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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, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 14 of Ordinance No. 16 of 1907, do hereby constitute the portion of the forest, the limits whereof are specified in the schedule hereto, a village forest for the benefit of the group of village communities of Tumpane division of the Kandy District of the Central Province from and after the date hereof.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Second day of October, 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.

#### SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

All that allotment of Crown forest called Dikhena, Alawattemuduna, and Kalastuwa, shown as lots 7905 to 7921 in P. P. 2,459, in Madawala village in Uda palata korale of Tumpane division, in Kandy District, Central Province; bounded as follows: north by rock and boundary of T. P. 43,570 and Kekalamukalana claimed by the Crown (6,447/1,660); east by Ange-ela, T. Ps. 211,833, 211,832, Delgasyaya-kumbura, and Hapugaha-ela; south by Hapugaha-ela, T. Ps. 354,951, 353,083, and Mala-dola; west by Dik-oya, T. P. 352,831, and road from Kurunegala to Kandy; containing in extent 90 acres 3 roods and 36 perches.

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W. H. MANNING.

WHEREAS by section 2 (1) of "The Termination of the Present War (Definition) Ordinance, No. 17 of 1919," it is provided that the present war shall be treated as having continued to, and as having ended on, such date as it is declared by His Majesty in Council, under the provisions of "The Termination of the Present War (Definition) Act, 1918," shall be treated as the termination of the present war, and that His Majesty may similarly declare what date is to be treated as the date of the termination of war between His Majesty and any particular State :

And whereas His Majesty by Order in Council did, under the provisions of the said Act, declare that August 31, 1921, should be treated as the termination of the present war, subject, however, to the proviso that nothing in the said Order should affect relations between His Majesty's Government and the Ottoman Empire until ratification of a Treaty of Peace with that Empire should have been exchanged or ratified :

And whereas His Majesty by Order in Council dated August 12, 1924, has, under the provisions of the said Act, declared that August 6, 1924, shall be treated as the date of the termination of war between His Majesty and Turkey :

And whereas by section 2 (3) of the said Ordinance it is provided that a copy of the *Government Gazette* containing Proclamation by the Governor in Executive Council that any such date has been declared by His Majesty in Council shall be evidence in all Courts and for all purposes of such dates having been declared as aforesaid :

Now, therefore, We, the Governor as aforesaid, do hereby, by and with the advice of the Executive Council proclaim that His Majesty in Council has declared that August 6, 1924, shall be treated as the date of the termination of the war between His Majesty and Turkey.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighth day of October, 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.

PROCLAMATION.

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W. H. MANNING.

WE, the Governor of Ceylon, do hereby proclaim and publish for general information the Order of His Majesty the King in Council appearing in the schedule hereto.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighth day of October, 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.

SCHEDULE.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 12th day of August, 1924.

Present :

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by treaty, capitulation, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, His Majesty the King had jurisdiction within the territories which formerly constituted the dominions of the Sublime Ottoman Porte :

And whereas by the Treaty of Peace with Turkey, signed on behalf of His Majesty, at Lausanne, on the 24th day of July, 1923, provision was made for the termination of the said jurisdiction in Turkey :

And whereas His Majesty has consented to the suspension of the said jurisdiction in certain territories which formed part of the said dominions but do not now form part of Turkey :

And whereas the said jurisdiction is exercised in Egypt in accordance with the provisions of the Egypt Order in Council, 1915 (S. R. & O., 1915, No. 141), and the Egypt (Amendment) Order in Council, 1921 (S. R. & O., 1922, No. 156) :

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act (53 & 54 Vict. c. 37), the Treaty of Peace (Turkey) Act, 1924 (14 Geo. 5, c. 7), or otherwise in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. Subject to the provisions of Article 2, the Orders in Council mentioned in the Schedule to this Order, and any King's Regulations, Rules of Court, Rules, Instructions, or other enactments made thereunder, are hereby repealed, but this repeal shall not extend to Egypt, and shall not, either in Egypt or elsewhere, affect the past operation of such Orders, King's Regulations, Rules of Court, Rules, Instructions, or enactments, or any of them, or any right, title, obligation, or liability accrued, or the validity or invalidity of any thing done or suffered under any of them, before the making of this Order.

2. (i.) The Secretary of State may, by an Order published in the London Gazette, direct that the jurisdiction of any Provincial Court established under the Orders in Council mentioned in the Schedule hereto in territory which does not now form part of Turkey shall continue, and the jurisdiction of such Provincial Court shall continue accordingly, and except as provided in sub-article (ii.) shall be exercised in accordance with the provisions of the Orders in Council, King's Regulations, Rules of Court, Rules, Instructions, or other enactments now in force in such territory.

(ii.) Any appeal from such Provincial Court, which, under the Orders in Council mentioned in the Schedule hereto, would lie to the Supreme Court or the Full Court constituted under those Orders, shall lie to the Supreme Court for Egypt (or the Full Court, as the case may be) constituted under "The Egypt (Amendment) Order in Council, 1921," and such appeal shall be governed by the rules applicable to appeals from Provincial Courts in Egypt. The Provincial Court shall execute any Order made on such appeal in like manner as any original judgment of such Provincial Court should or might have been executed.

(iii.) The Secretary of State may, by an Order published in the London Gazette, terminate to such extent and in such manner as he may think fit the jurisdiction of any Provincial Court whose jurisdiction has been continued under this Article.

3. This Order may be cited as "The Ottoman Order in Council, 1924," and shall be deemed to have come into force as from the date when the Treaty of Peace with Turkey came into force, that is to say, the Sixth day of August, Nineteen hundred and Twenty-four.

And the Right Honourable James Ramsay MacDonald, First Lord of the Treasury, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein.

COLIN SMITH.

SCHEDULE.

The Ottoman Order in Council, 1910 (S. R. & O., 1910, No. 1184).  
The Turkey Order in Council, 1922 (S. R. & O., 1922, No. 226).

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.

**K**NOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in pursuance of the powers in Us vested by section 2 (1) of "The Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924," do hereby appoint November 1, 1924, as the date on which the aforesaid Ordinance shall come into operation.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Tenth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-four.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 384 of 1924.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint the Hon. Mr. L. H. ELPHINSTONE to the office of Attorney-General for the Island of Ceylon, with effect from October 6, 1924.

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

the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES approving the appointment of the Hon. Mr. T. F. GARVIN, K.C., as a Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court of Ceylon, with effect from June 10, 1924, *vice* the Hon. Sir T. E. DE SAMPAVO, K.C., retired.

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

No. 385 of 1924.

**W**ITH reference to Notification No. 241 of 1924, appearing in *Gazette* dated June 13, 1924, it is hereby notified that a despatch has been received from

No. 386 of 1924.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to sanction the appointment of Mr. M. T. AKBAR to the post of Solicitor-General; Visitor

of the Prisons in the Western Province; and Commissioner of the Loan Board, with effect from October 6, 1924, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, October 7, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 387 of 1924.

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

Mr. FELIX R. DIAS to be a Commissioner of Assize, under section 24 of "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," for a part of the Fourth Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court for the Western Circuit to be held at Colombo on and after October 10, 1924.

Mr. W. L. MURPHY, Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional District Judge, Anuradhapura, on October 11, 1924.

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, on October 9, 1924, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. N. E. ERNST to the office of Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle; Additional District Judge, Galle; Municipal Magistrate, Galle; Visitor of the Prison at Galle; and Visitor of the House of Observation at Galle, with effect from October 6, 1924, until further orders.

Mr. S. A. MARTIN to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Chilaw, and Additional District Judge, Chilaw, from October 16 to 18, 1924, during the absence of Mr. G. M. RENNIE, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to act as Additional District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Puttalam, from October 13 to 16, 1924, both days inclusive, during the absence of Mr. P. O. FERNANDO, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. V. P. REDLICH to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge for the judicial divisions of Gampola and Nawalapitiya, with effect from October 7, 1924, until further orders.

Mr. V. P. REDLICH to be Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Gampola; Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Nuwara Eliya-Hatton; and Police Magistrate under section 3 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1891 for the Revenue District of Kandy, with effect from October 7, 1924, until further orders.

Mr. S. C. SANSONI to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Negombo, for October 4 and 5, 1924, during the absence of Mr. R. G. SAUNDERS, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. MARKUS to act at Dandagamuwa as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Kurunegala, during the absence of Mr. H. L. HOPPER, from October 14 to 16, 1924, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. D. GODSALL to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional Police Magistrate, Badulla, with effect from October 10, 1924, until further orders.

Mr. JOHN A. PERERA to act as Itinerating Police Magistrate, Western Province, for October 10, 1924, during the absence of Mr. J. N. ARUMUGAM, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. L. H. BARGATE, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to be an Inquirer for the judicial division of Kegalla.

By His Excellency's command,

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

No. 388 of 1924.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased to nominate Mr. S. NADARAJAH to be a Member of the District School Committee, Anuradhapura, for the period ending December 31, 1925, *vice* Mr. L. B. BULANKULAMA.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 389 of 1924.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased, under section 6 (d) of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to nominate Rev. A. E. Dibben, as a Member of the District Schools Committee, Kurunegala, from October 1, 1924, to December 31, 1925, *vice* Rev. A. M. WALMSLEY, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

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

No. 390 of 1924.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased, under the provisions of section 2 of Ordinance No. 26 of 1908, to nominate Mr. J. D. DUNLOP to serve as a Member of the Sanitary Board of Kegalla District, during the absence from the Island of Mr. J. E. G. SMITH.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, October 8, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 391 of 1924.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. N. CUNANAYAGAM to be an Inquirer for Koddigar pattu.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 392 of 1924.

**H**IS 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. NELLIWALA SIRIWARDANA MUDIYANSE RALAHAMILLAGE SOLOMON BANDARA MUTTETTUEGAMA, of Pussella, to be an Inquirer for Palle pattu, Kuruwiti korale, Ratnapura District, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, October 8, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

No. 393 of 1924.

**I**T is notified for information that Captain E. L. MACK took over the duties of Adjutant, Ceylon Light Infantry, from Captain H. P. MACKAY, M.C., with effect from September 30, 1924, and will perform these duties until the arrival of Captain H. C. N. TROLLOPE, D.S.O. M.C., Suffolk Regiment, in the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colombo, October 7, 1924. Colonial Secretary.

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

**I**T is hereby notified that I have confirmed PULAHINGA WILLIAM RODRIGO GUNAWARDANE in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waddubadda division, and of Marriages (General) of Panadure totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, October 3, 1924. Registrar-General.

**I**T is hereby notified that I have confirmed JASINGE DON CHARLES in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Arakawila division, and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province.

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

**I**T is hereby notified that I have confirmed Mr. KATIRAVELU PONNIAH in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chinnacheddikulam East division, and of Marriages (General) of Vavuniya South division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province.

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

**I**T is hereby notified that I have confirmed SAMARASINGHE ARACHCHIGE BABUN APPUHAMY in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ullinduwwa division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, October 3, 1924. Registrar-General.

**T**HE 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, Kalutara, has appointed Dr. WALTER FRANKLIN HARWARD PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalutara town division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for ten days from October 2, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. HINTON DE SILVA, on sick leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Kalutara.

The Provincial Registrar, Central Province, has appointed BASNAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gangapalata korale in Uda Hewaheta division, and of Marriages (General) of Uda Hewaheta division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for fifteen days from September 26, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, B. M. UKKU BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Adikarigedarawatta in Idamelanda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed WANISEKARA MUDIYANSELAGE PALIYANAWALAWWE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Pata Dumbara No. 5 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for fourteen days

from October 6, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, H. M. TIKIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Giddawa; station at Karawewatta in Rambukwela.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed ERAMUDULIYADDE MUDIYANSELEGEDARA MUDIYANSE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Tumpane No. 3 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for fourteen days from October 10, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. B. WEERASEKARA, on leave. His office will be at Mulgedara in Kituldora.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed KIRIBATHKUMBURE WALAWWE DISSANAYAKA WIJESINHA WASALAMUDIYANSE RALAHAMILLAGE MEDDUMA BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Yatinuwara No. 1B division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for seven days from October 10, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. D. M. ABERATNA BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Kiribathkumburewalawwa in Kiribathkumbura.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed MARTHENIS WEERASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yatalamatta division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from October 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. WEERASEKARA, on leave. His office will be at Gankandewatta in Keppitiyagoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ELGIN DE SILVA WEERASURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kataluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for eight days from October 6, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, W. W. WARNASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at Nalarambewatta in Kataluwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed CORNELIS WILLIAM SEPALA RATAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for two days from October 3, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, R. W. S. RATNAYAKE, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Bengamuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed CORNELIS WILLIAM SEPALA RATNAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, on October 10, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, R. W. S. RATNAYAKE, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Bengamuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON BASTIAN HELIYAGODA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Western Walakada division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern

Province, for two days from October 2, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. J. DE S. SUDUSINHA, on leave. His office will be at Malittangahawatta in Wanduruppa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON HENDRICK DISSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nakulugamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty-one days from October 3, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. C. DISSANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Nakulugamuwa.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed PARAMANATHER KANAPATHIPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Karaichchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for six days from October 9, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, M. J. PILLAINAYAGAM, on leave. His office will be at Charativilasam in Navatkokkaddiyan.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed SOOSAIPILLAI RAYAPPU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamarachchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for six days from September 29, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, M. MICHAELPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Kuruditoddam in Puloly East.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed ARUNASALAM SABAPATHY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karativu division, and of Marriages (General) of Islands division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from October 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. CHELLIAH, on leave. His office will be at Tittakuddipulam in Karativu East.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed KANTHAR KATHRAVELU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uduppiddy division, and of Marriages (General) of Vadamarachchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for fourteen days from October 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, A. AIYAMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Manatpulo in Udu-Imaiyanan; station: Irasinganmanal in Valluvedditturai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed MURUKAR SITTAMPALAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Manippay division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from October 6, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, S. THIRUVILANGAM, on leave. His office will be at Paddappulo in Manippay.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed THURAIYAPPAH PONNAMPALAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mallakam division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam North division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for five days from October 9, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, S. SINNAPPAH, on leave. His office will be at Kotkaladdy in Mallakam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed SINNATAMPI NAKAMUTTU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chankanai division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for seven days from October 11, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. VAIRAMUTTU, on leave. His office will be at Kumpaneluvai in Chankanai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed ARUMUKAM KUMARASWAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ariyalai division, and of Marriages (General) of Jaffna division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from October 16, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, N. ARULAMPALAM, on leave. His office will be at Ichchankadduvalittoddam in Ariyalai; station: Aradehitoddam in Chiviyateru.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed SANDEASAGARA MUDALIYAR GNANASEKARAPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Panankamam-Metkumoolai division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for twenty-eight days from October 5, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, M. KANAGARATNAM, on leave. His office will be at the Panankamam Udaiyarvalavu in Panankamam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaitivu, has appointed MUTHU VAPPU KACHCHU MUHAHYADEEN to act as

Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chinnacheddikulam West division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, for three days from October 3, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, M. U. CHANTAMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Udayaualavu at Kaunaddi; and station at Vidanevalavu in Chuduventapulavu.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa, has appointed EHAMPARAMPILLAI SITHAMPARAPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Porativu pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Porativu pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from October 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, S. EHAMPARAMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Mandoor.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa, has appointed KANNIPILLAI KUNJIPALI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Manmunai East Southern division, and of Marriages (General) of Manmunai South division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from October 1, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. KANDAPERUMAL, on leave. His office will be at Pilavadiyalavu in Thettativu; stations: Cheddipalayam and Kirankulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Trincomalee, has appointed NALLASEGARAMPILLAI UDAIYAR CUNANAYAGAM to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Koddigar pattu division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from September 19, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, K. VYRAMUTTU, on leave. His office will be at Vanniyanarvalavu in Mutur.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed EKANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE MUDIYANSE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Baladora korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Dewamedhi hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for twenty days from October 16, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, C. A. TENNAKOON, on leave. His office will be at Kobeigane permanent Registrar's office.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed RATNAMALALA BANDARAJAGE APPUHAMY UDUWERIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pahalawisideke korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Wannu hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for twenty-six days from October 6, 1924, vice Registrar, M. S. T. U. TIMBIRIWEWA, deceased. His office will be at Pahalagama.

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 October 4, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. PEIRIS, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Chilaw.

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 October 6, 1924, during the absence of the Registrar, D. D. PEIRIS, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Chilaw.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed SENANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE CHARLES HENRY SENANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kitulgal palata division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for three days from October 1, 1924, vice Registrar, D. B. PERERA, resigned. His office will be at Andagalayagewatta in Badullawala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed WIJESINHA MALAPATIRANNEHELAGE UWANERIS WIJESINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kitulgal palata division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for fifteen days from October 4, 1924, vice Registrar, D. B. PERERA, resigned. His office will be at Udahawatta in Polatagama.

Registrar-General's Office, H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Colombo, October 8, 1924. Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that the following circular despatch received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, with regard to promotion in the Public Service, be published for general information.

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

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

~~Circular Despatch referred to.~~

The SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES to Governor Sir W. H. MANNING, G.C.M.G., K.B.E., C.B.

Downing street, August 16, 1924.

SIR,—IN his circular despatch of June 17, 1911, the late Viscount Harcourt discountenanced attempts on the part of Colonial officials to seek the influence of Members of Parliament and others in this country as a means of bringing their services to the notice of the Secretary of State with a view to consideration for promotion.

2. Lord Harcourt pointed out that arrangements were in existence in the Colonial Office which ensured due consideration of the claims of all suitable officers on the occurrence of vacancies; and observed that the attempts which had been made to obtain promotion by irregular means had not been of advantage to the officers concerned.

3. From recent correspondence which has reached me I have formed the opinion either that the warning issued by Lord Harcourt's directions is not now generally known, or that the grave view of the practice taken by the Secretary of State is insufficiently realized. I have to request, therefore, that steps may be taken, by the publication of this despatch in the *Gazette* and by any other means available, to warn public officers that a proceeding such as that which has been deprecated will serve no useful purpose and, on the other hand, may actually be detrimental to the interests of those concerned.

I have, &c.,

(for the Secretary of State)

ARNOLD.

## "THE PRISONS ORDINANCE, 1877."

GENERAL rule made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 76 of the above-named Ordinance.

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

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

## GENERAL RULE REFERRED TO.

The Abstract of Diet Scale annexed to the general rules made under "The Prisons Ordinance, 1877," and published by Notification dated June 11, 1913, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,574 of August 1, 1913, is amended by the substitution of the following for Penal No. 1, Native, and Penal No. 2, Native, diets therein:—

<i>Penal No. 1, Native.</i>			<i>Penal No. 2, Native.</i>		
Bread	.. oz.	4	Bread	.. oz.	4
Rice	.. oz.	18	Rice	.. oz.	18
Vegetables	.. oz.	4	Plantains	.. oz.	2
Coconut	.. No.	$\frac{1}{4}$	Vegetables	.. oz.	2
Lime	.. No.	$\frac{1}{4}$	Dhall	.. oz.	2
Pepper	.. oz.	$\frac{1}{10}$	Jaggery	.. oz.	$\frac{1}{2}$
Salt	.. oz.	$\frac{1}{2}$	Coconut	.. No.	$\frac{1}{2}$
			Lime	.. No.	$\frac{1}{2}$
			Onions	.. oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$
			Chillies (ripe)	.. No.	2
			Pepper	.. oz.	$\frac{1}{10}$
			Salt	.. oz.	$\frac{3}{4}$

## Oil Installations Scheme at Colombo.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following charges will be levied from October 1, 1924, in connection with the Oil Installations Scheme at Colombo:—

Rs. 12 per 1,000 gallons on all petroleum, whether fuel oil, kerosine, or petrol imported in bulk or transhipped at Colombo.

Rs. 2.60 per 1,000 gallons working and maintenance charge.

$\frac{1}{2}$  cent per ton on the gross tonnage of the vessel for every six hours or part thereof during which a vessel is berthed alongside the Oil Jetties for purposes other than discharging or bunkering petroleum in bulk. Vessels discharging or bunkering petroleum in bulk at the Oil Jetties, and at the same time unloading or loading any other cargo on, to, or from the jetties, will also be charged at the same rate for the time occupied in the unloading or loading of such other cargo.

The Notification dated May 30, 1924, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,396 of the same date, is hereby cancelled.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 3, 1924.

By His Excellency's command,

CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE HOUSING AND TOWN IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE, No. 19 OF 1915."

**BY-LAWS** made by the Matara Urban District Council, 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.

By His Excellency's command,

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

CECIL CLEMENTI,  
Colonial Secretary.

## BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. The areas defined in the schedule hereto are hereby declared to be residential areas.
2. Within the limits of the residential areas 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 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 Council, 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.*

*Division 1.*—The area bounded on the north and west by the river; east by the Ramparts; south by the sea.

*Division 2.*—On the east by the Urban District Council limits up to Tangalla road from the sea; north by Tangalla road from Brown's Hill road junction up to Nuwara Walauwa junction, thence along Brown's lane up to Pallimulla Middle road junction, and thence along Pallimulla Middle road up to Elliot road junction; west by Pallimulla Middle road junction up to the sea; and south by the sea.

*Division 3.*—The area called Uyanwatta North bounded on the south by the new road from the Forest Office to the Weragampita Temple road; north by the Weragampita Temple road and that portion of the Naimana Ferry road from Walpola junction to junction of 1st Cross road, Uyanwatta; west by the lane from the 1st Cross road, Uyanwatta, to the Esplanade road; east by the Uyanwatta-Weragampita road.

*Division 5.*—The whole area bounded on the north by the trace of the road running from the Nupe canal to the  $\frac{3}{4}$ th milepost on the Akuressa road; west, the centre line of the Akuressa road from the  $\frac{3}{4}$ th milepost to its junction with the Old Galle road, thence eastwards along the centre line of the Old Galle road as far as its junction with Temple road, thence along the centre line of Temple road and Paramulla road to the sea; south by the sea; east by the Nupe canal and Nilwala-ganga.

**Notice under Rule 15 of the Rules made under Article XXXVIII. of "The Ceylon (Legislative Council) Order in Council, 1923."**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, under rule 15 of the rules made by the Governor in Executive Council under Article XXXVIII. of "The Ceylon (Legislative Council) Order in Council, 1923," that the return and declaration under rule 14 of the said rules were lodged with me on October 4, 1924, by the Hon. Mr. K. Balasingham, and that the same can be inspected at the Jaffna Kachcheri any day between 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.

The Kachcheri,  
Jaffna, October 6, 1924.

F. J. SMITH,  
Returning Officer, Northern Province (Eastern Division) Electorate.

## "THE CEYLON (LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1923."

**IT** is hereby notified for general information that Mr. H. R. Freeman, elected member for the constituency of the North-Central Province, has on September 26, 1924, lodged with me a return of the election expenses incurred by him, together with a declaration, as prescribed by rule 14 of the rules made by His Excellency the Governor under Article XXXVIII. of the "Ceylon (Legislative Council) Order in Council, 1923."

The return and the declaration are open for inspection at the Anuradhapura Kachcheri at all reasonable hours.

The Kachcheri,  
Anuradhapura, October 2, 1924.

A. W. SEYMOUR,  
Returning Officer, Constituency of the North-Central Province Electorate.



## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting 3,000 cwt. of salt from the Batticaloa Salt Stores to the Salt Store at Kalmunai between October 22, 1924, and January 17, 1925.

2. The tenderers must state the rate of hire for each cwt., including the cost of weighing and storing.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Transporting Salt to Kalmunai" on the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Government Agent, Eastern Province, not later than midday on Friday, October 17, 1924.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied on application at the Batticaloa Kachcheri, and no tender will be accepted unless it is on the recognized form.

5. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made at the Batticaloa Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within seven days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent, Eastern Province, or his duly authorized representative, that is tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract.

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

7. Cash security for Rs. 500 from the successful tenderer will be required. If, however, landed property is to be hypothecated, the tenderer must produce with the title deeds a certificate from the Crown Proctor as to the validity of the title of the property and a certificate from the Registrar of Lands that the property is unencumbered, also a report from the Vanniya as to the value of the property.

8. A copy of each tender should be forwarded by the tenderer to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue by post at the same time as the original tender is forwarded to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

9. The contractor has to pay for any excess wastage in transport at Rs. 3.36 per cwt.

10. All other necessary information can be ascertained at the Batticaloa Kachcheri.

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

12. No tender will be considered, unless, in respect of it, all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Batticaloa Kachcheri,  
October 1, 1924,

D. B. SENEVIRATNE,  
for Government Agent.

SEALED tenders marked on the envelopes "Tender for weighing and transporting Salt for Purchasers" will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 1 P.M. on October 20, 1924, from persons willing to contract.

For the service of weighing, transporting, and delivering such salt as the Assistant Government Agent desires to be weighed and delivered to carts at the Salt Storage Platform, Eastern Saltern, Puttalam, and to boats at the Puttalam Jetty, during the period October 25, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Tenderers will note the following requirements:—

1. Tenderers should specify the rate for 1,000 cwt.—

(a) For weighing, transporting, and delivering salt to carts at the Salt Storage Platform, Eastern Saltern, Puttalam.

(b) For weighing and transporting salt from the Storage Platform, Eastern Saltern, and delivering same into boats at the Puttalam Jetty.

(c) For transporting and delivering salt to carts at the Storage Platform, Eastern Saltern, Puttalam (exclusive of the charges for weighing).

(d) For transporting salt from the Storage Platform, Eastern Saltern, and delivering same into boats at the Puttalam Jetty (exclusive of the charges for weighing).

2. They should be prepared to weigh and transport 1,500 cwt. daily, employing a sufficient number of coolies and carts for this purpose.

3. Each tenderer must deposit a sum of Rupees Fifty (Rs. 50) in any Kachcheri before tendering. No tender will receive any consideration where no such deposit has been made. The deposit will be forfeited to Government if the tenderer is not prepared to enter into contract, or is unable to furnish certified security in Rupees One thousand (Rs. 1,000), for the due fulfilment of the contract. Unforfeited deposits will be returned to the tenderer.

4. Each tenderer must name an address in Puttalam, where all letters or notices may be served on or left for him.

5. A letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become surety for the due fulfilment of the contract, should accompany the tender.

6. Every alteration in the tender should be initialled by the tenderer.

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

8. The tenderers should be at hand at the Kachcheri, on the day of opening of tenders, so that they or any of them, may be spoken to if it is found necessary to do so.

9. Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders.

10. The tender of any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, will not be accepted. The tenderer shall neither issue a power of attorney to any person, nor employ him if the name of such person is on the list of defaulting contractors; nor any other person to whom the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

11. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.

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

13. Further particulars can be obtained from the Salt Superintendent, Puttalam.

The Kachcheri,

E. R. SUDBURY,

Puttalam, October 3, 1924. for Assistant Government Agent.

## SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &amp;c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following private properties of long-sentenced and deceased prisoners of Bogambara Jail will be sold by public auction at the Jail premises on October 25, 1924, at 11 A.M. :—

20 sarongs	18 handkerchiefs	1 trouser	2 shorts
6 coats	5 towels	1 hat	10 belts
14 cloths	6 rags	1 pair boots	1 German silver waist-chain
13 banians	2 shirts	1 pair socks	

Bogambara Jail,  
Kandy, October 3, 1924.

J. LAMBERT,  
Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unclaimed and confiscated articles lying in this court will be sold by public auction at 2 P.M. on Saturday, October 18, 1924.

2 knives	Cart wheel	Tapping knife	Ear-pick
2 baskets	Broken umbrella	Alavangu	Sarong
Handkerchief	Knife	Mammoty	Branding iron
Alavangu	Stool	Katty	Hammer
Camboy cloth	Mammoty	2 forks	Wooden box
Axe	Khaki coat	Wooden box	Sword
Carpenter's tools	Handkerchief	2 knives	3 vetties
Gunny bag	Plate	Knife	1 Ellwood hat
Chintz cloth	Jacket	Bottle lamp	Tin box
Cloth	4 gunny bags	Knife	Comb
Coloured bead	Waistcoat	Mammoty	Door frame
Arecanut cutter	4 studs	Waist coat	Hammer
Sarong	Banian	String of beads	Green cloth
Knife	2 rolls barbed wire	Cloth	Ladder °
Belt	Wind screen	Crowbar	1 glass
Chunam box	Umbrella	Wooden box	Pair of silver bangles
Coat	Cloth	Coat	Jacket
Knife	Comb	Button	Wooden box
Coat	Camboy cloth	4 coconuts	Wooden box
Candles and matches	16 coconuts	Banian	Carnboy
Towel	Mat bag	Sword	Knives
2 banians	Vettie	Katty	Empty bottles
Cup	Handkerchief	Tin box	Silver hairpin
Camboy	Sarong	Cloth	
Camboy	Cup	Sarong	
3 knives	Gunny bag	Chintz cloth	

Police Court,  
Kegalla, Octobe. 1, 1924.

V. COOMARASWAMY,  
Police Magistrate.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

### Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended October 4, 1924.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 123 (12 Burghers, 69 Sinhalese, 23 Tamils, 12 Moors, 3 Malays, and 4 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1924, viz., 253,224) was 25.4, as against 25.6 in the preceding week, 29.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28.3 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 130 (4 Burghers, 73 Sinhalese, 26 Tamils, 20 Moors, 4 Malays, and 3 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 26.8, as against 27.7 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 130 total deaths, 22 were of infants under one year of age, as against 27 in the preceding week, 32 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 8.

**Principal Causes of Deaths.**—1. Seventeen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 3 in Maradana North, 2 each in St. Paul's, San Sebastian, New Bazaar, and 1 each in Kotahena North and Kollupitiya, as against 14 in the previous week and 15 the weekly average for last year.

2. (a) Eleven deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 5 in Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), 3 in Slave Island, 2 in Maradana South, and 1 in Kotahena North, as against 14 in the previous week and 24 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Eleven deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), 2 in Slave Island and 1 each in Kotahena South, New Bazaar, and Wellawatta South, as against 4 in the previous week and 4 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Five deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 2 in St. Paul's and 1 each in Kotahena South, New Bazaar, and Maradana North, as against 3 in the previous week and 6 the weekly average for last year.

3. One death from *Enteric Fever* was registered in Maradana hospital (of a non-resident), as against 4 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

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

5. Nine deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 9 from *Debility*, 7 from *Enteritis*, 6 from *Dysentery*, 3 from *Worms*, 2 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Puerperal Septicæmia*, and 46 from *Other Causes*.

6. Five cases of *Enteric Fever*, 4 of *Chickenpox*, and 3 of *Measles*, were reported during the week, as against 6, 16, and 6, respectively, of the preceding week. No case of *Plague* was reported either this week or in the previous week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 80.1°, against 79.2° in the preceding week, and 80.8° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.879 in., against 29.838 in., in the preceding week, and 29.892 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2.49 in., against 10.81 in. in the preceding week, and 1.65 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 7, 1924.

FRED. L. ANTHONISZ,  
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 subsidise such.
- (g) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any authorities, and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
- (h) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
- (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
- (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
- (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
- (l) To work mines or quarries, and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with or s, 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 a 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. BOWLE, 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. AITKEN, 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
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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 offers 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 an 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.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE TILTON (CEYLON) TEA ESTATES, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE TILTON (CEYLON) TEA ESTATES, LIMITED."

The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.

3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—

- (1) To purchase or otherwise acquire Shamrock estate of about 208 acres, situate in the Kandy District of the Island of Ceylon, as on and from July 1, 1924.
- (2) To purchase, take on lease, or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any lands, concessions, estates, plantations, and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, and any right of way, water rights, and other rights, privileges, easements, and concessions, and any factories, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, immovable or movable, of any kind.
- (3) To hold, use, clear, open, plant, cultivate, work, manage, improve, carry on, and develop the undertaking, lands, and real and personal, immovable and movable, estates or property, and assets of any kind of the Company or any part thereof.
- (4) To plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie, and other natural products or produce of any kind in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
- (5) To treat, cure, prepare, manipulate, submit to any process of manufacture, and render marketable (whether on account of the Company or others) tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid, or any articles or things whatsoever; to buy, sell, export, import, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconut produce, coconuts, coffee, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatsoever, either in a prepared, manufactured, or raw state, and either by wholesale or retail.
- (6) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere, all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: planters of tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid in all its branches; carriers of passengers and goods by land or by water; forwarding agents, merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, tug owners, and wharfingers; proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; and any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with any of them.
- (7) To acquire or establish and carry on any other business, manufacturing, shipping, or otherwise, which can be conveniently carried on in connection with any of the Company's general business; to apply for, purchase, or otherwise acquire any patents, *brevets d'invention*, concessions, and the like conferring an exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit the Company; and to use, exercise, develop, grant licenses in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, and information so acquired.
- (8) To purchase tea-leaf, rubber, coconuts, coffee, and (or) other raw products or produce for manufacture, manipulation, and (or) sale.
- (9) 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 or products, and generally to carry on the business of mining in all its branches.
- (10) To purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold boats, barges, tugs, launches, and vessels of any description whatsoever; to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold vans, omnibuses, carriages, carts, and other vehicles of any description whatsoever; and to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold all live and dead stock, chattels, and effects required for the maintenance and working of the business of carriers by land or by water; of proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; of tug owners and wharfingers, or of any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above respectively.
- (11) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee-curing mills, manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, water-courses, docks, wharves, jetties, and other works and conveniences which may be necessary or convenient for the purposes of the Company, or may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the Company's interests, and to contribute to, subsidize, or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management, carrying out, or control thereof.
- (12) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India and elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, 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.
- (13) To engage, employ, maintain, and dismiss managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, coolies, and other servants and labourers; and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
- (14) To enter into any arrangements with any authorities, government, municipal, local or otherwise that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such authority any rights, privileges, rebates, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.

- (15) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest, reciprocal concession, amalgamation, or co-operation with any person, corporation, or company carrying on or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company; to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stock in or securities of and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with such shares or securities; and to form, constitute, or promote or assist in the formation, constitution or promotion of any other company or companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights, and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company, and to guarantee the payment of any debentures or other securities issued by any such company or companies.
- (16) To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorized to do business in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, or elsewhere.
- (17) 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 or book debts, or without any security at all.
- (18) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company, or receive money on deposit at interest or otherwise, and for the purpose of raising or securing money for the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant, or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable, irredeemable, or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights, and property of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.
- (19) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights, privileges, licenses, or easements which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects and capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being.
- (20) To cause or permit any debentures, debenture stock, bonds, 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.
- (21) To sell the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
- (22) 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.
- (23) To make, accept, endorse, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
- (24) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business.
- (25) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise, or alone or in conjunction with others, or by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and generally to carry on any business or effectuate any object of the Company.
- (26) To sell, let, lease, under lease, exchange, surrender, transfer, deliver, charge, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company, whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration.
- (27) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate, 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 (whether fully paid up or partly paid up), or in debentures, 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 as fully paid up or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (28) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate, property, or assets of the Company, or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, money or shares (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) of any company, or debentures or debenture stock, or obligations of any company or person or partly one and partly any other.
- (29) 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.
- (30) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive, or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them, and in case of doubt as to what shall be so necessary, incidental, conducive, or convenient as aforesaid, the decision of an extraordinary general meeting shall be conclusive.

It being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "person" includes any number of persons and a corporation, and that the word "company," except where used in reference to this Company, shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and whether domiciled or incorporated in the Island of Ceylon or elsewhere, and that the "objects" specified in any one paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Six hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 600,000), divided into Sixty thousand (60,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital, and from time to time to alter, modify, commute, abrogate, or deal with any rights, privileges, terms, conditions, or designations for the time being attached to any class of shares in accordance with the regulations for the time being of the Company. The shares forming the



capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided, consolidated, or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be issued as fully paid or partly paid shares, 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.
G. K. LOGAN, Colombo	One
W. R. MAGUIRE, Colombo	One
W. T. GRESWELL, Colombo	One
W. H. MARSHALL, Colombo	One
WM. A. HEALE, Colombo	One
H. C. LEAR, Colombo	One
F. W. TRELOAR, Colombo	One
Total Number of Shares taken	Seven

Witness to the signatures of the above-named George Kenneth Logan, William Robert Maguire, William Territt Greswell, William Henry Marshall, William Alfred Heale, Herbert Cecil Lear, and Frederick William Treloar, at Colombo, this 3rd day of October, 1924.

PERCIVAL S. MARTENSZ,  
Proctor of the Supreme Court, Colombo.

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE TILTON (CEYLON) TEA ESTATES, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows:—

1. (a) *Table C not to apply; Company to be governed by these Articles.*—The regulations contained in Table C in the schedule annexed to “The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861,” shall not apply to this Company, which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution.
- (b) The sub-headings in these Articles shall not be deemed to be part of or affect the construction of these presents.
2. *Power to alter the Regulations.*—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.
3. None of the funds of the Company shall be employed in the purchase of or be lent on shares of the Company.

#### INTERPRETATION.

4. *Interpretation Clause.*—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:—

*Company.*—The word “Company” means “The Tilton (Ceylon) Tea Estates, Limited,” incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

*The Ordinance.*—“The Ordinance” means and includes “The Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, 1861 to 1918,” and every other Ordinance from time to time in force concerning Joint Stock Companies which may apply to the Company.

*Special Resolution.*—“Special resolution” has the meaning assigned thereto by the Ordinance.

*Extraordinary Resolution.*—“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 at any meeting of the Company, of which notice specifying an intention to propose such resolution as an extraordinary resolution has been duly given.

*These Presents.*—“These presents” means and includes the Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association of the Company from time to time in force.

*Capital.*—“Capital” means the capital for the time being raised or authorized to be raised for the purposes of the Company.

*Shares.*—“Shares” means the shares from time to time into which the capital of the Company may be divided.

*Shareholder.*—“Shareholder” means a Shareholder of the Company.

*Presence or Present.*—With regard to a Shareholder “presence or present” at a meeting means presence or present personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

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

*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.*—“Persons” means partnerships, associations, corporations, companies, unincorporated or incorporated by Ordinance and registration, as well as individuals.

*Office.*—“Office” means the registered office for the time being of the Company.

*Seal.*—“Seal” means the common seal for the time being of the Company.

*Month.*—“Month” means a calendar month.

*In Writing and Written.*—“In writing” and “written” include printing, lithography, and other modes of representing or reproducing words in a visible form.

*Dividend.*—“Dividend” includes bonus.

*Singular and Plural Number.*—Words importing the singular number only include the plural and *vice versa*.

*Masculine and Feminine Gender.*—Words importing the masculine gender only include the feminine and *vice versa*.

#### BUSINESS.

5. *Commencement of Business.*—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 notwithstanding that the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted, they shall do so as soon as in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

6. *Business to be carried on by Directors.*—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.

7. *Nominal Capital.*—The nominal capital of the Company is Six hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 600,000), divided into Sixty thousand (60,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

#### SHARES.

8. (a) *Issue and Allotment.*—The shares, except where 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 may consider proper; provided that such unissued shares shall be first offered by the Directors to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company, in accordance with their rights and subject in the case of preference shares or shares of any particular class to any limitations as to participating in any issue of shares which may attach to such preference shares or shares of such particular class, as nearly as possible in proportion to the shares already held by them, and such shares as shall not be accepted by the Shareholder or Shareholders to whom the shares shall have been offered within the time specified in that behalf by the Directors, may be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as they think most beneficial to the Company; provided also that the Directors may at their discretion allot any unissued shares in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company or for services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company, and may make arrangements on an 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.

(b) *Commission for placing Shares.*—The Directors may at any time pay a commission to any person for subscribing or agreeing to subscribe (whether absolutely or conditionally) for any shares in the Company, or procuring or agreeing to procure subscriptions (whether absolute or conditional) for any shares in the Company.

9. *Payment of Amount of Shares by Instalments.*—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 share.

10. *Acceptance.*—Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company from time to time directs.

11. *Payment.*—Payment for shares shall be made in such manner as the Directors shall from time to time determine and direct.

12. *Shares held by a Firm.*—Shares may be registered in the name of a firm, and any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies, but not more than one partner may vote at a time.

13. *Shares held by two or more Persons not in Partnership.*—Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons not in partnership.

14. *One of Joint-Holders, other than a Firm, may give Receipts; only one of Joint-Holders resident in Ceylon entitled to Vote.*—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.

15. *Survivor of Joint-Holders, other than a Firm, only recognized.*—In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders, other than a firm, 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.

16. *Liability of Joint-Holders.*—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.

17. *Trusts or any Interest in Share other than that of Registered Holder or of any Person under Article 38 not recognized.*—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 Article 38 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

#### INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

18. *Increase of Capital by Creation of new Shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may, by special resolution from time to time, increase the capital by creation of new shares of such amount 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.

19. *Issue of new Shares.*—The new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof or any other General Meeting of the Company shall direct; and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends and in the distribution of assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting. The Directors shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper.

20. *How carried into Effect.*—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 accordance with their rights and subject in the case of preference shares or shares of any particular class to any limitations as to participating in any issue of shares which may attach to such preference shares or shares of such particular class, in proportion to the existing shares held by them. 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 in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company, or for services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

21. *Same as Original Capital.*—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 provisions herein contained with reference to the payments of calls and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise.

#### REDUCTION OF CAPITAL AND SUBDIVISION OR CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES.

22. *Reduction of Capital and Subdivision or Consolidation of Shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may, by special resolution, reduce the capital in such manner as such special resolution shall direct, and may, by special resolution, subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company or any of them.

#### SHARE CERTIFICATES.

23. *Certificates how issued.*—Every Shareholder shall be entitled to one certificate for all the shares registered in his name, or to several certificates, each for one or more of such shares. Every certificate shall specify the distinctive number of the share in respect of which it is issued.

24. *Certificates to be under Seal of Company.*—The certificates of shares shall be issued under the seal of the Company.

25. *Renewal of Certificate.*—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 shall be given to the person entitled to such lost or destroyed certificate. A sum of fifty cents shall be payable for such new certificate.

26. *Certificate to be delivered to the first named of Joint-Holders not a Firm.*—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.

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

27. *Exercise of Rights.*—No person shall exercise any right of a Shareholder until his name shall have been entered in the register of Shareholders, and he shall have paid all calls and other moneys for the time being payable on every share in the Company held by him.

28. *Transfer of Shares.*—Subject to the restriction of these Articles, any Shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by instrument in writing.

29. *No transfer to Minor or Person of Unsound Mind.*—No transfer of shares shall be made to a minor or person of unsound mind.

30. *Register of Transfers.*—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.

31. *Instrument of Transfer.*—The instrument of transfer of any share shall be signed both by the transferor and transferee, and the transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of such share until the name of the transferee is entered in the register in respect thereof.

32. *Board may decline to register Transfers.*—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 has a lien or otherwise; or to any person not approved by them.

33. *Not bound to state Reason.*—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.

34. *Registration of Transfer.*—Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Rs. 2·50, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid; and thereupon the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 32, 33, and 35, shall register the transfer as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

35. *Directors may authorize Registration of Transferees.*—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.

36. *Directors not bound to inquire as to Validity of Transfer.*—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, if at all, upon the transferee only.

37. *Transfer Books when to be closed.*—The transfer books may be closed during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting, including the First General Meeting; also, when a dividend is declared, for the three days next ensuing the meeting; also at such other times as the Directors may decide, not exceeding in the whole twenty-one days in any one year.

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

38. *Title to Shares of Deceased Holder.*—The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company, as having any title to shares of such Shareholder.

39. *Registration of Persons entitled to Shares otherwise than by Transfer.*—Any curator of any minor Shareholder, 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 the marriage of any female 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 Company think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares on payment of a fee of Rs. 2·50; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

40. *Failing such Registration, Shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under Article 39 shall not, from any cause whatever, within 12 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 12 calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell the same 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 share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same; 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.

41. *The Directors may accept Surrender of Shares.*—The Directors may accept in the name and for the benefit of the Company, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon a surrender of the shares of Shareholders who may be desirous of retiring from the Company.

42. (a) *If Call or Instalment be not paid, Notice to be given to Shareholder.*—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 or his executors or administrators, or the trustee or assignee in his bankruptcy, requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

(b) *Terms of Notice.*—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.

(c) *In Default of Payment, Shares 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.

(d) *Shareholder still liable to pay Money owing at Time of Forfeiture.*—Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall, notwithstanding, be liable to pay, and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls, instalments, 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 9 per cent. per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

43. *Surrendered or Forfeited Shares to be the Property of the Company, and may be sold, &c.*—Every share surrendered or so declared forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

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

45. (a) *Certificates of Surrender or Forfeiture.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture; 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; such purchaser thereupon shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase, and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

(b) *Forfeiture may be remitted.*—The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share, 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 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted or otherwise disposed of under Article 43 hereof shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

46. *Company's Lien on Shares.*—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 otherwise, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls, resolutions for which shall have been passed by the Directors, 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.

47. *Lien how made Available.*—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 heirs, 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.

48. *Proceeds how applied.*—The net proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 43 and 47 hereof shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) shall be paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

49. *Certificate of Sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries that the power of sale given by Article 47 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

50. *Transfer on Sale how executed.*—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 shares.

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

51. *Preference and Deferred Shares.*—Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right of preference, whether in respect of dividend or of payment 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 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.

52. *Modification of Rights and Consent thereto.*—If at any time, by the issue of preference shares or otherwise, the capital be divided into shares of different classes—

- (1) The holders of any class of shares by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders may 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 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;
- (2) All or any of the rights, privileges, and conditions attached to each class may be commuted, abrogated, abandoned, added to, or otherwise modified by a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, provided the holders of any class of shares affected by any such commutation, abrogation, abandonment, addition, or other modification of such rights, privileges, and conditions consent thereto on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders.

Any extraordinary resolution passed under the provisions of this Article 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 as aforesaid in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolution could have been effected without it.

53. *Meeting affecting a Particular Class of Shares.*—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 Shareholder, 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 Shareholder personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

#### CALLS.

54. (a) *Directors may make Calls.*—The Directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit upon the registered holders of shares in respect of moneys unpaid thereon, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made on him to the persons and at the times and places appointed by the Directors, provided that two months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call.

(b) *Calls, Time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board Meeting of the Directors or by resolution in writing in terms of Article 121.

(c) *Extension of Time for Payment of Call.*—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.

55. *Interest on Unpaid Call.*—If the sum payable in respect of any call or instalment is not paid on or before the day appointed for the payment thereof, the holder for the time being of the share in respect of which the call shall have been made, or the instalments shall have been due, shall pay interest on the same at the rate of 9 per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of the actual payment, but the Directors may, when they think fit, remit altogether or in part any sum becoming payable for interest under this clause.

56. *Payments in Anticipation of Calls.*—The Directors may at their discretion receive from any Shareholder willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the amount of his shares beyond the sum actually called up.

#### BORROWING POWERS.

57. *Power to Borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time, at their discretion, to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of One hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 100,000). The Directors shall, with the sanction of a General Meeting, be entitled to borrow or raise such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the repayment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenues, property, and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Provided that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures, or create any debenture stock they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, notice of the intent on to obtain such sanction at such meeting having been duly given. Any such securities may be issued either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. 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. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall, as regards the creditor, be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

#### MEETINGS.

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

59. *Subsequent General Meetings.*—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 prescribed, at such time and place as may be determined by the Directors.

60. *Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The General Meetings mentioned in the two last preceding clauses shall be called Ordinary General Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

61. *Extraordinary General Meetings.*—The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-seventh of the number of Shareholders holding not less than one-seventh of the issued capital and entitled to vote.

62. *Requisition of Shareholders to state Object of Meeting; on Receipt of Requisition, Directors to call Meeting, and in Default, Shareholders may do so.*—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 at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

63. *Notice of Resolution.*—Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

64. (a) *Seven Days' Notice of Meeting to be given.*—Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given either by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* or by notice sent by post, or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, but an accidental omission to give such notice to any Shareholder shall not invalidate the proceedings at any General Meeting, provided, however, that holders of preference shares or shares of any particular class shall not be entitled to notice of any meeting at which by the conditions or provisions attached to such preference shares or shares of such particular class they shall not be entitled to attend or vote thereat.

(b) *Two Meetings convened by one Notice.*—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 on the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

65. *Business requiring and not requiring Notification.*—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 retiring in rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Directors and Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatever of which special mention shall have been made in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

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

67. *Quorum to be Present.*—No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or the election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present in person at the commencement of the business two or more persons, being Shareholders, entitled to vote, or persons holding proxies or powers of attorney from Shareholders entitled to vote.

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

69. *Chairman of Directors or a Director to be Chairman of General Meeting; in Case of their Absence or Refusal, a Shareholder may act.*—The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; but if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present within 15 minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Directors be present, or if all the Directors present decline to take the chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

70. *Business confined to Election of Chairman while Chair vacant.*—No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting, except the election of a Chairman whilst the chair is vacant.

71. *Chairman with Consent may adjourn Meeting.*—The Chairman, with the consent of the meeting, may 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 shall be given.

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

#### VOTING AT MEETINGS.

73. *Votes.*—At any meeting every resolution shall in the first instance be decided by a show of hands. 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 votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded in writing by some Shareholder present at the meeting 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 of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

74. *Poll.*—If a poll be duly demanded, the same shall be taken in such manner, and at such time and place as the Chairman shall direct, and the result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was demanded. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

75. *Poll how taken.*—If at any meeting a poll be demanded by notice in writing signed by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, which notice shall be delivered during the meeting to the Chairman, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned and the poll shall be taken at such time and in such a 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 taken shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

76. *No Poll on Election of Chairman or on Question of Adjournment.*—No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

77. *Voting in Person or by Proxy or Attorney.*—Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

78. *Number of Votes to which Shareholder entitled.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person or by attorney duly authorized shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall have one vote for every share held by him up to ten shares; he shall have an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first ten shares up to one hundred shares; an additional vote for every twenty-five shares held by him beyond the first one hundred shares. When voting on a resolution involving the sale of the Company's estates or any of them or any part or portion thereof or the winding up of the Company, every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

79. *Curator of Minor, &c., when not entitled to Vote.*—The parent or curator of a minor Shareholder, the committee or other legal guardian 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 minor, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

80. *Non-Shareholder not to be appointed Proxy; but Attorney though not Shareholder may Vote.*—No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a Shareholder of the Company, but the attorney of a Shareholder, even though not himself a Shareholder of the Company, may represent and vote for his principal at any meeting of the Company.

81. *Shareholder in Arrear or not registered at least three Months previous to the Meeting not to Vote.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote or speak at any General Meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares, or any of them, shall have been paid; and no shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote or speak at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of or as the holder of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or speak, duly registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote or speak.

82. *Proxy to be Printed or in Writing.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written, and shall be signed by the appointor, or if such appointor be a corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such corporation. Provided always that an instrument appointing a proxy may be signed by the attorney of the appointor duly authorized in writing under the hand or the common seal, as the case may be, of the appointor.

83. (a) *When Proxy to be deposited.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than twenty-four hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote.

(b) *When Power of Attorney to be deposited.*—The power of attorney under which a proxy has been signed or under which a person proposes to vote shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company for registration in the books of the Company at least twenty-four hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in such power of attorney or in the proxy, as the case may be, proposes to vote.

84. *Form of Proxy.*—Any instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

*The Tilton (Ceylon) Tea Estates, Limited.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, appoint \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ (a Shareholder in the Company), 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. *Objection to Validity of Vote to be made at the Meeting or Poll.*—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 vote 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 to be prevented from Voting by being personally interested in Result.*—No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

87. *Number of Directors.*—The number of Directors shall never be less than two nor more than five. In the event of the number of Directors in Ceylon ever being reduced to one, such remaining Director shall immediately cause to be convened an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders for the purpose of filling up one or more of the vacancies; but, in the event of a quorum of Shareholders not attending such Meeting, the remaining Director shall himself appoint a Director to fill one of the vacancies. Any Director so appointed shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting of the Company. Until such appointment the remaining Director shall not act except for the purpose of appointing another, and, if necessary, enabling him to be placed on the register of Shareholders.

88. *Their Qualification and Remuneration.*—The qualification of a Director shall be his holding shares in the Company, whether fully paid up or partly paid up, of the total nominal value of at least One thousand Rupees (Rs. 1,000), and upon which, in the case of partly paid up shares, all calls for the time being shall have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Five thousand Rupees (Rs. 5,000) 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 for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

89. *Appointment of First Directors and Duration of their Office.*—The first Directors shall be George Kenneth Logan of Colombo; Ernest Masters of Colombo and Fredrick Robert Bisset of Welimade Group, Welimade, who shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

90. *Directors may appoint Managing Director or Directors; his or their Remuneration.*—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 Visiting Agents of the Company, or Superintendent or Superintendents of any of the Company's estates, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or 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, Superintendent or Superintendents, and the Directors may impose and confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be imposed or 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.

91. *Appointment of Successors to Directors.*—The General Meeting at which Directors retire or ought to retire by rotation shall appoint successors to them, and in default thereof such successors may be appointed at a subsequent General Meeting. No person, not being a retiring Director, shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he or some other Shareholder intending to propose him has, at least seven clear days before the meeting, left, at the office, a notice in writing under his hand signifying his candidature for the appointment or the intention of such Shareholder to propose him.

92. *Board may fill up Vacancies.*—The Board shall have power at any time and from time to time before the First Ordinary General Meeting to supply any vacancies in their number arising from death, resignation, or otherwise.

93. *Duration of office of Director appointed to Vacancy.*—Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors subsequent to the First Ordinary General Meeting may be filled up by the Directors, but any person so chosen shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

94. *To retire Annually.*—At the Second Ordinary General Meeting and at the Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year, one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in Article 95.

95. *Retiring Directors how determined.*—The Directors to retire from office at the Second and Third General Meetings 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.

96. *Retiring Directors eligible for Re-election.*—Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

97. *Decision of Question as to Retirement.*—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.

98. *Number of Directors how increased or reduced.*—The Directors, subject to the approval of a General Meeting, may, from time to time at any time subsequent to the Second Ordinary General Meeting, increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also, subject to the like approval, determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

99. *If Election not made, Retiring Directors to continue until next Meeting.*—If at any meeting at which an election of a Director ought to take place, the place of the 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. *Resignation of Directors.*—A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Secretary, or by leaving the same at the office, or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors.

101. No contract, arrangement, or transaction entered into by or on behalf of the Company with any Director, or with any company or co-partnership of which a Director is a partner, or of which he is a Director, Managing Director, or Manager, shall be void or voidable, nor shall such Director be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by such contract, arrangement, or transaction by reason only of such Director holding that office, or of the fiduciary relation thereby established, provided that the fact of his interest or connection therewith be fully disclosed to the Company or its Directors.

102. *When Office of Director to be vacated.*—The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accept or hold any office of place of profit other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary under the Company.
- (b) If he become bankrupt or insolvent or suspend payment or file a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compound with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he become incapable of acting.
- (d) If he cease to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he be concerned or participate in the profits of any contract with, or work done for, the Company.
- (f) If he cease to ordinarily reside in Ceylon or be absent from Ceylon for a period of three consecutive months.

*Exceptions.*—But the above rule shall be subject to the following exceptions:—That no Director shall vacate his office 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, of which he is a Director, or by his being Agent, or Secretary, or Proctor, or by his being a member of a firm who are Agents, or Secretaries, or Proctors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract, work, or business in which he may be personally interested.

103. *How Directors removed and Successors appointed.*—The Company may, by an extraordinary 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.

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

105. *No Contribution to be required from Directors beyond Amount, if any, unpaid on their Shares.*—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.

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

106. The Directors shall have power to purchase or otherwise acquire the said Shamrock estate of about 208 acres, situated in the Kandy District, as on and from the First day of July, 1924.

107. *To manage Business of Company and pay Preliminary Expenses, &c.*—The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an Agent or Agents and Secretary or Secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors for such period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors may 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 connection with the placing of the shares of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, or acquisition of the said Shamrock estate, and the purchase, lease, or acquisition of any other lands, estates, or property, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and in or about the working and business of the Company.

108. *To acquire Property, to appoint Officers and pay Expenses.*—The Directors shall have power to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, or otherwise acquire for the Company any estate or estates, land or lands, property, rights, options or privileges which the Company is authorized to acquire at such price and for such consideration and upon such title and generally on such terms and conditions as they may think fit; and to make and they may make such regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and for that purpose may appoint such managers, agents, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, buyers, and other officers, visiting agents, inspectors, superintendents, 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, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, visiting agents, inspectors, superintendents, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable and without assigning any cause.

109. *To appoint Proctors and Attorneys.*—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. *To open Banking Accounts and operate thereon, &c.*—The Directors shall have power to open 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. *To sell and dispose of Company's Property, &c.*—It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders 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, lands, and effects of the Company or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, or the assignment of the whole or any part or parts of its leasehold interests in any estate or estates, land or lands, or the sub-lease of the whole or any part or parts thereof 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.

112. *General Powers.*—The Directors 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 the Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, clerks, assistants, artisans, and workers, and generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by the Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by the Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of the Ordinance 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 regulation 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 limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

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

- (1) To institute, conduct, defend, compound, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or legal proceedings by and against the Company, or its officers or otherwise concerning the affairs of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due and of any claims and demands by and against the Company.
- (2) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform the awards.
- (3) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands of the Company.
- (4) 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.
- (5) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not 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.
- (6) From time to time to provide for the management of the affairs of the Company abroad in such manner as they think fit, and to establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company abroad, and to appoint any persons to be members of such Local Board or any managers or agents and to fix their remuneration.
- (7) From time to time and at any time 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 hereby made exercisable by the Directors, except those relating to shares and any others as to which special provisions inconsistent with such delegation are herein contained; and they shall have power to fix the remuneration of and at any time to remove such Director or other person or company and to annul or vary any such delegation. They shall not, however, be entitled to delegate any powers of borrowing or charging the property of the Company to any agent of the Company or other person except by instrument in writing, which shall specifically state the extent to which such powers may be used by the person or persons to whom they are so delegated, and compliance therewith shall be a condition precedent to the exercise of these powers.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

114. *Meeting of Directors.*—The Directors may meet for the dispatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings 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 summon Meetings of Directors.*—A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

116. *Who is to preside at Meetings of Board.*—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. *Questions at Meetings how decided.*—Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman thereat shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

118. *Board may appoint Committees.*—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. *Acts of Board or Committee Valid notwithstanding Informal Appointment.*—The acts of the Board or of any committee appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or committee, or defect in the appointment 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 every person had been duly appointed, provided the same be done before the discovery of the defect.

120. *Regulation of Proceedings of Committees.*—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.

121. *Resolution in Writing by all the Directors as Valid as if passed at a Meeting of Directors.*—A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors for the time being resident in Ceylon shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted, provided that not fewer than two Directors shall sign it.

122. *Minutes of Proceedings of the Company and the Directors to be recorded.*—The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in books to be provided for the purpose of the following matters, *videlicet* :—

- (a) Of all appointments of officers and committees made by the Directors.
- (b) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors and of the members of the Committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the Committee.
- (c) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings.
- (d) Of the resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors and of the Committees appointed by the Board.
- (e) Of all orders made by the Directors.
- (f) Of the use of the Company's seal.

123. *Signature of Minutes of Proceedings and Effect thereof.*—All such minutes shall be signed by the person or one of the persons 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 or one of the persons who shall preside as Chairman at the next ensuing General Meeting, Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively; 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 *primâ 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.

#### COMPANY'S SEAL.

124. *The Use of the Seal.*—The seal of the Company shall not be used or affixed to any deed, certificate of shares or other instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors or of one Director and the agents and secretaries of the Company, who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the agents and secretaries, in the event of a firm being the agents and secretaries, being signified by a partner or duly authorized manager, attorney, or agent of the said firm signing the firm name or the firm name *per procuracionem* or signing for and on behalf of the said firm as such agents and secretaries, and in the event of a company registered under the Ordinance being the agents and secretaries, being signified by a Director or the secretary or the duly authorized attorney of such company signing for and on behalf of such company as agents and secretaries. The sealing shall not be attested by one person in the dual capacity of Director and representative of the agents and secretaries. Any instrument sealed with the seal of the Company and signed by two or more Directors or by one Director and the agents and secretaries of the Company shall be presumed to be duly executed.

#### ACCOUNTS.

125. *What Accounts to be kept.*—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 receipt and expenditure take place, 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; and 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. *Accounts how and when Open to Inspection.*—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 any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders; and no Shareholder shall have any right of inspecting any account or books or document of the Company, except as conferred by the Ordinance or authorized by the Directors or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

127. *Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet to be furnished to General Meeting.*—At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the profit and loss account for the preceding financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up as at the end of the same period.

128. *Report to accompany Statement.*—Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company, and as to the amount which they recommend to be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

129. *Copy of Balance Sheet to be sent to Shareholders.*—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:

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

130. Where any asset is bought by the Company as from a past date (whether such date be before or after the incorporation of the Company) upon the terms that the Company shall as from that date take the profits and bear the losses thereof, such profits or losses, as the case may be, shall, at the discretion of the Directors, be credited or debited wholly or in part to revenue account, and in that case the amount so credited or debited shall, for the purpose of ascertaining the fund available for dividend, be treated as a profit or loss arising from the business of the Company.

131. *Declaration of Dividend, &c.*—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 amounts paid on their shares, but no dividend or bonus shall be payable except out of nett profits.

Any General Meeting may direct payment of any dividend declared at such meeting or of any interim dividends which may subsequently be declared by the Directors, wholly or in part in sterling 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 where 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.

132. *Interim Dividend.*—The Directors may also, if they think fit, from time to time and at any time, without the sanction of a General Meeting, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.

133. *Reserve Fund.*—Previously to the Directors paying or recommending any dividend on preference or ordinary shares, they may 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 shall think fit, or place the same on fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

134. (a) *Application thereof.*—The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for the payment of accumulated dividends due on preference shares or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises, or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant connected with the business of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purpose of the Company which they may from time to time deem expedient.

(b) *Issue of Bonus out of Reserve.*—The Directors may, with the sanction of the Company in General Meeting from time to time, apply such portion of the reserve fund or any other fund representing undivided profits of the Company as the General Meeting sanctioning such application may direct in or towards payment of a bonus in accordance with their rights to the Shareholders or to the members of any class of Shareholders, and may with the like sanction satisfy such bonus or any part thereof by the issue and allotment in accordance with their rights to the Shareholders, or to the members of any class of Shareholders, of shares in the Company to be issued and allotted in accordance with their rights to the Shareholders or the members of any class of Shareholders in such proportions and upon such terms in all respects as the General Meeting sanctioning the same may direct.

135. *Unpaid Interest or Dividend not to bear Interest.*—No unpaid interest or dividend or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company

136. *No Shareholder to receive Dividend while Debt due to Company.*—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.

137. *Directors may deduct Debt from the Dividends.*—The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all sums of money due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding such sums shall not be payable until after the date when such dividend is payable.

138. *Dividends may be paid by Cheque or Warrant and sent through the Post.*—Unless otherwise directed any dividend may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post to the registered address of the Shareholder entitled, or in the case of joint-holders, to the registered address of that one whose name stands first on the register in respect of the joint-holding; but the Company shall not be liable or responsible for the loss of any such cheque or dividend warrant sent through the post.

139. *Notice of Dividend: Forfeiture of Unclaimed Dividend.*—Notice of all dividends or bonuses to become payable shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto; and all dividends or bonuses unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by a resolution of the Board of Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund. For the purposes of this clause any cheques or warrants which may be issued for dividends or bonuses and may not be presented at the Company's bankers for payment within 3 years shall rank as unclaimed dividends.

140. *Shares held by a Firm.*—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.

141. *Joint-Holders other than a Firm.*—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.

#### AUDIT.

142. *Accounts to be audited.*—The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet and profit and loss account ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

143. *Qualification of Auditor.*—No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but an Auditor shall not be debarred from acting as a professional accountant in doing any special work for the Company which the Directors may deem necessary. It shall not be a necessary qualification for an Auditor that he be a Shareholder of the Company, and no Director or officer of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

144. *Appointment and Retirement of Auditors.*—The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor or Auditors of the Company and fix his or their remuneration; all future Auditors, except as is hereinafter mentioned, shall be appointed at the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and shall hold their office only until the First Ordinary General Meeting after their respective appointment, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

145. *Retiring Auditors eligible for Re-election.*—Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

146. *Remuneration of Auditors.*—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.

147. *Casual Vacancy in Office of Auditor how filled up.*—If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor shall not be supplied at any Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur, the Directors shall (subject to the approval of the next Ordinary General Meeting) fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold the office until such meeting.

148. *Duty of Auditor.*—Every Auditor shall be supplied with a copy of the balance sheet and profit and loss account intended to be laid before the next Ordinary General Meeting, 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.

149. *Company's Accounts to be open to Auditors for Audit.*—All accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company shall at all times be opened to the Auditors for the purpose of audit.

#### NOTICES.

150. *Notices how authenticated.*—Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or other persons appointed by the Board to do so.

151. *Shareholders to register Address.*—Every Shareholder shall furnish the Company with 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. *Service of Notices.*—A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder either personally or by sending it 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 for all purposes, 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.

153. *Notice to Joint-Holders of Shares other than a Firm.*—All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons other than a firm are jointly entitled, be sufficient if given to any one of such persons, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

154. *Date and Proof of Service.*—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 box or posted at a post office, 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. *Non-resident Shareholders must register Addresses in Ceylon.*—Every Shareholder resident out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notice.

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

#### ARBITRATION.

156. *Directors may refer Disputes to Arbitration.*—Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or person, the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration pursuant to and so as with regard to the mode and consequence of the reference and in all other respects to conform to the provisions in that behalf contained in the Civil Procedure Code, 1889, and the Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, or any then subsisting statutory modification thereof.

#### EVIDENCE.

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

#### PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

158. *Purchase of Company's Property by Shareholders.*—Any Shareholder, whether a Director or not, or 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. *Distribution.*—If the Company shall be wound up, and there shall be any surplus assets after payment of all debts and satisfaction of all liabilities of the Company, such surplus assets shall be applied, first, in repaying to the holders of the preference shares (if any) the amounts that may be due to them, whether by way of capital only or by way of capital and dividend, or arrears of dividend or otherwise in accordance with the rights, privileges, and conditions attached thereto, and the balance in repaying to the holders of the ordinary shares the amounts paid up or reckoned as paid up on such ordinary shares. If after such payments there shall remain any surplus assets, such surplus assets shall be divided among the ordinary Shareholders in proportion to the capital paid up, or reckoned as paid up, on the shares which are held by them respectively at the commencement of the winding up, unless the conditions attached to the preference shares expressly entitle such shares to participate in such surplus assets.

160. *Payment in Specie, and vesting in Trustees, Right of Contributory to Dissent, &c.*—If the Company shall be wound up, the liquidator, whether voluntary or official, may, with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution, divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may, with their sanction, vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator, with like sanction, shall think fit, and if thought expedient any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the Shareholders 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 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 section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908 in England, but for the purposes of an arbitration as in sub-section (6) of the said section, provided the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, and of the Civil Procedure Code, 1889, shall apply in place of the English and Scotch Acts referred to in the said sub-section (6) of section 192 of the aforesaid Companies (Consolidation) Act, and the said section 192, save as herein excepted, shall be deemed to be part and parcel of these present articles.

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names at Colombo this Third day of October, One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-four.

G. K. LOGAN, Colombo.

W. R. MAGUIRE, Colombo.

W. T. GRESWELL, Colombo.

W. H. MARSHALL, Colombo.

WM. A. HEALE, Colombo.

H. C. LEAR, Colombo.

F. W. TRELOAR, Colombo.

Witness to the signatures of the above-named George Kenneth Logan, William Robert Maguire, William Territt Greswell, William Henry Marshall, William Alfred Heale, Herbert Cecil Lear, and Frederick William Treloar.

PERCIVAL S. MARTENSZ,  
Proctor of the Supreme Court, Colombo.



**The Indo-Ceylon Trading Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Baillie street, Colombo, on Thursday, January 15, 1925, at 4 P.M., for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following special resolutions:—

1. That clause 3 (a) of the Memorandum of Association be amended by adding the following after the figures "1923":—

"and from Mr. Douglas Scott the business of importers, exporters and general merchants, estate agents, commission agents carried on at Amen Corner, Queen street, Fort Colombo, under the name, style, and firm of Douglas Scott & Co."

2. To amend clause 3 (f) by adding the following words after the word "Produce":—

"and also import piece goods, leather, grains, rice, flour, sugar, matches, stationery, and general goods, and to carry on business as estate and commission agents and general merchants."

3. To amend Article No. 85 of the Articles of Association by deleting the words "five hundred," and substituting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred."

By order of the Board of Directors,  
C. ARUMUGAM & Co.,  
Colombo, October 1, 1924. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Ceylon Hemp and Produce Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held at 11.30 A.M. on Thursday, October 30, 1924, at the registered office of the Company, Australia buildings, York street, Colombo.

**Business.**

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to June 30, 1924.
- (2) To elect a Director.
- (3) To appoint Auditors.

And transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
CARSON & Co., LTD.,  
Colombo, October 9, 1924. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Coop, Limited.**

Report of the Directors for the Year ended January 31, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Nos. 31 and 32, Chatham street, Fort, on Tuesday, October 21, 1924, at 3 P.M.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended January 31, 1924.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint an Auditor.
- (5) Any other business that may be brought before the Meeting, due notice of which has been given.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from October 14 to 21, inclusive.

By order,  
F. B. GONSAL,  
Secretary.

**Auction Sale.**

A Compact Little Engineering Works known as J. Gerryn & Co., Skinner's Road, South, Colombo.

A. B. Gomes ..... Plaintiff.  
D. C., Colombo, Vs.  
No. 13,018.

M. A. Don Themis Perera and J. Gerryn . . . Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of a commission issued to us in D.C., Colombo, No. 13,018, we will sell by public auction the Engineering Works called and known as

J. Gerryn & Co., with all plant consisting of a 14 h.p. liq. fuel engine, turning lathes, drilling machine, blower, fitters' benches and vices, blacksmiths' tools, stock and dies, and a large supply of other engineering tools; &c., on Tuesday, November 4, 1924, at 4 P.M. at the spot.

N.B.—This will be sold as a going concern.

York House, York street, Fort. F. J. HILLS & Co.,  
Tel. No. 234. Auctioneers and Brokers,  
Telgs.: "Hillside."

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Colombo, No. 12,525.**

A Large House and Premises, in Extent 1 Rood and 9 Perches.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above action, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Monday, November 3, 1924, at 5 P.M., at the spot, the following property, to wit:—

All that allotment of land, with the buildings thereon, bearing assessment No. 454/41, situated at Smallpass in the San Sebastian Ward, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, aforesaid; bounded on the north by the property bearing assessment No. 40 said to belong to O. L. Marikar, on the east by the property of Mr. R. E. Perera, on the south by the property bearing No. 42 said to belong to Mr. R. E. Perera, and on the west by the road; containing in extent 1 rood and 9 perches.

For deeds, &c., apply to P. Cassius Jansz, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo Courts.

No cheques will be accepted.

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

Phone No. 733.

**Auction Sale.**

A House and Ground at Grandpass.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me, and the decree entered in case No. 12,843, D. C., Colombo, I shall sell by public auction for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,816-50 and interest on October 31, 1924, at 4.30 P.M. at the spot:—All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 61, St. Joseph's street, Grandpass, Colombo; bounded on the north by a portion of the same land belonging to C. E. Talayaratne, on the east by the high road, on the south by the lands belonging to William Logus and another, and on the west by the lands belonging to Siriwickreme Panditaratne Isabella Perera; in extent 9 square perches.

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

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

A Valuable Property situated at Welisara in Ragam Papan of Alutkuru Korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 12,309 D. C. Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 1, 1924, at 4.30 P.M. at the spot:

All that land called and known as Beligaha alias Ambagahawatta, together with all the trees and plantations thereon, situated at Welisara aforesaid; containing in extent about 3 roods more or less.

For further particulars apply to B. S. Wickramaratne, Esq., Proctor; Supreme Court, Colombo, or—

FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

119, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

**Auction Sale under Partition Ordinance.**

A Valuable Residential Bungalow with four Bedrooms, fitted with Electric Lights, with Motor garage, &c., at Baseline Road, facing de Soysa's Bacteriological Institute, Borella.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in action No. 10,820 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction, all that divided lot marked D.

with the buildings thereon bearing assessment Nos. 1 and 2, situated at Baseline road, Colombo, in extent 1 rood and 3 perches; on Friday, November 21, 1924, at 5 P.M. at the spot.

The sale will first take place among the co-owners at the upset price, and if not purchased by any one of them, it will immediately thereafter be sold to the highest bidder among the public.

For further particulars please apply to W. R. Jayawardana, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or to me.

60, Belmont street,  
Colombo, October 10, 1924. Commissioner, Auctioneer, and Broker.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

##### Valuable Property.

BY virtue of the order to sell issued to me in case No. 10,762, District Court, Kalutara, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Tuesday, October 28, 1924, commencing at 4 P.M., for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree in the said action, No. 10,762, the following property, to wit:—

1. Undivided 4/7 shares of the tiled house standing thereon of the western portion of the land called Godigomuwwatta, situated at Talpitiya in Talpitibadda of Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province; containing in extent about 1 acre.

2. The entire soil, trees, and plantations standing on the southern 1/2 share of the western portion of the land called Godigomuwwatta, situated at Talpitiya aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 roods.

For further particulars please apply to B. O. Dias, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Panadure, or to me—

Moratuwa.  
LIONEL J. J. PEIRIS,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale.

##### A Valuable Property at Walapola Pattiya in Panadure.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 10,749, D. C., Kalutara, and the order to sell issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, October 25, 1924, at 10 A.M. at the spot—

The entirety of the soil together with all the trees and plantations standing thereon of the portion marked B of the two contiguous portions of land called Ketakelagahawatta, situated at Walapola Pattiya in the Panadurebadde of the Panadure totamune, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province; and containing in extent 24 1/2 perches.

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

Panadure, October 4, 1924.  
H. THOMASZ FERNANDO,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale under Partition Ordinance.

##### UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY FOR CAPITALISTS.

##### Valuable Property near the Panadure Courts.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 11,435, D. C., Kalutara, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 22, 1924, at 9 A.M., at the spot—

All that the land called Madangahawatta, together with the two boutique rooms standing thereon, situated at Pattiya, within the town of Panadure, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province; and containing in extent 3 perches.

The sale will first take place among the co-owners at the upset price at which it had been appraised, and if not purchased by any one of them, it will immediately thereafter be put up for sale among the public.

For further particulars please apply to G. G. Perera, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Panadure, or to me—

Panadure, October 4, 1924. Commissioner and Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

UNDER instructions received from C. W. Goonewardena, Esq., the Secretary of the District Court of Galle, and provisional assignee of the insolvent estate of Udokomborege

Jarlis Appu of Ahangama, in insolvency case No. 529 of the said court, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, October 14, 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:—

58. Nine feet, 4 almirahs.
59. Four show cases.
60. Two wide counters.
63. Plumbago lying in the shed, 2 heaps, about 100 tons.
64. Ten cwt. plumbago.

For further particulars please apply to the said C. W. Goonewardena, Esq., or to me—

Galle, October 3, 1924.  
K. JOHN GABRIEL,  
Licensed Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

- (1) Milly Wickramasinghe of Galle, executrix of the estate of the late K. S. de Silva of Dodanduwa, wife of (2) Darley Wickramasinghe of Galle . . . . . Plaintiffs

No. 19,982. Vs.

Koggala Marakkalage John Sinno of Matugobe estate, Morawak korale, in Matara District . . . . . Defendant.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,013-83 together with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from December 11, 1923, till payment, and costs of suit, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, October 28, 1924, at 2 P.M. at the spot—

An allotment of land called Warakapalpolahena, situated at Matugobe in Morawak korale in Matara District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by T. P.'s 111,406 and 111,407 and lot 168A in P. P. 169, east by reservation along the road, south by reservation along the road and 181L in P. P. 169, west by lot 181 in P. P. 169; and containing in extent 40 acres.

N. DAVID DIAS,  
Licensed Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 21,139, D. C., Galle, in favour of Wehellege Don Bastian de Silva Samaranyake of Talpe, against Dona Emalia Wijeykoon Hamine of Tiranagama, administratrix of the estate of Don Abraham Pandita Goonewardana, deceased, and the order to sell issued therein, I shall sell by public auction at the several spots the following property declared bound and executable for the recovery of Rs. 3,756-50, with interest at 9 per cent. per annum from January 16, 1924, and costs of suit, on the dates and hours hereinafter mentioned:—

On November 8, 1924, commencing at 1 P.M.

1. An allotment of land called Etambagahabedda, situate at Tiranagama in Wellaboda pattu of Galle; in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 20 perches.
2. All the soil and trees of a portion of Gurukanda, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid; in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 35 perches.
3. All those undivided 31/180 parts of the field Narigama Muttettuwa, situate at Narigama in Wellaboda pattu aforesaid; about 18 pelas of paddy sowing extent.
4. All those undivided 32/90 parts of all the soil and trees of Wetakeiyagahawatta, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid; in extent about 1 acre.
5. All that land called Gurukanda-adderaowita; in extent 8 kurunies of paddy, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.
6. All that land called Gurukanda-adderaowita; containing 1 pela of paddy sowing extent, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.
7. All that land called Gurukanda-adderaowita alias Tunhaulowita; in extent 6 kurunies of paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

On November 15, 1924, commencing at 1 P.M.

8. All that undivided 1/3 part of Gurukanda-adderaowita alias Tunhaulowita; containing 3 pelas of paddy sowing extent, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

9. All that undivided 6 kurunies paddy sowing extent of Gurukanda-adderaowita; in extent 10 kurunies of paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

10. All those undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part of Tunhaukumbura; in extent 8 kurunies of paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

11. All that field called Tunhaukumbura; in extent 2 kurunies of paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

12. All that undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part of Gurukanda-adderaowita; in extent 16 kurunies of paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

13. All that undivided 5 kurunies paddy sowing extent of Gurukanda-adderaowita; in extent 2 pelasand 5 kurunies paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

14. All that field called Hahawleowita; in extent 4 kurunies of paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

15. All those undivided  $\frac{13}{14}$  of  $\frac{1}{5}$  part of the field, called Mahawela; in extent 12 kurunies of paddy sowing, situate at Tiranagama aforesaid.

Galle, October 1, 1924.

CHAS. M. GOONASEKERA,  
Auctioneer.

### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

Iokuge Elishamine of Matale ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 20,635. Vs.

Santiago Thomas de Silva Jayasuriya of Patabendimulla in Ambalangoda ..... Defendant.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above-styled action, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, October 25, 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on lot marked letter A of the land called Palliyebandarawatta, situated at Vilegoda in Ambalangoda (also seen below more fully described), the following mortgage bonds for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 6,134-69, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from June 15, 1923, till payment in full, and costs of suit, to wit:—

The five mortgage bonds No. 6,499 dated April 19, 1912, No. 7,427 dated February 20, 1913, both attested by A. S. K. Panditatileke, Notary Public, No. 156 dated May 1, 1914, No. 247 dated February 15, 1915, and No. 349 dated February 5, 1916, all attested by J. P. S. de Silva, Notary Public, and the principal and interest due on them by which the following properties were mortgaged:—

(1) The soil, all the buildings and trees standing thereon of the remaining western portion, in extent about 1 acre (exclusive of both the defined eastern lots marked

letters D and E of the lot marked letter A), of the land called Palliyebandarawatta, situated at Vilegoda in Ambalangoda in Wellaboda pattu of Galle District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by the  $\frac{1}{2}$  portion of the same land, east by lot marked letter E of the same land, south by lot marked letter B of the same land, and west by high road (from Colombo to Galle).

(2) An undivided  $\frac{1}{15}$  part of the land called Andagahanatowela, situated at Batapola in Wellaboda pattu aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the river, east by wila and the land of Mrs. van Rooyen, south by the river and wela, west by Andagahanatowatta claimed by Kaluappuwadu Pedris and others; and containing in extent about 30 acres.

Further particulars from H. de S. Kularatne, Esq., Galle, and Ambalangoda.

W. KODIKARA,  
Commissioner.

Ambalangoda.

### Cancellation and Revocation of Power of Attorney.

I, the undersigned do hereby give notice that the power of attorney No. 2,290 dated August 23, 1919, attested by Mr. C. T. Kandaiya of Colombo, Notary Public, whereby I appointed Palaniandypillai, son of Suppiahpillai, and Muthucaruppan Chetty, son of Kannappa Chetty, as my attorneys, and the power of substitution No. 3,079 dated July 1, 1922, attested by the said Mr. C. T. Kandaiya, whereby the said Palaniandypillai, son of Suppiahpillai, and Muthucaruppan Chetty, son of Kannappa Chetty, substituted and appointed Moona Kana Roona Sithambaram Chetty, son of Karuppan Chetty, as my attorney, have been cancelled and revoked, and that the said attorneys have ceased to be my attorneys.

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K. R. K. N. L. LETCHUMANAN CHETTY.

Colombo, October 7, 1924.

### Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, ABUBEKR MOHAMED BUHARI of Jasmine Lodge, Matale, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

Jasmine Lodge,  
Matale, October 10, 1924.

A. M. BUHARI.

### APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENSES, &c.

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

Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant: Alfred Charles Mendis.  
Description of license or licenses applied for: Restaurant.  
State whether application is for renewal of existing license or for a new license: New license.  
Situation of premises to be licensed: No. 14, Norris road, Colombo.

A. C. MENDIS.

I hereby give notice that I have on October 2, 1924, applied to the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, for the license shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1925, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 75 of June 15, 1918:—

Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant: J. P. S. de Silva, the Estate Supplying Stores, Kettetenna street, Kahawatta.  
Description of license applied for: Retail license for sale of foreign liquor not to be consumed on the premises.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Bazaar street, Rakwana, Rakwana town.

J. P. S. DE SILVA.

I hereby give notice that I have on September 26, 1924, applied to the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, for the license shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1925, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 75 of June 15, 1918.

Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant: H. D. Premaratne, No. 67, Bazaar street, Rakwana.

Description of license applied for: A wholesale foreign liquor license.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: No. 67, Bazaar street, Rakwana.

H. D. PREMARATNE.



## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying at the Indian Goods Shed, Maradana, beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, November 11, 1924, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, November 14, 1924 :—

Serial No.	Way Bill No.	Date. 1924.	Station.	Consignee.	Number and Description of Packages.
1,117	8-31	June 14	Trichy. Junction	Mohd. Ibrahim	1 case cigars
1,157	1-85	June 19	Tellicherry	R. K. W. Co.	1 package cloth
1,217	35/41	June 27	Madras	Nelson & Co.	2 cases types

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
for Principal Collector,

Statement showing the Importation of Rice into the  
different Ports of Ceylon during the Week ended  
October 4, 1924.

Ceylon Port.	Port of Origin.	Number of Bags.
Colombo	Bombay	17
Do.	Calcutta	17,740
Do.	Coconada	2,521
Do.	Rangoon	31,937
Do.	Tuticorin	5
Do.	Dhanushkodi	4,196
Galle	Coconada	2,016
Kayts	Masulipatam	600
Talaimannar	Dhanushkodi	3

(2,288 bags of rice were shipped during the week.)

H. M. Customs, B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
Colombo, October 7, 1924. for Principal Collector.

## Calculation of Pound Sterling.

IT is hereby notified that for Customs purposes the pound sterling will be calculated at the rate of 1s. 6d. to the rupee (£1 = Rs. 13.33), with effect from October 11, 1924, until further orders.

H. M. Customs, B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
Colombo, October 9, 1924. for Principal Collector.

## Amalgamation of Schools.

NOTICE is hereby given that C'Nikape Free Night English School, Dehiwala, has been amalgamated with C/Karagampitiya Free Night English School, Dehiwala, and Mr. L. D. A. Alwis of Karagampitiya, Dehiwala, has been appointed as Manager of the school.

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

## List of Students selected for Admission to the Government Training College.

## TEACHERS COURSE 1925-26.

## Men.

- |                        |                              |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. D. F. David.        | 9. E. Ginige.                |
| 2. K. Dahanayake.      | 10. V. O. de A. Gufawardene. |
| 3. W. Dahanayake.      | 11. W. J. M. Lanza.          |
| 4. M. E. Dharmadasa.   | 12. J. O. Mendis.            |
| 5. K. D. de Lanerolle. | 13. A. P. M. Peiris.         |
| 6. L. E. Diaz.         | 14. J. S. Selvaratnam.       |
| 7. S. J. Aniff Doray.  | 15. R. Suriya-arachchi.      |
| 8. W. W. Fernando.     | 16. D. H. A. Weerasinghe.    |

## Women.

- |                    |                          |
|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. H. L. Achilles. | 6. F. Fernando.          |
| 2. A. M. Andrado.  | 7. M. V. Graro.          |
| 3. H. A. de Silva. | 8. L. E. Orr.            |
| 4. I. F. de Souza. | 9. D. H. Siebel.         |
| 5. S. T. de Silva. | 10. A. M. Sivakkolunthu. |

## Kindergarten Teachers.

- |                       |                          |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. E. V. de Alwis.    | 6. S. M. G. Poulter.     |
| 2. V. G. Jayawardene. | 7. E. F. Samaraweera.    |
| 3. R. Jansz.          | 8. G. Thorpe.            |
| 4. C. C. A. Keyt.     | 9. V. D. Van Cuylenburg. |
| 5. A. S. Perera.      | 10. A. V. A. Weinman.    |

Education Office,  
Colombo, October 8, 1924.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

## Notice re Rs. 1,000 Postage and Revenue Stamp.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a stock of the new Rs. 1,000 stamp has been received and is now available for issue.

Stamp Office, H. E. BEVEN,  
Colombo, October 7, 1924. for Commissioner of Stamps.

## Sale of rejected Timber, Matara Depot.

AN auction sale of the under-mentioned timber will be held at the Matara Railway Station Depot, on Saturday, November 1, 1924, at 2.30 P.M. :—

2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose.

3. Twenty-five per cent. of the bid is to be deposited immediately on conclusion of the sale pending the approval of the Conservator of Forests. Balance to be paid within 14 days of the approval of sale by the Conservator of Forests.

4. No timber shall be removed before payment of the full price bid, and all timber sold must be removed from the depot within 14 days of date of notification of acceptance by the Conservator of Forests of such bid, and will be at the risk of the purchaser until removed.

5. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or persons for whom they bid, such authority will be retained by the Divisional Forest Officer.

## List referred to.

- 124 broad gauge sleepers.  
36 narrow gauge sleepers.  
1 milla sleeper.  
9 milla bridge planks, 18½ cubic feet.  
12 na end pieces, 24 cubic feet.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, October 7, 1924.

**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 Kandians or of Muham-madans," 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.
404	October 2, 1924	Saint John the Baptist	Talankudah, Man-munnai Pattu North, Batticaloa District	Rev. E. Hoppenot, S.J., Minister	Roman Catholic

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

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.

**The Ambalangoda Commercial Company, Limited.**

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

WHEREAS there is reason to believe that The Ambalangoda Commercial Company, Limited, which was incorporated on February 24, 1922, under the provisions of "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," is not carrying on business or in operation, and is not capable of being formally wound up:

Now know Ye that I, Humphrey William Codrington, Registrar of Companies, do, in terms of the provisions of the Ordinance No. 22 of 1866, and section 242 (5) of "The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908," and in pursuance of the notification dated July 5, 1924, in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,404 of July 11, 1924, hereby declare that the name of The Ambalangoda Commercial Company, Limited, has been struck off the Register of Joint Stock Companies kept in this office, and the Company is hereby dissolved.

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

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar of Companies.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 244, situated at Baseline road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 13, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 4, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises known as the Municipal Council land at Saunder's place, Pettah, 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 September 15, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 4, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises bearing assessment Nos. 35, 122, and 135, situated at Skinner's road south, 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 September 15, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 19, situated at Skinner's road south, 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 September 15, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 1, 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. 87, situated at Barber street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 15, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 1B, situated at Prince's Gate, 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 September 9, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 139, situated at Ssa 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 September 9, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 88, situated at Basline 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 September 7, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 23, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 26, situated at Muhandiram's road, Colpetty, 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 July 31, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 18, situated at Hunpitiya Lake 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 7, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 19, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,411 of August 22, 1924, the premises known as Training College, Thurston place, 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 23, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 3, 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. —, situated at Albert road, 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 22, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 3, 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. 6, situated at Vauxhall street, Slave Island, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from August 7, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 3, 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. 12, situated at St. Michael's road, 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 23, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 5, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises known as the Devasiri, 5th lane, Colpetty, 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 September 17, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 6, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 201, situated at Colpetty road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 3, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 3, 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. 47A, situated at San Sebastian 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 September 22, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 6, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 2, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 21, situated at Silversmith 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 September 24, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 20, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,412 of August 23, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 122, situated at St. Joseph's 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 September 1, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 7, situated at Edinburgh crescent, 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 September 7, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 19, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,411 of August 22, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 66, situated at Temple 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 September 2, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 20, situated at St. Michael's road, 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 September 19, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 60/61, situated at Mahawatta 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 September 9, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 8, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,410 of August 15, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 13, 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 13, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 13, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 23, situated at Pegent 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 September 19, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 2, situated at Alfred place 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 September 23, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 8, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 382, situated at 3rd Division, Paradana, 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 September 5, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,404 of July 11, 1924, the premises known as the Junction of Jafferson street with General's Lake 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 July 10, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 10, situated at Hunupitiya 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 5, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated July 28, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,408 of August 1, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 15, situated at Wekanda road, Slave Island, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from August 9, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 8, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,410 of August 15, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 1, situated at Hunupitiya Lake 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 18, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 10, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 50, situated at St. Joseph's 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 September 22, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 16, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 45, situated at Union place, Slave Island, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 9, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 10, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 43, situated at St. Michael'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 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 September 21, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment Nos. 22, 23, and 24, situated at Wolfendahl street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from October 3, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 7, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment Nos. 50 and 51, situated at Kochchikade, 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 October 2, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 7, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 90, situated at Fickerings 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 26, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the premises bearing assessment Nos. 84, 86, and 90, situated at Wolfendahl street, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from October 1, 1924.

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

**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. 2, situated at Vauxhall 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 September 12, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises known as Broomhill, Flower 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 September 15, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 4, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,409 of August 8, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 60, situated at Colpetty 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 17, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 19, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,411 of August 22, 1924, the premises bearing assessment Nos. 2, 3, 6, and 7, situated at Greenpath, Colpetty, 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 September 9, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 24, situated at Wekanda road, Slave Island, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 15, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 59, situated at Colpetty road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 15, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 59A, situated at Colpetty road, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from September 15, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 2, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 95, situated at 1st Division, Maradara, 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 September 20, 1924.

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

**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. 5, situated at Flower 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 September 16, 1924.

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

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Kaluwairipuwu 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 called Yayewatta belonging to Charlis Appuhamy, south by land belonging to Lewis Appuhamy, east by land called Thembiliyakanatta belonging to Migel Appuhamy of Balagolla, and west by land belonging to Anthony Appu.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,  
September 26, 1924. Mudaliyar Alutkuru Korale North.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Wegouwa 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 Village Committee road, south by tract of fields, east by land belonging to Marasinpedige Punched and others, and west by land belonging to Andiya, ex Police Vidane and others.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,  
September 26, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Bombugammana 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 known as Wewagederawelyaya, east by village boundary of Mabodale, west by high road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,  
September 29, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Borakadawatta 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 lands belonging to C. T. A. Rajapakse and Thomas Alponso, south by tract of fields, east by burial ground and land belonging to J. D. D. A. Siriwardena, west by Minuwangoda-Dagonna District Road Committee road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,  
September 30, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on Makullagahawatta 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 C. Romanis Fernando, south by ditto W. Mariya Perera, east by high road, and west by Kiwwanahanawela.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,  
September 18, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on Kongahawatta 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 A. Peduru Silva, south by ditto M. Joseph Fernando, east by ditto Juan Perera, and west by high road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,  
September 18, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out on Hikgahawatta at Walpola 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 Pansalwatta, south by Ragama-Kandana Village Committee road, east by railway road, and west by land belonging to H. Manuel Fernando.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,  
September 19, 1924. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Banduragoda division No. 35, Yatigaha pattu south, 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 Negombo-Mugurugampola road, south by tract of paddy fields, east by an ela, west by tract of paddy fields.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

L. ARTHUR DASSANAIKE,  
September 26, 1924. Mudaliyar, Hapitigam Korale.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Talpitiya north in Talpiti badda of the Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by the footpath leading to Panwilvelyaya from the Talpitiya-Dibedda Village Committee road, east Panwilvelyaya, south by Talpitiya-ela, and west by the Talpitiya-Dibedda Village Committee road, is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from October 4, 1924.

EDMUND P. ERIS,  
Mudaliyar of Kalutara and Panadure Totamunes.  
October 4, 1924.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 21, 1924, published in the Gazette No. 7,412 of the 29th idem, Malgomu palata in Katugampola hatpattu was declared an infected area; and whereas rinderpest no longer exist in the said palata, it is hereby declared free from rinderpest, and to be no longer an infected area.

The Kachcheri, W. ABEYAWARDANE,  
Kurunegala, October 2, 1924. for Government Agent.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 25, 1924, published in the Government Gazette No. 7,412 of 29th idem, the village Kirimetiya 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.

R. N. BOND,

The Kachcheri, for Assistant Government Agent.  
Puttalam, October 2, 1924.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 14, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,411 of 22nd idem, the village Kirimetiya east 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.

R. N. BOND,

The Kachcheri, for Assistant Government Agent.  
Puttalam, October 2, 1924.

#### Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in the village Atakalanpanna, in the Pannil pattu of Atakalan korale, Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by tea estate Nambuluwa, east by Arukmulla, south by Madampe junction, and west by village limit of Kalalalla, is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration will take effect from September 29, 1924.

E. A. ELAPATA,

Ratemahatmaya, Atakalan Korale.  
September 29, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 5, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 227, situated at Nagalagam street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas 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 September 7, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 1, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 5, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 22/25, situated at Nagalagam street, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas 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 September 5, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 1, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 6, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,415 of September 12, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 12, situated at Horton place, 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 September 24, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 3, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 5, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,409 of August 8, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 149, situated at St. Joseph's 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 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 13, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.  
Colombo, October 7, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Diyagampola division No. 53A, 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 Giriulla-Negombo road, south by Crown land called Mahakanda, east by ditto Taranakanda, and west by village boundary of Erabadda.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

L. ARTHUR DASSANAIKE,

September 29, 1924. Mudaliyar, Hapitigam Korale.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Watarappola in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division, in the District of Colombo of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, 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 land of Pabilis Perera, east by land belonging to W. F. Goonawardana Mudaliyar and another, west by land of William Perera.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

D. E. WIJESEKERA,

October 1, 1924. Mudaliyar of Colombo.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at Wekada in Talpitibadda of the Panadura totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by Panadura-Ratnapura Public Works Department road, east by cart road leading to Morawinna, from Wekada, south by Moderawela-ela, and west by Moderawela is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2) of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from September 30, 1924.

EDMUND PIER S,

Mudaliyar of Kalutara and Panadura Totamunes.  
September 30, 1924.



**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at Maha Aruggoda in Panadure badda of the Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by the cart road leading to Talakoladuwa from the Alubomulla-Rukgahatotupola District Road Committee road, east by the Aruggodawelyaya, south by the cart road leading to Ratiyalagoda from the Alubomulla-Rukgahatotupola District Road Committee road, and west by Kalpalawala-kadakumbura is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from September 29, 1924.

EDMUND PIERIS,

Mudaliyar of Kalutara and Panadure Totamunes.  
September 30, 1924.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Talpitiya south in Talpiti badda of the Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by Koonigewatta, east by Pansalwatta, south by Godigamuwewatta, and west by Jambughawatta, is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from October 1, 1924.

EDMUND PIERIS,

Mudaliyar of Kalutara and Panadure Totamunes.  
October 1, 1924.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Hirana in Panadure badda of the Panadure totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by the Panadure-Hirana District Road Committee road, east by the cart road leading to the estate of Iswarage Sayineris from the Panadure-Hirana District Road Committee road, south by the village boundary of Malamulla, and west by the estate owned by Rayigamage Arnolis Peiris, is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from October 6, 1924.

EDMUND PIERIS,

Mudaliyar of Kalutara and Panadure Totamunes.  
October 6, 1924.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Galtude in Panadure badda of the Panadure totamune in the District of Kalutara, Western Province: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by District Road Committee road from Walana to Hirana; east by cart road leading to Tekkawatta junction from Galtude junction, south by the boundary limit of Tantirimulla village, and west by the Haliyapitiye-ela, is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration is to take effect from October 6, 1924.

EDMUND PIERIS,

Mudaliyar of Kalutara and Panadure Totamunes.  
October 6, 1924.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at Atabage-Udagama in Kandukara Ihala korale, in Uda palata division in Kandy District, 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 Pupuresa cart road, south by Sagama estate, east by Gansabhawa road, west by Kiriwandeniye-ela.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

H. D. KEPPEPITOLA,

September 30, 1924.

Ratemahatmaya.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village of Aluvihare, in Gampahasiya pattu of Matale South division, Matale: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded as follows:—West, Beeridawele estate; east, limit of Dorakumburawasama; south, limit of Harasgama village; north, Beeridawele-ela.

This declaration is to take effect from October 4, 1924.

W. A. UDUGAMA,

October 4, 1924.

Ratemahatmaya, Matale South.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village of Ambanpola in Asgiri Pallasiya pattu of Matale South, Matale: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded as follows:—North, limit of Yatawatta village; east, limit of Dambarawa and Mottuwela villages; south, limit of Udasgiriya village; west, limit of Idangama village.

This declaration is to take effect from October 7, 1924.

W. A. UDUGAMA,

October 7, 1924.

Ratemahatmaya, Matale South.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village of Dorakumbura in Gampahasiya pattu of Matale South division, Matale: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded as follows:—East, limit of Owala village and Suduganga; south and west, limit of Aluvihara; north, boundaries of Udugama and Imbulandanda wasamas.

This declaration is to take effect from October 7, 1924.

W. A. UDUGAMA,

October 7, 1924.

Ratemahatmaya, Matale South.

**Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.**

**W**HEREAS by proclamation dated July 2, 1924, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,404 of July 11, 1924, Tulana No. 53 in Kalagam palata of the North-Central Province, was proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas hoof-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said area, it is now declared free from hoof-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from October 1, 1924.

The Kachcheri,

Anuradhapura, October 4, 1924.

A. W. SEYMOUR,

Government Agent.

**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:—

**PROCLAMATIONS REFERRED TO.****(i.) In Weudawili Hatpattu.**

Area proclaimed.	Date of Proclamation.	No. and Date of Gazette.	
		1924.	1924.
Boyagane palata ..	Aug. 17 ..	7,411 of Aug.	22
Wanduragala palata ..	Aug. 17 ..	7,411 of Aug.	22
Madawa palata ..	Aug. 21 ..	7,412 of Aug.	29
Wilbawa palata ..	Aug. 26 ..	7,413 of Sept.	5
Rambukandana palata ..	Aug. 30 ..	7,413 of Sept.	5
Torawatura palata ..	Aug. 31 ..	7,415 of Sept.	12
Rambukanadana palata ..	Sept. 4 ..	7,415 of Sept.	12

**(ii.) In Katugampola Hatpattu.**

Rittadeniya ..	Aug. 1 ..	7,410 of Aug.	15
Kurunegala Kachcheri, October 7, 1924.	W. ABEYAWARDANE, for Government Agent.		

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**WHEREAS** by proclamations dated August 23, 24, September 5, 13, and 14, 1924, published in *Government Gazettes* Nos. 7,412, August 29, 7,418, September 19, and 7,419, September 26, 1924; Mahopitiya, Watura, and Makura wasama in Paranakuru korale, and Gabbala and Nawagamuwa in Kinigoda korale, Kegalla District, were proclaimed infected areas 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 areas, they are now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and no longer infected areas.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. LIGHT,  
October 6, 1924. for Assistant Government Agent.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**WHEREAS** foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Kansalgomuwa, in Heenabowa wasama in Kinigoda 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 boundary of Kandy District and Rambukkan-oya, east by boundary of Galboda pattu, south by village boundary of Diyasunnota wasama, and on the west by village boundary of Diyasunnota wasama.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

Kegalla Kachcheri, J. LIGHT,  
October 6, 1924. for Assistant Government Agent.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**WHEREAS** foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in Sunnycroft estate, in Dehigampal korale, Egodapota pattu, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

The infected area is bounded on the north by Magalkandela, east by village boundary of Weddewala, south by Stinsford estate, west by Daluwalane-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

J. H. MEEDEENIA,  
Ratemahatmaya, Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama.  
September 24, 1924.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**WHEREAS** foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Gangecumbura, 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, Rambukkan-oya; east, village boundaries of Kandy District and Ambatenne; south, village boundary of Walalgoda; and west, village boundary of Kosinna.

This declaration is to take effect from September 7, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
September 29, 1924.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**WHEREAS** foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Kongamuwa, in Medapattu 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 Hingula wasama; south, Maha-oya and west, village boundary of Mawana.

This declaration is to take effect from September 10, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
September 29, 1924.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**WHEREAS** foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the villages Edanduwa, Maliyadda, and Erabudupela, in Medapattu 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 Kongamuwa; east, village boundary of Idampitiya wasama; south, Maha-oya; and west, village boundaries of Beminiwatta and Nankurugama.

This declaration is to take effect from September 15, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
September 29, 1924.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

**WHEREAS** foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Siyambalapitiya, in Egodapota 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 Pitawela and Weligalla; east, village boundary of Kappagoda; south, village boundaries of Padidora and Daswatte; and west, village boundary of Dodantale.

This declaration is to take effect from September 19, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
September 29, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Parappe, in Walgam 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 boundary of Dunukewatta; east, village boundary of Inguruwatta; south, village boundary of Meddemedaliya pattu; and west, village boundary of Gabbala.

This declaration is to take effect from September 20, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
September 29, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Keppitipola, in Galboda 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, Talagolle-oya; east, village boundary of Badulpitiya; south, village boundaries of Nepalane and Yatimahana; and west, Talagolle-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from September 25, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
September 29, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Dambulla, in Walgam 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 the north, village boundary of Merihagoda; east, Wallara-oya; south, village boundary of Paduvigampola; and west, village boundary of Wetenna.

This declaration is to take effect from September 19, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
October 1, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Mirihagoda, in Walgam 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 the north, village boundaries of Hewadewala and Nattambure; east, village boundary of Kadawattiya; south, village boundary of Deliwala; and west, Damunukandemukulana.

This declaration is to take effect from September 18, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
October 1, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Uduhuruwa, in Galboda 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 the north, Bulughamulala and village boundary of Yatiwaldeniya; east, village boundaries of Henepola and Diganekande; south, village boundary of Diganekande; and west, village boundary of Diganekande.

This declaration is to take effect from September 25, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
October 3, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Meepitiya, in Deyaladahamuna 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 the north, village boundary of Detawala; east, village boundary of Karandupone; south, village boundaries of Uda Karandupone and Ekiriya-gala; and west, village boundary of Madeiyawa.

This declaration is to take effect from September 23, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
October 3, 1924.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Dombemada, in Walgam 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 the north, village boundary of North-Western Province; east, village boundaries of Siyambalangomuwa and Udandvita; south, village boundary of Kudagama; and west the boundary of the North-Western Province.

This declaration is to take effect from September 18, 1924.

C. L. RATWATTE,  
Ratemahatmaya, Galboda and Kinigoda Korales.  
October 3, 1924.

**Cattle Disease.**

WHEREAS cattle disease has broken out at Goorookelle estate in Kandukara pahala korale, in Uda palata division, Kandy District, 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 Nilambe-oya, south by Legundeniya village, east by Galpihilla and Temple land estates, west by Nilambe-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

October 1, 1924.

H. D. KEPPETIPOLA,  
Ratemahatmaya.

**Protective Zone.**

WHEREAS the premises bearing assessment No. 206, 2nd Division, Maradana, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, have been declared an infected area, 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 Arab lane, on the east by 2nd Division, Maradana road, passage immediately opposite Temple road junction with 2nd Division, Maradana road, Trichborne lane; on the south by De Saram place; on the west by Stafford Place.

This proclamation shall take effect from September 19, 1924.

The Municipal Office, Colombo, September 30, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Protective Zone.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 29, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 7, Edinburgh rescent, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area, and a protective zone has been established within the boundaries therein set out, in terms of section 6 (1) 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 a protective zone.

This proclamation shall take effect from September 7, 1924.

The Municipal Office, Colombo, October 3, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Protective Zone.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 10, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 20, St. Michael's road, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area, and a protective zone has been established within the boundaries therein set out in terms of section 6 (1) 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 a protective zone.

This proclamation shall take effect from September 19, 1924.

The Municipal Office, Colombo, October 6, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Protective Zone.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated September 10, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, the premises bearing assessment No. 43, St. Michael's road, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area, and a protective zone has been established within the boundaries therein set out in terms of section 6 (1) 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 a protective zone.

This declaration shall take effect from September 21, 1924.

The Municipal Office, Colombo, October 6, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Protective Zone.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 30, 1924, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, the premises bearing assessment Nos. 5 and 7, Flower road; 18 and 60, Colpetty lane; 2, 3, 6, 7, and 11, Greenpath; and 1,086, 5th lane, Colpetty, within the Municipal limits of Colombo, were proclaimed infected areas, and a protective zone has been established within the boundaries therein set out in terms of section 6 (1) 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 a protective zone.

This declaration shall take effect from September 26, 1924.

The Municipal Office, Colombo, October 8, 1924.

CHAS. W. PATE,  
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

**Rinderpest.**

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out at Kotadeniyawa division No. 54, 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 and Kuda-oya, east by Mugurugampola-Kotadeniyawa road, and west by Kuda-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

September 29, 1924.

L. ARTHUR DASSANAIKE,  
Midaliyar, Hapitigam Korale.

**Rinderpest Protective Zone.**

WHEREAS by proclamation dated August 27, 1924, published in the *Gazette* No. 7,413 of September 5, 1924, Meda pattu korale east (exclusive of Malgomu palata), in Katugampola hatpattu and Udukaha korale west in Dambadeni hatpattu, were declared protective zone; and whereas rinderpest no longer exists in the neighbourhood of the said korales, it is hereby declared that the said korales are no longer a protective zone.

The Kacheheri, Kurunegala, October 2, 1924.

W. ABEYAWARDANE,  
for Government Agent.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

## Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Colombo held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, September 10, 1924, at 3 p.m.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice dated September 3, 1924.

*Present* :—Mr. H. E. Newnham, C.C.S., Chairman; Mr. C. P. Dias, J.P.; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Mr. H. L. De Mel, C.B.E.; Dr. G. J. Rutherford; Mr. W. Philips; Mr. A. E. de Silva; Mr. E. W. Jayewardene, K.C.; Mr. R. L. Pereira; Mr. G. Adamjee Lukmanjee; Mr. W. E. V. de Rooy; Mr. A. H. F. Clarke; Mr. A. J. Wickwar; Mr. L. Macrae; Mr. G. W. Dodds; and Mr. B. W. Leefe.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of August 13, 1924, having been previously printed and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of the General Meeting of August 13, 1924, be confirmed.

2. Dr. E. V. Ratnam had given notice to ask the Chairman the following question, which, in his absence, Mr. H. L. De Mel put:—"If he has received any information from Government since he replied to my last question on the subject of the reform of the Constitution of the Municipal Council, and, if he has not, whether he will be pleased to invite the early attention of Government to the recommendations of this Council on this subject forwarded to it as far back as December, 1922."

The Chairman replied as follows:—"The answer to the first part of the question is in the negative, and to the second in the affirmative."

3. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader had the following question standing in his name:—"When does the Council propose to lay out a water main at the Prince of Wales Avenue?"

Notice of above question not having been received in the prescribed time, the Chairman moved that permission of Council be granted to Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader to put the question.

The permission of Council having been granted, Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader put the question.

The Chairman replied as follows:—"The question of including the cost of the item, viz., Rs. 17,000 in the Budget for 1925 will be placed before the Committees."

4. Mr. E. W. Jayewardene, K.C., had the following motion standing in his name:—"That a rate of 18 per cent. of the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the Municipal Limits of Colombo, as required by Section 115 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, be made, assessed, and imposed for the calendar year 1925."

The Chairman stated that as the notice of above motion had not been received in the prescribed time, the permission of Council would have to be granted to Mr. E. W. Jayewardene to submit the motion. He suggested that it might be submitted in connection with the consideration of item No. 8, (2) of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of August 27, 1924, which dealt with the Assessment Rate proposed for 1925.

Resolved that the question be deferred for consideration in connection with the item mentioned.

5. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader had the following motion standing in his name:—"That an estimate be submitted to this Council for improving and raising the level of the existing road at Maligawatta and for lighting the road."

Notice of above motion not having been received in the prescribed time, the Chairman moved that permission of Council be granted to Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader to move the motion.

The permission of Council having been granted, Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader moved the motion.

Mr. A. E. de Silva pointed out that the matter had already been considered on his representation and that a sum of Rs. 100,000 had already been voted for this work.

The Chairman stated that this was so, and added that Mr. Abdul Cader's motion might be considered by the Works Committee in relation to the Town Planning of this area now being carried out in connection with the Colombo North Flood Protection Scheme.

Resolved that the question be referred to the Works Committee for consideration.

6A. Mr. C. P. Dias, with the permission of the Council, moved that the Council do place on record its high appreciation of the services rendered to the Council and to the ratepayers of the City by Dr. G. J. Rutherford, Principal Civil Medical Officer of the Island who is shortly retiring from service and will cease to be a Member of that Council.

The Chairman seconded the motion which was put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

Dr. G. J. Rutherford thanked the Council for their kind appreciation of his services and expressed the great pleasure that it had afforded him to work so amicably with the Members of the Council for the good of the city.

6. To elect a Member in place of Dr. G. J. Rutherford, for the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets.

The Council proceeded to elect by ballot, a Member in place of Dr. G. J. Rutherford for the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets.

The Chairman declared that the successor of Dr. G. J. Rutherford who, it was understood, would for the present be Dr. G. Thornton, had been elected.

Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the Council do go into Committee to consider items Nos. 7 to 11 (inclusive) on the Agenda. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.—Carried.

The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees named were then laid before the Council in Committee:—

*Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Sanitation and Finance (meeting together) of August 18, 1924.*

(1) To consider the motion of Mr. H. L. De Mel, C.B.E., in Council on August 13, 1924:—"That this Council should consider the principle of compensating owners of cattle in the early stage of an outbreak of 'Rinderpest,' with a view to the speedy arrest of the disease, and that the matter be referred to the Standing Committees on Sanitation and Finance."

The Chairman reported to the Committee the defects pointed out by the Rinderpest Committee in the Municipal system, the results of his own inspections, the orders he had issued thereon, and his proposals for meeting the situation.

(1) Recommended that two temporary Inspectors of Police Guards be appointed on Rs. 125 a month each, to visit the Police Guards, providing their own motor cycles.

- (2) That Mr. T. F. C. Bandaranayaka be appointed as one of the temporary Inspectors.
- (3) That in default of another temporary Inspector with a motor cycle, a man with a push bicycle should be appointed temporarily on Rs. 100 per mensem.
- (4) That all inoculations should be free.
- (5) That the Veterinary Surgeon's Head Clerk should, for the time being, take over some of his routine work, to release him for outdoor inspection work.
- (6) That legislation should be sought to prevent the straying of dogs, fowls, &c., in the infected areas.
- (7) That special Police Guards be placed on infected cattle sheds.
- (8) That the present system of segregation in private premises be continued where the premises are suitable.
- (9) That three further temporary Inspectors be appointed at a salary of Rs. 75 each a month for taking the temperature of contacts in private premises.
- (10) That the facts regarding the risks of infection from cattle suffering from fever should be published by means of a leaflet and owners advised to take the temperature of their cattle regularly.

*Resolution.*

Resolved that the above recommendations of the Standing Committees be adopted.

*Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Sanitation and Finance (meeting together) of August 22, 1924.*

(2) To consider further the motion of Mr. H. L. De Mel, C.B.E., in Council on August 13, 1924:—"That this Council should consider the principle of compensating owners of cattle in the early stages of an outbreak of 'Rinderpest,' with a view to the speedy arrest of the disease, and that the matter be referred to the Standing Committees on Sanitation and Finance."—Recommended that, in view of the additional precautions that have been recently taken and the grant of free serum and disinfectants, the question of any other compensation be deferred.

*Resolution.*

Resolved that the above recommendation of the Standing Committees be adopted.

*Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 28, 1924.*

(4) To consider an estimate of Rs. 3,460, from the Acting Municipal Engineer, for fly-proofing one cattle shed at the cattle mart and for the construction of two additional roofed entrances for the above, including all charges which may become necessary for the due and proper completion of the work.—Recommended.

(5) To consider an estimate of Rs. 4,330, from the Acting Municipal Engineer, for the construction of a fly-proof cattle shed at the Cattle Segregation Camp, Borella, including all charges which may be necessary for the due and proper completion of the work.—Recommended.

*Resolutions.*

With regard to items Nos. 4 and 5 (corresponding to items Nos. 13 and 14, respectively, of the extracts of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of August 27, 1924), it was resolved that these items be considered in connection with the recommendations of the Works and Finance Committees.

*Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of August 25, 1924.*

(2) To consider an application from the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon for supplemental provision of Rs. 17,700, under Vote F 4, "Prevention of Diseases in animals" (Veterinary Department). The original vote was Rs. 8,000 for 1924, and a further amount of Rs. 7,000 was voted on July 9, 1924, although Rs. 14,500 was asked for. Funds are available.—Recommended.

(5) To consider an application from the Medical Officer of Health for supplemental provision of Rs. 1,200, under Vote H (a) 9, "Library," Public Health Department. The original vote was for Rs. 400. The books for which this supplemental provision is required are urgently required for the Bacteriological Laboratory. Funds are available on savings from equipment of Laboratory Vote.—Recommended.

*Resolution.*

Resolved that the above recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.

*Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of July 30, 1924.*

(4) To consider a plan and an estimate from the Acting Municipal Engineer of Rs. 135,000 for the necessary plant, buildings, roads, fencing, &c., which may be required for the opening up of the Biyagama Quarry, situated 9 miles outside Colombo, on the old Kandy road, including the payment of all charges which may be due for the proper completion of the work.

*Note.*—Supplemental provision is required for the above amount. Funds are available.—Recommended.

*Resolution of Council of August 13, 1924.*

With regard to item No. 4, Mr. R. L. Pereira moved that the consideration of the matter be deferred for next meeting of Council and that, in the meanwhile, the papers be circulated to the members who have not seen them. Mr. H. L. De Mel seconded.—Carried.

*Resolution.*

The papers having been circulated to Members of Council in compliance with the resolution of Council of August 13, 1924, the matter was submitted for consideration.

Resolved that the recommendation of the Standing Committees be adopted.



(16) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer dated August 9, 1924, with regard to Efficiency Bars provided in the 1924, Municipal Salaries Scheme.—Recommended that the Council should not alter the Salaries Scheme in this respect.

(17) To consider a report of the Drainage Engineer, dated August 5, 1924, with regard to anthracite coal and recommending the purchase through the Council's agents of 300 tons of anthracite coal, for one shipment of 150 tons in September, and another of 150 tons in October, at 88s. 6d. per ton.

*Note.*—The cost will be charged to Advance Account, Stores, and sanctioned votes will be debited with the cost as and when the coal is used.—Recommended.

(18) To consider an application from the Medical Officer of Health for supplemental provision of Rs. 250, under Vote H (d) 27, "Equipment and Tools, Markets." The amount originally sanctioned in the 1924, Budget was Rs. 1,750, and the additional sum is required to meet the cost of equipment of the Colpetty market.—Recommended.

(19) To consider an estimate of Rs. 15,000 from the Acting Municipal Engineer for the rebuilding of a portion of the Galle Face sea wall with rubble masonry in cement mortar for a length of seventy-five feet, including the expenditure of all sums for the proper completion of the work.

*Note.*—Supplemental provision for this amount is necessary. Funds are available.—Recommended.

(21) To consider an application from the Drainage Engineer for supplemental provision of Rs. 2,500 in connection with the rainwater drain in Kollupitiya road (between Turret road and Bagatelle road). The amount originally sanctioned by the Council on March 12, 1924, was Rs. 27,985.37. Funds will be available out of the realized sinking fund investments.

*Note.*—The reasons for the above over-expenditure are :—

(1) A 100-foot section of 24-inch diameter concrete pipe drain as estimated has been replaced during construction by a larger section, viz., 39 in. by 33 in. ; (2) 335 ft. of 18-inch diameter concrete drain have been replaced by 21-inch pipes, and ; (3) 335 ft. of 15 in. by 18 in. pipe.—Recommended.

(23) To consider the motion of Mr. C. P. Dias, M.M.C., in Council on August 13, 1924, "That Serpentine road having now been straightened and its name now in consequence being a misnomer, the road be called in future "Reid's Avenue," as a compliment to Mr. Reid, and as a mark of recognition of his services to the city.—Recommended that the road be called "Reid's Avenue."

(24) To consider an application from the Acting Municipal Engineer for the purchase of 3,000 barrels of cement through the Council's agents, at 11s. 6d. per barrel, c.i.f., at par exchange this works out at Rs. 8.62½ per barrel.

*Note.*—The cost will be charged to Advance Account, Stores, and debited to sanctioned votes as and when used.—Recommended.

(25) To consider an application from the Acting Municipal Engineer for the purchase of 1,000 cubes of 2 in. metal from the Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extension Department, at Rs. 18.50 per cube delivered at the siding at the back of Norris road. The cost will be charged to sanctioned votes, and finally recovered from Government.—Recommended.

(26) To consider—(a) The tenders received for the steelwork for extension to filter house building.—(a) Considered.

(b) The recommendation of the Acting Waterworks Engineer that the tender of Messrs. Walker Sons & Co., Ltd., at Rs. 18,150 be accepted. Funds are available under Vote K 22 of 1924.—(b) Recommended.

(27) To consider an application from the Acting Municipal Engineer for supplemental provision of Rs. 7,000 under Vote I. 65B, "Bitumen Carpet—Galle Face Centre road" in order to complete the work of laying Bitumen. The amount originally sanctioned on this account was Rs. 42,000. Funds are available.—Recommended.

(28) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Engineer, dated August 19, 1924, requesting formal sanction of Council for the purchase of a 42 B.H.P. Ruston-Hornsby cold starting type of oil engine from the local agents, Messrs. Brown & Co. Ltd., at a cost of £500, for the Municipal Council Workshop.

*Note.*—The Works and Finance Committees (meeting together) of July 30, 1924; approved the purchase of a larger engine. Funds are available under sanctioned votes.—Recommended.

(29) To consider the correspondence with regard to aquatic birds for the Colombo lake and a memorandum of the Chairman thereon suggesting that a vote of Rs. 750 be passed for the purchase of swans.—Recommended that a sum of Rs. 750 be voted for the purchase of birds.

(30) To consider the correspondence with regard to the proposed installation of fire alarm points.—Recommended that the proposal of Government be not accepted.

(31) To consider—(a) An application from Mr. H. C. Fernando for water service to his block of land situated in Lascelles road, Wellawatta.—(a) Considered.

(b) A plan and an estimate of Rs. 2,317, from the Acting Waterworks Engineer, for laying a 3-in. diameter water main for a distance of 301 yards in Lascelles road, Wellawatta.

The lane being a private lane the application will have to be dealt with under Ordinance No. 9 of 1916.

The applicant and Mrs. C. C. Cannon have expressed their willingness to contribute their shares which amount to Rs. 948.70.

*Note.*—The Acting Waterworks Engineer recommends that the main be laid on payment of the above amount as promised. Funds are available.—(b) Recommended.

(32) To consider—(a) The tenders received through the Council's agents for the supply of spares for transport vehicles (steam rollers and bitumen plant); (b) the recommendation of the Acting Municipal Engineer that the materials as per list dated May 27, 1924, be purchased at an approximate cost of Rs. 17,000.

*Note.*—The cost will be charged to Advance Account, Stores, and sanctioned votes will be debited as and when parts are used.—Recommended (a) and (b).

(33) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 27, 1924, asking that the sanction of Council be obtained for the excess of 19s. 6d. in connection with the purchase of Jumper steel rivets, &c., through the Council agents due to fluctuations of prices.

*Note.*—The Council on May 14, 1924, sanctioned the acceptance of the quotation of Messrs. A & F Parkes & Co., Ltd., for £29 13s. 5d.—Recommended.



The following item which was received after the meeting of the Works and Finance Committees, and approved of in circulation by the members of the Committees is submitted:—

(34) To consider—(a) The quotations received for the supply of roofing tiles for the new Town Hall; (b) the recommendation of the Supervising Engineer that the quotation of Messrs. Joseph & Co., be accepted, as follows, the tiles to be delivered at the Town Hall site:—

	Rs.	c.
25,000 flat tiles (approximate) at Rs. 102·50 per thousand ..	2,562	50
1,000 ridge tiles (approximate) at Rs. 30 per hundred, ..	300	0
Total ..	2,862	50

*Note.*—The cost will be charged to the Town Hall Vote.

#### *Resolutions.*

With regard to item No. 5, the Chairman moved that the total amount to be paid be altered from Rs. 401 to Rs. 1,212·50, in terms of the recommendation of the Municipal Treasurer, dated July 22, 1924. Mr. C. P. Dias seconded.—Carried.

With regard to item No. 8 (2), Mr. E. W. Jayewardene moved, as an amendment to the recommendation of the Standing Committees, that the rate of 18 per cent. of the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the Municipal limits of Colombo as required by section 115 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, be made, assessed, and imposed for the calendar year, 1925. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.

Mr. A. E. de Silva, Mr. C. P. Dias, and Mr. W. E. V. de Rooy opposed the amendment.

Before the amendment was put to the meeting, the Chairman stated that he wished to lay before the Council the facts with regard to the financial aspects of the question and the result of the adoption of such an amendment. He then pointed out the consequences which would attend the reduction of the rate. Mr. E. W. Jayewardene spoke in reply.

The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost, only the mover and the seconder voting in favour of it.

The recommendation of the Standing Committees was then put to the meeting and carried.

With regard to item No. 10, it was resolved that the matter be deferred to be reconsidered by the Standing Committees.

With regard to item No. 13 (corresponding to item No. 4 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 28, 1924), it was resolved that the recommendation of the Works and Finance Committees be adopted.

With regard to item No. 14 (corresponding to item No. 5 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 28, 1924), it was resolved that the recommendation of the Works and Finance Committees be adopted.

With regard to item No. 16, Mr. E. W. Jayewardene moved that the consideration of the matter be deferred and that the papers be circulated to all Members, together with the Government rule on the point. Mr. W. E. V. de Rooy seconded.—Carried.

With regard to item No. 34, it was resolved that the recommendation of the Supervising Engineer be adopted.

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committees with regard to the remaining items be adopted.

#### *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of August 27, 1924.*

(2) To consider an application from the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon for supplemental provision of Rs. 17,700 under Vote E 4, "Prevention of Diseases in Animals" (Veterinary Department). The original vote was Rs. 8,000 for 1924, and a further amount of Rs. 7,000 was voted on July 9, 1924, although Rs. 14,500 was asked for. Funds are available.—Recommended.

(3) To consider an application from the Medical Officer of Health for supplemental provision of Rs. 1,200, under Vote H. (a) 9, "Library" (Public Health Department). The original vote was for Rs. 400. The books for which this supplemental provision is required are urgently required for the Bacteriological Laboratory. Funds are available on savings from Equipment of Laboratory Vote.—Recommended.

(4) To recommend excess leave of 27 days over 42 days granted to Mr. V. E. de Jansz, Clerk, Municipal Treasurer's Department, owing to ill-health.—Recommended.

(6) To consider the case of Mr. J. H. P. Walker, Clerk, Municipal Treasurer's Department.—Recommended that he be dismissed.

(8) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 12, 1924, recommending the outright sale by public auction under the provisions of section 147 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, of premises No. 420/353, Colombo-Galle road, vested in the Council for non-payment of rates from the 4th quarter, 1921, amounting to Rs. 186·37, including costs.—Recommended.

(9) To consider an application from the Secretary, Municipal Council, for supplemental provision of Rs. 100 under Vote C 13, "Medical Boards" (Secretariat). The original vote for 1924 was Rs. 100, and the supplemental vote is necessary owing to the requirements of the 1924 Salaries Scheme, *i.e.*, that all officers be medically examined before being appointed to pensionable posts. Funds are available.—Recommended.

(11) To consider—(a) An application from K. A. Peiris, bicycle orderly, Public Health Department, for an advance of Rs. 87, in order to enable him to purchase a bicycle for official duties.—(a) Considered. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Treasurer that the advance be granted to be repaid in twelve equal monthly instalments, together with interest at 5 per cent. per annum on the monthly balance outstanding from time to time.—(b) Recommended.

(12) To recommend excess leave of 3 days over 42 days granted to J. Paulis Perera, machine minder, Municipal Council Printing Office, owing to ill-health.—Recommended.

(15) To consider the correspondence with regard to leave to Mr. Jacob de Silva, Clerk, Public Health Department, and a memorandum of the Chairman as follows:—Mr. Jacob de Silva was ill from January 4, 1924, to April 22, 1924, 110 days; he was in 1923 and 1924 entitled to vacation leave of 91 days. There is an excess over his vacation leave of 39 days. Paragraph 10 (iii.) of leave rules allows lapsed vacation leave to be granted by the Council as sick leave. He allowed in 1921–22 vacation leave to lapse of 63 days. Question for decision is whether Council will rule (a) as Mr. T. Reid thinks total full-pay leave that can be taken in a year, including sick leave, is three months. Mr. Silva would therefore have to be placed on half-pay from April 4 to 22, *i.e.*, 19 days, or; (b) as Mr. Newnham thinks that the sick leave is in addition to the vacation leave and up to a 3 months addition.—Recommended that Mr. Jacob de Silva be allowed to count 39 days of his lapsed vacation leave of 1921–22 as sick leave in 1924, in terms of section 10 (iii.) of the Leave Minute.

(16) With regard to leave to Mr. T. D. G. Vincent, Assistant Storekeeper, to consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 23, 1924, recommending leave of absence as follows:—(a) Lapsed vacation leave on full-pay from July 31, 1924, to September 18, 1924, *i.e.*, 50 days. This is available from the lapsed leave of 50 days in 1921 and 1922; (b) half-pay leave from September 19, 1924, to November 12, 1924.—Recommended (a) and (b).

(17) To consider a Report of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 25, 1924, recommending that arrears of rates amounting to Rs. 55·14 as per list attached to his report be written off on grounds of extreme poverty of the persons concerned.—Recommended.

(18) To consider a report of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 25, 1924, with regard to boutiques in Gasworks street and 5th Cross street, recommending that the rents charged for the eight boutiques leased to Mr. John Singho be increased from Rs. 50 per mensem each to Rs. 75 per mensem each, on the expiry of the present lease on September 30, 1924.

*Note.*—If this recommendation is adopted the rents charged will be as follows:—

Gasworks street: No. 1, Rs. 95 per mensem, No. 2 to 12 (inclusive), Rs. 75 per mensem each; Fifth Cross street: No. 1, Rs. 95 per mensem, No. 2 to 12 (inclusive) Rs. 75 per mensem each.—Recommended that the rent of the eight boutiques leased to Mr. John Singho be increased from Rs. 50 per mensem each to Rs. 75 per mensem each on the expiry of the present lease on September 30, 1924.

(19) To consider a report of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 25, 1924, recommending that arrears of rates amounting to Rs. 1,180·44, as per list attached to his report, be written off on grounds of irrecoverability.—Recommended.

20. To consider a report of the acting Municipal Assessor, dated August 21, 1924, with regard to Nilwatta Mills—Land Acquisition and a memorandum thereon by the Municipal Treasurer, stating that supplemental provision of Rs. 13,872 is required if the whole of the land, *i.e.*, 26·76 perches coloured green in plan No. 203 dated August 14, 1924, is to be acquired. Funds are available. Recommended that the whole of the land, *i.e.*, 26·76 perches coloured green in plan No. 203 dated August 14, 1924, be acquired, and that supplemental provision of Rs. 13,872 be made.

#### *Resolutions.*

With regard to item No. 6 (corresponding to item No. 4 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of August 30, 1924), Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the consideration of the matter be deferred for the next meeting of Council and that the papers be again circulated to all the Members of the Council meanwhile. Mr. H. L. De Mel seconded.—Carried.

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee with regard to the remaining items be adopted.

#### *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of August 30, 1924.*

(2) To consider the question of the removal of the late Mrs. Dharmasena from No. 13, Karlsrhue Gardens, to the Infectious Diseases Hospital, and the cases for damages instituted against Dr. L. F. Hirst, Municipal Bacteriologist, and Dr. C. V. Aserappa, Acting Medical Officer of Health, by her husband.—Recommended that the papers be forwarded to the Council's lawyers to defend the action, and to request them to retain Messrs. Allan Driberg, K.C., and A. E. Keuneman.

(4) To consider the case of Mr. J. H. P. Walker, Clerk, Municipal Treasurer's Department.—Recommended that he be dismissed.

(5) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 9, 1924, with regard to Efficiency Bars provided in the 1924 Municipal Salaries Scheme.—Recommended that the Council should not alter the Salaries Scheme in this respect.

The following item, which was received after the meeting of the Law Committee, and which was circulated to the Members of Council, is submitted:—

(7) To consider a memorandum of the Chairman, dated September 5, 1924, suggesting that the Galle Face centre road be closed to all bullock carts, motor buses, lorries, and traction engines and that the following by-law be passed under section 109 (1) of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910:—

#### *Proposed By-law.*

The use of the road known as the Galle Face Centre road by bullock carts, motor buses, lorries or traction engines is hereby prohibited, and any person who shall drive any bullock cart, motor bus, lorry or traction engine on or along the road as aforesaid will be guilty of an offence punishable with a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

#### *Resolutions.*

With regard to item No. 4, it was resolved that the consideration of the matter be deferred for the next meeting of Council and that the papers be again circulated meanwhile to all the Members of the Council.

With regard to item No. 5, it was resolved that the consideration of the matter be deferred and that the papers be circulated to all members together with the Government rule on the point.

With regard to item No. 7, it was resolved that the by-law be adopted, under section 109 (1) of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.

Resolved that the recommendation of the Standing Committee with regard to the remaining item be adopted.

Mr. C. P. Dias moved that the Council do resume and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted, as amended. Mr. H. L. De Mel seconded.—Carried.

The Chairman formally moved in Council that the resolutions of Council in Committee, and the recommendations of the various Standing Committees, subject to any amendments of such recommendations by the Council in Committee, be adopted. Mr. H. L. De Mel seconded.—Carried.

#### *List of Properties, vested in the Council to be reconveyed, as per Report of the Council's Lawyers, Messrs. Julius & Creasy.*

(1) To recommend reconveyance of premises No. 320/259, Colombo-Galle road, vested in Council to Bentotage Laron Fernando on payment of all rates and costs which would have been due up to the end of the quarter in which the reconveyance may be signed, had the property not been vested in the Council. (A sum of Rs. 252·30 has been paid up to and including the 2nd quarter, 1924.)

(2) To recommend reconveyance of premises No. 2,229·31, Forbes road, vested in Council to Divelagoda Gamage William Perera to  $\frac{3}{4}$  and Hamidoo Umma, daughter of Saphoor Umma to  $\frac{1}{4}$ , on payment of all rates and costs which would have been due up to the end of the quarter in which the reconveyance may be signed, had the property not been vested in the Council. (A sum of Rs. 1,595·10 has been paid up to and including the 3rd quarter, 1924.)

(3) To recommend reconveyance of premises No. 1,236-1,237/18-19, Mosque lane 1, vested in Council to Palila Umma wife of Wapoo Marikar Mohamed, on payment of all rates and costs which would have been due up to the end of the quarter in which the reconveyance may be signed, had the property not been vested in the Council. (A sum of Rs. 629·11, has been paid up to and including the 2nd quarter, 1924.)

*Resolution.*

The Chairman moved that the reports of the Council's lawyers be accepted. Mr. H. L. De Mel seconded.—Carried.  
13. The following documents were laid on the table :—

- (1) The City Analyst's report on town water for August, 1924, and the Municipal Bacteriologist's report on town water for August, 1924.
- (2) The progress report No. 162 of the Drainage Engineer for August, 1924.
- (3) The report of the Municipal Bacteriologist of work done during July, 1924.
- (4) Statements of receipts and disbursements from January 1, to July 31, 1924, and progress reports showing expenditure for July, 1924.
- (5) Weekly statements *re* Plague.
- (6) Attendance return of Committees of the Municipal Council for 1924.
- (7) C. L. I. Band Programme for September, 1924.
- (8) Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for July, 1924.
- (9) The Municipal Engineer's report for July, 1924, on the condition of Tramway routes.
- (10) Diaries of the following Officers for the month of August, 1924 :—

The Acting Municipal Engineer and his Assistants, the Acting Waterworks Engineer and his Assistant, the Medical Officer of Health and his Assistants, the Prosecuting Inspectors, the Drainage Engineer, the Municipal Treasurer, and the Officers of his Department, the Veterinary Surgeon and his Officers and the City Analyst.

Confirmed on October 1, 1924:

H. E. NEWNHAM,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

### Summary of Revenue and Expenditure from January 1 to August 31, 1924.

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Estimated Revenue for 1924, as per Budget.		Revenue from January 1 to July 31, 1924.		Revenue for August, 1924.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Taxes .. .. .	135,250	0	148,953	50	3,341	0	152,299	50
B.—Licenses .. .. .	206,300	0	140,299	0	11,429	0	151,728	0
C.—Judicial fines .. .. .	60,000	0	37,329	89	5,642	91	42,972	80
D.—Tolls .. .. .	142,000	0	7,441	51	789	35	8,230	86
E.—Markets .. .. .	127,250	0	80,131	18	11,389	55	91,523	73
F.—Slaughter-house .. .. .	53,000	0	33,134	62	4,353	55	37,493	17
G.—Conservancy .. .. .	11,100	0	8,274	45	1,577	50	9,851	95
H.—Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station .. .. .	48,450	0	33,647	40	5,704	89	39,352	29
I.—Consolidated rate .. .. .	2,850,000	0	1,969,852	77	139,974	72	2,109,827	49
K.—Water .. .. .	686,000	0	397,332	0	65,011	7	462,343	7
L.—Rents .. .. .	61,000	0	49,863	13	7,062	6	56,925	19
M.—Miscellaneous .. .. .	521,000	0	389,250	75	6,438	10	395,688	85
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>4,901,350</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,295,518</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>262,718</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>3,558,236</b>	<b>90</b>

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE	Estimated Expenditure for 1924, including Supplementary Votes and unspent Balances at December 31, 1923, brought forward.		Expenditure from January 1 to July 31, 1924.		Expenditure for August, 1924.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Non-effective charges .. .. .	930,962	50	480,591	98	5,852	61	486,444	59
B.—Chairman .. .. .	27,600	0	16,619	35	1,433	87	18,103	22
C.—Secretariat .. .. .	99,530	5	48,114	43	7,060	13	55,174	56
D.—Treasurer's Department .. .. .	277,756	41	153,461	31	16,485	87	169,947	18
E.—Veterinary Department .. .. .	148,859	0	77,453	98	14,383	88	91,837	86
F.—Municipal Court .. .. .	25,387	0	14,325	83	2,121	27	16,447	15
G.—Fire Brigade and Ambulances .. .. .	77,083	0	46,934	81	4,535	57	51,470	38
H.—Public Health Department .. .. .	448,674	59	221,183	45	32,554	87	253,738	32
I.—Engineer's Department (Works) .. .. .	2,916,442	50	1,431,776	15	206,173	97	1,637,950	12
K.—Waterworks Department .. .. .	714,168	48	151,605	80	18,901	74	170,507	54
L.—Assessing Department .. .. .	80,167	73	42,802	47	5,084	99	47,887	46
M.—Engineer's Department (Drainage) .. .. .	680,307	56	359,198	44	49,470	9	408,668	53
Excess of revenue over expenditure carried to Balance Sheet .. .. .							3,408,176	91
							150,059	99
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>6,426,938</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>3,044,068</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>364,108</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>3,558,236</b>	<b>90</b>

The Town Hall,  
Colombo, September 20, 1924.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.

## Balance Sheet, August 31, 1924.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.				
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Loans outstanding:—					1. Capital expenditure:—			
(a) Government of Ceylon, duplication of 30-inch water main, &c.	3,000,000	0			(a) Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works	3,294,276	43	
Less redemption of loan	78,844	93			(b) Colombo Drainage Works:—			
			2,921,155	7	(1) Works carried out by resident engineer as per modified scheme	17,830,564	12	
(b) Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works	11,072,980	0			(2) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922	266,620	9	
Less redemption of loan	291,016	9			(3) Public lavatories and house connections	610,221	94	
			10,781,963	91	(c) Raising of Labugama reservoir dam	194,611	90	
2. Grant in aid:—					(d) Town Hall at Victoria park	238,512	97	
Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works	—		7,100,000	0				22,434,807 45
3. Sinking Fund Suspense Account:—					2. Amounts advanced to Municipal Council officials for purchase of vehicles	—		7,147 34
(a) Waterworks loan	78,844	93			3. Advance accounts:—			
(b) Colombo Drainage Works loan	291,016	9			(a) Miscellaneous	7,441	85	
			369,861	2	(b) Municipal quarries	79,050	59	
4. Permanent works executed out of revenue:—					(c) Advances on works pending recovery	2,391	70	
(a) Waterworks	294,276	43			(d) Making articles for stock	10,999	13	
(b) Colombo Drainage Works (extensions to scheme)	193,587	40						73,101 61
			487,863	83	4. Expenditure on laying water mains in private streets	73,030	13	
5. Amount received on realization of sinking funds and interest thereon	—		2,035,530	88	Less recoveries from land-owners	36,433	13	
6. Deposits:—								36,597 0
(a) Pending execution of works	12,525	39			5. Expenditure on aided house drainage	16,570	80	
(b) Miscellaneous	18,154	48			Less recoveries from owners	1,800	61	
			30,679	87				14,770 21
7. Securities:—					6. Stores on hand:—			
(a) Tenders	800	0			(a) General	811,550	15	
(b) Contractors	7,768	0			(b) Suspense Account	12,015	3	
(c) Municipal Council officials	6,981	70						823,565 18
(d) Miscellaneous	61,089	67			7. Returned cheques, &c.	—		1,252 61
			76,639	37	8. Cash:—			
8. Receipts in advance	—		5,634	34	(a) At Bank on current account	33,438	58	
9. Excess of assets over liabilities:—					(b) On fixed deposit account	2,300,000	0	
(a) Brought forward from 1923	1,767,456	70			(c) In hand:—			
(b) Excess of revenue over expenditure up to August 31, 1924, as per summary of revenue and expenditure	150,059	99			(1) With Shroff, Municipal Council	1,650	0	
			1,917,516	69	(2) With Municipal Council officials	515	0	
Total	—		25,726,844	98				2,335,6 3 58
					Total	—		25,726,844 98

The Town Hall,  
Colombo, September 20, 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 August 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	81,114	76	193,587	40
2. Amount received on realization of sinking funds and interest thereon*	1,969,650	64	65,880	24	2,035,530	88
Total	20,255,103	28	146,995	0	20,402,098	28

\* 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 August 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 ..	404,502	38	153,301	35	113,318	74	266,620	9
(c) Public lavatories and house connections ..	671,589	18	570,316	13	39,905	81	610,221	94
2. Raising of Labugama reservoir dam ..	353,714	0	120,138	36	74,473	54	194,611	90
3. Town Hall at Victoria Park ..	1,304,831	9	107,330	13	131,182	84	238,512	97
							19,140,531	2
Balance unspent ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,261,567	26
Total ..	20,565,200	77	18,781,620	9	358,910	93	20,402,098	28

The Town Hall,  
Colombo. September 20, 1924.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.

## Prices of Foodstuffs, &amp;c., in Colombo, on October 1, 1924.

	Per	Wholesale.		Retail. Rs. c.
		Rs. c.	Per Measure	
Paddy, Country ..	Bushel	3 25	do.	—
Paddy, Imported ..	do.	3 38	do.	—
Rice, Country ..	do.	—	do.	—
Rice, Kara ..	do.	6 75	do.	0 22
Rice, Kallunda ..	do.	7 12	do.	0 23
Rice, Sulai ..	do.	7 25	do.	0 24
Rice, Muttusamba ..	do.	9 0	do.	0 28
Raw Rice (Rangoon) ..	do.	6 25	do.	—
Raw Rice (Singapore) ..	do.	6 0	do.	—
Raw Rice (Batavia) ..	do.	5 75	do.	—
Dhall (Tuvarai) ..	—	—	Seer	0 24
Dhall (Mussouri) ..	—	—	do.	0 16
Green Peas ..	—	—	do.	0 22
Ulundu ..	—	—	do.	0 20
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 7
Onions, Red ..	—	—	do.	0 7
Bread ..	—	—	1-lb. loaf	0 18
Tea ..	—	—	lb.	1 0
Coffee ..	—	—	do.	0 68
Limes ..	—	—	Dozen	0 12
Coconut ..	—	—	Each	0 8
Sugar, Soft ..	—	—	lb.	0 25
Sugar, Crepe ..	—	—	do.	0 18
Sugar, Ceylon ..	—	—	do.	—
Sugar, Candy ..	—	—	do.	0 26
Sugar, Brown ..	—	—	do.	—
Salt ..	—	—	Measure	0 12
Salt ..	—	—	lb.	0 6
Dried Chillies ..	—	—	do.	0 34
Corriander ..	—	—	do.	0 18
Pepper ..	—	—	Measure	0 40
Garlic ..	—	—	lb.	0 36
Mustard ..	—	—	Measure	0 40
Turmeric ..	—	—	lb.	0 40
Fenugreek ..	—	—	do.	0 20
Cummin ..	—	—	do.	0 60
Aniseed ..	—	—	do.	0 30
Tamarind ..	—	—	do.	0 12
Jaggery ..	—	—	Bundle	30-35c.
Gingelly ..	—	—	Seer	0 25
Gingelly Oil ..	—	—	Bottle	0 75
Coconut Oil ..	—	—	Measure	0 60
Kerosine Oil, Daylight ..	—	—	Tin	—
Kerosine Oil, Elephant Brand ..	—	—	Bottle	—
Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand ..	—	—	Bottle	0 19
Bulk Oil, Rising Sun ..	—	—	do.	—
Matches, Three Stars ..	—	—	Packet of 12 boxes	0 20
Matches (Japanese) ..	—	—	do.	0 18
Matches (Ceylon) ..	—	—	do.	0 18
Beef ..	—	—	lb.	0 35
Mutton ..	—	—	do.	0 80
Pork ..	—	—	do.	0 60
Chicken ..	—	—	Each	50-75c.
Eggs ..	—	—	do.	0 7
Dry Fish, Nettali (Hal-messan) ..	—	—	lb.	0 30
Dry Fish (Maldive) ..	—	—	do.	0 65

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 1, 1924

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.

## Prices of Foodstuffs, &amp;c., in Colombo, on October 8, 1924.

	Per	Wholesale.		Retail. Rs. c.
		Rs. c.	Per Measure	
Paddy, Country ..	Bushel	3 25	do.	—
Paddy, Imported ..	do.	2 69	do.	—
Rice, Country ..	do.	—	do.	—
Rice, Kara ..	do.	6 75	do.	0 21
Rice, Kallunda ..	do.	6 75	do.	0 21
Rice, Sulai ..	do.	7 37	do.	0 23
Rice, Muttusamba ..	do.	9 25	do.	0 29
Raw Rice (Rangoon) ..	do.	6 25	do.	—
Raw Rice (Singapore) ..	do.	6 0	do.	—
Raw Rice (Batavia) ..	do.	5 75	do.	—
Dhall (Tuvarai) ..	—	—	Seer	0 25
Dhall (Mussouri) ..	—	—	do.	0 16
Green Peas ..	—	—	do.	0 22
Ulundu ..	—	—	do.	0 15
Gram ..	—	—	do.	0 15
Wheat Flour ..	—	—	lb.	0 11
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 7
Bread ..	—	—	1-lb. loaf	0 18
Tea ..	—	—	lb.	1 0
Coffee ..	—	—	do.	0 68
Limes ..	—	—	Dozen	0 28
Coconut ..	—	—	Each	0 7
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.	0 38
Corriander ..	—	—	do.	0 18
Pepper ..	—	—	Measure	0 40
Garlic ..	—	—	lb.	0 35
Mustard ..	—	—	Measure	0 40
Turmeric ..	—	—	lb.	0 40
Fenugreek ..	—	—	do.	0 20
Cummin ..	—	—	do.	0 60
Aniseed ..	—	—	do.	0 35
Tamarind ..	—	—	do.	0 12
Jaggery ..	—	—	Bundle	30-35c.
Gingelly ..	—	—	Seer	0 25
Gingelly Oil ..	—	—	Bottle	0 75
Coconut Oil ..	—	—	Measure	0 60
Kerosine Oil, Daylight ..	—	—	Tin	—
Kerosine Oil, Elephant Brand ..	—	—	Bottle	—
Kerosine Oil, Monkey Brand ..	—	—	Bottle	0 19
Bulk Oil, Rising Sun ..	—	—	do.	—
Matches, Three Stars ..	—	—	Packet of 12 boxes	0 18
Matches (Japanese) ..	—	—	do.	0 15
Matches (Ceylon) ..	—	—	do.	—
Beef ..	—	—	lb.	0 35
Mutton ..	—	—	do.	0 80
Pork ..	—	—	do.	0 60
Chicken ..	—	—	Each	50-75c.
Eggs ..	—	—	do.	0 7
Dry Fish, Nettali (Hal-messan) ..	—	—	lb.	0 30
Dry Fish (Maldive) ..	—	—	do.	0 75

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 8, 1924.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.

**List of Brokers' Licenses issued during the Month of September, 1924.**

No. of License.	Date of Issue. 1924.	Name and Address.
144	Sept. 10	Mr. T. F. Webb, 1, Baillie street
145	Sept. 13	Mr. S. J. Goonesekera, 45, 2nd Cross street

No. of License.	Date of Issue. 1924.	Name and Address.
146	Sept. 24	Mr. A. J. M. de Mell, Harvard Settlement, Dam street
147	Sept. 30	Mr. M. E. C. Peeris, 16, Baillie street
Treasurer's Department, Colombo, October 2, 1924.		G. H. N. SAUNDERS, Municipal Treasurer.

**ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.**

**Sale of Ferry Rents.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Western Province will receive tenders at the Colombo Kachcheri, at 12 noon, on Friday, October 17, 1924, for the purchase of the under-mentioned ferry rents of the Western Province, from January 1 to December 31, 1925.

Separate tenders should be made for the several rents as shown below.

The successful tenderer will be required to deposit forthwith one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash, and should the offer be accepted by the Chairman, to furnish approved security for one half of the purchase amount or in cash for one-third of such amount, within 30 days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Chairman's acceptance of his offer.

He will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Committee's Proctor, for examining and giving his opinion of the title deeds of properties tendered by him as security and for examining and for settling the security bond, and the fees charged by the Committee's Proctor, for examining documents and drawing the security bond, the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond, and the stamp duty on the bonds under the Ordinance No. 22 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 16 of 1917.

All title deeds tendered as security should be accompanied by a certificate obtained from the Registrar of Lands that the lands to which they relate are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the party offering the security.

The Chairman reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Colombo.

*Colombo District.*

Toll at the Hanwella ferry.

*Kalutara District.*

Toll at the Anguruwatota ferry.

Provincial Road Committee, R. N. THAINE, Chairman, Colombo, October 6, 1924.

**Talatuoya-Kirimetiya Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee of the Central Province, acting under the provisions of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the above road for the private contribution of Rs. 2,200 on the estimate of maintenance amounting to Rs. 2,400 for the year ending September 30, 1924, as follows:—

1st section, 1 mile.			
Total acreage, 1,943—Cost, Rs. 586·65—Sectional rate, 3019c.—Total rate, 3019c.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount due. Rs. c.
A. Govindasampillai	Narankaduwa	50	15 11
Ramalingampillai	do.	44	13 30
A. P. S. T. Sellambampillai	do.	43	13 0
A. Salumburam Kangany	do.	21	6 35

1st to 4th section, 3½ miles.

Total acreage, 1,785—Cost, Rs. 1,613·35—Sectional rate, 9038c.—Total rate, 1·2057c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount due. Rs. c.
H. V. Greer	Kirimetiya	693	835 56
A. F. Howie	Old Meddagama	248	299 3
A. M. G. Trotter	Bellwood and Moragala	751	905 50
M. D. Attygalle	Agallawatta	93	112 15
Total			2,200 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman, Local Committee, Bellwood estate, Galaha, on or before November 15, 1924.

W. L. KINDERSLEY, Chairman, Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, October 6, 1924.

**Members of the Local Committee for Mallawapitiya-Rambadagalla Branch Road, 1924-26.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been elected to act as members of the Local Committee for the Mallawapitiya-Rambadagalla road under "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," for the term of two years ending November 11, 1926:—

Mr. J. S. Patterson. Mr. H. B. Pain.  
Mr. F. N. Daniels. Mr. B. H. C. Mendis.  
Mr. G. Pickthall.

F. G. TYRRELL, Chairman, Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kurunegala, October 6, 1924.

**Yattattawala-Yattogoda Estate Cart Road.**

IT is hereby notified that under section 17 (1) of "The Estates Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," the under-mentioned gentlemen have been appointed to form the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance in respect of the above road for two years, namely, from January 22, 1924, to January 22, 1926:—

Messrs. W. Nugawela (Chairman) and A. L. Gunaratne.  
Provincial Road Committee, T. SAM. DE SILVA, Ratnapura, October 7, 1924. for Chairman.

**Dehiowita-Algodra Branch Road.**

REFERRING to the notice dated September 3, 1924, and published in the *Government Gazettes* Nos. 7,413 and 7,415 of September 5 and 12, 1924, respectively, notice is hereby given that under section 14 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," the under-mentioned persons were elected to form the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance in respect of the above road to serve from August 27, 1924, to August 27, 1926:—

Messrs. I. L. Cameron (Chairman), D. I. Mackenzie, E. R. Devonshire, G. C. Price, and T. H. Newall.  
Provincial Road Committee, T. SAM. DE SILVA, Ratnapura, October 7, 1924. for Chairman.

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

## Local Option.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Government Agent of the Southern Province, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 5 of the rules specified in Excise Notification No. 130 of June 16, 1922, has appointed dates and places mentioned against the following taverns, for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the road tax-paying inhabitants of the areas served by those taverns are opposed to their existence within such areas:—

Tavern.	Date.	Place.	Area Served.
Halpatota arrack tavern	October 27, 1924, 7 A.M. to 7 P.M.	The Resthouse, Baddegama in Gangaboda pattu, Galle District	Halpatota, Ganegama North, Gonapinuwala East, and Baddegama North
Akuratiya arrack tavern	November 3, 1924, 7 A.M. to 7 P.M.	The Gansabhawa building, Baddegama, ditto	Akuratiya, Agaliya, Baddegama South and East
Ganegoda toddy tavern	November 10, 1924, 7 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Ketapola estate bungalow, Elpitiya, Galle District	Ketapola, Ganegoda, Goluwamulla, Pahala Omatta, and Ihala Omatta

The Kachcheri,  
Galle, October 7, 1924.

T. B. RUSSELL,  
Government Agent.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

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

## Trade Marks registered during the Month of September, 1924.

Trade Mark No.	Gazette No.	Date of Gazette.	Proprietors.	Class.
3,097	7,390	May 2, 1924	Tide Water Oil Company	47
3,048	7,403	July 4, 1924	Ambrosia, Limited	42
3,150	7,403	July 4, 1924	William Alfred Beer	38
3,080	7,404	July 11, 1924	Calvert Greenwood Tetley and Alexander Buchanan Thomson, trading as "Thomson Tetley & Company"	24, 31, & 34
3,081	7,404	July 11, 1924	do.	24, 31, & 34
3,082	7,404	July 11, 1924	do.	24, 31, & 34
3,083	7,404	July 11, 1924	do.	24, 31, & 34
3,085	7,404	July 11, 1924	do.	24, 31, & 34
3,087	7,404	July 11, 1924	do.	24, 31, & 34
3,163	7,404	July 11, 1924	Jonköpings Och Vulcans Tandsticksfabriksaktiebolag	47
3,164	7,404	July 11, 1924	do.	47
3,151	7,406	July 18, 1924	Lever Brothers (India), Limited	3, 42, 47, & 48
3,152	7,406	July 18, 1924	Sanitas Company, Limited	2, 47, & 48
3,169	7,406	July 18, 1924	Naamlooze Vennootschap A. Wulffing & Co.'s Chemische Producten	3
3,170	7,406	July 18, 1924	Johann Abraham von Wulffing	3
3,171	7,406	July 18, 1924	Scott & Turner, Limited	3
3,172	7,406	July 18, 1924	Brooke, Bond, Ceylon, Limited	42

## Change of Name of Registered Proprietor.

149	5,432	Oct. 23, 1896	Tarrant, Henderson & Co., name changed to Tarrant & Co., and Henderson & Co.	42
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## Trade Mark restored to Register during the Month of September, 1924.

117	5,381	Nov. 22, 1895	Dakin Brothers, Limited	3
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## Subsequent Proprietors registered during the Month of September, 1924.

The name in italics is that of the former proprietor.

117	5,381	Nov. 22, 1895	Dakin Brothers, Ltd., 82, Middlesex street, London, England, Wholesale Druggists, and Manufacturing Chemists; <i>Arthur Rice Wiggin</i>	3
1,430	6,557	April 18, 1913	Continental Caoutchouc and Gutta Percha Compagnie, Hanover, Germany; <i>The Custodian of Enemy Property</i>	40

## Trade Marks renewed during the Month of September, 1924.

117	5,381	Nov. 22, 1895	Dakin Brothers, Limited	3
152	—	Dec. 23, 1896	Blankenheym & Nolet's Distilleerderij, Ltd.	43
153	—	Dec. 23, 1896	do.	43
142	5,426	Sept. 11, 1896	Koko-Maricopas Co., Ltd.	48
149	5,432	Oct. 23, 1896	Tarrant & Co. and Henderson & Co.	42
1,219	6,417	Dec. 23, 1910	John Walker & Sons, Ltd. (New Company)	43
1,231	6,425	Feb. 17, 1911	do.	43
1,212	6,414	Dec. 9, 1910	Abol, Limited	2 & 13

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

Trade Mark No.	Gazette No.	Date of Gazette.	Proprietors.	Class.
1,178	6,387	June 24, 1910	British & Colonial Aeroplane Company, Limited	6
1,180	6,389	July 1, 1910	George Robson & Co	42 & 4
1,185	6,391	July 15, 1910	Harrisons & Crosfield, Limited	42

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

1,195	6,405	Oct. 7, 1910	Custodian of Enemy Property	42
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Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 8, 1924.

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.

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

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,207.
- (2) Date of Receipt: August 25, 1924.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): CASSIM SHEIK MOHIDEEN, No. 10, Warish Gardens, Welkande road, Slave Island, Colombo; Rose Water Manufacturer.
- (4) Address for service in the Island, if any:—
- (5) Class: Forty-eight.
- (6) Goods: Rose water.
- (7) Mark:



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the word "ZUM ZUM," and the device of the flower pot, and no claim is made to the exclusive use of the added matter except in so far as it consists of the applicant's name and address.

The Arabic words appearing at the top are "Allah" meaning "God," and "Maaul Maarid al Chayyib" meaning "Good rose water."

The translation of the Shastri words appearing at the bottom is "Zum Zum rose water, Slave Island, Ceylon."

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

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

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,212.
- (2) Date of Receipt: September 6, 1924.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): HARRISONS & CROSFIELD, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the English Companies Acts), 1-4, Great Tower street, London, England; Merchants.

(4) Address for service in the Island: F. J. & G. de Sarsis, No. 13, Queen street, Fort, Colombo.

- (5) Class: Forty-two.
- (6) Goods: Tea.
- (7) Mark:

## MOUNTAIN GROWN

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

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.

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

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,211.
- (2) Date of Receipt: September 4, 1924.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): SUMNER'S TYPHOO TEA, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the laws of England), No. 8, Castle street, Birmingham, England; Tea Merchants.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Lee, Hedges & Co., Limited, 12, Queen street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Forty-two.
- (6) Goods: Tea.
- (7) Mark:



No claim is made to the exclusive use of the letters "T T T."

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

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.



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

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,213.
- (2) Date of Receipt : September 9, 1924.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : MORI-NAGA SEIKWA KABUSHIKI KAISHA (a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan), No. 1, Itchome, Eiraku Cho, Kojimachi Ku, Tokyo, Japan ; Manufacturers and Merchants.
- (4) Address for service in the Island : Julius & Creasy, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class : Forty-two.
- (6) Goods : Cakes, candies, chocolates, biscuits, powdered and condensed milk, and bread.
- (7) Mark :



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

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.

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

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,214.
- (2) Date of Receipt : September 9, 1924.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : WILLSON GOGGLES INC. (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, United States of America), Reading, County of Berks, State of Pennsylvania, United States of America ; Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island : Julius & Creasy, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class : Eight.
- (6) Goods : Scientific instruments, and apparatus for useful purposes, and particularly ophthalmic mountings and parts thereof.
- (7) Mark :



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

H. W. CODRINGTON,  
Registrar-General.

Ceylon Government Railway.—Comparative Statement of Goods Traffic for the Month of July, 1924.

Particulars of Goods conveyed.	Month ended	Month ended	Increase in 1924.	Decrease in 1924.	Nett Increase or Decrease from October 1, 1922, to July 31, 1924.	
	July 31, 1923.	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
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>97,330</b>	<b>119,260</b>	<b>22,526</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>133,836</b>	<b>12,281</b>

Colombo, September 19, 1924.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

## NOTICES UNDER "THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE, No. 11 OF 1920."

**Election of Members, Negombo Urban District Council.**

NOTICE is hereby given that it is intended to hold an election of Members of the Negombo Urban District Council on Monday, November 24, next. Every candidate must be nominated in writing, and the nomination paper must be subscribed by at least two persons whose names appear in the electoral roll of the electoral division for which each candidate offers himself for election, and the nomination paper must be delivered at the office of the Negombo Urban District Council on or before 12 noon on November 24, 1924, which day has been fixed for that purpose.

If more than one candidate is nominated for any one division, a poll will be taken on Saturday, December 6, 1924, at the polling places provided for that division as shown below. The poll shall open at 9 A.M. and close at 3 P.M.

*Polling Places.*

*For Division No. 1.*—The Urban District Council Office.

*For Division No. 2.*—The Town Hall.

*For Division No. 3.*—The Boys' School of San Sebastian Church, Sea street.

*For Division No. 4.*—Star Cottage, Chilaw road.  
*For Division No. 5.*—St. Joseph's Mission House, St. Joseph's street.

*For Division No. 6.*—Bolawalana Roman Catholic School, Bolawalana.

R. H. WHITEHORN,  
Assistant Government Agent,  
The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, October 4, 1924. Colombo and Negombo Districts.

**Auctioneer and Broker.**

THE following person was licensed during the month of September, to carry on the trade or business of Auctioneer within the limits of the Panadure Urban District Council Area for the year 1924, and his name is published in terms of section 17 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1889, as amended by Ordinance No. 25 of 1922 :—

J. Goonewardene, Auctioneer.

A. S. GOONEWARDENE,  
Chairman.  
The Urban District Council Office,  
Panadure, October 2, 1924.