	.. Poonagala Group	2,198 .. 194 21
Ramasamy Kangany	.. Singarawatta	.. 125 .. 11 14
P. G. Agostine Silva	.. Ampititenna	.. 62 .. 5 48
		3,456 305 44

3rd and 4th sections, 1 mile.
Private contributions, Rs. 305·44—Total acreage, 3,269—
Rate per acre, 9·34c.

J. M. Robertson & Co. . . .	Arnhall	.. 271 .. 25 32
G. A. Coombe (Macaldeniya Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd.)	.. Macaldeniya	.. 800 .. 74 74
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe, Manager	.. Poonagala Group	2,198 .. 205 38
		3,269 305 44

5th and 6th sections, 3/4 mile.
Private contributions, Rs. 229·09—Total acreage, 2,998—
Rate per acre, 7·64c.

G. A. Coombe (Macaldeniya Tea and Rubber Co., Ltd.)	.. Macaldeniya	.. 800 .. 61 13
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe, Manager	.. Poonagala Group	2,198 .. 167 96
		2,998 229 9

Abstract.	Rs. c.
Arnhall ..	49 22
Macaldeniya ..	206 58
Poonagala Group ..	567 55
Singarawatta ..	11 14
Ampititenna ..	5 48
	839 97

The proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, the above sums on or before May 24, 1924.

R. A. G. FESTING,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Badulla, April 4, 1924.

SALES OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.

Toll Rents, Western Province.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, April 26, 1924, at 12 noon, will be put up for re-sale at the Colombo Kachcheri, at the risk of the original purchasers, for the period mentioned below, the under-mentioned Toll Rents of the Western Province, the original purchasers of which may have failed to pay on or before that date the instalment for the month of March, 1924, or any part thereof, that may be due and owing on that date.

The purchaser or purchasers at the re-sale should deposit one-tenth of the purchase amount on the day of sale.

If the rents are not disposed of at the re-sale, action will be taken against defaulters in terms of the provisions of the Ordinance No. 21 of 1905.

From May 1, 1924, to September 30, 1924.

Canals.—(1) Hendala, (2) Negombo, (3) Grandpass, (4) Kattanpahuwa.

Ferries.—(1) Mutwal.

Colombo Kachcheri,
April 5, 1924.

R. N. THAINE,
Government Agent, W. P.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following specification has been accepted:—

No. 2,004 of July 26, 1923.

Alexander Galbraith, Roadrails Limited and Robert Summers Stronach.

"Improvements in or relating to power driven vehicles for service on roads and rails."

Abstract.—The invention relates to tractor vehicles using at least one rail bogie and one pair of driving wheels running on a road track, the load being carried on the rails. The superstructure carries the main machinery and is supported on a substructure fixed on the wheel carriage, the superstructure is flexibly connected to the substructure so as to be capable of lateral and vertical movements. The vehicle is provided with a rail bogie and road wheels, either of which can be raised so as to become inoperative making the vehicle convertible from a rail to a road vehicle or *vice versa*.

The claims are:—

1. A power driven vehicle for service on roads and rails having its superstructure flexibly so connected to its substructure as to enable it to perform substantially vertical movements relatively to the substructure.

2. A power driven vehicle for service on roads or rails having its substructure provided with a rail bogie or like rail wheel unit adapted to be carried thereon in a position clear of rail and road or in running position on a rail track as required.

3. A vehicle as claimed in claim 1 or 2 in which the superstructure is pivoted, hinged, or articulated to the substructure to enable it to perform oscillatory movements in a verticle sense, and the substructure is ball-jointed or connected in a like manner to a bogie or bogies so as to enable both the superstructure and the substructure jointly to perform compound oscillatory movements both in a lateral and vertical sense.

4. A vehicle as claimed in claim 1 or 2, in which the substructure is constituted by a frame or other suitable connection supported or attached both forward and aft on a rail bogie centrally by means of a ball-joint formed on a vertical pin or pivot and the superstructure is constructed by means of a horizontal pivot pin or pins located in a vertical plane passing axially through the ball-joint or centre of the front bogie.

5. A vehicle as claimed in claim 1 or 2, in which the superstructure is arranged to move vertically in regard to the substructure on an erection or guide on the latter, preventing lateral displacement of the superstructure relatively to the substructure.

6. A vehicle as claimed in claim 5, in which the rear end of the substructure is provided with a guide or erection substantially centrally above a rear bogie and the superstructure is adapted to be guided thereon such as by slippers or rollers or like interposed members.

7. A vehicle as claimed in claim 1 or 2, provided with a rail bogie or the like and means whereby as may be required, the rail bogie or like unit may be mechanically raised from or lowered to a rail track at will.

8. A vehicle as claimed in claim 1 or 2 having a rail bogie or the like and a pair of road wheels and means for raising the rail bogie when the road wheels are in running position on the road and for raising the road wheels when the rail bogie is in running position on rails.

9. A vehicle as claimed in claim 8 having a rail bogie and a pair of road wheels and provided with means for the actuation of the rail bogie and of the road wheels enabling the road wheels to be raised from the road when the rail bogie has been lowered to its running position and to be lowered to the road before the rail bogie is raised to its inoperative position.

10. A vehicle as claimed in claim 8 having a rail bogie and a pair of road wheels arranged in juxta-position and a lifting and lowering gear common to both whereby the action by which the rail bogie is lowered causes the road wheels to rise when the bogie has reached its running position and the action by which the road wheels are lowered causes the rail bogie to rise when the road wheels have reached their running position and *vice versa*.

11. A vehicle as claimed in claim 8 having a pair of road wheels and a rail bogie arranged in juxta-position and adapted to be moved relatively one to the other at right angles to the ground or track.

12. A vehicle as claimed in claim 8 having a pair of road wheels and a rail bogie arranged in juxta-position centrally one with the other and adapted to perform alternately opposite movements along a central vertical axis common to both.

13. A vehicle as claimed in claim 8 having the bogie and the axle of the road wheels respectively connected to mechanically operated actuating members adapted by either linear vertical motion or by a rocking action to raise one and to lower the other.

14. A vehicle as claimed in claim 13 having the road wheels and the rail bogie suspended from or connected to their actuating members in a yielding manner so as to enable the bogie or road wheels respectively to perform up and down movements independently of their actuating members.

15. A vehicle as claimed in claim 12 or 13 having the rail bogie centrally connected to a vertical screw spindle and a pair of road wheels arranged centrally thereto and connected to a nut on said spindle or *vice versa* and mechanism whereby either the screw spindle is caused to rise or to descend and thereby to raise or lower the bogie or the nut is caused to move up and down on the screw spindle to raise or to lower the road wheels, substantially as described.

16. A vehicle as claimed in claim 13 having a rail bogie and a pair of road wheels arranged in juxta-position one in front of the other and comprising a rocking member or members having opposite ends freely connected respectively to the bogie and road wheels by slotted links or the like appropriately guided to ensure vertical movements.

17. A vehicle as claimed in claim 13 or 16 having the axle of the road wheels and the bogie elastically held in their respective running positions, such as by the action of a leaf spring or springs pivotally mounted so as to bear on the axles elastically with opposite ends.

18. The use in conjunction with an arrangement as claimed in claim 17 of rollers appropriately mounted on the axles and adapted to support the ends of the spring or springs.

19. The provision in connection with a lifting and lowering gear as claimed in claim 13 of self acting spring locking bolts or the like adapted to lock the road wheels or rail bogie respectively in their raised positions.

20. The connection of the rail bogie to its suspension member or members by means of a spherical joint (such as 5, 6, 7), substantially as and for the purpose described.

21. The connection of a bogie or like rail service unit with the road steering wheels of a compound vehicle for road and rail traction, constructed and operating substantially as described and illustrated in Figs. 8 to 11, or 12 and 13, or Fig. 14 of the annexed drawings.

22. Tractor vehicles for road and rail service constructed and arranged, substantially as described and illustrated in the annexed drawings.

Four sheets of drawings.

W. N. RAE,
Registrar of Patents.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Mayow Rubber Sole Factory Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 9, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, April 28, 1924, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the period ended December 31, 1923.
 2. To elect a Director.
 3. To appoint Auditors, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.
- (The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 22 to 28, 1924, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

ALFORD BUCKLE & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 7, 1924.

Talgaswella Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's offices, the Priory Union place, Colombo, on Saturday, April 26, at 12 noon for the following purposes, viz. :—

- (a) To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ending December 31, 1923.
 - (b) To declare a Dividend.
 - (c) To elect a Director, in the place of Mr. C. E. Haslop, who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election.
 - (d) To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
- The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 12 to 28, 1924.

By order of the Directors,

J. J. VANDERSPAR, & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 7, 1924.

Arratenne (Ceylon) Tea and Rubber Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the offices of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Tuesday, April 22, 1924, at 12 noon, when the subjoined resolution which was duly passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on Saturday, April 5, 1924, at 12 noon, will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution.

Special Resolution.

"That the Capital of the Company be increased to Rs. 700,000 by the creation of 10,000 additional ordinary shares of Rs. 10 each."

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 11, 1924.

Peradeniya (Ceylon) Chocolate Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Factory, Peradeniya, on Saturday, April 26, 1924, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 1923.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor, and transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 11, 1924.

The North-Western Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the North-Western Rubber Company, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on April 28, 1924, at 11.30 A.M., when the subjoined resolution will be proposed:—

"That the Articles of Association be altered by substituting for Article 8 the following Article:—

"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."

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

By order of the Directors,

BOSANQUET & Co., LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

April 11, 1924.

The Wanaraja Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at Prince building, Fort, Colombo, the registered office of the Company, on Thursday, May 1, 1924, at 11 A.M., for the purpose of confirming the following resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on April 8, 1924:—

"That Article 50 of the Company's Articles of Association be deleted, and in lieu thereof the following Article be substituted:—

"50. That the qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right shares in the Company whether fully paid up or partly paid up of the total nominal value of at least Rs. 1,000, and upon which in the case of partly paid up shares all calls for the time being shall have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the present Directors as to all future Directors."

By order of the Board,

LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 9, 1924.

The Etambawella Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at Ambewatte House, Slave Island, Colombo, on Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts to December 31, 1923.
 2. To elect a Director.
 3. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
 4. To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.
- (The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 17 to 23, 1924, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

CUMBERBATCH & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 9, 1924.

The Cochin Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventeenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Ambewatte House, Slave Island, Colombo, on Wednesday, April 23, 1924, at 12.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts to December 31, 1923.
2. To declare a dividend.

3. To elect a Director.
 4. To appoint Auditor for the current year.
 5. To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.
- (The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 17 to 23, 1924, both days inclusive.)

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

Colombo, April 9, 1924.

Auction Sale.

A Valuable Upstairs Dwelling House known as Bridge View (now Veera House), Wellawatta, and Premises No. 113, Bankshall street, Colombo.

In the District Court of Colombo.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd. Plaintiffs.
No. 11,261. Vs.

Jamsedjee Rustomjee of No. 30, Cotta road, Borella,
Colombo Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the commission issued to me by the District Court of Colombo in the above styled action, I shall sell by public auction at the respective premises the following properties mortgaged with the plaintiffs above-named, by bond No. 1,909 dated June 11, 1919, attested by L. W. P. de Saram of Colombo, Notary Public, and declared specially bound and executable by the decree dated February 26, 1924, entered in the above styled action:—

On Thursday, May 8, 1924, at 5 P.M.

(1) All that allotment of land called Kelankaduwwatta (being No. 3 of the registered plan No. 2), together with the upstairs dwelling house, called Bridge View (now Veera House), and all other buildings and the magazine standing thereon, situated at Wellawatta in the Palle pattu of the Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by lot No. 2, on the east by lot Nos. 39E and 39F, on the south by lot No. 4 and a path, and on the west by the high road; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 29½ perches according to the survey and description thereof dated August 27, 1891, authenticated by Francis J. Day, Acting Surveyor-General, and all the estate, right, title, interest, claim, and demand whatsoever of the defendant in, to, out of, or upon the same.

These buildings are of the best material.

On Friday, May 9, 1924, at 5 P.M.

(2) All that Bankshall bearing assessment No. 113, situated at Bankshall street, formerly known as Se... street, in the Pettah, within the Municipality of Colombo, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north-east by the Bankshall of Rasa Markar, on the south-east by sea street, on the south-west by the Bankshall of Sardial Dias, and on the north-west by Cross street; containing in extent 4 43/100 square perches according to the figure and survey thereof bearing date July 14, 1809, authenticated by G. Atkinson, Surveyor-General, and all the estate, right, title, interest, claim, and demand whatsoever of the defendant in, to, out of, or upon the same.

Amount to be recovered is Rs. 93,506.58, together with interest on Rs. 63,108.81, at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum, and on Rs. 30,397.77, at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from February 1, 1924, till date of decree, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and also the sums of Rs. 446.25 and Rs. 119.38, together with legal interest thereon from March 24 and 25, 1924, respectively, till date of payment, and the cost of suit.

For inspection of deeds and other particulars, please apply to Messrs F. J. & G. de Saram, Proctors, Colombo.

4, Baillie street, Fort,
Phone 289,
Telegrams, Lions.

A. Y. DANIEL,
OF A. Y. DANIEL & SON,
Auctioneers and Brokers.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, D. C., No. 9,667.

An Extensive and Valuable Property now bringing in a Very Handsome Rental, situated at Dias Place, Pettah, almost facing Messrs. Hoare & Co.'s Workshops. An Excellent Opportunity for any Firm desirous of Acquiring a Splendid Site or Extending their Stores or Workshops.

BY virtue of a commission issued to us in the above case, we shall sell the following property by public auction on Wednesday, May 14, 1924, at 5 P.M. at the spot:—

1. All that allotment with the buildings thereon bearing assessment No. 16, and Ward Nos. 145/156, situated at Dias place, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province of the Island of Ceylon; bounded on the north by Cramer's lane (now called Dias place), on the east by the property of Patriyage Abraham Fernando, on the south by a water-course, and on the west by the property of William Charles de Silva; containing in extent 2 roods and 4 perches, and 65/100 of a perch according to the figure of survey thereof dated November 9, 1864, made by J. A. Francisus, Surveyor, excluding however therefrom the portion acquired by Government for widening the road; which said premises are according to the plan No. 2,856, dated August 15, 1911, made by G. P. Weeraratne, Surveyor, bounded on the north by Dias place, on the east by premises No. 15 belonging to Davith Fernando, on the south by a drain, and on the west by premises No. 17 belonging to Mohamado Marikar; and containing in extent 1 rood 38 42/100 perches.

2. All that Garden with the buildings and well standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 17, and Ward Nos. 167 to 161, situated at Dias place, within the Municipality and District of Colombo aforesaid; bounded on the north by the road known as Dias place, and on the east by premises bearing assessment No. 16, Dias place, belonging to A. A. M. Saleem, on the south by premises bearing assessment No. 7, Dhobies' lane, belonging to P. M. Fernando and others, and drain, and on the west by premises bearing assessment No. 18, Dias place, belonging to Brampy Singho and others; containing in extent 1 rood, 42/100 square perches as per figure of survey and description thereof No. 310 dated October 6, 1912, made by A. R. Savundaranayagam, Special Licensed Surveyor and Leveller, which said 2 allotments of land and premises adjoin each other, and according to the survey and description thereof hereinafter-mentioned are described as follows:—

All those 2 contiguous allotments of land with the buildings thereon bearing assessment No. 16, Ward Nos. 145/156, and No. 17, Ward No. 157/161, situated along Dias place, Washers' quarters, within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province; bounded as follows: north by Dias place, east by premises bearing assessment No. 7 belonging to P. M. Fernando and others, west by premises bearing assessment No. 16 belonging to Brampy Singho and others; containing in extent 3 roods and 13/100 perches according to the survey and description thereof No. 888 dated December 7, 1919, made by James W. Amerasekera, Registered Licensed Surveyor and Leveller.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. Wilson & Kadirgamar, Arcade buildings, Fort, Colombo.

JENSEN & Co.,
Auctioneers and Brokers.

Phone 733.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

Valuable Lands at Hendala.

UNDER decree in case No. 6,337, D. C., Colombo, and by virtue of the commission issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction the under-mentioned premises at the respective spots on Saturday, May 3, 1924:—

At 3 P.M.: (1) Undivided half part of Millagahawatta at Hendala in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 19½ perches; (2) undivided half part of Kosgaha-kanatawatta at Hendala aforesaid, in extent half an acre.

(3) undivided half part of Kosgahawatta, with the entire tiled house standing thereon at Hendala aforesaid, in extent 3 roods and 10 perches; (4) undivided half part of Kosgahanatawatta at Hendala aforesaid, in extent about half an acre; (5) undivided 1/8 part of a divided 1/2 part of Kajugahawatta at Hendala aforesaid, in extent about 3 roods, which said lots 1 to 5 with the tiled house will be sold together. At 3.30 P.M.: (6) Undivided 11/36 parts of Kajugahawatta and Kongahawatta adjoining each other at Hendala aforesaid, in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 39 perches. At 4 P.M.: (7) Kosgahawatta at Hendala-Kerawalapitiya in Ragam pattu aforesaid, in extent about 1 1/2 acre. At 4.30 P.M.: (8) Allotment marked letter A in plan of the land called Halgahakumbura, comprised of five allotments of land, situated at Hendala-Kerawalapitiya aforesaid, in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 24 perches. At 5 P.M.: (9) Allotment marked letter C in plan of Halgahakumbura, comprised of five allotments at Hendala-Kerawalapitiya aforesaid, in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 0.80 perches.

Further particulars from J. M. Pereira, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or—

84, Bristol building, C. E. KARUNARATNA,
April 10, 1924. Auctioneer.
Phone 1,627: Telegrams Ratna, Colombo.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

An Estate of 168 Acres 2 Roods and 20 Perches
in Kandy District.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 10,821 of the D. C., Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, May 24, 1924, at 3 P.M. at my office No. 93, Dam street, Colombo, near the Colombo Courts, the following estate mortgaged with the plaintiff and declared bound and executable under the decree in the said case, against Mr. Alfred Joseph Richard de Soysa, the defendant, for the realization of the amount of the decree in the said case, to wit:—All that divided portion marked B in the plan No. 4,254 dated November 11, 1919, made by G. P. Weeraratne, Licensed Surveyor, of the estate, plantation, and premises called and known as Hapugahamulla estate, situated at Rilamulla in Udis pattu of Uda Dumbara and Rambukwella in Pallis pattu of Pata Dumbara, in the District of Kandy; in extent 168 acres 2 roods and 20 perches.

This estate is situated within two miles from Teldeniya Reshouse and twelve miles from Wattagama Railway Station.

Further particulars from Messrs. Fernando & De Silva, Proctors and Notaries, Colombo, or from—

No. 93, Dam street, G. EMANUEL DABERA,
Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

B. T. H. Hunter of Maradana Plaintiff.
No. 7,709. Vs.
D. Albert Silva of Madampitiya Defendant.

UNDER decree entered and by virtue of commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell the following land for the recovery of the amount therein stated, on Friday, May 2, 1924, at 4 P.M. at No. 5, Hulftsdorp:—All that allotment of land called Mahakumbura and the high ground, situated in Ambalammulla in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo; bounded on the north by the land of Punchina and others, and by fields of K. S. Fernando and Mr. S. P. D. Gunasekara and others, east by the high road leading from Negombo to Colombo by the fields of Mr. S. P. D. Gunasekara and others, and the lands of Sedris Fernando, Police Headman, south by the fields and land of Jandiris Officer, Mr. S. P. D. Gunasekara and others, west by Tekkagaha-ela by the field of K. S. Fernando, and by the land of Punchina and others; containing in extent 14 acres 1 rood and 7 perches.

131, Hulftsdorp. C. P. AMERASINGHE,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Coconut Estates in Madampe, about a Mile
from Madampe Railway Station, bordering Road.

In the District Court of Chilaw.
Mena Panangal Semmathan Chetty of Sea street,
Colombo Plaintiff.
No. 7,709. Vs.

(1) Abraham Wijesinghe Jayawardena, and (2) Jane
Madama Wijesinghe Jayawardena (husband and wife),
(3) Herbert Henry Anandawatta Wijesinghe Jaya-
wardena, (4) Coresuelo Jane Prithi Wijesinghe Jaya-
wardena, and (5) Eliza Cornelia Dediayakaneth
Wijesinghe Jayawardena, all of Madampe. . . Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case and by virtue of the commission issued to me for the recovery of the amount stated therein, I shall sell by public auction the following property declared bound and executable under the said decree, on Saturday, May 10, 1924, commencing at 10 A.M. at the respective spots:—

Under Primary Mortgage Decree.

1. Land called Kumbukgahawatta *alias* Cold Comfort, situate at Irattakulama; and bounded on the north by the high road leading to Kurunegala, east by dewata road, south by land planted by Lorensu and others, west by Kottawewa and Kottawewa estate; and containing in extent within the said boundaries 15 acres 2 roods and 21 perches.

2. All that and those the soil and productive trees and the buildings standing on the land called Bad Lands, situate at Kottawewa in Madampe, in Yagam pattu; and bounded on the north by the land being planted by Marthelis Saram Appuhamy, east by the property of Senewiratne Mudaliyar, south by the tank called Kottawewa, west by the road; and containing in extent within the said boundaries 8 acres 3 roods and 4 perches.

3. All that soil and productive trees and the buildings standing on the land called Mudukatuwa estate bearing lot B according to survey plan No. 1,624 dated March 3, 1917, made by Graham Pandittesekere, Licensed Surveyor, situate at Mudukatuwa in Meda palata of Pitigal korale, Chilaw District; and bounded on the north by the portion depicted as lot A in the said plan, east by high road to Chilaw, south by land claimed by K. P. A. Palaniappa Chetty, west by the seashore; and containing in extent within the said boundaries 3 acres.

4. An undivided 3/16 shares from and out of all that soil and productive trees and buildings on the land called Bombigahahena *alias* Ehetugahahena, situate at Ithalagama in Yagam pattu; and bounded on the north by Kurunegala road, east by garden planted by Sanseris Perera Goonesekera and others, south by land planted by Kupperala, west by land planted by Fredrick Perera; and containing in extent within the said boundaries about 3 acres.

5. An undivided 3/64 shares from and out of all that soil and productive trees and building standing on the land called Ehetugahawatta, situate at Uraliyagare in Yagam pattu; and bounded on the north by road to Kurunegala, east by land planted by Karnis Appu, south by land planted by Kupperala, west by land planted by Mudalihamy; and containing in extent within the said boundaries about 8 acres.

6. All that and those the 50 coconut trees planted portion, exclusive of the soil from and out of the portion of Siyambalagahawatta lying in Kohombagahayaya belonging to the estate of Philip Wijesinghe Jayawardena, situate at Irattakulama in Madampe; and bounded on the north by the land planted by Muthua belonging to the estate of P. W. Jayawardena, but now the dewata road, east by the land-owners shares of the said estate, south by the land which is being planted by Gabriel Perera belonging to the said estate, and now the Kurunegala road, west presently by the road leading to Chilaw; and containing in extent within the said boundaries about 3 acres.

7. All that land called Kohombagahawatta, together with the soil and productive trees and buildings thereon, situate at Irattakulama; and bounded on the north by the road leading to Kurunegala, east and south by the lands belonging to the 1st and 2nd-named oligors and others, west by the road leading to Chilaw; and containing in extent within the said boundaries 6 acres.

8. The land called and known as Natanda, situate at Irattakulama; and bounded on the north by land belonging to the heirs of Jayawardena Mudaliyar and Senewiratne Mudaliyar, east by land belonging to the heirs of Jayawardena Mudaliyar and Senewiratne Mudaliyar; the road leading from Galahitiyawa to Silva town, south by land planted by Mudalihamy and Herathge Cornelis, and the land belonging to J. W. B. Perera and others, west by land belonging to C. Fernando and others; and containing in extent within the said boundaries 14 acres 3 roods and 17 perches.

Under Secondary Mortgage Decree.

9. All that soil productive trees and the buildings standing on the residing land, situate at Madampe in Yagam pattu; bounded on the north and west by roads, east by land belonging to Francisco Fernando, south by the land of Abeyratne, Notary; in extent 20 perches.

10. All that soil and productive trees and buildings standing on the land called Nakatte Walawwa at Madampe; and bounded on the north by cart road, east and south by the road leading to Kurunegala, west by land planted by Don Abraham Perera Karunaratna, but now belonging to C. A. Abeyratne and another; in extent 5 acres 2 roods and 25 perches.

11. All that land called Kengahayaya, situate at Irattacuttama; bounded on the north by land of Migel Silva, dewata road, stream, and quarry, east by lands of Sinchi Appu, Paulis Perera, Christogu Fernando, land called Kopikotayagewatta, and land of Singhappu and others, south by land called Koppipettiyagewatta and road leading to Kurunegala, west by dewata road, Panselawatta, and land of Migel Silva; and containing in extent 35 acres and 12 perches, now 32 acres 1 rood and 37 perches as per plan No. 52 of L. R. Jayamane.

12. An undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares from and out of all that $\frac{2}{3}$ portions of land called Kohombagahawatta, situated at Irattacuttama; bounded on the north by the garden planted by Gabriel Pulle, east by garden planted by Kembu Sardi Silva, south by garden in which Nonahamy resides, west by garden in which Siman Silva resides; containing in extent half a bushel of kurakkan sowing. An undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares from and out of all that and those the land called Uswatta, situate at Irattacuttama; bounded on the north by dewata road, east by garden planted by Kaithan Appu and Philippu, south by the land of the heirs of Jayawardena Mudaliyar and Senewiratne Mudaliyar, west by high road to Chilaw; in extent 1 bushel of kurakkan sowing.

For further particulars please apply to—

A. C. KOELMEYER,
Licensed Auctioneer and Commissioner.

No. 58, Belmont street,
Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

Auction Sale of Property at Kolinjadiya in Chilaw District.

UNDER decree entered in case No. 16,235, D. C., Negombo, in favour of the plaintiff Suna Pana Lena Medaichisunderam Pulle, by his attorney Peena Suppiah Pulle of Negombo, against the defendant Warnakulasuriya Pedro Fernando of Kolinjadiya, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,380, with interest on Rs. 1,200 at 15 per cent. per annum from August 22, 1923, to January 16, 1924, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs, we shall sell the under-mentioned property mortgaged as primary mortgage by bond No. 2,954 dated December 22, 1921, and attested by C. L. Kandaiya, Notary, by public auction at the spot, at 4 P.M. on Monday, May 12, 1924, viz. :—

An allotment of land called Madangahawatta (excluding 51 coconut plants towards the south), is situated at Kolinjadiya in Kammal pattu of the Pitigal korale south, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province; containing in extent 2 acres and 25 perches, as per plan No. 296 dated January 15, 1913, made by J. A. C. Corea, Surveyor, with the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from S. K. Wijayaratanam, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

Negombo, April 8, 1924.

M. P. KURERA & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Auction Sale of Property at Munnakkara, within the Urban District Council limits of the Negombo Town.

UNDER decree entered in case No. 13,786, D. C., Negombo, in favour of the plaintiff Jeewathmuni Leonoris de Silva of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Lucia Miral, and husband (2) Gammedaleanage Thomas Perera, and (3) Sona Suppiah, all of Negombo, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the amount therein stated, we shall sell the under-mentioned property mortgaged as primary mortgage by bond No. 14,368 dated August 17, 1917, and attested by T. H. de Silva, Notary, by public auction at the spot at 4 P.M. on Wednesday, May 7, 1924, viz. :—

The land called Nawamarthadithottam, situate at Munnakkara in the District and the gravets of Negombo, Western Province; containing in extent $9\frac{1}{2}$ perches, and the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from T. Ranasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,
Negombo, April 8, 1924. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale.

UNDER decree in case No. 16,326, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Muna Runa Lena Ramanaden Chetty of Negombo, against the defedant Gamatchige Lorensu de Soysa Appuhamy of Mookalangomuwa, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the amount therein stated, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged as primary mortgage, by bond No. 20,463 dated August 31, 1922, and attested by T. H. de Silva, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Wednesday, May 14, 1924, viz. :—

At 3 P.M.

1. Karielakumbura, situate at Pamunugama in Ragam pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 5 acres and 23 perches. Of this land now raised up and cultivated the undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares.

At 4.30 P.M.

2. A portion of the land called Midigahawatta (Diulgahadolewatta) of about 3 acres, situate at Kepungoda, within the gravets of Negombo, in the District of Negombo, Western Province; containing in extent 2 acres and 34 perches. Of the undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of this land and undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share.

Further particulars from Tudor Ranasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,
Negombo, April 8, 1924. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale of Valuable Properties near Peradeniya.

UNDER mortgage decree in case No. 30,195, D. C., Kandy, entered in favour of the plaintiffs, Mr. L. H. S. Pieris and others of Kandy, against the defendants, K. B. Beddewela and another, both of Kumbalgamuwa, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots, at 3 P.M. on Saturday, May 3, 1924. The following properties, all situate at Paingamuwa near Peradeniya :—

1. Alapalawalakumbura of 1 amunam and 2 pelas and the land called Alapalawawatta of 1 pela paddy sowing extent.

2. Dangewatta of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent.

3. Gangalangadangewatta of 2 lahas kurakkan sowing extent with everything thereon.

For further particulars apply to J. A. Halangoda, Esq., Proctor, Kandy, or to—

A. R. WICKREMESEKERE,
No. 8, Cross street, Kandy. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Mortgaged Property.

UNDER and by virtue of the order and decree to sell issued to me from the District Court of Galle, in case No. 20,434, I shall sell by public auction on Friday, May 2, 1924, commencing at 3 p.m. at the spot, the following specially mortgaged property for the recovery of the amount stated therein due from Alagiyahewage Edoris and others, to the plaintiff T. H. Samel de Silva of Unawatuna, to wit:—

The entire soil and all the fruit trees of lot No. 1 defined as appertaining to 323/1,440 parts of the land called Pokunewatta, situate at Talpe on the Talpe pattu, Galle; bounded on the north by Bolewatteowita, east by lot No. 2 of the same land, south by lot No. 5 of the same land, and west by Potukumbura *alias* Dangahaowita; containing in extent 3 roods and 28·9 perches, together with the 13 cubits and 9 cubits houses standing thereon.

Galle, April 4, 1924.

K. JOHN GABRIEL,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Suna Pana Ana Veyna Kannappa Chetty and Suna Pana Ana Veyna Annamalay Chetty, both of Narammala..... Plaintiffs.

No. 9,087.

Vs.

(1) Herat Mudiyansele Ukku Amma *alias* Nellie Sahabandu Gunawardane and husband (2) Arthur Sahabandu Gunawardane, both of Kurunegala..... 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 Monday, May 5, 1924, commencing at 3 p.m. on the fifth land herein below:—

1. The western $\frac{1}{2}$ share allotment of 1 rood and 15 perches in extent of Pahalawatta.

2. Talgahapitiyekumbura of 1 acre and 14 perches in extent

3. Kapuhenekumbura and thereto adjoining two pillewa lands of 2 acres 3 roods and 38 perches in extent, all situate at Walpola in Walgam pattu korale.

4. Arutugalekumbura of 1 amunam paddy sowing extent, situate at Tembipola in the said korale.

5. One seer kurakkan sowing extent of 34 fathoms in width towards the road of Talgahamulawatta, situate at Mahakeliya in the said korale.

6. Ponnannakotuwa of about 2 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Mahakeliya aforesaid.

7. Ponnannakotuwa of about 1 seer kurakkan, situate at Mahakeliya aforesaid.

8. Hindunupitiyakumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing and thereto adjoining chena lands of 8 lahas kurakkan sowing, situate at Ginimanna in the said korale.

9. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Attikkagahamulawatta of 4 kurunies kurakkan sowing, situate at Kumballuwa in the said korale.

10. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Hureegahakumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing, thereto adjoining land called Iswetiya of 5 lahas paddy sowing, and Siyambalagahamulahena of 2 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, all situate at Walpola aforesaid.

11. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Hitinawatta of about 1 timba kurakkan sowing, situate at Natagane in the said korale, together with $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the house and plantations thereon.

12. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Webodakumbura of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ amunam paddy sowing extent, situate at Natagane aforesaid.

13. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the high and low lands called Kanapoduwela Bogahamulakumbura of 1 amunam

paddy sowing, and thereto adjoining 2 pillewa lands of about 3 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Walpola aforesaid, together with all the houses, plantations, and everything appertaining to all the aforesaid lands.

Further particulars from me:

Kurunegala, April 5, 1924.

T. B. AMUNUGAMA,
Licensed Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

(1) Nettipale Mapa Mudiyansele Kiril Banda, (2) Uhumiyi Atapattu Mudiyansele Runchi Banda of Piduruwella..... Plaintiffs.

No. 9,634.

Vs.

Atapattu Mudiyansele Dingiri Banda, *ex* Aracci of Uhumiyi in Recopattu korale..... Defendant.

BY virtue of the decree entered in the above case and of the order to sell issued to me in the said case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,588·12 $\frac{1}{2}$, with interest on Rs. 1,050 at 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents for Rs. 10 per mensem, from August 17, 1923, up to August 27, 1923, and thereafter with legal interest on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs, I shall put up for sale by public auction, commencing at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 10, 1924, at the premises the following property specially bound and executable for recovery of the aforesaid amount, interest, legal interest, and costs as aforesaid, viz.:—

1. An undivided $\frac{1}{3}$ share of Siyambalagahakumbura of 6 pelas paddy sowing, situate at Dalupotagedera in Recopattu korale.

2. An undivided $\frac{2}{3}$ shares of Gederawatta of one timba kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Uhumiyi in Recopattu korale, together with buildings, plantations, and everything thereon.

3. An undivided $\frac{2}{9}$ shares of Ambagahamulawatta of 2 lahas kurakkan sowing extent, situate at the said village, together with the plantations and everything standing thereon.

For further particulars please apply to G. E. Madawala, Esq., Proctor, Kurunegala, or to me:

Kurunegala, April 9, 1924.

D. M. PERERA,
Auctioneer.

Sale by Auction under Partition Decree.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

BY virtue of a decree entered in partition case No. 6,491 of the District Court of Kegalla, the under-mentioned property will be sold by public auction on Saturday, May 31, 1924, at the spot, commencing from 3 p.m.

The land called Koswatemukalana, situated at Marukwatura village in Gandolaha pattu of Beligal korale, in the District of Kegalla; and bounded on the north by water-course, by land claimed by villagers, and T. P. 220,918, 22,019 and 229,745, on the east by T. P. 44,619, on the south, by Crown land, and on the west by Crown land and by land claimed by villagers; containing in extent 17 acres 2 roods and 8 perches according to the survey and description thereof as per T. P. No. 234,072. The sale will take place first among the co-owners at the appraised value, and if not purchased by any of them, then the property will immediately thereafter be put up for sale among the public.

For further information, apply to—

Kegalla, April 8, 1924.

G. S. SURAWEERA,
Proctor for Plaintiffs.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

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

Trade Marks registered during the Month of March, 1924.

Applica- tion No.	Gazette No.	Date of Gazette.	Proprietors.	Class.	Registra- tion No.
3,019	7,367	December 21, 1923	Mulla Musajee Hassenally & Co.	23, 39, & 48	3,019
3,027	7,368	January 4, 1924	Frederick Chamberlain Gibbs & Arthur Percival Rowlands, carrying on business as "Rowlands Garage"	6, 13, & 22	3,027
2,999	7,369	January 11, 1924	S. M. Bixby & Co., Inc.	50	2,999
3,021	7,369	January 11, 1924	Irwin-Harrisons & Crosfield, Inc.	42	3,021
3,028	7,370	January 18, 1924	William Roderick Gordon Skene	50	3,028
3,026	7,371	January 25, 1924	Mac Fisheries, Ltd.	42	3,026
3,033	7,371	January 25, 1924	Henry Beecham, Frederick Duke Woolley, Charles Frederick Boston, and Charles Rowed, trading as Thomas Beecham	3	3,033

Trade Mark cancelled during the Month of March, 1924.

2,870	7,331	June 1, 1923	Columbia Graphophone Co., Ltd.	8 & 9	2,870
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Address of Proprietors altered during the Month of March, 1924.

455	6,384	June 10, 1910	Cargills, Ltd., address altered to York street, Fort, Colombo	37	1,175
682	6,513	July 19, 1912	Elof Hansson, address altered to Packhusplatsen 2, Gothenburg, Sweden	42	1,347

Subsequent Proprietors registered during the Month of March, 1924.

The name in italics is that of the former proprietor.

—	5,997	July 29, 1904	Societe Anonyme Champagne Heidsieck et Compagnie Monopole Successeurs de Heidsieck et Compagnie Maison fondée en mil Sept cent quatre-vingt cinq, 83 Rue Coquebert Reims, France; Wine Shippers. <i>Walbaum Luling Goulden & Co. (Successors of Heidsieck & Co.)</i>	43	480
—	5,997	July 29, 1904	do.	43	481
—	5,997	July 29, 1904	do.	43	482
—	5,997	July 29, 1904	do.	43	483
753	6,556	April 11, 1913	Gottlieb Taussig, 215 Schonbrunnerstrasse Vienna XII., Austria; <i>Custodian of Enemy Property</i>	48	1,424
898	6,622	May 1, 1914	Wilhelm Benger Sohne, Stuttgart, Germany; <i>Custodian of Enemy Property</i>	38	1,538
2,676	7,266	July 7, 1922	J. Wix & Sons, Ltd., 24/26, Shepherdess Walk, City road, London E, England; Cigarette Manufacturers; <i>Julius Wix, trading as J. Wix & Sons</i>	45	2,676
2,677	7,266	July 7, 1922	do.	45	2,677

Trade Marks renewed during the Month of March, 1924.

—	5,413	June 19, 1896	Thomas Fairhurst	42	137
—	5,415	June 26, 1896	John de Kuyper & Son	43	136
455	6,384	June 10, 1910	Gargills, Limited	37	1,175
468	6,384	June 10, 1910	Blyth & Platt, Ltd.	50	1,176
462	6,376	May 13, 1910	William Hollins & Co., Ltd.	38	1,169
474	6,390	July 8, 1910	Schliemann's Oil and Ceresine Co., Ltd.	4	1,183
475	6,390	July 8, 1910	do.	4	1,184
483	6,406	October 14, 1910	Dunlop Pneumatic Tyre Co., Ltd.	40	1,196

Trade Marks to be removed from the Register for Non-payment of Renewal Fees.

448	6,358	March 11, 1910	Thomas Thomas, John Griffiths Thompson & George Woodworth Thompson, trading as "Thompson Thomas & Co."	42	1,157
450	6,362	April 1, 1910	Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Co.	40 & 50	1,158

Trade Marks removed from the Register for Non-payment of Renewal Fees.

428	6,350	January 14, 1910	Caravonica Cotton Co., Ltd.	4	1,141
426	6,348	December 31, 1909	The Wouldham Cement Co., Ltd.	17	1,142

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 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. 3,115.

(2) Date of Receipt: March 13, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE J. E. HARRIS COMPANY (a Firm organized under the laws of the State of Ohio, United States of America), Cleveland, Ohio, United States of America; Manufacturers of Plastic Roofing.

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

(5) Class: Fifty.

(6) Goods: Plastic roofing.

(7) Mark:

CARBO-LASTIC

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 9, 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. 3,089.

(2) Date of Receipt: February 18, 1924.

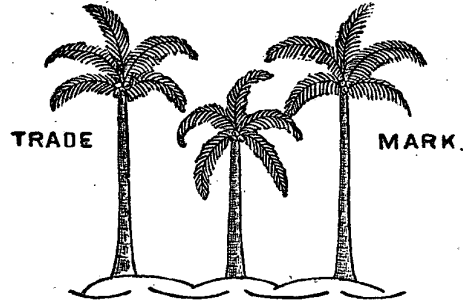
(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): FREDERICK JULIAN SIEDLE, HARRY TIERNEY, and ROBERT TRESLOVE HARRIDENCE, carrying on business under the name and style of SIEDLE BROTHERS & CO., Tonbridge Mills, Katunayake; Millers, Import, Export, and General Merchants.

(4) Address for service in the Island, if any:—

(5) Class: Forty-two.

(6) Goods: Tea, cocoa, and all substances used as food or as ingredients in food.

(7) Mark:



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark is the device of three coconut palms (to be of any size or colour) and no claim is made to the exclusive use of the added matter.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 2, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Registrar-General.