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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.

K NOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, by virtue of the powers in Us vested by section 55 of "The Courts Ordinance, No. 1 of 1889," have been pleased to appoint that an Additional District Court for the District of Kalutara shall be holden at the Town Hall, Kalutara, on October 2, 1924.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fourth day of September, 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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W. H. MANNING.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in pursuance of the powers in Us vested by section 1 of "The Revised Edition Ordinance, No. 7 of 1924," do hereby appoint October 1, 1924, as the date on which the aforesaid Ordinance shall come into force.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-sixth day of September, 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.

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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W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated September 6, 1873, published in *Government Gazette* No. 3,953 dated September 6, 1873, this Island was divided for revenue and administrative purposes into seven Provinces, including among others the Eastern Province, containing within its limits several districts, one of which, viz., the District of Batticaloa, was by various Proclamations between the above-mentioned date and May 18, 1922, subdivided into the subdivisions of Akkarai pattu, Sammanturai, Eruvil-Porativu, Manmunai South, and Nadukadu pattu, which last subdivision has by Proclamation been re-named Wewgam pattu, and Manmunai North pattu, Eravur pattu, and Bintenna pattu:

And whereas it is expedient again to alter and subdivide for revenue and administrative purposes the subdivisions of Akkarai pattu, Wewgam pattu, Sammanturai pattu, Porativu pattu, Manmunai North pattu, Manmunai South pattu, Eravur pattu, and Bintenna pattu in the Batticaloa District of the said Eastern Province:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby proclaim and appoint that from and after October 1, 1924, the said subdivisions of Akkarai pattu, Wewgam pattu, Sammanturai pattu, Porativu pattu, Manmunai North pattu, Manmunai South pattu, Eravur pattu, and Bintenna pattu shall be altered and re-defined as set forth in the schedule hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fourth day of September, 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.

SCHEDULE.

Akkarai Pattu.

North.—A straight line drawn from the top of Ehenagalahela to the south-west corner of Irakkamam tank. The southern contour of the tank as far as the Irakkamam-Karunkoditivu road. The said road eastwards to the point just west of the 6th mile where the old proposed forest reserve boundary crosses the road, thence a straight line drawn northwards to the parting of the Veeraiadi-arū, and the Sengapada-arū, and the said Veeraiadi-arū or Kaliodai as far as the sea.

East.—The sea.

South.—The boundaries of Panama pattu and Wewgam pattu.

West.—The boundary of Wewgam pattu as far as Ehenagalahela.

Wewgam Pattu.

North.—From the point where the Kuda-oya falls into the Magulawattavan-oya, a straight line drawn east-south-east to the top of Balagala, from thence a straight line to the top of the northern spur of Rakshagala, and thence a straight line to the highest point of the rocky ridge running north and south about a mile to the north-north-west of Kachchikodiya Gangoda.

East.—From this point a line running south-south-east along the ridge and from the southern end of the ridge to the north-western end of Kachchikodiya tank bund, the said bund to its south-eastern extremity, thence a straight line running roughly south-south-east to the junction of the cart road from Yothiyankaddu with the Divulana-Vellaveli road, from this point a straight line running southwards to meet the northern branch of the Kalugal-aar, the said branch of the Kalugal-aar westwards and south-westwards to the point where it meets the other branch, from this point the southern branch of the Kalugal-aar running eastwards and south-eastwards as far as the eastern boundary of the Gonagolla tract of paddy fields, thence the eastern boundary of the said tract of paddy fields to its south-eastern corner, thence a straight line drawn southwards to the junction of the Uhana-ela with the Andella-oya, thence a straight line drawn south-eastwards to the top of the rocky hill situated about $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile to the north-west of Veeragoda tank, thence a straight line drawn south-eastward to the point at which the Etinewetichakandura falls into Veeragoda tank, thence the Etinewetichakandura south-westwards up to the point where it crosses the cart track from Heen Veeradiya to Karangawa, from this point a straight line drawn to the highest point of the rocky hill lying about a mile to the west, from the top of this hill a straight line drawn south-westwards to the north-western point of Kondawaddavan tank, thence the contour of the said tank south-westwards, south-eastwards, westwards, and southwards to the point at which the Bakiniattawe-ela falls into the said tank, from this point a straight line drawn to the highest point of the rocky hill lying about 2 miles to the south, from this point a straight line drawn south-south-eastwards to the Kanankadu irrigation bungalow, from the said bungalow a straight line drawn eastwards to the large rock about 10 chains to the east of the Muwangalawewa bund, thence a straight line drawn south-eastwards to the summit of Ehenagala-ela, from the said summit a straight line drawn south-eastwards to the top of the rocky hill lying 3 miles to the north-east of Sagamam tank and about $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile north of the Pannala-oya, thence a line drawn south to the Pannala-oya.

South.—The Pannala-oya south-westwards to the point at which it crosses a line drawn due northwards from the northern spur of the hill lying 2 miles to the west of Vammiyadi tank, thence the said line and the ridge of the said hill running southwards up to its highest point, from this point a straight line drawn south-westwards to Konduruhela trig station, from this trig station a line drawn due west till it meets the Province boundary.

West.—The boundary between the Eastern Province and Uva Province up to the point where this boundary cuts the Magulawattavan-oya, the Magulawattavan-oya up to the point where the Kuda-oya falls into it.

Sammanturai Pattu.

North.—A straight line from the junction of the Uhana-ela and the Andella-oya to the point at which the Mandur-Navalar cart track crosses the Punchigoda-aru, thence the said cart track north-westwards until it meets a straight line drawn due east and west through the point at which the Kurunchamunai road turns south-eastwards just to the south of Tampalawatta village, the said straight line westwards as far as the centre of the lake, thence a line drawn along the centre of the lake north-eastwards to meet the boundary of Eruvil pattu, the boundary of Eruvil pattu south-eastwards as far as the boundary of Karavaku pattu.

East.—The boundary of Karavaku pattu and the boundary of Nindavur pattu, the Veeraiadi-aru westwards as far as the point at which it parts from the Sengapada-aru, from this point a line drawn slightly west of south to the point at which the old proposed forest reserve boundary crosses the Irakkamam-Karunkoditivu cart track a little to the east of the 6th mile.

South.—The said road westwards as far as the contour of Irakkamam tank, the southern contour of the said tank to its south-west corner, thence a straight line drawn west-south-west to the top of Ehenagalahela.

West.—The boundary of Wewgam pattu from Ehenagalahela to the point at which the Uhana-ela falls into the Andella-oya.

Porativu Pattu.

North.—From the highest point of the rocky hill about a mile to the north-north-west of Kachchikodiya Gangoda a straight line running east north-east to the northern extremity of the bund of Navatkernikulam, and thence the Mavakada-aru as far as the Batticaloa lake, thence a line eastwards and north-eastwards through the centre of the lake to the south of the Ambalanturai Kandam and then south-eastwards and southwards through the centre of the lake to join the Eruvil pattu boundary between Palukamam and the eastern shore.

East.—The boundary of Eruvil pattu running along the centre of the lake and the boundary of Sammanturai pattu to the point where it crosses the Kurunchamunai road.

South.—The said boundary of Sammanturai pattu as far as the boundary of Wewgam pattu.

West.—The boundary of Wewgam pattu.

Manmunai North Pattu.

North.—From the point where the Mawalai-aru falls into the lake a line running east-north-east through the centre of the lake to the eastern shore, thence a straight line running through the boundary of Tanamunai village east-north-east to the sea, the sea.

East.—The sea.

South.—A straight line running west-south-west through the 10th milepost on the Batticaloa-Kalmunai road from the sea to the centre of the lake, the eastern portion of this line forming the southern boundary of Kirankulam village, thence a line running north-north-west, west, south-west, and south along the centre of the lake to a point due east-south-east of Tevalmunai tower, thence a straight line drawn to the Kurunchamunai road at the point at which the cart track from the Pulugunawa-Unnichchai road falls into it about a quarter of a mile to the north of the Manalpiddi-aru, thence the said cart track running in a south-westerly direction until it falls into the Pulugunawa-Unnichchai road about 2 miles to the north of the Pulugunawa tank bund, from this point a straight line running west-south-west to the top of Kathiragala, thence a straight line drawn south-west to the top of Balagala, thence a straight line running slightly north of west to the junction of the Kuda-oya and the Magulawattavan-aru.

West.—The Magulawattavan-aru northwards to the point at which the new proposed forest reserve boundary leaves it to go in a north-westerly direction, thence a straight line slightly east of north to the point at which the Mawalai-aru crosses the irrigation road between Tumpalancholai and Unnichchai, the said Mawalai-aru till it falls into the lake.

Manmunai South Pattu.

North.—From the top of Kathiragala the boundary of Manmunai North as far eastwards as the sea.

East.—The sea.

South.—The boundary of Eruvil pattu and Porativu pattu as far as the top of the rocky hill about a mile to the north-north-west of Kachchikodiya Gangoda, thence the boundary of Wewgam pattu as far as the top of Balagala.

West.—The boundary of Manmunai North pattu, being a straight line from the top of Balagala to the top of Kathiragala.

Eravur Pattu.

North.—A straight line drawn due east from the Maduru-oya to the top of Higgagala, from this point the old existing boundary of Koralai pattu eastwards to the sea.

East.—The sea and the boundary of Manmunai North from the sea to the lake.

South.—The boundary of Manmunai North running south-eastwards to the point at which the Mawalai-aru crosses the irrigation road from Tumpalancholai to Unnichchai, the said irrigation road westwards as far as the Batticaloa-Badulla road, thence a line running due west to Rugam tank, the southern contour of Rugam tank as far as the south-western end of the bund, thence a straight line drawn west-south-west to the top of Kitulmalai, thence a straight line drawn west-north-west to the junction of the Madana-ela and the Karandagaha-ela about a mile to the east north-east of Neelamalai, the Madana-ela north-north-west as far as Talawagala, from Talawagala a line running due west to meet the Arangoda-ela, the Arangoda-ela to its junction with the Maduru-oya.

West.—The Maduru-oya northwards till it reaches the northern boundary as described above.

Bintenna Pattu.

North.—The boundary of Eravur pattu.

East.—The boundary of Manmunai North, and Wewgam pattu as far as the Uva Province boundary.

South.—Uva Province boundary.

West.—Uva Province boundary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 368 of 1924.

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

Mr. M. POTGER to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Badulla-Haldummulla, during the absence of Mr. C. E. DE PINTO from September 21 to 23, 1924, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. E. LA BROOY to act as Additional District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. S. D. KRISNARATNE to act as Additional District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. M. POTGER to act as Additional District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Badulla-Haldummulla on September 27, 1924.

Mr. R. R. NALLIAH to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, from September 30 to October 8, 1924, or until further orders.

Mr. A. R. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kayts, from September 29 to October 8, 1924, or until further orders.

Mr. M. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Mallakam, from October 1 to 8, 1924, or until further orders.

Mr. B. L. DRIEBERG to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Avissawella, during the absence of Mr. S. D. DHONDY, from September 29 to October 1, 1924, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadure, on October 2, 1924.

Mr. C. A. LA BROOY to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kandy, Additional Municipal Magistrate, Kandy, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. E. G. JONKLAAS to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Gampola, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. S. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, on September 27, 1924, or until further orders.

Mr. B. L. DRIEBERG to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Avissawella, on September 27 and 28, 1924.

Mr. A. G. SIRIMANE to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Panadure, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. J. KADRAMATAMBY to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. C. F. DHARMARATNA to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, on September 26 and 27, 1924.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Puttalam, on September 27, 1924.

Mr. W. D. GODSALL to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Assistant Superintendent of the Badulla Prison, with effect from September 1, 1924, until further orders.

Dr. C. H. K. SCHARENGUIVEL, Provincial Surgeon, North-Western Province, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Kurunegala, *vice* Dr. G. A. RODE.

Messrs. D. A. TENNAKON and R. DEHERAGODA, Inquirers of Uda pattu south and Uda pattu north, respectively, to act in their divisions for Mr. A. V. WIJESINGHA, Inquirer, Kuruwiti korale, during his absence on-leave from August 28 to September 15, 1924, inclusive.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 26, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 369 of 1924.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. C. W. BICKMORE, having returned from leave, has resumed duties as Assistant Colonial Treasurer from September 23, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 24, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 370 of 1924.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. T. W. ROBERTS, having returned from leave, has resumed duties as Excise Commissioner, with effect from September 23, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 23, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 371 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to sanction the following appointments and changes in the Excise Department, with effect from September 16, 1924:—

Mr. E. RODRIGO, C.C.S., to be Assistant Commissioner of Excise, stationed at Headquarters, and Additional Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Southern Division, until further orders.

Mr. H. C. R. ANTHONISZ, Superintendent of Excise, Colombo Municipality and Colombo District, will cease to act as Acting Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Colombo.

Mr. R. G. DE LIVERA to continue to act as Additional Superintendent of Excise, Colombo Municipality, in addition to his own duties as Assistant Superintendent of Excise, Colombo Circle.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 24, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 372 of 1924.

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

Mr. G. F. DE LIVERA to be Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Southern Division, with effect from September 15, 1924, *vice* Mr. P. PARSONS, transferred.

Mr. P. PARSONS to be Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Central Division, with effect from September 17, 1924, *vice* Mr. G. F. DE LIVERA, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 24, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 373 of 1924.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, to appoint Mr. H. L. GROOOCK, Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Batticaloa, *vice* Mr. O. T. NETTELTON.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 23, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 374 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. TUAN KITCHILL CASSIM to be, in addition to his own duties, an Inquirer into Crimes for Magam pattu of Hambantota District, Southern Province.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 24, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint TELIKADAGAMAGE SAMUEL DE SILVA to act as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from September 19, 1924, until further orders, *vice* Mr. C. F. INGLEDOW, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Ratnapura.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colombo, September 19, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed RAYMOND CHRISTOPHER (provisionally) as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pandattarippu division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, with effect from October 1, 1924, *vice* Registrar, J. CHRISTOPHER, deceased. His office will be at "Raymond Villa," in Chillalai.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, September 20, 1924. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed Mr. ANDRAVAS PATABENDI THEYONIS DE VAS GUNAWARDENA to be Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kegalla town within Local Board limits division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from September 22, 1924, *vice* Registrar, Mr. A. W. ROSA, transferred. His office will be at the Land Registry, Kegalla.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, September 18, 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 Mr. E. R. DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Colombo town division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for five days from September 20, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. F. L. ANTHONISZ, on other duty. His office will be at the Registrar-General's Office, Colombo.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed ADAMBARAGE JOHN PETER DE ALWIS KARUNARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Galkiss division, and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from September 20, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, WILLIAM CHARLES BASTIANSZ, on leave. His office will be at Kahatagahawatta in Dehiwala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed VITANAGE JUWANIS PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Haltota division, and of Marriages (General) of Munwattebage pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from September 18, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, U. CAROLIS RODRIGO, on sick leave. His office will be at Alubogahawatta in Raddegoda; station at Delgahawatta in Milleniya on first and third Fridays of every month.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed LIONEL FRANKLIN ROSA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for seven days from September 22, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, ALBERT SAMARATUNGA, transferred. His office will be at the Kandy Kacheheri.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed TIKIRI BANDA ARAWWAWALA 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, for three days from September 24, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, A. B. NUGAPITIYA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinagedarawatta in Nugapitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed PINNADUWE HEWA RANATUNGA SUMANADASA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dimbula korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale (excluding the portion in Gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for twelve days from September 19, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. W. D. SIMON DE SILVA, dismissed. His office will be at the Gansabhawa room, Talawakele.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ISAAC CHARLES DIAS GURUSINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Weragoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for September 22, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, H. W. D. A. A. WICKRAMASINHA, on leave. His office will be at Pingahawatta in Godagama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON CAROLIS MUTUMALA WADYASURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tihawa

division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from September 19, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, A. DE S. WICKRAMANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Inginiyangahawatta in Puchiakurugoda (Tihawa).

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed MARIYANU SANTHA PERERIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mannar Island No. 2 division, and of Marriages (General) of Mannar Island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for fifteen days from October 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, C. KAITAN TALIMA, on leave. His office will be at the Talimavalavu in Pesalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed D. H. ABAYASEKERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for three days from September 15, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. PERERIS, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Chilaw.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed W. M. G. WANASUNDERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Puttalam pattu and Gravets division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for five days from September 17, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. V. SUBRAMANIAM, on leave. His office will be at the Assistant Provincial Registrar's Office, Puttalam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed DON ALBANU NANAYAKKARA to act as Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages (General) of Mundal division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for two days from September 19, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, G. J. LIVERA, on leave. His office will be at Mundalamawatta at Mundal.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed ABRAHAM MENDIS ABAYASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yatakalan pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Pitigal-korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, on September 23, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, W. D. M. W. SENANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Kosgahawatta, Madampe.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed GODAGE PAHALAGE PALIPPURAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nivitigala division, and of Marriages (General) of Navadun korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for five days from September 20, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, H. K. APPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at Hidurupitiyewatta in Nivitigala.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed PALLEHAGE HINMAHATMAYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Raddella division, and of Marriages (General) of Navadun korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for eight days from October 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, P. PUNCHI-MAHATMAYA, on leave. His office will be at Pallegedara-watta in Raddella.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed SAMARASINHA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kiraweli pattu east division, and of Marriages (General) of Beligal korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for two days from September 17, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, S. H. T. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Dembatewatta in Otnapitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed KURUWITA ARACHCHIGE MARTIN APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehigampal korale Egodapota pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for two days from September 22, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. A. APPU SINNO, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Imbulana.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, September 24, 1924. Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

“THE HOUSING AND TOWN IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE, NO. 19 OF 1915.”

BY-LAWS made by the Sanitary Board of the Matara District, under the provision of section 27 of “The Housing and Town Improvement Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915,” and approved by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 25, 1924.

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

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. The areas defined in the schedule hereto are hereby declared to be residential areas.
2. The remainder of the areas within the limits of the Sanitary Board towns of Weligama and Dondra of the Matara District is hereby declared to be a commercial area.
3. Within the limits of the residential areas no range or block of building wholly or mainly adapted to be inhabited in tenements by persons of the poorer or the labouring classes, and no building intended for commercial purposes or for any other purpose than that of a dwelling house, shall be erected or re-erected without the special sanction in writing of the Chairman. Such sanction shall be refused if, in the opinion of the Board, the situation or design or use to which it is proposed to put the building would not be in keeping with its surroundings or would detract from the amenities of the town.

SCHEDULE.

Weligama.

An area extending 100 yards on either side of—

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Hettiweediya road, (b) First Cross road (c) Second Cross road (d) Third Cross road | } | From the Hettiweediya road up to a point 20 yards |
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from the centre of the Public Works Department road from Galle to Matara.

Dondra.

An area extending 100 yards on either side of—

- (a) Sinhasenawella road,
- (b) Lighthouse road,
- (c) Galgama road,

from a point 100 yards from their junction with the Matara-Tangalla main road to the Sanitary Board boundary.

“THE HOUSING AND TOWN IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE, NO. 19 OF 1915.”

BY-LAWS made by the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Puttalam, under the provisions of section 27 of “The Housing and Town Improvement Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915,” and approved by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 22, 1924.

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

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. The area defined in the schedule hereto is hereby declared to be residential area.
2. The remainder of the area within the limits of the Local Board of Puttalam is hereby declared to be a commercial area.
3. Within the limits of the residential area no range or block of buildings wholly or mainly adapted to be inhabited in tenements by persons of the poorer or the labouring classes, and no building intended for commercial purposes or for any other purposes than that of a dwelling house, shall be erected or re-erected without the special sanction in writing of the Chairman. Such sanction shall be refused if, in the opinion of the Board, the situation or design or the use to which it is proposed to put the building would not be in keeping with its surroundings or would detract from the amenities of the town.

Schedule.

An area bounded on the north by a straight line from northern entrance to Government school for Moslems to the junction of Koch's road with Anuradhapura road; on the east by Koch's road and Outer Circular road; on the south by a straight line drawn from a point on Outer Circular road just north of the Local Board cooly lines to the south-east corner of the Public Works Department premises, and the same line produced to the lagoon; on the west by the lagoon from west and south boundary to the junction of Kachcheri road with Chilaw road, thence a straight line from this point to Post Office junction, and thence by a straight line to the north entrance to the Government school for the Moslems.

"THE VEHICLES ORDINANCE, NO. 4 OF 1916."

IT is hereby notified for general information, under by-law No. 19 (1), that the roads mentioned in the schedule hereunto annexed are suitable for use by "lorries" (as defined in by-law 1 (2) of the by-laws published in the *Government Gazette* of March 3, 1922, subject to their compliance with the regulations governing the use of motor cars, motor lorries, and motor cycles, and with the modified conditions specified in the schedule referred to).

2. All schedules to previous Notifications are hereby cancelled.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

1. Roads on which there is no objection to motor lorries being run under the regulations:—

Western Province.

Colombo-Avissawella road (via Urugodawatta) with exception of bridge No. 61 at 22½ milepost.
Colombo-Kalutara-Bentota road.
Colombo-Peradeniya-Kandy road.
Horana-Alutgama road (with exception of the Anguruwatota ferry and Welipenne bridge on the 22nd mile).

Central Province.

Annfield road.
Bathford Valley road.
Colombo-Kadugannawa-Peradeniya-Kandy road.
Dotale road.
Duckwari-Cottaganga road, first quarter of 1st mile (up to but not across the first wooden bridge).

Gampola-Nawalapitiya road (speed not to exceed 4 miles an hour over the arched bridges near 13½ at Gampola, 18½ at Ulapane, and 19½ mileposts).

Hatton-Norwood bridge road.
Hatton-Talawakele road.
Kandy-Gampola-Pussellawa road (with the exception of the Gampola bridge).

Kandy-Rangalla road via Dumbara Valley, Rajawella, and Teldeniya.
Nawalapitiya-Hatton road up to the 5th milepost.

Nawalapitiya-Kotmale road (to Talawakele).

Peradeniya-Deltota road.
Strathdon-Fruithill-Hatton road.
Talawakele-Lindula-Agrapatana road.
Talawakele-Watagoda road up to the turn off to Watagoda estate factory.

Tispane road.
Wattegama Railway Station via Madulkele up to the Daluk-oya bridge on 20¼ to 20½ mile, Huluganga-Bambara-ela road.

Wattegama via Teldeniya to Nugatenna Gap. (Note.—A lorry of greater height than 8 feet 9 inches cannot pass under the aqueduct near the 16th milepost).

Southern Province.

Colombo-Matara road (within the Municipal limits of Galle).

Deniyaya-Hayes road.
Galle-Akuressa road.
Galle-Udugama road.
Matara-Deniyaya road.

Province of Uva.

Badulla-Bibile road.
Bandarawela-Badulla road.
Bandarawela-Haputale-Haldummulla road (speed not to exceed 4 miles per hour over bridge No. 158 near the 107½ milepost).

Bandarawela-Leangahawela-Poonagala road.

Bandarawela-Welimada road.
Dikwella-Madulla road.
Haldummulla-Koslanda-Wellawaya-Monergala road.

Koslanda-Poonagala road.
Kumbalwela-Passara road.
Naula-Spring Valley road.
Passara-Madulsima road.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Approach roads to Ratnapura Railway Station and Goods Shed (with exception of Church road).

Colombo-Kegalla-Peradeniya-Kandy road.

Dehiowita-Deraniyagala road up to the 2½ milepost.

Ellearawa-Pinnawela Branch road.
Karawanella-Glenalla road.

Polgahawela-Kegalla road.
Ratnapura-Kuruwita road (via Esplanade road and Cross street, excluding Main street from 56 to 56½ mileposts).

Ratnapura-Pelmadulla-Balangoda road up to the Ellearawa-Pinnawela road junction on 86th mile (via Esplanade road and Cross street, excluding Main street from 56 to 56½ mileposts).

Ratnapura-Pelmadulla-Rakwana road (via Esplanade road and Cross street, excluding Main street from 56 to 56½ mileposts).

2. Roads on which there is no objection to motor lorries being run under modified conditions as to total weights stated:—

Weight allowed. Tons.

Western Province.

Colombo via Negombo and Marawila to Madampe (speed not to exceed 4 miles per hour across Mabile temporary bridge at 6¼ mile) .. 3½

Hanwella-Labugama road .. 4½

Horawala-Moragala road .. 4½

Katukurunda-Nagoda-Matugama Agalawatta road .. 4½

Mirigama (Railway Station) up to but not across Giriulla bridge .. 4

Nagoda-Neboda road .. 3

Padukka-Bope-Ingiriya-Nambapana road .. 3

Panadure-Ingiriya-Nambapana road (with exception of Bolgoda bridge on the 5th mile) .. 3

Tebuwana-Anguruwatota road .. 3

Veyangoda-Ruanwella road .. 4½

Central Province.

Brookside-High Forest road .. 4½

Craighead-Somerset road .. 3

Dambulla-Habarana road .. 3

Deltota-Hewaheta-Rikiligasgoda road .. 4½

From Daluk-oya bridge, 20¼ to 20½ mile, Huluganga-Bambara-ela road to Bambara-ela .. 3

Gleniyon-Preston road (at a speed of not more than 3 miles per hour over Torrington bridge) .. 4½

Golahenwatta-Yatawatta road .. 5

Gorge Valley road up to the bridge on Henford estate .. 4½

Iriyagama-Aladeniya road, 2nd to 6th mile .. 3

Kalalpitiya-Ukuwella road .. 5

Kandy-Matale-Nalande-Dambulla road (4½ tons up to but not over Katugastota bridge) .. 3

Kandy-Rikiligasgoda-Padiyapellella-Mulhakele road (with the exception of the Mulhakele bridge, Kurunduya) .. 4½

Katugastota-Galagedara road .. 4½

Weight allowed. Tons.

Katugastota-Wattegama road .. 4½

Lindula-Nanuoya-Nuwara Eliya road .. 4½

Madulkele-Kabaragala road .. 4½

Maskeliya road:—

(a) Glenugie-Upcot road .. 3

(b) Maskeliya to Cruden .. 3

(c) Maskeliya to Moray .. 2½

(d) Norwood bridge to Maskeliya .. 2

(e) Norwood-Upcot road (2½ tons only permissible across the temporary bridge at 1st milepost) .. 3

Nawalapitiya-Dolosbage road ..

Nawalapitiya-Hatton road from the 5th mile to Dumbar bridge (via Abbotsleigh) .. 3

Norwood bridge-Campion road .. 4½

Nugatenna-Deanstone Branch road .. 3

Nuwara Eliya town: The following roads within the limits of the Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya, not mentioned elsewhere in the list:—

(a) Lady McCallum's Drive .. 4½

(b) Lawson street .. 4½

(c) Moon Plains road (the War Memorial to Badulla road junction) .. 4½

(d) New Bazaar street .. 4½

(e) Queen's Cottage to Hawa Eliya via Kachcheri corner (excluding culvert at Holy Trinity Church junction) .. 4½

Nuwara Eliya-Uda Pussellawa road .. 4½

Nuwara Eliya-Welimada road .. 4½

Oonanagala-Madulkele road (P. W. D.) .. 4½

Padiyapellella-Ellamulla road .. 4½

Palapattiwela-Galawela road .. 5

Pupuressa road .. 4½

Pussellawa-Ramboda-Nuwara Eliya road .. 4½

Rattota road .. 5

St. Margaret's-Kirklees Branch road .. 4½

Ulapane-Riverside road .. 5

Wallaha road .. 3

Wanarajah Branch road (up to but not over Castlereagh bridge) .. 4½

Watagoda-Tawalantenne road:—

(a) Tawalantenna to Pundaluoya (with the exception of the Sangilipalam bridge on the 34th mile) .. 3

(b) Watagoda to Pundaluoya .. 3½

Southern Province.

Ambalangoda-Elpitiya road .. 4½

Beliatta-Tangalla road .. 4

Dikwella-Beliatta road .. 4

Dodanduwa-Halpatota road .. 2

Hikkaduwa-Halpatota road .. 2

Matara-Hambantota road .. 4

Wellawaya-Hambantota road .. 3

Eastern Province.

Batticaloa-Kalkudah road .. 3

Batticaloa-Kalmunai road .. 3

Bibile-Batticaloa road .. 3

Pottuvil-Monergala road .. 3

North-Western Province.

Alawwa-Dampelessa road .. 3½

Colombo via Negombo-Marawila-Chilaw-Pittalamb road .. 3½

Galagedara-Kurunegala road .. 4½

Kurunegala-Dambulla road to 20th milepost .. 3½

Kurunegala-Narammala road .. 3½

Weight allowed. Tons.		Weight allowed. Tons.		Weight allowed. Tons.		
	<i>North-Central Province.</i>					
Kurunegala-Nikaweratiya road (2 tons only permissible over Maguruoya bridge on 6th mile from Kurunegala) ..	3	Dambulla-Habarana road ..	3	Avissawella-Ratnapura road (speed not to exceed 4 miles per hour over Getahetta and Kuruwita bridges on the 33rd and 48th miles, respectively) ..	3	
Kurunegala-Polgahawela road ..	3	Habarana-Topawewa road up to 13th mile ..	3	Balangoda-Chetnole road ..	4½	
Maharagama-Polgahawela road ..	4	<i>Province of Uva.</i>			Dela-Karawita road ..	4
Mallowapitiya-Rambodagala road ..	4½	Badulla-Taldena road to 1st milepost 2		Herningford road ..	4½	
Negombo <i>vid</i> Dankotuwa-Giriulla-Narammala-Kuliyapitiya to Madampe (2 tons gross weight only allowed on the temporary bridge on the 33rd mile, Kuliyapitiya-Madampe road) ..	4	Bibile-Alutnuwara road up to the 5th milepost ..	3½	Karandupone-Rambukkana road ..	3½	
Kurunegala town: The following roads within the limits of Kurunegala Local Board, not mentioned elsewhere in this list:—		Bibile-Batticaloa road ..	3½	Kegalla-Bulatkohupitiya road ..	3	
(a) Bazaar street ..	4½	Dikwella-Welimada road ..	2	Kendangamuwa-Woodend road ..	4½	
(b) Edinburgh street and Approach road to the Railway Station ..	4½	Haputale-Diyatalawa road ..	2	Malwala ferry road ..	4½	
(c) Getuwana Circular road ..	4	Pottuvil-Moneragala road ..	3	Rakwana to Springwood estate bungalow ..	4½	
		Welimada-Nuwara Eliya road ..	4½	Rambukkana-Aranayaka road ..	3	
		Wellawaya-Hambantota road ..	3	Ratnapura-Nambapana road ..	3	
		<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>			Ruanwella-Veyangoda road ..	4½
		Avissawella-Ginigathena road, except bridge on the 42nd mile (Yatiantota) ..	4½	Watapota road ..	3	
				Yatiantota-Ardross road (with exception of the causeway on Kelani estate) ..	3	
				Yatiantota-Kitulgala road ..	4½	
				Yatiantota-Polatagama road ..	3	

ORDINANCE No. 17 OF 1869.

REGULATIONS made by the Principal Collector of Customs, in terms of sections 26 and 48 of the said Ordinance, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council:—

Compressed ammonia gas or liquefied anhydrous ammonia, compressed atmospheric air, compressed or liquefied carbonic acid gas (carbon dioxide), compressed coal gas, compressed hydrogen, compressed or liquefied nitrous oxide, compressed oxygen, compressed or liquefied sulphurous acid gas (sulphur dioxide), may be discharged from or shipped into vessels in the port, subject to the following conditions:—

- (a) These gases must be packed in cylinders made of wrought iron or mild steel of the best quality, which must comply in all respects with the specifications given below. The cylinders must not exceed 8 feet in length and 10 inches in diameter. Provided that sulphur dioxide may be packed in glass syphons with gun metal valves.
- (b) Cylinders must be separately and securely packed in strong wooden boxes or in a covering made of closely plaited one-inch (circumference) hemp, coir, or matting of such nature, except that—
 - (i.) Several small cylinders not exceeding 24 inches in length and 4 inches in diameter may be packed in one box, provided that each cylinder is contained in a separate compartment or separately encased in closely plaited one-inch (circumference) hemp or coir or matting of such nature. Each box must not contain more than 25 small cylinders, and the gross weight of each box and contents must not exceed 2½ cwt.
 - (ii.) Small cylinders not exceeding 12 inches in length and 3 inches in diameter containing nitrous oxide may be packed in wickerwork baskets containing two such cylinders in separate compartments.
 - (iii.) Cylinders of carbon dioxide may be imported without being packed in a wooden or other covering.
- (c) Cylinders containing compressed atmospheric air, coal gas, hydrogen, or oxygen must not be charged to a greater pressure than 1,800 lb. per square inch.
- (d) No cylinder may contain, per pound of water capacity, more than ⅔ lb. of carbon dioxide (carbonic acid gas), ½ lb. of anhydrous ammonia, ⅔ lb. of nitrous oxide, or 1½ lb. sulphur dioxide (sulphurous acid gas) respectively.
- (e) In the case of cylinders for anhydrous ammonia, the greatest pressure of gas must be assumed as 1,000 lb. per square inch, and at that pressure the stress in the metal must not exceed 6 tons per square inch for wrought iron, or 7 tons per square inch for steel.
- (f) Cylinders containing gases and liquids under pressure must be carefully handled, and must not be placed near a fire, or exposed to other source of heat.
- (g) All cylinders shall be sufficiently marked as to be easily identifiable as containing gas or liquid under pressure.
- (h) After being landed and until removed all cylinders shall be adequately protected from the sun's rays by a suitable covering.

Specifications referred to in Clause (a) Cylinders for the conveyance of Compressed Gas.

- (1) *Lap-welded Wrought Iron.*—Greatest working pressure, 120 atmospheres, or 1,800 lb. per square inch. Stress due to working pressure not to exceed 6½ tons per square inch. Proof pressure in hydraulic test, after annealing, 224 atmospheres, or 3,360 lb. per square inch. Permanent stretch in hydraulic test not to exceed 10 per cent. of the elastic stretch. One cylinder in 50 to be subjected to a statical bending test, and to stand crushing nearly flat between two rounded knife edges without cracking.
- (2) *Lap-welded or Seamless Steel.*—Greatest working pressure, 120 atmospheres, or 1,800 lb. per square inch. Stress due to working pressure not to exceed 7½ tons per square inch in lap-welded or 8 tons per square inch in seamless cylinders.

Carbon in steel not to exceed 0·25 per cent. or iron to be less than 99 per cent.
 Tenacity of steel not to be less than 26 or more than 33 tons per square inch. Ultimate elongation not less than 1·2 inches in 8 inches. Test bar to be cut from finished annealed cylinder.
 Proof pressure in hydraulic test, after annealing, 224 atmospheres, or 3,360 lb. per-square inch.
 Permanent stretch shown by water jacket not to exceed 10 per cent. of elastic stretch.
 One cylinder in 50 to be subjected to a statical bending test, and to stand crushing nearly flat between rounded knife edges without cracking.

(3) *Regulations applicable to Lap-welded Wrought Iron Cylinders and to Lap-welded or Seamless Steel Cylinders.*—Cylinders to be marked with a rotation number, a manufacturer's or owner's mark, an annealing mark with date, a test mark with date. The marks to be permanent and easily visible.

Testing to be repeated at least every two years, and annealing at least every four years.

A record to be kept of all tests.

Cylinders which fail in testing to be destroyed or rendered useless.

Hydrogen and coal gas cylinders to have left-handed threads for attaching connections, and to be painted red.

The compressing apparatus to have two pressure gauges, and an automatic arrangement for preventing overcharging. The compressing apparatus for oxygen to be wholly distinct and unconnected with the compressing apparatus for hydrogen and coal gas.

Cylinders not to be refilled till they have been emptied.

The valve fittings should be protected by a steel cap.

A minimum weight to be fixed for each size of cylinder in accordance with its required thickness. Cylinders of less weight to be rejected.

(4) *Cylinder Fittings.*—No oil or similar lubricant to be used for cylinder valves, pressure gauges, regulators, or other fittings.

Pressure gauges to have a check to prevent a sudden inrush of gas.

Pressure gauges for hydrogen and coal gas to have left-handed screws, and to be painted red.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, September 25, 1924.

CECIL CLEMENTI,
 Colonial Secretary.

“THE CEYLON (LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1923.”

WITH reference to Notification dated September 12, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* of September 12, 1924, it is hereby notified that Mr. R. M. M. Worsley, Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota, resumed duties as the Returning Officer for the Southern Province (Eastern Division) Constituency on September 22, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, September 22, 1924.

CECIL CLEMENTI,
 Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officers in Class III. of the Clerical Service have been promoted to Class II. of the Clerical Service, with effect from October 1, 1924:—

Mr. S. D. Pohath, Clerk, Police Court, Gampola.
 Mr. H. C. Fernando, Clerk, District Court, Kurunegala.
 Mr. W. M. B. Abeywardene, Clerk, Medical Department.
 Mr. H. B. Mailewe, Clerk, Kurunegala Kachcheri.
 Mr. E. M. Fernando, Clerk to the Inspector of Mines.
 Mr. G. T. Vande Bona, Clerk, Fiscal's Office, Colombo.
 Mr. O. de Silva, Clerk, Police Department.
 Mr. S. Mailvakanam, Clerk, Medical Department.
 Mr. L. A. Weerasinghe, Clerk, Forest Department.
 Mr. C. de S. Wijeyaratne, Interpreter, Police Court, Panadure.
 Mr. V. A. Nadarajah, Clerk, Forest Department.
 Mr. P. S. Fernando, Clerk, Railway Extensions (seconded for service).
 Mr. W. M. Diaz, Clerk, Solicitor-General's Office.
 Mr. R. S. Dalpethado, Clerk, Deputy Fiscal's Office, Negombo.
 Mr. J. Dissanayake, Clerk, Police Department.
 Mr. P. W. Jayasinghe, Clerk, Matara Kachcheri.
 Mr. D. T. E. Edirisinghe, Clerk, Settlement Office.
 Mr. Trutand de Silva, Clerk, Police Department.
 Mr. B. M. Perera, Clerk, Medical Department.
 Mr. J. W. Grebe, Clerk, Settlement Office.
 Mr. A. D'Zilva, Clerk, Audit Office.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Colombo, September 24, 1924.

CECIL CLEMENTI,
 Colonial Secretary.

Notification re Pearl Banks.

IT is notified for general information that the provisions of Regulation No. 3 of 1811 and of Ordinance No. 18 of 1843, which are more fully described in schedule hereto attached, are still in force.

2. All persons are hereby warned against committing any act or acts in contravention of the said provisions. It is, however, not intended to enforce the provisions of the said Regulation and of the said Ordinance against the possession, within the prohibited area, of the class of shore nets termed Karavalai.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 12, 1924.

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

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

(A) Regulation No. 3 of 1811.

For the Protection of His Majesty's Pearl Banks of Ceylon.

Whereas there is reason to suspect that depredations are committed in the pearl banks of this Island by boats and other vessels frequenting those places in the calm season without any necessity or lawful cause for being in that situation :

If any boat or other vessel shall hereafter, between the 10th of January and the end of April, or between the 1st of October and the end of November, in any year, be found within the limits of the pearl banks, as described in the schedule hereunto annexed, anchoring or hovering and not proceeding to her proper destination, as wind and weather may permit, it shall be lawful for any person or persons holding a commission or warrant from His Excellency the Governor for the purposes of this Regulation to enter and seize such boat or other vessel and carry the same to some convenient port or place in this Island for prosecution. And every such boat or other vessel is hereby declared liable to forfeiture by sentence of any court having revenue jurisdiction of sufficient amount, and shall be condemned accordingly, two-thirds thereof to the use of His Majesty and one-third to the persons seizing or prosecuting, unless such boat or other vessel shall have been forced into the situation aforesaid by accident or other necessary cause, the proof whereof to be on the party alleging such defence.

Schedule.

Vessels navigating the inner or along shore passage are not to hover or anchor in deeper than four fathoms water.

Vessels navigating the outer passage are not to hover or anchor within twelve fathoms of water.

9th March, 1811.

(B) Ordinance No. 18 of 1843.

To declare illegal the Possession of certain Nets and Instruments within certain limits.

Whereas it is expedient to prohibit the possession, within certain limits, of certain nets and instruments which might otherwise be used to the detriment of Her Majesty's pearl banks :

1. The possession on land of any drifting net or other net, not being such as are used by men walking in the sea, or of any dredge or similar instrument, at any place within twelve miles of Tallaville or Talaimannar, or at any place within twelve miles of any part of the shore at low-water mark between Talaville and Talaimannar, shall be unlawful, and every such net, dredge, or instrument that shall at any time be found within such limits shall be forfeited ; and every person who shall at any time have had any such net, dredge, or instrument in his possession, or shall have moved or concealed, or assisted in or procured the movement or concealment of any such net, dredge, or instrument within such limits, shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable, on conviction thereof, to a fine not exceeding ten pounds, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding six months.

2. It shall be lawful for every officer of the Customs, and every peace officer, to search any house or premises within any such limits as aforesaid where he shall have good reason to believe any such net, dredge, or instrument as aforesaid to be kept or concealed, and to take the same into his charge, and to seize and take every person offending against this Ordinance before any competent court or Justice of the Peace, to be dealt with according to law.

26th November, 1843.

Department of Indian Immigrant Labour.**"THE LABOUR ORDINANCE, NO. 1 OF 1923."***Notification No. 11.*

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in pursuance of regulation 1 A, Chapter I., of the regulations made by him in Executive Council, under the powers conferred by section 14 of "The Labour Ordinance, No. 1 of 1923," as amended by Notification No. 8 of the Department of Indian Immigrant Labour, dated October 24, 1923, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,358 of October 26, 1923, has been pleased to declare that the quarterly instalment in respect of acreage fees, payable on or before October 1, 1924, to the Controller by employers of any Indian immigrant labourers on any estate of the description named in Schedule A attached to the said regulations shall be on the following scales :—

75 cents per acre for tea ; and
25 cents per acre for rubber, cacao, or cardamoms.

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

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

Comparative Statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon for the Nine Months ended June 30, 1924.

REVENUE.

	Estimated (as per printed Estimates).		Actual.		Surplus.		Shortfall.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs	24,566,250	0	26,004,342	50	1,438,092	50	—	—
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues	3,525,000	0	3,760,418	23	235,418	23	—	—
3. Licenses, Excise, and Internal Revenue not otherwise classified	16,380,000	0	16,480,714	54	100,714	54	—	—
4. Fees of Court or Office, Payment for Specific Services, and Reimbursements in Aid	2,724,750	0	2,395,730	8	—	—	329,019	92
5. Post and Telegraph	1,110,000	0	1,139,664	37	29,664	37	—	—
6. Government Railways	17,062,500	0	18,249,723	13	1,187,223	13	—	—
7. Interest	2,199,750	0	3,040,019	1	840,269	1	—	—
8. Miscellaneous Receipts	811,500	0	2,026,928	19½	1,215,428	19½	—	—
9. Land Revenue	956,250	0	963,320	33	7,070	33	—	—
Total, exclusive of Land Sales	69,336,000	0	74,060,860	38½	5,053,880	30½	329,019	92
10. Land Sales	637,500	0	905,742	45	268,242	45	—	—
Grand Total	69,973,500	0	74,966,602	83½	5,322,122	75½	329,019	92
							Deduct Shortfall ..	329,019 92
							Nett Surplus ..	4,993,102 83½

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated (as per printed Estimates).		Actual.		Excess.		Saving.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Personal Emoluments	23,453,818	0	26,538,702	83	—	—	1,915,115	17
2. Other Charges	19,128,471	0	15,302,154	56	—	—	3,826,316	44
3. Railway Works Extraordinary	788,400	0	595,003	23	—	—	193,396	77
4. Irrigation Works Annually Recurrent	183,600	0	163,982	8	—	—	19,617	92
5. Irrigation Works Extraordinary	183,225	0	94,800	78	—	—	88,424	22
6. Public Works Annually Recurrent	4,648,242	0	4,795,378	85	147,136	85	—	—
7. Public Works Extraordinary	1,546,797	0	905,371	65	—	—	641,425	35
8. Military Expenditure	1,575,717	0	1,492,798	47	—	—	82,918	53
9. Public Debt	8,344,275	0	7,074,788	0	—	—	1,269,487	0
10. Pensions	2,283,750	0	2,401,025	49	117,275	49	—	—
11. Exchange	258,750	0	—	—	—	—	258,750	0
12. Miscellaneous Services	5,217,567	0	13,081,464	96	7,863,897	96	—	—
Grand Total	2,612,612	0	72,445,470	90	8,128,310	30	8,295,451	40
							Deduct Excess ..	8,128,310 30
							Nett Saving ..	167,141 10

Comparative Monthly Return of Revenue from October, 1920, to June, 1924.

	1920-21. Rs.	1921-22. Rs.	1922-23. Rs.	1923-24. Rs.
October ..	6,012,849	6,586,591	7,729,712	8,639,057
November ..	5,843,278	5,506,782	7,402,884	8,001,201
December ..	4,664,469	5,042,049	6,421,984	6,386,145
January ..	6,454,004	7,704,744	9,389,694	11,434,452
February ..	5,199,181	6,373,032	7,166,303	8,209,361
March ..	5,838,231	6,817,153	7,737,585	8,635,906
April ..	5,517,872	6,722,770	7,710,087	8,088,372
May ..	5,841,141	7,107,238	8,440,781	7,766,440
June ..	6,295,851	6,736,841	7,692,952	7,805,669
July ..	6,524,342	7,119,369	8,323,151	
August ..	5,933,850	6,806,823	7,499,727	
September ..	6,493,993	6,746,725	8,205,309	
Total ..	70,619,061	79,270,117	93,720,169	

General Treasury,
Colombo, September 18, 1924.

W. W. Woods,
Colonial Treasurer.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of about 700 crossing timbers and 150,000 broad gauge and 10,000 narrow gauge sleepers for the Ceylon Government Railway in lots, for immediate delivery, in numbers as shown in paragraph 22 and in accordance with the under-mentioned specification and conditions. Rates may be quoted for the whole supply if desired.

2. (a) The broad gauge sleepers for the 5 ft. 6 in. gauge are to be 9 ft. long, 10 in. wide, and 5 in. deep, subject to a variation in length of 1 in. either way, and the narrow gauge sleepers for the 2 ft. 6 in. gauge are to be 5 ft. long, 9 in. wide, and 4½ in. deep, subject to a similar variation.

The crossing timbers are to be 12 in. wide and 5 in. deep and of the lengths given below, subject to a similar variation of 1 in. either way.

150 of 12 feet.	150 of 15 feet.
150 of 13 feet.	100 of 16 feet.
150 of 14 feet.	

(b) All crossing timbers and all sleepers shall be cut from well matured trees of the true species of timber named in paragraph 22 felled in the proper season when the sap is not in circulation.

(c) All crossing timbers and sleepers may be sawn or hewn, and shall be good sound strong timber free from heartwood and sapwood, dryrot, and knot holes, shall be cut square and out of winding and straight, except that hewn sleepers may have camber to the extent of half an inch. They shall not be cut on full quarter and shall be cut with an allowance of ¼ in. in width and ⅜ in. in thickness to allow for shrinkage, and no further allowance shall be made, but will allow slight variation in cutting sound gum veins, gum pockets up to 6 in. by ¾ in., surface sun shakes; end shakes up to 6 in., a few pin holes, but not in groups; sap or wane not to exceed 2 in. on either face and not to come under rail seat; also sound and firm knots up to 2 in. in diameter.

3. The total consignment must be delivered at Colombo as early as possible, and tenderers must specify in the tenders the dates on which deliveries will be begun and completed. Should a contractor fail to complete delivery by the specified date, he shall be liable to a deduction as damages of 10 per cent, on the value of the sleepers and crossing timbers not then delivered.

4. Should the contractor at any time during the execution of the contract find that he will be unable to deliver the crossing timbers or sleepers or any portion of them within the period named, he shall at once give notice accordingly to the General Manager of the Railway.

5. The crossing timbers and sleepers shall be subject to inspection as stipulated in paragraph 25, and any sleepers or crossing timbers rejected at such inspection will not be accepted by the Ceylon Government.

6. If any difference or dispute shall arise between the parties of this contract as to the true intent and meaning of any of the conditions herein contained, or to any matter in dispute arising out of this contract, such difference or dispute shall be referred to a Board of Arbitration, of which each party shall appoint one arbitrator, and the two arbitrators so appointed shall, before proceeding with the reference, appoint an umpire. The award of the arbitrators and umpire, or of the majority of them, shall be conclusive and binding on both parties hereto.

7. The suppliers shall inform the General Manager by telegraph immediately the steamers commence to load, stating the probable date of sailing and shall again telegraph immediately the vessel has sailed. As each consignment is shipped the contractor must send direct to the General Manager in care of the master of the vessel conveying the sleepers or crossing timbers—

- 1 bill of lading (stamped).
- 1 copy of invoice.
- 1 copy of charter party (if any).
- 1 copy of insurance policy.

8. The contractors shall take all risk of accident or damage to the crossing timbers and sleepers from whatever cause arising, and shall insure them against all marine risks from shore to shore with a first class Insurance Company or Companies whose names have been approved by the Government of Ceylon.

9. All tenders should be in duplicate, and must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract. The documents must be sealed under one cover marked "Tender for Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and must be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

10. Tenders should be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or sent through the post so as to reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than noon on Tuesday, December 16, 1924.

11. Tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager, 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.

12. 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 Bank in Colombo, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued.

13. 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.

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

15. 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.

16. Applicants must satisfy the General Manager 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, and in the case of tenderers who are not resident in the Colony by a duly constituted agent specially empowered in that behalf.

17. Tenders from tenderers not resident in the Colony will not receive consideration, unless submitted by 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.

18. Should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing 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 Ceylon Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

19. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,000 in cash or fixed deposit for every 20,000 sleepers and crossing timbers or lesser number contracted for.

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

21. The Ceylon Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender. If any special conditions attach to the acceptance of part of a tender or of lots in other numbers than those specified they must be clearly laid down in the tender.

22. Tenders will be considered for the following species of timber for sleepers :—

(a) For the whole supply from jarrah (*Eucalyptus marginata*), ironbark (*Eucalyptus crebra* or *siderophloia*), *Powellized* Karri (*Eucalyptus diversicolor*), blackbutt (*Eucalyptus pilularis*), *Burmese* pyingado (*Xylai dolabriformis*) or *Java* or *Burma* teak (*Tectona grandis*).

(b) For lots of 5,000 from Western Australia, Karri (*Eucalyptus diversicolor*); Tasmania, Celery top pine (*Phyllocladus rhomboidalis*); New South Wales, Grey box (*Eucalyptus hemiphloia*), Turpentine (*Syncarpia laurifolia*); Queensland, Grey gum (*Eucalyptus propinqua*); India, Sal (*Shorea robusta*), Irul (*Xylia dolabriformis*), Asna, Taukkyan, Thambavu or Walnut (*Terminalia tomentosa*); India-Byna Mangal (*Messua ferrea*), Federated Malay States, Chenghai (*Balano-carpus maximus*), Creosoted Oregon pine; Siam, Mai Teng Rang or Thitya (*Shorea obtusa*).

The narrow gauge sleepers and crossing timbers are to be jarrah.

23. Tenders must state the country or State in which the timber for the sleepers and crossing timbers to be supplied was grown, and must give the correct botanical

name of the timber. No tender will be considered which does not give this information.

24. Tenders should state the number of each species they are prepared to supply, and if more than one kind is offered in any tender, the rate for each kind should be specified, with the minimum and maximum number of a kind that can be supplied. Tenders must also state whether sleepers are sawn or hewn.

25. In cases of Australian woods all sleepers and crossing timbers must be passed before shipment by the Government Inspector of the State from which the timber is obtained.

Arrangements will be made for a preliminary inspection before shipment of sleepers from India (including Burma), or the Straits Settlements. In the case of sleepers from other countries delivery will be accepted in Colombo, subject to the sleepers being strictly in accordance with the specification.

26. In case of failure to comply with the specification, the General Manager may deduct such sum from the payment as he may consider justifiable, by reason of the inferior quality of sleepers and crossing timbers supplied, whether the same shall have been previously inspected or passed as provided in the last preceding clause or not. Any dispute as to the amount so deducted shall be referred to a Board of Arbitrators, of which each party shall appoint one arbitrator, and the two arbitrators so appointed shall, before proceeding with the reference, appoint an umpire. The award of the arbitrators or umpire, or a majority of them, shall be conclusive and binding on both parties hereto.

27. The price quoted in the tender is to include all costs, till delivered in ship's slings at vessel's side in Colombo harbour, and sleepers and crossing timbers to be at risk of contractors till so delivered.

Freight must be provided by the contractor.

28. Payment will be made to the contractors by the Treasurer for each separate shipment on delivery of the sleepers, and crossing timbers, subject to such deductions as may be made under clause 26.

29. The contractor shall not assign or transfer the contract without the permission of the General Manager of the Railway.

30. Delivery shall not be made in lots of less than 1,000 sleepers and may commence from date of acceptance of tender.

31. If any contractor fails to supply the sleepers or crossing timbers or any of them in accordance with his contract, or commits a breach of any of the covenants of the contract, the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty, by notice in writing to forthwith determine the contract; and thereupon the contractor will be liable to pay the excess cost of purchasing crossing timbers or sleepers elsewhere at such price as the General Manager of the Railway shall deem fit to the quantity which he contracted to supply, and shall, in addition, be liable to forfeit the security mentioned in paragraph 19.

Note.—The Crown Agents for the Colonies in London are also being asked to obtain tenders for the supply of Australian sleepers.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, September 16, 1924.

T. E. DUTTON,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from the date of the acceptance of the tender 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 October 7, 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 deposit 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. THORNTON,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer, and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, September 24, 1924.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Services.	Tender Deposit. Rs.	Security. Rs.
Supply of cooked provisions without milk—		
Pimbure	200	400

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the materials as far as floor level resulting from the demolition of Old Medical Officers' Quarters, Mahamadara Hospital, Galle.

2. The accepted tenderer will be required to demolish the building and remove the materials on or before October 31, 1924.

3. Tenders must be on forms to be obtained free of cost from the District Engineer, Galle, and are to be submitted in duplicate duly signed and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Galle, endorsed on the outside "Purchase of Materials, Old Medical Officers' Quarters, Galle," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on Friday, October 3, 1924.

4. The accepted tenderer will be required to deposit the amount of his tender with the District Engineer, Galle, on or before Tuesday, October 7, 1924, and to sign an agreement to carry out the above work within the above stated period.

5. The accepted tenderer must deposit a further sum of Rs. 200 as security for the due and faithful performance of the agreement, copy of which may be seen at the office of the District Engineer, Galle, from which full particulars may be obtained.

6. Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

Public Works Office, E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,
Colombo, September 23, 1924. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the extension of Menikdiwala School in Yatinuwara, Kandy District, Central Province.

2. Tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, District Schools Committee, Kachcheri, Kandy, and should reach the Kachcheri on or before 12 noon, on Tuesday, October 7, 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,
September 23, 1924.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

SEPARATE tenders are hereby invited for the erection of two permanent drying sheds at Norwood and Bogawantalawa in Kandy District.

2. Tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy District, and should reach the Kandy Kachcheri not later than midday on October 6, 1924, the left hand top corner of the envelope must be marked "Tender for Norwood (or Bogawantalawa) Drying Shed" as the case may be.

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

4. A deposit of Rs. 10 must be made at the Kachcheri before a tender form is issued. Should any person whose tender is accepted decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security within seven days of receiving notice in writing from the Chairman, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned to the tenderers.

5. The Chairman does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, but reserves to himself the right of accepting any tender.

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

The Kachcheri,
Kandy, September 17, 1924.

CARL E. ARNDT,
for Chairman.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned articles belonging to the Excise Office will be sold by public auction at the Excise Office, Arcade buildings, Fort, Colombo, at 2 P.M., on Monday, September 29, 1924:—

3 buckets	2 pigeon-hole desks	3 shirts	29 helmets
4 fire buckets	1 round table	4 shorts	6 caps
3 armchairs	9 tunics	9 putties	2 tunics
6 common chairs	5 trousers	12 rain coats	1 coir matting

Excise Office,
Colombo, September 25, 1924.

E. RODRIGO,
for Excise Commissioner.

THE following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction on Saturday, September 27, 1924, at 2 P.M., at the P. C. M. O.'s Office.

1 date box	1 saw, hand	2 benches
2 watering cans	1 spade	3 common chairs } Lumber
1 waterproof cape	2 bee clocks	1 ladder
1 mammoty	4 yards oil cloth	

P. C. M. O.'s Office,
Colombo, September 13, 1924.

W. C. HOWARD TRIPP,
for Principal Civil Medical Officer, and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended September 20, 1924.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 149 (1 European, 14 Burghers, 86 Sinhalese, 13 Tamils, 28 Moors, 5 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1924, viz., 253,224) was 30·8, as against 27·5 in the preceding week, 22·7 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28·3 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 121 (4 Burghers, 76 Sinhalese, 13 Tamils, 25 Moors, 2 Malays, and 1 Other.) The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 25·0, as against 26·6 in the previous week, 34·1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 35·6 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 121 total deaths, 28 were of infants under one year of age, as against 30 in the preceding week, 37 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 3.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. Fourteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 3 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in St. Paul's, San Sebastian, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, and Maradana North, same as in the previous week, and against 15 the weekly average for last year.

2. (a) Eleven deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 3 in Slave Island, and 1 each in St. Paul's and Wellawatta South, as against 15 in the previous week, and 24 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Three deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered 2 in Kotahena South, and 1 in Pettah, same as in the previous week, and against 4 the weekly average for last year.

(c) One death from *Influenza* was registered in Pettah, as against 3 in the previous week, and 6 the weekly average for last year.

3. Two deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered in Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), as against 5 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

4. Twelve deaths were registered from *Enteritis*, 9 from *Debility*, 7 from *Dysentery*, 6 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 3 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Worms*, and 50 from *Other Causes*.

5. Fourteen cases of *Measles*, 11 of *Chickenpox*, 5 of *Enteric Fever*, and 1 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 12, 13, 6, and nil, respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 81·6°, against 81·9° in the preceding week, and 80·4° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·864 in., against 29·886 in. in the preceding week and 29·875 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·28 in., against 0·21 in the preceding week and 2·81 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, September 23, 1924.

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

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE PANMURE TEA COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

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

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Four hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 400,000), divided into Forty thousand (40,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
A. A. BOWIE, Great Western, Talawakele	One
H. A. GRIGG, Portmore, Agrapatnas	One
W. B. BARTLET, Cranley, Lindula	One
R. WILKINS, Monte Cristo, Nawalapitiya	One
R. J. DRUMMOND, Great Western, Talawakele	One
A. R. ATKEN, Bank House, Hatton	One
Witness to the above six signatures at Hatton, this Third day of September, 1924 :	
T. C. VAN ROOYEN, Proctor, Supreme Court, Hatton.	
WILLIAM J. R. HAMILTON, Ythanside, Kotagala	One
Total Shares taken	Seven

Witness to the signature of William J. R. Hamilton at Hatton, this Fifth day of September, 1924 :

T. C. VAN ROOYEN,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Hatton.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE PANMURE TEA COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

The Company may, by special resolution, alter and make provisions instead of, or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company, whether contained and comprised in these Articles or not.

INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

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

The word "Company" means "The Panmure Tea Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

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

BUSINESS.

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

3. The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents.

CAPITAL.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Four hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 400,000), divided into 4,000 shares of One hundred Rupees (Rs. 100) each.

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

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

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

SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CALLS.

22. The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the Shareholders in respect of all moneys unpaid on their shares, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times, provided that three months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made to the persons and at the time and place appointed by the Directors.

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

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

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

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

27. (1) Subject to the provisions of sub-clauses (5), (7), or (8) of this Article, no shares shall be transferred to a person who is not a Shareholder so long as any Shareholder is willing to purchase the same as hereinafter provided.

(2) (a) Except where the transfer is made pursuant to sub-clauses (5), (7), or (8) of this Article, the person proposing to transfer any share (hereinafter called "the proposing transferor") shall give notice in writing (hereinafter called "the transfer notice") to the Company that he desires to transfer such share. The transfer notice shall specify the sum he fixes as the price of the share (hereinafter called "the proposing transferor's price"), which price must be approved by the Directors as not being prohibitive or excessive, and shall constitute the Company his agent for the sale of the share to any Shareholder of the Company at such price. The transfer notice may include several shares, and in such case shall operate as if it were a separate notice in respect of each, and shall specify the denoting number of each share which the proposing transferor desires to sell. A transfer notice shall not be revocable except with the sanction of the Directors.

(b) If the Directors do not approve of the proposing transferor's price and consider the same prohibitive or excessive, the question shall be referred to the Company's Auditors for their decision, and the valuation of the shares as fixed by the Auditors shall be binding on all parties, and such valuation shall be immediately inserted in the transfer notice as the proposing transferor's price.

(3) If the Company shall, within the space of ninety days after being served with such notice, find a Shareholder willing to purchase the share at the proposing transferor's price (hereinafter called "the purchasing shareholder") and give notice thereof to the proposing transferor, the latter shall be bound, upon payment of the said price, to transfer the share to the purchasing Shareholder.

(4) If in any case the proposing transferor, after having become bound as aforesaid, makes default in transferring any share, the Company may receive the purchase money, and shall thereupon cause the name of the purchasing Shareholder to be entered in the register as the holder of that share, and shall hold the purchase money in trust for the proposing

transferor. The receipt of the Company for the purchase money shall be a good discharge to the purchasing Shareholder, and after his name has been entered in the register in purported exercise of the aforesaid power, the validity of the proceedings shall not be questioned by any person.

(5) If the Company shall not within the space of ninety days after being served with the transfer notice find a Shareholder willing to purchase all or any of the shares comprised therein, and give notice in manner aforesaid, the proposing transferor shall at any time within three calendar months after the expiration of the said period of ninety days be at liberty, subject to Article 30, to sell and transfer the said shares, or such of them as have not been sold to a purchasing Shareholder, to any person, but at a price not less than that specified by him in his transfer notice, or the price fixed by the Company's Auditors, as the case may be.

(6) The Company in General Meeting may make, and from time to time vary, rules as to the mode in which any shares specified in any transfer notice shall be offered to the Shareholders, and as to their rights in regard to the purchase thereof, and in particular may give any Shareholder, or class of Shareholders, a preferential right to purchase the same. Until otherwise determined, every such share or shares will be offered to the Shareholders as far as practicable in proportion to the shares held by them, and in case where this is not possible such share or shares will be offered to the Shareholders by lots drawn in regard thereto as the Directors shall think fit.

(7) Any share may be transferred by a Shareholder to any child or other issue, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, wife, or husband of a Shareholder, and any share of a deceased Shareholder may be transferred by his executors or administrators to any trustees under the will of any such deceased Shareholder, or to any child or other issue, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, widow, or widower of such deceased Shareholder, to whom such deceased Shareholder may have specifically bequeathed the same, or who may be entitled to the residuary estate of such deceased Shareholder or any part or share of such residuary estate, and shares standing in the name of the trustees of the will of any deceased Shareholder may be transferred to any beneficiary as aforesaid under the will, or, upon any change of trustees, to the trustees for the time being of such will, and the restrictions in sub-clause (1) of this Article contained shall not apply to any transfer authorized by this sub-clause.

(8) A Shareholder may, with the consent of the Directors, transfer any shares, the total nominal value of which shall not exceed One thousand rupees (Rs. 1,000), to a person who is not a Shareholder for the purpose of enabling such person to qualify as a Director, or for any purpose connected with the conduct and management of the Company's business, or for such other purposes as the Directors may in their absolute discretion think proper. Any transfer to a person who is not a Shareholder made under this Article otherwise than for the purposes herein specifically mentioned shall be absolutely null and void.

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

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

30. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise; or in case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved of by them, but the latter restriction shall not apply where the proposed transferee is already a Shareholder nor to a transfer made pursuant to Article 27 (7) hereof. In no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declination shall be absolute.

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

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

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

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

35. The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder (other than one of several joint Shareholders) shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares of such Shareholder.

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

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

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

BORROWING POWERS.

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

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

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

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

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

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

73. Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as soon as practicable by the Chairman of the same meeting, or by the Chairman of the succeeding meeting, and the same when so entered and signed shall be evidence of all such proceedings and of the proper election of the Chairman.

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

74. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some Shareholder, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, present and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution. The power of demanding a poll conferred by this clause may be exercised by the proxy or attorney of any Shareholder duly appointed in that behalf.

75. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present, his proxy or attorney, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, their proxies or attorneys at the meeting and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and place and in such manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter

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

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

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

78. On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote. Where a Shareholder is present by an attorney who is not a Shareholder, such attorney shall be entitled to vote for such Shareholder on a show of hands. In case of a poll every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

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

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

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

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

83. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written, and shall be signed by the appointor (whether a Shareholder or his attorney), or if such appointor be a company or corporation it shall be under the common seal of such company or corporation.

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

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

The Panmure Tea Company, Limited.

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

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

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

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

DIRECTORS.

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

88. The qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right at least one hundred fully or partly paid shares in the Company upon which all calls for the time being have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors.

89. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding One thousand Five hundred rupees annually to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration granted for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company. The Directors may repay to any Director all reasonable travelling and hotel expenses incurred by him in or about the *bona fide* performance of his duties as a Director including all reasonable travelling expenses to and (or) from Board meetings.

90. The first Directors shall be Martin Lewis Wilkins of Hatton, Andrew Annandale Bowie of Talawakele, and Hubert Arthur Grigg of Portmore, Agrapatna. The first Directors shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company when they shall retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

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

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

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

92. At the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office, and at the First Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 93.

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

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

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

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

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

98. A General Meeting may from time to time increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also determine in what rotation such increase or reduced number is to go out of office.

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

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

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

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

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

104. The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary of the Company.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he resigns his office under the provisions of clause 100.
- (f) If he ceases to ordinarily reside in Ceylon or is absent from Ceylon for a period of three consecutive months.

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

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

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

106. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors subject to the provisions of Article No. 124 for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

107. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and, in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such period or periods and with such remuneration and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable and without assigning any cause for so doing.

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

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

109. The Directors shall have power to appoint a proctor or proctors, solicitor or solicitors, attorney or attorneys to assist in carrying on or protecting the business of the Company on such terms as they may consider proper, and from time to time to revoke such appointment.

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

111. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director, and the Secretary or Secretaries, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Secretaries, in the event of a firm or registered company being the Secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, director, secretary, attorney, or agent of the said firm or company signing for and on behalf of the said firm or company as such Secretaries.

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

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

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the awards.
- (c) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, inspector, or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not to be immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (f) To delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon, or elsewhere, all or any of the powers or functions given to or exercisable by the Directors; and to confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions as the Directors may think expedient, and to confer such powers either collaterally with or to the exclusion of, and in substitution for, all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf, and from time to time to revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any of such powers. The Directors may allow to any person or company to whom any powers may be so delegated such remuneration as they in their absolute discretion shall think fit.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

AGENTS AND SECRETARIES.

124. Andrew Annandale Bowie of Great Western, Talawakele, shall be the first Agent and Secretary of the Company.

ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

128. The statement so made shall show, arranged under the most convenient heads, the amount of gross income, distinguishing the several sources from which it has been derived and the amount of gross expenditure, distinguishing the expense of the establishment, salaries, and other heads of expenditure. Every item of expenditure fairly chargeable against the year's income shall be brought into account, so that a just balance of profit and loss may be laid before the meeting, and in cases where any item of expenditure which may in fairness be distributed over several years has been incurred in any one year, the whole amount of such item shall be stated, with the addition of the reasons why only a portion of such expenditure is charged against the income of the year.

129. The balance sheet shall contain a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company, arranged under the heads appearing in the form annexed to the table referred to in Schedule C to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," or as near thereto as circumstances admit.

130. Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company, and as to the amount which the Directors recommended should be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

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

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

AUDIT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

EVIDENCE.

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

PROVISION RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

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

159. If the Company shall be wound up whether voluntarily or otherwise, the liquidator or liquidators may with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator or liquidators with the like sanction shall think fit, and if thought expedient any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the members of the Company, and in particular any class may be given preferential or special rights or may be excluded altogether or in part, and the liquidator or liquidators shall be entitled to sell all or any of the assets of the Company in consideration of or in exchange for shares, ordinary, fully paid, part paid, or preference in the purchasing company, but in case any division otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories shall be determined on or any sale made of any or all of the assets of the Company in exchange for shares in the purchasing company either ordinary, fully paid, or part paid, or preference, any contributory who would be prejudiced thereby, shall have a right to dissent as if such determination were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908 in England, but for the purposes of an arbitration as in the sub-section (6) of the said section provided the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, and of the Ceylon Ordinance, No. 2 of 1889, shall apply in place of the English and Scotch Acts referred to in the said sub-section (6) of section 192 of the aforesaid Companies (Consolidation) Act, and the said section 192, save as herein excepted, shall be deemed to be part and parcel of these present Articles.

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

A. A. BOWIE, Great Western, Talawakele.

H. A. GRIGG, Portmore, Agrapatnas.

W. B. BARTLET, Cranley, Lindula.

R. WILKINS, Monte Cristo, Nawalapitiya.

R. J. DRUMMOND, Great Western, Talawakele.

A. R. AITKEN, Bank House, Hatton.

Witness to the above six signatures at Hatton, this Third day of September, 1924:

T. C. VAN ROOYEN,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Hatton.

WILLIAM J. R. HAMILTON, Ythanside, Kotagala.

Witness:

T. C. VAN ROOYEN,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Hatton.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, D. C. Colombo, No. 13,407.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me by the District Court of Colombo in the above case for the recovery of the amount entered of record, I shall sell by public auction on Wednesday, October 22, 1924, at the spot at 4.30 P.M., viz.:

All that house and ground called Gorakagahawatta bearing assessment No. 124, situated at Dematagoda; containing in extent 22 94/100 perches.

Further particulars from Fritz Mack, Esq., Proctor and Notary.

22, Baillie street.
Phone: 576.

L. A. WICKREMESINGHE,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Negombo.

S. N. S. P. Suppramaniam Chetty of Negombo. Plaintiff.
No. 15,118. Vs.

Cornelis Peter Gunaratna of Kudawila in Chilaw District. Defendant.
Alexander Peter Gunaratna, Police Headman of Kudawila, administrator of the estate of the deceased defendant. Substituted Defendant.

UNDER decree in the above case and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 500, with interest thereon at 18 per cent. per annum from March 6, 1924, till July 9, 1924, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs (due in respect of mortgage bond No. 33,091 dated March 6, 1914, attested by N. J. C. Wijesekara, Notary Public), I shall sell by public auction on Monday, October 13, 1924, the following properties at the respective spots, as follows:—

Commencing at 1.30 P.M.

1. An undivided 1/6 share of the land called Delgahahena, situate at Singakuliya in Otara palata of Pitigal korale in Chilaw District, North-Western Province; containing in extent 7 acres 1 rood and 8 perches, together with all the buildings and plantations thereon.

2. The undivided 1/6 share of the land called Delgahahena, situated at Singakuliya aforesaid; containing in extent 10 acres 2 roods and 7 perches, together with the buildings standing thereon.

3. The undivided 1/6 share of the land called Kohombagahawita at Kudawila in Otara palata aforesaid; containing in extent 4 acres 1 rood and 7 perches, together with the buildings standing thereon.

4. The undivided 1/6 share of the portion of land called Morakele and Delgahahena, situated at Kudawila and Dickwela in the district aforesaid; containing in extent 9 acres 2 roods and 27 perches, together with the buildings standing thereon.

5. The undivided 1/6 share of the land called Delgahahena, situated at Singakuliya aforesaid; containing in extent 8 acres and 1 rood, together with the buildings thereon.

6. An undivided 1/6 share of the undivided 1/3 share of Ambagahakotukumbura and the pillewa thereof, situated at Kudawila aforesaid; containing in extent of the field 2 bushels of paddy sowing ground and about 2 pecks of paddy sowing in pillewa ground.

7. The undivided 1/6 share of an undivided 2/3 share of Kosgaha-otukumbura and its pillewa ground, situated at Kudawila aforesaid; containing in extent 4 parras of paddy sowing ground in the field and about 4 measures of kurakkan sowing ground in pillewa.

8. The undivided 1/6 share of the undivided 1/3 share of the land called Dangasdeniyahena, situated at Kudawila; containing in extent about 2 acres and 2 roods, together with the buildings thereon.

The 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th lands as primary mortgage, and the 3rd land as secondary mortgage. For further particulars apply to—

K. H. PERERA,
Negombo, September 15, 1924. Licensed Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under the Partition Ordinance.

BY virtue of commission issued to me in partition case No. 20,969, D. C., Galle, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, October 21, 1924, commencing at 2 P.M. at the spot—

All that land called Mattalakumbura, situate at Ahangama in the Talpe pattu, Galle; bounded on the north by Egodawatta, north-east by Maddomageudamulla, east by Ampitiyewatta, south by Mahakumbura, west by Kowilawatta alias Yadessawatta, and on the north-west by Talgahamulla alias Welmulekumbura; containing in extent 1 acre and 2 roods as per plan No. 288 made by Mr. H. B. Goonewardene, Surveyor, Galle.

The said property will be sold firstly among co-owners thereof from the appraised value, and, if not purchased by any one of them, the same will be sold immediately afterwards among the public.

For further particulars please apply to A. J. Pandita, Goonewardena, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, or to me—

K. JOHN GABRIEL,
Commissioner.

Galle, September 5, 1924.

Auction Sale.

UNDER instructions received from C. W. Goonewardena, Esq., Secretary of the District Court of Galle, and provisional assignee of the insolvent estate of Udokomborege Jariis Appu of Ahangama, No. 529 of the D. C., Galle, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, September 29, 1924, the following movable property in the shop of the said insolvent at Ahangama, commencing at 1 P.M. at the said shop, to wit:—

(1) 5 yards flannel cloth, (2) 2 1/2 yards Cannanore cloth, (3) 4 yards ditto, (4) 8 small ordinary camboys, (5) 1 big sarong, (6) 7 yards coloured flowers brilliant, (7) 16 yards ditto, (8) 8 yards ditto, (9) 5 sarongs, (10) 3 sarongs, (11) 3 small sarongs, (12) 2 blankets, (13) 1 1/2 dozen banians, (14) 1/2 dozen small banians, (15) 6 ordinary sarongs, (16) 1 ditto, (17) 1 ditto, (18) 8 ditto, (19) 4 reels of Cannanore cloth, (20) 10 yards brilliant cloth, (21) 4 yards silk oil cloth, (22) 1 yard satin cloth, (23) 2 blanket sheets, (24) 4 yards brilliant cloth, (25) 6 yards linen cloth, (26) 5 pairs dress (brides), (27) 5 pairs shoes, (28) 2 reams carol paper, (29) 2 dozens of Wesak lamps, (30) Wesak cards, (31) 2 yards single satin cloth, (32) 2 pairs of handkerchiefs, (33) 2 dozens picture papers, (34) 3 small camboys, (35) 12 yards crepe cloth, (36) 1/2 dozen banians, (37) 4 pieces Madappalam chintz, (38) 1 small coat, (39) 2 woollen shawls, (40) 200 bracket lamps, (41) 1 1/2 lb. threads, (42) 4 rolls chintz, (43) 6 sheets of paper glass, (44) 2 packets starch, (45) 40 foolscap sheet, (46) 3 ordinary infants' caps, (47) 1 bottle sanatozen, (48) 5 bells, (49) 6 pass books, (50) 2 dozen collars, (51) 1/2 dozen fans, (52) 12 bottles ointment, (53) 1 dozen braces, (54) 2 empty bottles, (55) 2 lamps, (56) 1 measuring tape, (57) 2 pairs flower trees, (58) 9 feet 4 almirahs, (59) 4 show cases, (60) wide counters, (61) 2 chairs, (62) 2 empty wooden boxes, (63) plumbago lying in the shed, 2 heaps, about 100 tons (dust), (64) 10 cwt. plumbago, (65) promissory note by Ampawila Enderage Malis Appu of Ahangama for Rs. 500 in favour of insolvent, (66) promissory note by A. W. Singho Appu of Ahangama for Rs. 600 in favour of the insolvent, (67) promissory note by Pelene Vidane Araccige John of Ahangama for Rs. 350 in favour of ditto, (68) promissory note by Uyanage Nonis Silva of Kataluwa for Rs. 224-21 in favour of ditto.

On Friday, October 10, 1924, commencing at 3 P.M. at the spot, the following immovable property, to wit:—

(69) The entirety of the field called Midigaspekumbura, situate at Howpe in Talpe pattu.

On Friday, October 10, 1924, commencing at 10 A.M. at the spot—

(70) An undivided 1/2 part of a defined lot of the land called Dikkomboregewatta, situate at Hatuwapiyadigama; the above immovable property will be sold subject to the mortgage.

For further particulars please apply to C. W. Goonewardena, Esq., Secretary of the District Court, Galle, or to me, or to H. Dias, Esq., insolvent's Proctor.

K. JOHN GABRIEL,
Commissioner.

Galle, September 17, 1924.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Matara.

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Aduaratchige Don Bastian Appubamy of Wal-
gama Plaintiff.

No. 1,171. Vs.

Tedias Ferdinandis Abeywardana Wickremasingha,
Vidane Aratchi of Aturaliya Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case and the commission 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 Saturday, October 25, 1924, commencing at 10 A.M., at the office of Messrs. G. E. & G. P. Keuneman, Proctors, Supreme Court, Matara, to wit:—

All the fruit trees and soil of the combined land comprising of Kajjugahadeniyehena *alias* Berawagodamullehena and Berawagodamullewita; containing in extent 44 acres 3 roods and 38 perches, situate at Karagodauyagoda in Gangaboda pattu of Matara District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by a footpath, land appearing in plan No. 163,969 and land claimed by natives, east by land claimed by natives, lands appearing in plans Nos. 137,351 and 227,278, lots B 22, S 22, and 256 appearing in preliminary plan No. 1,512, and a footpath, south by footpaths, water-courses, and land claimed by natives, and west by lands appearing in plans Nos. 219,448 and 219,357, land claimed by natives, lot S 24 appearing in preliminary plan 1,512, and lot S 101 appearing in preliminary plan No. 1,710.

The purchaser shall immediately after the sale pay one-fourth of the purchase amount and all the expenses of sale in cash.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. G. E. & G. P. Keuneman, Proctors, Supreme Court, Matara, or to me—

A. P. KARUNARATNA,
Matara, September 22, 1924. Commissioner.

Auction Sale.*Lands at Copay South in the District of Jaffna.*

UNDER decree in case No. 18,909, D. C., Jaffna, entered in favour of the plaintiff Chinnappa Kandiah of Copay South against the defendants Sinnakkuddy Chinnappa and three others of Copay South, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall put up for sale by public auction at the respective spots commencing at 4 P.M. on Saturday, October 18, 1924, the following properties:—

(1) Land situated at Copay South called Kalampirayan and Neelanpulam in extent 8½ lachams varagu culture, with share of the well lying herein and cultivated plantations; and bounded on the east by the property of Kulanthai, wife of Sinnatamby and Kanthar Thambipillai, north by the property of Periyathamby Sinnakkuddy and wife Varathaipillai, west by the property of Sinnakkuddy Chellappa, and on the south by the property of Sinnakkuddy Sinnappu and Valliammai, wife of Sinnappah.

(2) Land situated at ditto called Kalampirayan and Neelanpulam in extent 10 lachams varagu culture; and bounded on the east by the property of Valliammai, wife of Sinnappa, north by the above-mentioned land, west by the property of Theivanai, wife of Mylvaganam, and on the south by the property of the heirs of Sivakamy, wife of Chimmiah. The whole whereof with share of water of the aforesaid well lying in the 1st land and the right of using the way and water-course.

(3) Land situated at ditto called Kalampirayan and Neelanpulam, in extent 15 lachams varagu culture; and bounded on the east by the above-mentioned 1st land, north by the property of Sinnakkuddy and wife Varathaipillai, west by the property of Tangam, widow of Vairakiam, and shareholders, and on the south by the property of Theivanai, wife of Mylvaganam. The whole whereof with share of water of the aforesaid well lying in the 1st land and the right of using the way and water-course.

(4) Land situated at ditto called Vanikkapothirayan, in extent 10 lachams varagu culture, with houses, cultivated

plantations, palmyras and young palmyras; and bounded on the east by the property of Kathiravelu Sinnappu and shareholders and front of lane, north by the property of Kanthar Murugar and Valliammai, wife of Sinnappa, west by the property of Samuel Asirvatham, and on the south by the property of Kasinathar Ponniah and shareholders. Out of the whole hereof an undivided ½ share, with share of water of the well lying in the eastern boundary land and the right of using the way and water-course.

District Court, K. SIVAPRAGASAM,
Jaffna, September 19, 1924. Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in D. C. Trincomalee, case No. 1,043, Kanagasabai Muttukumar of No. 8 Division, Trincomalee, vs. (1) Pandaram Konamalai and (2) wife Nallamma of No. 10 Division, Trincomalee, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, October 11, 1924, at 4 P.M., at the spot, subject to conditions which will be read out at the sale, the following property:—

All that allotment of land bearing assessment No. 77, situated at Division No. 10, Trincomalee with a tiled house, well, and other appurtenances belonging thereto; bounded on the north-east by the land of Kathiran Sinnan, on the south-east by the land of Raja Alim Pookaya, on the south-west by the land of Eemamsaib Abdul Rasool, and on the north-west by lane. Extent 7 20/100 perches.

THOS. R. KANAKASUNDRA,
September 20, 1924. Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Trincomalee.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Ramu Sanmugam of Division No. 1,
No. 66. Trincomalee.

Paththiniamma widow of the late Ramu Sanmugam of
Division No. 1, Trincomalee Administratrix.

(1) Sinnatamby Vallipuram of Division No. 1, Trincomalee; (2) Sinnatamby Veluppillai of Karaveddi West, Jaffna; (3) Alvapillai Chelliah of Karaveddi West, Jaffna; (4) Alvapillai Sinnatamby of Division No. 1, Trincomalee; (5) Alvapillai Paththinipillai of Karaveddi West, Jaffna; (6) Alvapillai Veeragathy of Division No. 1, Trincomalee; (7) Sivagaman, widow of Kathiraman of Division No. 1, Trincomalee. Respondents.

UNDER and by virtue of an order entered in D. C., Trincomalee, testamentary case No. 66, on September 18, 1924, and a commission issued to me thereunder on September 19, 1924, I shall put up for sale by public auction at the spot on Saturday, October 25, 1924, commencing at 4 P.M., the following property, subject to conditions which will be read out at the sale:—

Property referred to.

All that allotment of land situated in Division No. 2, Trincomalee, with a tiled house of 3 rooms, outhouses, &c., with a share in the well in the adjoining land, well, &c.; bounded on the north-east by lane, on the south-east by land belonging to the heirs of the late Susana, and on the north-west and south-west by roads; containing in extent 37 89/100 square perches.

M. SUBRAMANIAM,
Trincomalee, September 20, 1924. Commissioner.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, CHARLES LAWRENCE DE FONSEKA of Panadure, hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to their Lordships the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Hon. the Supreme Court of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

September 16, 1924.

CHAS. L. DE FONSEKA.

APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENSES, &c.

I hereby give notice that I have on September 8, 1924, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, Colombo, for the license shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1925, in compliance with Extra Notification No. 75 of June 15, 1918 :—

Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant : R. E. Fernando, No. 28, Kayman's Gate.

Description of license or licenses applied for : Wholesale and retail off.

State whether application is for renewal of existing license or licenses or for a new license or licenses : Renewal.

Situation of premises to be licensed : Nos. 4, 5, 9, Main street or 12, 15, Kayman's Gate.

RAN E. FERNANDO.

I hereby give notice that I have on September 22, 1924, applied to the Assistant Government Agent, Southern Province, Matara, for the license shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1925 :—

Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant : K. C. A. de Silva, the City Stores, Main street, Matara.

Description of license applied for : Sale of medicinal wines and patent medicines, wholesale and retail.

State whether application is for renewal of existing license or licenses or for a new license or licenses : Renewal of existing license.

Situation of premises to be licensed : No. 1,324, Main street, Matara.

HERBERT A. JANSZ,
for K. C. A. DE SILVA.

SPECIFICATIONS UNDER "THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE."

SPECIFICATION.—Irrigation Works, Northern Province.

SUPPLEMENTARY specification showing lands found to be capable of irrigation by Iratperiyakulam Tank, in addition to the specification which appears in *Government Gazette* No. 7,389 of April 25, 1924, the names of proprietors and the contributions payable in respect of each land.

Lands paying a Rate of Re. 1 per Acre per Annum, subject to Revision at any Time.

Preliminary plan 5,828. Date of Sale : December 18, 1923.

No.	No. of Lot or Survey Reference.	Name of Allotment of Land or Field.	Name of Owner.	Extent.	Amount sold for.		Amount paid to Date.		Amount due.		Area exempted.	Amount exempted.		No. and Date of Colonial Secretary's Letter authorizing Total Exemption, and Amount Period of Exemption granted.	Total due.
					Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.		
119.	1	Palugahawatta	(1) Kirihamige Kapurala, (2) Kapuralage Wannihamy, (3) Punchiralage Appurala, and (4) Tiki-ralage Punchi Banda	3 1 38	82	0	82	0	3 49	—	—	—	—	—	3 49
120.	2	Namadagahawela	(1) Appuralage Punchi Banda and (2) Kapuralage Kapuru Banda, both of Iratperiyakulam	2 0 36	17	80	17	80	2 23	—	—	—	—	—	2 23
				5 2 34					5 72						5 72

AMENDED SUMMARY.

		Extent.		Rs. c.	
		A.	R. P.	Rs.	c.
1.	Private lands	408	0 6	Paying a rate of Re. 1 per acre per annum in perpetuity	
				408	17
2.	Do.	90	0 10	Paying a rate of Re. 1 per acre per annum, subject to revision at any time	
				90	8
Total		498	0 16		
Area exempted		5	3 29	Amount exempted	
				5	93
Total area paying rate		492	0 27		
				492	32

The Kachcheri,
Mullaittivu, March 14, 1924.

M. K. T. SANDYS,
Assistant Government Agent.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

THE under-mentioned packages lying at Messrs. The Ceylon Wharfrage Company's premises beyond the time allowed by law, notice is hereby given that unless the same be previously cleared, they will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, November 4, 1924, at 1 P.M. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, November 7, 1924 :—

Number and Date of Entry. 1924.	Date of Steamer. 1923.	Steamer.	Marks and Numbers.	Number and Description of Packages.
B I WAREHOUSE.				
2377, Jan. 25	Dec. 26 1924.	ss. Mongolia	D. S. 1/65	65 cases wine
400, Feb. 5	Jan. 15	ss. Angers	C. T. & Co., 43/52	10 cases brandy
404, March 5	Feb. 14	ss. Oldenburg	D. D. S. 1/3	3 cases beer
313, May 6	April 11	ss. Timavo	P. W. S. 1814	1 crate earthenware
314, May 6	April 11	do.	TEIC in a square and 100 outside	1 case toilet water
618, May 8	April 7	ss. Gloucestershire	F. X. Perera & Sons or pil	1 cask earthenware
824, May 12	April 21	ss. Khiva	The Edible Coconut Oil Co., Negombo	1 case sample tins
879, May 12	April 22	ss. Oxfordshire	K & Co in a diamond and S P & Co. 1 outside	1 case hardware samples
1001, May 14	April 22	do.	J N J 1/200	200 crates flooring tiles
1872, May 19	April 30	ss. Stockwell	& Co. in a triangle and H R 1/21 outside	21 cases Old Tom gin
1892, May 19	April 30	do.	A P C in a diamond and 346 outside	1 case peas
1907, May 19	May 1	ss. Nankin	C E P in a circle and 123/4 outside	2 cases: 1 case paper, 1 case stationery sundries
1533, May 20	April 19	ss. Gambhira	C T Co. upon P & Co. in a diamond	1 bundle piece goods samples
2708, May 28	May 9	ss. Clan Mackinnon	E P upon C in a triangle and M & Co. 17/20 outside	4 cases: 2 cases account books, 2 cases envelopes
T I WAREHOUSE.				
—	1923. Nov. 20	ss. Celebes Maru	Messrs. H. & Crossfield, Ltd., Cochin, S. India	1 case sugar samples
No. 9 WAREHOUSE.				
—	1924. May 31	ss. Malia	V O in a diamond and H T 11644 outside	1 dog kennel (empty)
LYING IN VERANDAH.				
—	—	ss. Sardinia	Nil	1 bundle iron

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, September 18, 1924.

B. G. DE GLANVILLE,
for Principal Collector.

**Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the
different Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended
September 20, 1924.**

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Bombay	35
Do.	Calcutta	26,184
Do.	Rangoon	73,268
Do.	Tuticorin	24
Do.	Dhanushkodi	2,396
Galle	Calcutta	4,735
Do.	Coconada	1,004
Batticaloa	Negapatam	940
Kayts	Adirapatam	564
Do.	Narasapur	200
Talaimannar	Dhanushkodi	3

(3,219 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs, B. G. DE GLANVILLE,
Colombo, September 24, 1924. for Principal Collector.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. A. B. Karunaratne has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, in place of Rev. J. A. Kalpage :—

Schools referred to.

Koralawella (St. Peter's) Boys' and Girls' Schools.
Egoda Uyana (St. James') Anglo-Vernacular Mixed School.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 17, 1924. Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. J. A. Kalpage has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. R. F. Pereira :—

School referred to.

C/Mattakkuliya Mixed English School.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 18, 1924. Director of Education.

Erin Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that Erin Estate Vernacular Mixed School, situated in Hantane district of the Central Province, under the management of the Superintendent of Erin estate, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school from this date.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 17, 1924. Director of Education.

Maladeniya Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that Maladeniya Vernacular Mixed School, situated in Weudawili hatpattu, Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, under the management of Baptist Missionary Society, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school from this date.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 18, 1924. Director of Education.

Erracht Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that Erracht Estate Vernacular Mixed School, situated in Three Korales, Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, under the management of Rev. J. Yorke, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school from this date.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 18, 1924. Director of Education.

C/Northumberland Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that Northumberland Vernacular Mixed School, situated in Colombo District of the Western Province, under the management of the Superintendent of the estate, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school from this date.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 18, 1924. Director of Education.

Battagalla Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that Battagalla Estate Vernacular Mixed School, situated in Dikoya district of the Central Province, under the management of Superintendent, Battagalla estate, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school from this date.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 18, 1924. Director of Education.

Kandanuvera Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that Kandanuvera Estate Vernacular Mixed School, situated in Udasiya pattu korale, Matale District of the Central Province, under the management of the Superintendent of the estate, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school from this date.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 18, 1924. Director of Education.

Debarring from entering Public Examinations until the Expiration of 1925.

IT is hereby notified that Messrs. A. M. de Silva of Malimbada, Telijjawala, Matara, and L. G. de A. Abeyasinghe of Ambalangoda are debarred from entering for any Public Examination until the expiration of 1925, for resorting to unfair means at the Cambridge Senior Examination held in December, 1923.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, September 20, 1924. Director of Education.

Destruction of a Rogue Elephant.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of section 9 (1) (b) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1909, the Government Agent of the Province of Uva will issue a free license to any person desiring to shoot a dangerous wild elephant, which frequents the Gansabhawa road in Kahambane, in Buttala Wedirata korale, in Buttala division.

Description of the Elephant.

About 8 feet high.
Many white spots on the trunk.
Has a short tail.
The animal could be pointed out by Mudalihamy, Arachchi of Kahambana.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, September 19, 1924. Government Agent.

Lease of Crow Island.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Western Province will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the lease of the land called Crow Island at the mouth of the Kelani river for a period of one year and two months from November 1, 1924, subject to the conditions hereinafter mentioned.

The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tender for the Lease of Crow Island" will be received at the Colombo Kachcheri, until 12 noon, on Friday, October 31, 1924, when they will be opened. All persons making the tenders will be required to be present or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agent that the tender is made *bona fide*.

The person whose tender is accepted will be required to enter into and execute a lease agreement embodying the under-mentioned conditions.

Any further information can be obtained on application at the Colombo Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri, R. N. THAINE,
Colombo, September 18, 1924. Government Agent.

Conditions.

1. The purchase of the lease of the land called Crow Island will be for a period of one year and two months from November 1, 1924.
2. The purchaser shall pay the full purchase amount on the day of sale.
3. The purchaser will be entitled to take the produce of the land and to the occupation of the buildings standing thereon, if any.
4. The purchaser or his workmen shall not cut down any trees or interfere with any existing fence, boundary, or any buildings.
5. The purchaser shall be bound to fence the land leased to him if called on by the Government Agent to do so.
6. The purchaser shall keep the land clean and in good order, pay all rates and taxes, and comply with Municipal regulations.
7. The Government Agent, or any one acting under his authority will be entitled to re-enter into occupation at any time on giving one month's notice to the lessee.
8. The purchaser shall not assign, transfer, or sublet the premises without the written permission of the Government Agent, Western Province, so to do.
9. The purchaser shall not allow the coconut trees to be tapped for fermented or sweet toddy.
10. If the whole or any portion of the premises is required by Government before the expiry of the lease, such whole or portion thereof shall be surrendered on one month's notice being given; in which case a proportionate refund or reduction in the rental will be made for the unexpired period for which rent has been paid.
11. The purchaser shall permit the Government Agent or any one acting under his orders, at all reasonable hours during the said period, to enter upon the land to inspect the conditions thereof.
12. The purchaser shall also undertake to see that no marks, pickets, trenches, &c., erected or constructed are removed or in any way interfered with.
13. In the event of any breach of the foregoing conditions, the Government Agent shall have the power to resume possession of the premises and eject the purchaser and his employees therefrom without compensation.
14. The Government Agent reserved the right to reject any or all tenders.

Sale of Crown Lands in the Negombo District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent, Western Province, will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the under-mentioned Crown lands, subject to the conditions given below:—

2. The Fiscal, Western Province, is in possession of all these lands on behalf of the Crown pending the execution of a conveyance by him in favour of the Crown, consequent upon a decree on a *primary* mortgage bond.

3. The tenders, which should be put in separately for each land, will be received at the Colombo Kachcheri until 12 noon on Tuesday, November 18, 1924, when they will be opened. All persons making the tenders will be required to be present or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agents that the tender is made *bona fide*.

4. Further information can be obtained on application at the Colombo Kachcheri.

5. The Government Agent reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, September 13, 1924.

R. N. THAINE,
Government Agent.

CONDITIONS REFERRED TO.

(1) The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to Government will be required to deposit at once 1/10th of the purchase amount in cash, and should the tender be accepted by Government the balance purchase amount should be paid within one month of the date of receipt by him of the notification of the acceptance of his offer, and in failure thereof the purchase shall be considered void, and the deposit of 1/10th paid on account of the said lands shall be forfeited.

(2) On payment to the Government Agent, within the time specified of the whole of the purchase money, the purchaser shall receive a deed of transfer as soon as may be practicable.

(3) Should it appear at any time before the execution and issue of the deed of transfer that the actual extent of the said lands are in excess of the extent given in this notice, the purchaser will be liable to pay the value of the excess extent at the same rate per acre as that at which he purchased the land. In the event of the extent of the said lands being hereafter found to be less than the extent given in the notice, the purchaser will be entitled to claim a refund of a proportionate amount of the purchase price paid by him at the same rate per acre as that at which he purchased the land. Provided, however, that he will not be entitled to claim any further amount as interest on the money paid by him or by way of compensation. In all questions affecting the description and admeasurement of the lands the decision of the Surveyor-General will be taken as final.

(4) These lands are sold subject to the reservation to the Crown of all right and title to the mines, minerals, plumbago, gold, silver, copper, iron, tin, lead, and other metals, and the ores thereof, and all mineral oil, coal, shale, or other deposit or formation from which mineral oil may be obtained, together with full power of entry for the same respectively, and all other powers and privileges necessary or requisite, to prospect for, dig for, or mine, or recover any of the above-mentioned minerals or metals, save and except under a grant or license expressly obtained from the Crown, and then only subject to the royalties, terms, and conditions in such mining license or grant contained.

Description of the Lands.

1. All that allotment of land with everything thereon called Galmukalana, situated at Kadawala village in the District of Negombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by the land of Allis (Police Officer) and owner of T. P. 58,510, east by owner of T. P. 58,511, south by owner of T. P. 71,810, and owner of lands Alubogahakumbura by R. Agohami, Ambagahawatta by N. M. de Silva and road to Giriulla, and on the west by Dawatagahapillawa of D. A. Silva and land of Allis (Police Officer); containing in extent 47 acres 2 roods and 11½ perches according to the plan No. 2 dated June 14, 1916, made by L. Vanderputt, Licensed Surveyor.

2. All that allotment of land with everything thereon called Kundanwilawatta, situated in the 2nd Division of

Udayartoppu, within the Gravets and District of Negombo aforesaid; bounded on the north by J. Dabrera's land, east by F. de Sosa's and N. R. de Croo's lands, south by road, and on the west by K. K. N. J. V. Velaiden Chetty's, J. Fernando's, and J. X. Fernando's lands; containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 11 perches according to the plan No. 15 dated July 1, 1916, made by L. Vanderputt, Licensed Surveyor.

3. All those two contiguous allotments of land with everything thereon called Suriyagahawatta, situated at Main street, in the town of Negombo aforesaid; bounded on the north and east by the other part of this land of J. de Mel, south by Main street, and on the west by the other part of this land of N. H. R. A. Nagamuttu; containing in extent 11 perches according to the plan No. 172 dated September 28, 1917, made by L. Vanderputt, Licensed Surveyor.

4. All that garden called Pelawatta, situated at Grand street, in the town of Negombo aforesaid; bounded on the north-east by Green's road and the property of Joseph de Croos, south-east by the garden of Joseph de Croos, south-west by Leitan's lane, and on the north-west by the property of Gabriel de Croos; containing in extent 39.43/100 square perches more or less according to the plan dated March 22, 1884, made by W. C. Fernando, Surveyor.

Appointment of Assessors.

BY virtue of powers vested in me under section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1921, I have appointed the persons named below to be the assessors for the towns noted above their names for the year 1925:—

(1) For the Local Board Town of Badulla.

C. H. D. Ratnayake of Badulla.
D. C. Abeytunga, Town Arachchi of Badulla.
S. B. Dissanayaka, Native Doctor, Mailagastenna, Badulla.

(2) For the Local Board Town of Bandarawela.

G. M. Joseph of Bandarawela.
H. W. Singho Appu, Town Arachchi, Bandarawela.
Fred. Fernando, Haputale.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, September 16, 1924. Government Agent.

Appointment of Assessors.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1921, I, John Radley Walters, Assistant Government Agent, Kegalla, do hereby appoint the under-mentioned persons to be assessors for the town of Kegalla for 1925:—

Mr. E. A. Salgadoe.
Mr. D. S. Wickramasinghe.
Mr. M. S. Samsadeen.

The Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
Kegalla, September 23, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Appointment of Assessors.

BY virtue of powers vested in me under section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1921, I have appointed the persons named below to be assessors for the Sanitary Board Towns of Kegalla District noted above their names for the year 1925.

Yatiyantota.

Don David Perera.
R. A. M. Goonawardena.
S. M. Mohamadu Lebbe.

Dehiowita.

G. R. de Alwis.
Don David Perera.
U. G. Siriwardena.

Rambukkana.

Bernard Abeyratna.
S. H. K. Banda.
K. L. Justin Perera.

The Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
Kegalla, September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Registration of a Building for Solemnization of Marriages.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Registration of Marriages, other than the Marriages of Kandyan or of Muhammadans," I, Humphrey William Codrington, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the under-mentioned building, used as a place of public Christian worship, has been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein.

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the building is registered.
401	September 18, 1924	St. Stephen, Protomartyr	Botala, Hapitigam korale, Udugaha pattuwa, Colombo District	Most Rev. Dr. A. Coudert, O.M.L., Archbishop of Colombo, Proprietor	Roman Catholic

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, September 18, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Registrar-General.

Licensed Surveyor.

IT is hereby notified under Ordinance No. 26 of 1909 that the under-mentioned has been licensed to practice as a Surveyor for the current year :—

Date of License.	Registration No.	License No.	Name.	Address.
September 23, 1924	285	A 999	De Niese, J. D.	The Land and Survey Agency, 7, York street, Colombo

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, September 24, 1924.

C. R. LUNDIE,
for Surveyor-General.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 15/43, situated at Maligawatta, 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 September 13, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 18, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 3, situated at Alston place, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 10, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 18, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 19A, situated at Jawatta 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 September 13, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 18, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 42, situated at Vauxhall 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 September 15, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 18, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 26, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 10, situated at Nelson lane, Polwatta, 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 August 25, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 20, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,412 of August 29, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 3, situated at Stewart 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 August 27, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 11, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,410 of August 15, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 41, situated at Jail 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 August 11, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 20, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,412 of August 20, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 2, situated at Lockgate 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 August 25, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,409 of August 8, 1924, the premises bearing assessment Nos. 15 and 16, 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 August 15, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 120, situated at Timbirigasyaya 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 September 17, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 8, situated at Piachauds lane, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 16, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 125, situated at Baseline 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 September 16, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 412/40, situated at Silver-smith lane, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 5, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 20, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment Nos. 12, 14, 23, and 24, situated at Timbirigasyaya 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 September 15, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 20, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 48, situated at Kolonnawa, 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 September 18, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 23, 1924.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 128, situated at Timbirigasyaya 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 September 10, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon,
Colombo, September 23, 1924.

Rinderpest.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Biyagama in Siyane korale west of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in the *Gazette* of August 29, 1924, is now free from rinderpest, and is no longer an infected area.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, September 17, 1924.

R. J. PEREIRA,
for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared at Delgahawatta and Talagahawatta in Mattumagala, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in the *Gazette* of August 22, 1924, is now free from rinderpest, and is no longer an infected area.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, September 17, 1924.

R. J. PEREIRA,
for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Habarakada in Hewagam korale of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in the *Gazette* of August 8, 1924, is now free from rinderpest, and is no longer an infected area.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, September 17, 1924.

R. J. PEREIRA,
for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Diulapitiya in Alutkuru korale north 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by high road, south by tract of fields, east by tract of fields, west by high road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,
September 12, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Dewalapola in Alutkuru korale north 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by high road, south and east by tract of fields, west by high road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,
September 12, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Adikarimulla in Alutkuru korale north 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north and south by tract of fields, east by village boundary of Dunagaha, west by tract of fields.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,
September 14, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Katukenda estate, Petigoda, in Alutkuru korale north 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by Negombo-Giriulla Public Works Department road, south and east by land belonging to Mr. Tudor Rajapakse, west by wire fence separating Badalgama estate and road from Badalgama to Marandagahamula junction.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,
September 15, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Medamulla in Alutkuru korale north 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by land belonging to Jeelis Fernando, south by land belonging to Mrs. M. E. Perera, east by land belonging to J. Hendrick Appu, west by village boundary of Borakadawatta.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,
September 16, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Indureagara in Alutkuru korale north 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by footpath separating the land belonging to Mr. Corea, Proctor, south by Negombo-Mirigama Public Works Department road, east by tract of fields and road from Batepola to Indura, west by cart road separating Kadawala village.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,
September 16, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Yatiyana in Alutkuru korale north 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by tract of fields known as Walpola-agara, south by tract of fields, east by Minuwangoda to Dagonna District Road Committee road, west by Yatiyana Village Committee road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,
September 16, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on Gallagewatta at Peliyagoda, Gangaboda, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by a portion of this land, south by gala belonging to R. J. Fernando, east by Colombo-Negombo high road, west by Bangalawatta belonging to R. J. Fernando.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
September 1, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on Delgahawatta at Kanuwana in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by land belonging to M. Peter Fernando, south by land belonging to Nicholas Mellis, east by rail road, west by high road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
September 2, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Oruwala in Hewagam korale, in Colombo District 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by Nagahadeniya, south by Doonagahadeniya, east by village boundary

path between Mullegama and Oruwala, west by Wanapotu-mukalana

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

September 13, 1924. A. E. ABHAYARATNE,
Mudaliyar, Hewagam Korale.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Kitulwala Division No. 43, Yatigaha pattu north in Hapitigam 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz.:

The area bounded on the north by village boundary of Kaluwagala Pahalagama, south by Mugurugampola-Negombo road, east by Kitulwala-Hettimulla Village Committee road, west by village boundary of Kaluwagala Pahalagama.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

September 13, 1924. L. A. DASSANAIKE,
Mudaliyar.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Maditiyawala Division No. 46, Yatigaha pattu north in Hapitigam 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz.:

The area bounded on the north by tract of paddy fields, south by tract of paddy fields, east by village cart road leading from Mugurugampola-Negombo road to Maditiyawala, west by village boundary of Banduragoda.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

September 16, 1924. L. A. DASSANAIKE,
Mudaliyar.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Galabodawatta, Madapatha 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 the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz.:

The area bounded on the north by Crown land, south by Pansalawatta, east by Moragahawatta, west by a portion of Galabodawatta.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

September 13, 1924. G. W. DE FONSEKA,
Mudaliyar, Salpiti Korale.

Rinderpest.

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared infected in the following villages, viz., Paranakade, Henemulla, Kalutara North, Kalutara South, Palatota, Wilegoda, Polkotuwa, and Pantiya, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, and proclaimed in *Gazettes* dated as follows:—

Paranakade, *Gazette* dated August 1, 1924; Henemulla and Kalutara North, *Gazette* dated August 8, 1924; Kalutara South and Palatota, *Gazette* dated August 15, 1924; Wilegoda, Polkotuwa, and Pantiya, *Gazette* dated August 22, 1924, are now free from rinderpest.

Kalutara Kachcheri, T. W. GOONEWARDENE,
September 22, 1924. for Assistant Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in Ihala-wettewa palata in Udukaha korale east, in Dambadeni hatpattu of the District of Kurungeala, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said palata, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area:—

Boundaries referred to.

North, Kuda-oya; east, Udumulu palata; south, Nugawela palata; west, Galgamuwa palata.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, F. G. TYRRELL,
September 18, 1924. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in Kalugamuwa palata, in Udapola Medalassa korale in Dambadeni hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said palata, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area.

Boundaries referred to.

North, Mawatagama palata; east, Maningamuwa palata; south, Kolambalamulla palata; west, Kaluhendiwala palata.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, H. W. ABEYWARDENE,
September 23, 1924. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 26, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the village Haldanduwana was 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 area, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from this date.

Puttalam Kachcheri, R. N. BOND,
September 19, 1924. for Assistant Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 14, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,411 of August 22, 1924, the village Kahaawila was 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 area, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from this day.

Puttalam Kachcheri, R. N. BOND,
September 19, 1924. for Assistant Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the under-mentioned area described below in Pitigal korale south, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province: I do hereby declare in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said area is an infected one.

Area referred to.

Megahawela village boundaries:—

North.—Southern boundary of Narawila.

East.—Western boundary of Yakdessawa.

South.—Northern boundaries of Tulawela and Yakdessawa.

West.—Eastern boundaries of Koswatta and Tulawela.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

Puttalam Kachcheri, R. N. BOND,
September 20, 1924. for Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 26, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 9, situated at Buller's 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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from August 15, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 18, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,407 of July 25, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 54, situated at Bambalapitiya 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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from July 30, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises known as the P. W. D. Stores Government land, Kanatta 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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from August 15, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 18, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,407 of July 25, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 22, situated at Kanatta 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 foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from July 30, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 26, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 102, situated at Timbrigasaya 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

foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from August 10, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, September 19, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared infected at Ambalamewatta at Katukurunda, Kendaketiya-watta at Kiriwattuduwa, Madangahawatta at Idama, Madangahawatta No. 615; and Carlton garden No. 407 at Rawatawatta in Salpiti korale of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in *Gazettes* of August 8, 1924, August 15, 1924, and August 22, 1924, are now free from foot-and-mouth disease, and are no longer infected areas.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, September 17, 1924.

R. J. PEREIRA,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared infected at Kudagammana, Keppetiwala, Keenadeniya, Palmada, Bolana, Delwala, Hanchapola, Botale Ihalagama, and Weragoda, in Hapitigam korale of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in the *Gazettes* of July 4, 1924, July 11, 1924, August 1, 1924, August 8, 1924, August 15, 1924, August 22, 1924, and August 29, 1924, are now free from foot-and-mouth disease, and are no longer infected areas.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, September 17, 1924.

R. J. PEREIRA,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared infected at Battaramulla, Hewagama, Galabodawatta at Kalalgoda, Hanwella estate at Tunmana, Kottawa, and Kosgama Ihala, in Hewagam korale of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in the *Gazette* of August 8, 1924, are now free from foot-and-mouth disease, and are no longer infected areas.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, September 17, 1924.

R. J. PEREIRA,
for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out on Millagahawatta, at Raddoluwa in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by Dewata road, south by ela, east by land belonging to James Gurunanse, west by land belonging to Begris Fernando.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Wattala, September 3, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out on Nekettagalla at Raddoluwa, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by land belonging to G. Bastian Fernando, south by land belonging to Thepanis Vedarala, east by a portion of this land, west by land belonging to Solomon Peiris.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.
Wattala, September 3, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out on Dawatagahawatta at Raddoluwa, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by high road, south by village Ekalakurunduwatta, east by a portion of this land, west by Dewata road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.
Wattala, September 5, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out on Batalawatta at Raddoluwa, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by land called Galla, south by land belonging to Aron Fernando, east by land belonging to Warliyanu, west by land belonging to Simon Fernando.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.
Wattala, September 5, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out on Millagahawatta at Raddoluwa, in Alutkuru korale south of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by land called Galla, south by Dewata road, east by land belonging to Abilinu Fernando, west by land belonging to James Gurinanse.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.
Wattala, September 5, 1924.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at Bolepe of Gandahaya south korale, in Pata Hewaheta division of the Central 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 the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by village limit of Haragama, south by village limit of Medagama, east by village limit of Marassana, west by village limit of Hapuliya.

This declaration is to take effect from this day.

J. A. RAMBUKPOTHA,
Ratamahatmaya, Pata Hewaheta.
September 14, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 30, 1924, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,409 of August 8, 1924, Inamalawa wasama and Palutawa wasama in Inamalawa korale of Matale North, in the District of Matale, Central Province, were declared infected areas; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said areas, they are hereby declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer infected areas.

C. SENARATNE,
The Kachcheri, for Assistant Government Agent.
Matale, September 22, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by the under-mentioned proclamations the areas referred to therein were declared infected areas: and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said areas they are hereby declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer infected areas:—

AREAS REFERRED TO.**(1) In Weudawili Hatpattu.**

Area Proclaimed.	Date of Proclamation. 1924.	No. and Date of Gazette. 1924.
Teliyagonna palata	Aug. 16	7,411 of Aug. 22
Tingole palata	Aug. 17	do.
Millawa palata	do.	do.

(2) In Dombadeni Hatpattu.

Ihala Kalalpitiya palata	July 4	7,404 of July 11
Uda Kekulawala palata	July 6	do.
Boyawalana palata	July 20	7,408 of Aug. 1
Udumulu palata	Aug. 16	7,411 of Aug. 22

(3) In Dewameddi Hatpattu.

Wilakatu palata	July 24	7,408 of Aug. 1
Medagama palata	Aug. 14	7,411 of Aug. 22

(4) In Katugampola Hatpattu.

Bopitiya	July 10	7,406 of July 18
Assedduma	July 14	7,407 of July 25
Lepolawa	July 21	7,408 of Aug. 1
Kuliyapitiya town	July 23	do.
Ranasgalla	July 28	7,409 of Aug. 8
Egnaru palata	Aug. 8	7,410 of Aug. 15
Delana palata	Aug. 11	do.
Nakkawatta palata	Aug. 16	7,411 of Aug. 22
Hakgomu palata	do.	do.
Konduruwapola	do.	do.
Barigoda palata	Aug. 24	7,413 of Sept. 5

Kurunegala Kachcheri, H. W. ABEYEWARDENE,
September 22, 1924. for Government Agent.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by the proclamations dated September 1 and 4, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,415 of the 12th idem, Hewanpola palata and Hatarabage and Kande-pola palatas, respectively were declared to be infected areas: and whereas hoof-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said palatas, they are hereby declared to be free from hoof-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer infected areas.

Kurunegala Kachcheri, H. W. ABEYEWARDENE,
September 23, 1924. for Government Agent.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in Alawala palata in Hewawisse korale, in Weudawili hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province: I do hereby declare, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, that the said palata, the boundaries of which are specified below, is an infected area:—

Boundaries referred to.

North, Hewanpola palata; east, Welagedara; south and west, Kospotu-oya.

T. B. MADAWALA,
Ratamahatmaya, Weudawili Hatpattu.
September 16, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Alpitaya in Werake wasama, in Paranakuru korale of Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by Werake, east by Bulatwatta, south by Embilmiwala, and west by Balawatgama and Dompitiya.

This declaration is to take effect from September 12, 1924.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Gonawala in Werake wasama, in Paranakuru korale of Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by Alpitaya, east by Eraminigammana, south by Kuda-oya, and west by oya.

This declaration is to take effect from September 12, 1924.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Edanduwawa in Galboda korale of Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by village limit of Kongamuwa, east by boundary of Idampitiya wasama, south by Maha-oya, and west by village boundaries of Beminiwatta and Nankurugama.

This declaration is to take effect from September 16, 1924.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in Rambukkana and Godagadeniya in Diyasunnata wasama of Kinigoda korale, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by village boundary of Werellapota, east by village boundaries of Kansalgamuwa and Muwapitiya, south by village boundary of Pinnawala, and west by Rambukkana-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from September 14, 1924.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Erambudupela in Galboda korale of Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by village boundary of Beligammana, east by village boundary of Hingula, south by Ma-oya and Keraminigewatta, and west by village boundary of Mawana.

This declaration is to take effect from September 16, 1924.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in Talgamuwa wasama in Galboda korale of Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz.:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by Karahampitigoda and Dewanagala, east by Paranagama, Kumbalgama, and Rukmale, south by Arakotawella and Bamunugammana, west by Ma-oya, Nikapitiya, and Dewanagala.

This declaration is to take effect from September 12, 1924.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Nawagamuwa in Kinigoda korale, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by Dompemulla, east by Kottanawatta, south by Owatta, and west by Batambura and Kurampola.

This declaration is to take effect from September 14, 1924.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,
September 22, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in Watura village in Godigomuwa wasama, in Mawata pattu, in Paranakuru korale of Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by Meedeniya village boundary, Watura bridge, and Udumagama village boundary; east by Alapalawala village boundary; south by Kehelwatta village boundary; west by Hapuwita-Udagama village boundary.

This declaration is to take effect from September 12, 1924.

M. B. MAPITIGAMA,
Ratemahatmaya, Paranakuru Korale.
Meedeniya, September 13, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in Kuragala wasame, Kumbalgama wasame, Eraminigammana wasame, Dumbuluwawa wasame, Werake wasame in Tumpalata pattu east in Paranakuru korale of Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

The infected area is bounded on the north by the boundary of Meda pattu of Galboda korale, east by the boundary of Kandy District, south by boundary of Uda-palata in Kandy District, west by the boundary of Tumpalata pattu west.

This declaration is to take effect from September 11, 1924.

M. B. MAPITIGAMA,
Ratemahatmaya, Paranakuru Korale.
Meedeniya, September 17, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Mederigama in Meda pattu of Galboda korale, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923.

The infected area is bounded on:—

North.—Village boundary of Beligammana.

East.—Village boundary of Hingul-oya.

South.—Village boundary of Edanduwawa.

West.—Village boundaries of Beligammana and Hingul-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from September 16, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.
Ratemahatmaya's Office,
Ussapitiya, September 18, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Medagoda in Meda pattu of Galboda korale, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of sections 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923.

The infected area is bounded on—

North.—Village boundaries of Idampitiya and Batawala.

East.—Village boundary of Udugala.

South.—Village boundary of Ayagama.

West.—Village boundary of Uyanawatta.

This declaration is to take effect from September 12, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,

Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.

September 18, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Alutnuwara in Meda pattu of Galboda korale, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1903.

The infected area is bounded on—

North.—Village boundary of Ayagama.

East.—Village boundary of Rukalagama.

South.—Village boundary of Paraganagama.

West.—Village boundary of Dewanagala.

This declaration is to take effect from September 12, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,

Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.

September 18, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Talgomuwa in Meda pattu of Galboda korale, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923.

The infected area is bounded on—

North.—Village boundaries of Karahanpitigoda and Dewanagala.

East.—Village boundaries of Paraganagama, Kumbalgama, and Rukmale.

South.—Village boundaries of Arakotawella and Bamunagammana.

West.—Maha-oya and village boundaries of Nikapitiya and Attapitiya.

This declaration is to take effect from September 10, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,

Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.

September 19, 1924.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the Godagandeniya in Meddemedaliya pattu of Kinigoda korale, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923.

The infected area is bounded on—

North.—Village boundaries of Werellapota, Iriyagolla, Walaloda, and Hakurulyyadda.

East.—Kebellagolle-ela and village boundaries of Hakurulyyadda, Kansalagomuwa, and Udugama.

South.—Village boundaries of Muwapitiya and Beligodapitiya.

West.—Village boundaries of Beligodapitiya and Kamburadeniya.

This declaration is to take effect from September 10, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,

Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.

September 19, 1924.

Protective Zone.

WHEREAS the premises bearing assessment No. 19A, Jawatta road, and No. 128, Timbirigasyaya road within the Municipal limits of Colombo, have been declared infected areas: I hereby, under the provisions of section 6 (1) of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, establish the area enclosed within the boundaries herein set out as a protective zone, namely:—

The area bounded on the north by Bullers road; on the east by eastern boundary of the Victoria Golf Links, the road leading to the Infectious Disease Quarantine Camp, and Kanatta road; on the south by Timbirigasyaya road; on the west by Jawatta road.

This proclamation shall take effect from September 10, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, September 23, 1924.

ABSTRACTS OF SEASON REPORTS.**EASTERN PROVINCE.****BATTICALOA DISTRICT.**

Paddy: thrashing of pinnari crop is over. Sowing for idaipokam is finished, and the crop appears promising. Ploughing for munmari has commenced.

Dry grains: chenas are being cleared and planting of seeds is going on.

Other products: local varieties such as brinjals, chillies, plantains, pineapples, &c., are available.

Coconuts: plants are healthy and prospects appear to be satisfactory.

Prices of foodstuffs: paddy, Rs. 1.60 to Rs. 3 per bushel; rice, (country) Rs. 4.80 to Rs. 9 per bushel; rice, (imported), Rs. 7.84 per bushel; kurakkan, Rs. 2 to Rs. 3.50 per bushel; maize, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; coconuts, Rs. 6 to Rs. 15 per 100 nuts; salt, 3 to 5 cents per pound; salt, 25 cents per measure (Wewgam pattu).

Health of inhabitants: satisfactory.

Health of cattle: good.

Conditions of tanks or fisheries: tanks are in good condition.

Weather: dry weather prevails, but there had been showers of rain during the month. The rainfall recorded is 3.79 inches.

TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT.

Paddy: prospect of coming crop, satisfactory; probable yield, 91,764 bushels; estimated crop harvested, 91,020 bushels.

Dry grain: prospects of coming crop, nil; probable yield, nil; estimated crop harvested; nil.

Coconuts: prospect of coming crop, fair; probable yield, 199,375 nuts; estimated crop harvested, 158,875 nuts.

Other products: prospect of coming crop, nil; probable yield, nil; estimated crop harvested, nil.

Prices of foodstuffs: country rice, Rs. 5.60 to Rs. 7.28 per bushel; paddy, Rs. 2 to Rs. 2.50 per bushel; imported rice, Rs. 8.96 per bushel; kurakkan, nil; maize, nil; coconuts Rs. 5 to Rs. 9 per 100 nuts; salt, 4 to 8 cents per measure.

Health of people: fever and dysentery are prevalent in town.

Health of cattle: satisfactory.

Condition of tank: not full.

Condition of fisheries: good.

Weather: warm.

Harvest prospect generally: good.

General remarks: nil.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

Prices of Foodstuffs, &c., in Colombo, on September 24, 1924.

	Wholesale.		Retail.		Per	Wholesale. Rs. c.	Per	Retail. Rs. c.
	Per	Rs. c.	Per	Rs. c.				
Paddy, Country	.. Bushel	3 25	.. Measure	..	—			
Paddy, Imported	.. do.	3 50	.. do.	..	—			
Rice, Country	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	—			
Rice, Kara	.. do.	7 0	.. do.	..	0 22			
Rice, Kallunda	.. do.	7 25	.. do.	..	0 23			
Rice, Sulai	.. do.	7 37½	.. do.	..	0 23½			
Rice, Muttusamba	.. do.	9 0	.. do.	..	0 28½			
Raw Rice (Rangoon)	.. do.	6 25	.. do.	..	—			
Raw Rice (Singapore)	.. do.	5 75	.. do.	..	—			
Raw Rice (Batavia)	.. do.	5 50	.. do.	..	—			
Dhall (Tuvarai)	.. —	—	.. Seer	..	0 24			
Dhall (Mussouri)	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 16			
Green Peas	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 23			
Ulundu	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 12			
Gram	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 15			
Wheat Flour	.. —	—	.. lb.	..	0 12			
American Flour	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 12			
Ghee, Cow	.. —	—	.. Bottle	..	5 0			
Ghee, Buffalo	.. —	—	.. Seer	..	2 75			
Milk	.. —	—	.. Bottle	..	0 40			
Potatoes (Indian)	.. —	—	.. lb.	..	0 8			
Potatoes (Bangalore)	.. —	—	.. do.	..	—			
Onions (Bombay)	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 8			
Onions, Red	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 8			
Bread	.. —	—	.. 1-lb. loaf	..	0 18			
Tea	.. —	—	.. lb.	..	1 0			
Coffee	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 68			
Limes	.. —	—	.. Dozen	..	0 18			
Coconut	.. —	—	.. Each	..	0 9			
Sugar, Soft	.. —	—	.. lb.	..	0 25			
Sugar, Crepe	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 18			
Sugar, Ceylon	.. —	—	.. do.	..	—			
Sugar, Candy	.. —	—	.. do.	..	0 25			
Sugar, Brown	.. —	—	.. do.	..	—			
Salt	.. —	—	.. Measure	..	0 12			
Salt	.. —	—	.. lb.	..	0 6			
Dried Chillies	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 34			
Corriander	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 18			
Pepper	.. do.	—	.. Measure	..	0 40			
Garlic	.. do.	—	.. lb.	..	0 35			
Mustard	.. do.	—	.. Measure	..	0 38			
Turmeric	.. do.	—	.. lb.	..	0 40			
Fenugreek	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 20			
Cummin	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 62			
Aniseed	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 30			
Tamarind	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 12			
Jaggery	.. do.	—	.. Bundle	..	30-33c.			
Gingelly	.. do.	—	.. Seer	..	0 25			
Gingelly Oil	.. do.	—	.. Bottle	..	0 75			
Coconut Oil	.. do.	—	.. Measure	..	0 60			
Kerosine Oil, Daylight	.. do.	—	.. Tin	..	—			
Kerosine Oil, Elephant	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	—			
Brand	.. do.	—	.. Bottle	..	—			
Kerosine Oil, Monkey	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	—			
Brand	.. do.	—	.. Bottle	..	0 19			
Bulk Oil, Rising Sun	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	—			
Matches, Three Stars	.. do.	—	.. Packet of	..	—			
Matches (Japanese)	.. do.	—	.. 12 boxes	..	0 18			
Matches (Ceylon)	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 17			
Beef	.. do.	—	.. lb.	..	0 35			
Mutton	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 80			
Pork	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 60			
Chicken	.. do.	—	.. Each	..	50-75c.			
Eggs	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 7			
Dry Fish, Nettali (Hal-messan)	.. do.	—	.. lb.	..	0 30			
Dry Fish (Maldiva)	.. do.	—	.. do.	..	0 65			

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, September 24, 1924.G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

Statement of Receipts and Payments on Current Capital Works.

HEAD OF RECEIPT.	Receipts to December 31, 1923.		Receipts to July 31, 1924.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Colombo Drainage Works :—						
(a) Loan funds	11,072,980	0	—	—	11,072,980	0
(b) Grant in aid	7,100,000	0	—	—	7,100,000	0
(c) Revenue contributions	112,472	64	78,277	16	190,749	80
2. Amount received on realization of sinking funds and interest thereon*	1,969,650	64	—	—	1,969,650	64
Total	20,255,103	28	78,277	16	20,333,380	44

* From this amount will be met : (1) Cost of drainage works and public lavatories, &c., over and above the loan, grant in aid, and revenue contributions ; (2) raising of Labugama reservoir dam ; (3) construction of Town Hall at Victoria Park.

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1923.		Payments to July 31, 1924.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Colombo Drainage Works :—								
(a) Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme	17,830,564	12	17,830,534	12	30	0	17,830,564	12
(b) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922	364,566	48	153,301	35	94,321	58	247,622	93
(c) Public lavatories and house connections	679,723	18	570,316	13	40,176	45	610,492	58
2. Raising of Labugama reservoir dam	353,714	0	120,138	36	65,453	10	187,591	46
3. Town Hall at Victoria Park	1,307,205	83	107,330	13	105,054	73	212,384	86
Balance unspent	—	—	—	—	—	—	19,086,655	95
Total	20,535,773	61	18,781,620	9	305,035	86	20,333,380	44

The Town Hall,
Colombo, August 26, 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, September 23, 1924.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

SCHEDULE.

Premises No.	Street.	Quarter and Year.	Date and Time of Sale.
209/145 ..	Colombo-Galle road ..	1st quarter, 1923, to 1st quarter, 1924 ..	8 A.M., Tuesday, October 21, 1924
1990/49 ..	Wasala road ..	do ..	8 A.M., Wednesday, October 22, 1924
452/82 ..	Chekku street ..	1st quarter, 1920, to 1st quarter, 1924 ..	8 A.M., Thursday, October 23, 1924

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

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

- (6) Goods: Tea.
(7) Mark:



The essential particulars of the trade mark are the picture of a woman with tea leaves embodied in a circle together with the word "MARHABA" and no claim is made to the exclusive use of the added matter.

(1) Trade Mark No. 3,187.

(2) Date of Receipt: July 19, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): M. S. ALLY AND COMPANY, Singapore, Kuala Lumpur and Penang: Tea Merchants.

(4) Address for service in the Island: H. W. Cave & Co., Gaffoor building, Main street, Fort, Colombo.

(5) Class: Forty-two.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,
Colombo, September 17, 1924. Registrar-General.

Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Goods Traffic for the Month of July, 1924.

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended July 31, 1923.	Month ended July 31, 1924.	Increase in 1924.	Decrease in 1924.	Nett Increase or Decrease from October 1, 1922, to July 31, 1924.	
					Increase in 1923 to 1924.	Decrease in 1923 to 1924.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Salt ..	773	1,080	307	—	1,413	—
Kerosine oil ..	445	361	—	84	—	337
Rubber ..	2,609	2,715	106	—	—	5,057
Rice ..	14,366	18,753	4,387	—	17,819	—
Tea ..	7,974	8,778	804	—	10,643	—
Cacao ..	102	70	—	32	337	—
Coconut produce ..	8,329	11,926	3,597	—	17,875	—
Fruit and vegetables ..	1,248	1,494	246	—	148	—
Tea and rubber packing ..	1,340	1,986	646	—	5,995	—
Plumbago ..	282	147	—	135	—	516
Bulk petroleum ..	837	958	121	—	1,420	—
Liquid fuel ..	1,148	1,755	607	—	1,612	—
Manure ..	7,022	7,741	719	—	18,516	—
Other goods ..	29,842	33,099	3,257	—	29,573	—
Railway material (open line) ..	11,327	17,336	6,009	—	15,627	—
Railway material (extensions) ..	674	329	—	345	1,255	—
Breakwater material ..	—	585	585	—	1,324	—
Foreign traffic ..	5,019	5,270	251	—	10,279	—
Special Traffic (other Government Departments) ..	3,993	4,877	884	—	—	6,371
Total ..	97,330	119,260	22,526	596	133,836	12,281

Colombo, September 19, 1924.

T. E. DUTTON,
General Manager.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Arambakade-Bokkawela Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," will on Saturday, October 11, 1924, at 10.15 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions for the maintenance of the above road for 1924-25:—

Government contribution	Rs. 1,000.00
Private contributions	Rs. 5,366.00

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

Proprietor or Agents or Superintendents.	Estates.	Acreage.
H. B. Giriagama	Uplands	50

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

J. Fergusson	Maousawa	153
Ana Mary Jayasingha	Gallannawatta	42
Kalu Duriya	Gallannawatta and Walatenne	52

1st to 5th section, 5 miles.

E. H. Wijenaika	Lilly Valley	69
G. J. F. Percival	Pathirade	269
F. C. Theobald	Maylene	140

1st to 6th section, 6 miles.

G. H. Hall	Tipperary, Fern Hill, and Nova Zembla	320
Weerappa Bros.	Ginigathelewatta	60
Harris	St. Anthony	25
L. W. A. de Soysa	Bokkawela	107
J. Fergusson	Morankande	1,580

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, September 15, 1924.

Bathford Valley Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," a proposal having been made to include the following estates among the estates liable for assessment for the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, having received no objections, has redefined the limits of the district so as to include the estates in question:—

For construction.

	Acres.	Miles.
Robgill estate	438	6.60
Singarawatta estate	143	4.25

For Maintenance from 1924-25.

Robgill estate	438	6.60
Singarawatta estate	143	6.60

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, September 15, 1924.

Brownlow-Luccombe Branch Road.

(Flood Damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for repairing flood damages on the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will, on Saturday, October 11,

1924, at 10.15 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	Rs. 400.00
Private contributions	Rs. 410.00

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Geo. Steuart & Co.	Kintyre	288
Do.	Bitterne	169
Ceylon Land & Produce Co. (K. W. Gammon, Superintendent)	Rickarten and Leaston	596
Geo. Steuart & Co.	Gangawatta	186
C. Hood	Kelaniya	351½
Lewis Brown & Co.	Mousakele	278
Miss V. N. Hood	Ekolsund	305
Lewis Brown & Co.	Nyanza	394
Whittall & Co.	Rutherford	276
Do.	Luccombe and Heathfield	478
Mrs. L. Pieris (E. T. Grigg, Superintendent)	Hapugastenne	606

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, September 22, 1924.

Norton-Carolina Branch Road.

(From Carolina Estate, 11th mile, Ambegamuwa, to Norton Bridge.)

(Flood Damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for repairing flood damages on the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will, on Saturday, October 11, 1924, at 10.15 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	Rs. 350.00
Private contributions	Rs. 358.75

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
T. E. Earle (R. Bennet)	St. Aubins	336
Carolina Tea Company (S. P. Blackmore)	Dotiagalla	181
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company, Limited (R. Bennett)	Lonach and Benachie	759
A. H. and E. P. Harding (R. H. Dawnall)	Killin	307
Do.	Comar	261
Alliance Tea Co. (E. C. Cameron)	Aberdeen	480
H. E. Prettijohn (E. Ware)	Norton	336
Hon. Mr. T. E. de Sampayo and L. B. Fernando (B. J. A. Carrim)	Hardenhuish and Ellaoya	477
H. A. Grigg (S. H. Grigg)	Lammermoor	187
H. A. Grigg and W. J. Hamilton (S. H. Grigg)	Laxapanagalla	344
Do.	Theberton	191
Fred. Clerk (S. H. Grigg)	Elfindale	640
H. A. Grigg	Galawatta	176
H. E. Prettijohn (E. Ware)	Donnybrook	375
Hon. Mr. T. E. de Sampayo (B. J. A. Carrim)	Glengariffe	338
Eastern Produce & Estates Co., Ltd. (C. G. Spiller)	Dandukelewa and Vellaioya	1,881
T. R. de Jersey Lovell (C. E. Cameron)	Green Hayes	157

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman,
Kandy, September 23, 1924.

Mallowapitiya-Rambodagalla Branch Road.

THE report of the Local Committee on the Mallowapitiya Rambodagalla branch road having been received, notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of section 22 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," the Provincial Road Committee will on October 4, 1924, at 9.30 A.M., at the office of the Government Agent, Kurunegala, after hearing objections, if any, adopt, alter, modify, or confirm such report and will proceed to assess in the manner prescribed by section 19 of the said Ordinance, the proportion due by each estate of the moiety of Rs. 1,290.10 required for the acquisition of land for the road. The Local Committee have recommended that the following estates should be assessed for the sections and on the acreage stated opposite to each.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Mrs. J. A. Dona Thekala	Mallowapitiya	100
Hamine	Uyandanawatta	100
Mr. Simon Fernando	Uyandanawatta	60
Mr. G. D. John Fernando	Uyandanawatta	60
Natchee Appa Chetty (attorney of K. M. P. R.)	Dangahamulawatta	23
Muttu Raman Chetty	Estate sold by Mr. Modder	70
Dr. K. J. de Silva	Rhenil	165
Mr. C. P. Markus		
S. S. N. Ramanathan	Galpottewatta	120
Chetty	Lizzidale alias Tara-	214
Mr. A. J. Vander Poorten	potewatta	
Ram Banda, K. B. Dissa-	Paragahamulawatta	40
nayake, and T. B. Dissa-		
nayake		
Mrs. W. G. Rockwood	Galgodawatta	84
Mr. Mohamed Ali, J.P.	Kotakanda	30
Mr. Mohamed Ali, J.P.	Kotakanda	100
Hon. Sir H. M. Fernando	Aspokunawatta	321
Mrs. A. M. Abeysekera	Lindapitiyawatta	56
Rawana Mana Suppiah	Tingolawatta	48
Migolle Arachchi	Leeniyagolla	30
H. D. Sasira	Attikkagahamulawatta	30

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Mr. F. N. Daniels	Kospotuoyawatta	180
Mr. T. B. Delwita	Pitawelawatta	64
Messrs. Lewis Brown & Co.	Shakerley	1,250
Hon. Sir H. M. Fernando	Meegastenna	164
Mr. A. J. Vander Poorten	Normandy	352
Messrs. Bosanquet & Co.	Pangalla	520
Messrs. H. Don Carolis & Sons	Ridi Uyanwatta	233
Mrs. A. Kalenberg	Stratford	42
Messrs. Gordon Frazer & Co.	Ridigama	1,352
K. M. N. M. Ramanathan	Maryland alias Kalis-	140
Chetty	wara	
Egoris Appuhamy	Veyangoda	36
Sadiris Appuhamy	do.	38
Mr. P. B. Delwita	Delwita Walawwa	24
The Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Delhena	504
Messrs. James Finlay & Co.	Delwita Group	2,568
Messrs. Carson & Co.	Nella Oola	300
Messrs. Harrisons and Crossfield, Ltd.	Marlbe	586
Do.	Keppitigala	708
Mr. J. L. Kotalawala	Field View	129
Provincial Road Committees' Office,	F. G. TYRELL,	
Kurunegala, September 12, 1924.	Chairman.	

Election of a Local Committee, Kurunegala.

I HEREBY give notice in terms of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," of my intention to hold a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of estates interested in the Mallowapitiya-Rambodagalla road, within the Kurunegala District, for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance.

The meeting will be held at the Kurunegala Kacheheri on Saturday, October 4, 1924, at 10 A.M.

F. G. TYRELL,
Chairman.

Office of the Provincial Road Committee,
Kurunegala, September 12, 1924.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

Election of Unofficial Members, Local Board, Kegalla.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lists of persons qualified to be elected and of persons qualified to vote, prepared under section 8 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, as amended by Ordinance No. 27 of 1916, are open to inspection during the office hours at the Office of the Local Board,

Kegalla, and that the undersigned will attend the said office at 10 A.M. on October 22, 1924, for the purpose of hearing all claims for insertion of any name in the said lists and of all objections to any name inserted therein.

J. R. WALTERS,
Kegalla, September 25, 1924. Assistant Government Agent.

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

Notice re opening of an Arrack Tavern at Madawachchiya.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to open an arrack tavern from March 1, 1925, at Madawachchiya village in Kadawat korale in Nuwaragam palata of Nuwarakalawiya district.

2. I shall be prepared to receive any written representation up to November 14, 1924, on which date at Mada-

wachchiya Resthouse between the hours of 1 P.M. and 4 P.M., I shall be prepared to receive any verbal representation that may be made to me regarding the opening of such tavern.

Anuradhapura Kacheheri,
September 16, 1924.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Government Agent.