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NEW LAW REPORTS.—Part XII. of Vol. XXVI. will be issued on the 7th instant.

PROCLAMATION.

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 CECIL CLEMENTI, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

CECIL CLEMENTI.

KNOW Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government, by virtue of the powers in Us vested by section 55 of "The Courts Ordinance, No. 1 of 1889," have been pleased to appoint that an Additional District Court for the District of Kandy shall be holden at the Audience Hall, Kandy, from July 6 to 18, 1925, and at the Headmen's Ambalam, Kandy, from August 3 to 8, 1925, and from September 7 to 12, 1925.

Given under my hand at Colombo, this First day of July, in the year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 300 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. F. E. LABROOY to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, during the absence of Mr. M. PRASAD, on July 4 and 5, 1925.

The Hon. Mr. V. S. DE S. WIKRAMANAYAKE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, during the absence of Mr. M. PRASAD, from July 6, 1925, until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. F. DHARMARATNA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, during the absence of Mr. H. E. JANSZ, on July 3 and 4, 1925.

Mr. C. E. ARNDT to act, in addition to his own duties, as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Puttalam, and Additional District Judge, Puttalam, on June 29, 1925.

Mr. R. R. NALLIAH to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, during the absence of Mr. E. W. KANNANGARA, from July 2 to 5, 1925, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. M. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Mallakam, during the absence of Mr. E. W. KANNANGARA, from July 2 to 5, 1925, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. A. V. VAN LANGENBERG to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Gampola, from June 30, 1925, until the resumption of duties by Mr. E. G. JONKLAAS.

Mr. E. G. JONKLAAS to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, during the absence of Mr. V. P. REDLICH, on July 1, 1925.

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests, Panadure, on July 4, 1925.

Mr. V. VISWALINGAM, Chief Clerk, Batticaloa Kacheri, to act as Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, from July 8 to August 1, 1925, inclusive, or until further orders.

Mr. D. C. E. ABEYSEKERE to act as Superintendent of Excise, Kalutara, for ten days from June 26, 1925, during the absence of Mr. R. G. DE LIVERA on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. S. L. PEIRIS, Excise Inspector, to act as Inspecting Officer of Distilleries, with the rank of Assistant Superintendent of Excise, for ten days from June 26, 1925, or until further orders, *vice* Mr. D. C. E. ABEYSEKERE.

Mr. A. M. G. TROTTER to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Kandy during the absence of Mr. J. B. COLES from the Island.

Mr. J. H. WYNELL MAYOW to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton during the absence of Mr. L. A. WRIGHT from the Island.

Mr. R. K. FLETCHER to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton during the absence of Mr. E. MASSY from the Island.

Mr. A. R. QUARME to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Colombo.

Notification No. 295 appearing in the *Gazette* of June 26, 1925, is cancelled so far as it relates to the appointment of Mr. A. R. QUARME as Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate.

Mr. R. F. LUSHINGTON to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Gampola during the absence of Mr. A. TAIT from the Island.

Mr. C. B. LOUDOUN SHAND to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Gampola.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, July 3, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 301 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Lieutenant L. C. A. LEEFE, R.N., of his appointment as Extra Aide-de-Camp.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 30, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 302 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Visitors to the hospitals noted against their names, for the year 1925:—

Mr. F. STEWART, Badulla.
Mr. R. C. VERNON, Badulla.
Mr. A. FELLOWES GORDON, Haputale.
Mr. J. W. COTTON, Koslande.
Mr. H. J. D. STOKES, Moneragala.
Mr. F. FOWLER, Moneragala.
Mr. A. W. BISSET, Passara.
Mr. A. D. MORLEY, Welimada.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 26, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 303 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. E. W. HAWKE, having returned to the Island, to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the District of Matara.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 23, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 304 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. HENRY ARTHUR AMARASEKERA EKANAYAKE to be an Inquirer for Pasdun korale east in Kalutara District.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, July 1, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 305 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint WERAPITIYA EKANAYAKE MUDIYANSELAGE PUHULPANAWA WALAUWE HEEN BANDA, Korala, Palis pattu east, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Inquirer for the Chief Headman's division of Pata Dumbara, from June 20 to July 20, 1925, during the absence of the Inquirer on leave, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 30, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 306 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. SINNA-TAMPIPODI MURUGESAPILLAI, Udaiyar, to be an Inquirer for Mamunai pattu south in Batticaloa District.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 30, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 307 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint S. A. BRAMPY SILVA to be an Inquirer for Ambagamuwa korale, in Uda Bulatgama division of the District of Kandy.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 30, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 308 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint RANASINHA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA to act as Inquirer for Mahagalboda Egoda korale, in Hiriya hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province, during the absence of R. M. RANHAM, on leave.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 309 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Ceylon Light Infantry:—

To be Captain and Quartermaster.

Lieutenant and Quartermaster BASIL MORRIS CHRISTOFFELSZ.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, July 3, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 310 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. D. A. WEERAKODY of Kahatapitiya to be an Inquirer for the Chief Headman's division of Udapalata, Central Province.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, July 3, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 311 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. ALEXANDER HENRY SENEVIRATNE, of No. 5, Hulftsdorp, Colombo, to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 312 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. DAMIAN ADRIAN BERNARD RATNAYAKE, of No. 49, Campbell place, Colombo, to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Kurunegala, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed DON CHARLES PELPOLA to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Gampola town division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for sixty-six days, with effect from June 27, 1925, *vice* MAADUWE MARTIN SAWGORIS DE SILVA WARNAKULASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at No. 156, Illawatura road, Gampola.

Registrar-General's Office, A. W. SEYMOUR,
Colombo, June 25, 1925. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed WANISEKERA MUDIYANSELAGE PALIYANAWALAWWE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of and Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Pata Dumbara No. 5 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for twenty-

three days, with effect from June 28, 1925, *vice* HERAT-MUDIYANSELAGE TIKIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Giddawa; station: Asweddumewattegedera in Rambukwella.

Registrar-General's Office, A. W. SEYMOUR,
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed DON NICHOLAS WICKRAMARATNE to be Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota town division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, with effect from June 29, 1925, *vice* TAMPOE RICHARD MUTTU TAMBY, transferred. His office will be at the Government Civil Hospital, Hambantota.

Registrar-General's Office, A. W. SEYMOUR,
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed DON CAROLIS WICKRAMARATNE KURUPPU NANAYAKKARA provisionally as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walasmulla Upper division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, with effect from July 1, 1925, *vice* Registrar, DON CHARLES GUNASEKERA WELLAPPULLI, resigned. His office will be at Pahalawatta in Walasmulla.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 24, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed PARAMACUDDI IYAMPILLAI (provisionally) as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Manmunai East, South, Central divisions, and of Marriages (General) of Manmunai pattu north division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from July 1, 1925, *vice* Registrar, PATTINIYAR KANAPATHIPILLAI, deceased. His office will be at Arappattai.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 9, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have confirmed TLAKARATNA MALHAMIGE APPUHAMY in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kanadara korale west division, and of Marriages (Kandyen and General) of Nuwaragam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, with effect from July 9, 1925. His office will be at Kahapatwilagama, and the additional office at Mihintale on Mondays.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

THE following appointments, under section 3 of Ordinance No. 23 of 1900 and section 7 of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, are hereby notified:—

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed WANIGA-ARACHIGE CHARLES PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambatalenpahala west division, and of Marriages (General) of Ambatalenpahala division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from June 23, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, NALAWATTEGE MANUEL PINTO SENANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Wellampitiyawatta *alias* Tappewatta in Wellampitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Dr. I. J. FERNANDO to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of division No. 3 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on June 27, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. A. C. FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at No. 229, Dematagoda road, Colombo.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed PANIS PERERA GUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Colombo town division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from June 27, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, CHARLES DE SILVA GUNATILAKA, on sick leave. His office will be at No. 88, Alutnawata, Mutwal.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed ANDRAVASPATABENDIGE MAXIMIAN VAS GUNAWARDANE to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on July 1, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, BUSABADUGE JORONIS FERNANDO ABEYASUNDERA WICKRAMASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at Elaowitawatta in Andigoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON DAVID SENANAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Talpitibadde division, and of Marriages (General) of Panadure totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for five days from July 2, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, ILEPERUMAGE DON ARNOLIS, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Mahawila.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON BASTIAN SENANAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Talpitibadde division, and of Marriages (General) of Panadure totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for five days from July 2, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, ILEPERUMAGE DON ARNOLIS, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Mahawila.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed CHARLES SOLOMON RANAWAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Welgama division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from July 3, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CHARLES SAMARASEKERA, on sick leave. His office will be at Sarakkuwewatta in Bulatsinhala; station: Delpawatta in Mahagama on first and third Thursdays of every month.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed MAHAWATTEGE DON ARNOLIS ABEYARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matugama division, and of Marriages (General) of Iddagoda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on July 3, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, MAHAWATTEGE DON PUNCHISINNO ABEYERATNA, on leave. His office will be at Katupiliyagoda Kurunduwatta in Matugama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DODANGODAGE DON HARMANIS ABAYARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kulupana division, and of Marriages (General) of Kumbuke pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for two days from July 8, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON ROMANIS KOTALAWALA, on leave. His office will be at Karandemandiyelanda in Kahatapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed WEERAKKODI ELDRICK SOYSA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Madampe division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on June 30, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, WALIMUNI SARAWIS MENDIS ABAYASEKERA WIJAYAKULATILAKA, on leave. His office will be at Maradanewatta at Wenamulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed DON DAVID SURIYA-ARACHCHI AMARASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hikkaduwa division in addition to his own duties as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from July 1, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, HETTI-ARACHCHI BAPTIST WICKRAMARATNE, on leave. His offices will be at Wella-addaramahawatta and Hettiachchiduwelwatta in Hikkaduwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed DON CAROLIS WIJESURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dodanduwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from July 3, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, GARDIYEHAWASAN BALAGE ARTHUR DE SILVA, on leave. His office will be at Assalawatta at Modwapatuwata in Dodanduwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON ALLIS RANAWERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for six days from June 22, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON ABRAHAM DE SILVA JAYASINGHE, on sick leave. His office will be at Talgahawatta in Balukawala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed FRANCIS OBESEKERA WEERASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Parawahera division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for two days from June 24, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, HEWA MADDUMA LIYANAGE DON DEONIS, on leave. His office will be at Borellehena in Parawahera and Guru-kandaheawatta in Aparekka.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed JOHANIS DIAS GUNARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kananke division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for seven days from July 1, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON YODIAS GUNARATNA, retired. His office will be at Kanattewatta *alias* Appadira in Poramba Kananke.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON LUWIS ATAPATTU 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 five days from June 26, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CHARLES DISANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Nakulugamuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON SAUNDIRIS GUNASEKERA WELLAPPULI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walasmulla Upper division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, on June 29, 1925, during the absence of the Acting Registrar, DON CAROLIS WICKRAMARATNE KURUPPC NANAYAKKARA, on other duty. His office will be at Pahalawatta in Walasmulla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed KRISTOPPILLAI ANTHONIPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chempiyanpattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Pachchilaippali division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for ten days from June 25, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, KRISTOPPILLAI JOACHIMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Kadatkaraimanalvalaau in Marutankeni; station: Urippiddi in Vattirayan.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed KATHIRITTAMPI SARAVANAMUTTU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pachchilaippali division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for twelve days from June 26, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, VAYITTINGAM CHELLAIYA, on leave. His office will be at Mahesvariwasa in Periyapalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed PAVILUPPILLAI SUSAIPELLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pandattarippu division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for eight days from June 27, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, RAYMOND CHRISTOPHER, on leave. His office will be at "Raymond Villa" in Sillalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed SAVERIPILLAI BASTIAMPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for fifteen days from June 27, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, SAVERIPILLAI DOMINGOPILLAI THAMPU, on leave. His office will be at Karampaiyakkandy in Karaveddi West.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed PERIYATHAMPIYAR ABEL to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Achchuveli division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam East division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for five days from June 29, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, SUSAIPELLAI JOHN RAJAH, on leave. His office will be at Karalagiri in Achchuveli North.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed SUSAIPELLAI RAYAPPU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for two days from July 1, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, MANUVELPILLAI MICHAELPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Kurudittodam in Puloli East.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa, has appointed KATHIRAVELUPILLAI SEENTAMBAY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koralai pattu north division, and of Marriages (General) of Koralai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from June 22, 1925, *vice* Registrar, MARIYAR MARIMUTTU, deceased. His office will be at Miravodai; stations: Valaichehen and Kathiraveli.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed CHARLES SENANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yatakalan pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale south division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for ten days from June 24, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, BEMPE SAMPSON MARASINGHA, on leave. His office will be at Gorakagahawatta in Thalawalhapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam and Chilaw Districts, has appointed ABEYAKOON ROMANIS SINGHO WIJEYASINGHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapalata east division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for five days from June 26, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, ABAYAKOON CAROLIS WIJAYASINHA, on sick leave. His office will be at Nattandiya.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed MORAHELA MEDAGAMMEDDE WITARALLAYA JAYASUNDERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Imbulamure division, and of Marriages (General) of Meda korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for eight days from June 24, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON EDWIN JAYASINGHA, on leave. His office will be at Kantoruwewatta in Mahawalattenna.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed DON ANDREAS DISANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hingura division, and of Marriages (General) of Kolanna korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for seven days from June 24, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CAROLIS WEERAKUTTIL, on leave. His office will be at Siyambalagahawatta in Hingura.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed WATUYAYE GAMAETIRALLAYE YASAWARDENA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tembiana division, and of Marriages (General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, on July 2, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, WATUYAYE GAMAETIRALLAYE GOONAWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at Higgashenyaye Pelapolwatta in Watuyaya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed PALISKARA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehigampal korale Megodapota pattuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for five days from June 26, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, JAYASINHA MUDIYANSELAGE CHARLES APPUHAMI JAYASINHA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Karawdeniya.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that JAYASUNDERA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE KALU BANDA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kiralowa korale east division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kalagam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, will, with effect from July 10, 1925, hold his office at Talgahagedara in Kitulhitiyawa instead of at Ambagahawatta in Kitulhitiyawa as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,970 of October 4, 1918.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 29, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

WITH reference to the notification published in *Government Gazette* No. 5,468 of June 12, 1925, relating to the acting appointment of HERATHMUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMI as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Walgampattu korale, and of Marriages (General) of Dewamedi hatpattu, it is hereby notified that the acting period should be read as twenty-one days from May 28, 1925, and not thirty days as notified therein.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased, in terms of the regulations published in the *Gazette* of January 13, 1922, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to Lieutenant-Colonel William Maxwell Johnstone of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased, in terms of the regulations published in the *Gazette* of November 23, 1923, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal to Quartermaster Sergeant Joseph Aumsly Moldrich and Lance-Corporal Peter Francis Rodrigo Goonewardene of the Ceylon Medical Corps.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 28, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. G. V. Perera	Clerk in Class III. of the Clerical Service	Warehouseman at the Colonial Stores

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 27, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

IT is hereby notified for general information (a) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to set apart the lots of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which are the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that the villagers of the village of Mirihanpitigama, in the Katuwanna korale of the Wannī hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lots on free permits issued by the Government Agent, Kurunegala, in accordance with the rules made by the Village Committee under the provisions of sections 6 and 16 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1889; and (b) that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government reserves to himself the right to resume absolute possession on behalf of the Crown of the said lots or of any portion thereof whenever he thinks fit.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 26, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lots situated in the village of Mirihanpitigama, in the Katuwanna korale of the Wannī hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province:—

Block survey preliminary plan 1,929.			
Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent, A. R. P.	
4 ..	Mahayayehena	35	3 18
17 ..	Kadahathawewahena	58	1 28
28 ..	Siyambalagahamulahena	99	1 15
	(Exclusive of the Gansabhawa road and reservation passing through the land.)		
		193	2 21
	<i>Lots excluded.</i>		
26 ..	Siyambalagahamulahena (reservation for tank bund)	0	1 35
27 ..	Udawewa (tank and bund)	4	3 1
		5	0 36

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

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 18, 1925.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Present Administrative Limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council.

North.—A line starting from the sea, along the eastern shore of the Chilaw lake up to the canal, and thence along the western bank of the canal up to the bridge over the canal.

North-east.—A line starting from the bridge over the canal, along the eastern side of the Wattakkaliya road, the northern boundary of lot 58702 in town plan, the path marked in town plan, thence along that path to the Puttalam road, and thence along the eastern side of Puttalam road to Lunu-odai, along Lunu-odai to lot 57311, thence along the northern and eastern boundaries of the said lot, the old gravets marked in town plan, the northern and eastern boundaries of lot 487/V 2 and the northern boundary of lot S 2, and the northern boundary of the new dhobies' tank to its eastern corner.

East.—A line along the eastern boundary of the new dhobies' tank, across Wariyapola road, along the eastern boundary of Mr. Advocate Corea's land till its south-eastern end.

South-east.—A line from the south-eastern corner of Mr. Advocate Corea's land, along its southern boundary, and along the southern boundary of Mr. De Mel's estate, eastern and southern boundaries of lot 487/U 3, eastern and southern boundaries of lot 487/5, southern boundary of lot 5/39, eastern boundaries of lots L 1230, M 1230, N 1230, southern boundaries of lots N 1230, M 1230 to Colombo road, thence along the eastern side of Colombo road to a point opposite the northern corner of lot 1079 across the road, along the northern and western boundaries of the said lot to the railway line, thence along the eastern side of the railway line to lot Y marked in town plan, thence across the railway line, along the southern boundaries of lots X and Y in the said plan; and along the southern boundaries of lot V 214 and lot W 214 to the Chilaw lake, thence along the eastern shore of the Chilaw lake to the north-west corner of lot 13233, thence a line across the lake to the north-eastern corner of lot L 1194, along the northern boundary of the said lot L 1194, along the road marked in the town plan to the north-eastern corner of lot 205394 in town plan.

South.—A line starting from the north-east corner of lot 205394, along the northern and western boundaries of the said lot 205394, southern boundaries of lots 205421 and 316, and thence a straight line starting from the north-east corner of the general cemetery along its southern boundary to the sea.

West.—The sea.

Proposed Administrative Limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council.

North by a straight line drawn from the north-western point of title plan 222,719, westwards through lot 10351 in P. P. 2,115 to the sea, and thence along the edge of the lake to the north-eastern point of lot 12993 in P. P. 2,902, and from the said point a straight line drawn due east across the lake to the mouth of the Mattai-odai, Mattai-odai, Polowanella-odai, and Timbilla-odai.

East by T. P. 112,583, road, the northern boundary of lot B 1, lot R in P. P. 487, a water-course, lots Q and M in P. P. 487, title plan 134,938, water-course, the eastern boundary of title plan 56,472, title plan 84,867, the southern boundary of T. P. 56,472, the eastern boundary of T. P. 56,473, the northern and north-eastern boundary of T. P. 134,945, lots O 1, P 1, and Q 1 in P. P. 487, T. P. 134,959, Sirukulam, lot P 2 in P. P. 487, a water-course, lots B 4 and C 4 in P. P. 487, Wariyapola road as far as 1 chain to the west from the south-western point of lot C 4 in P. P. 487, and thence a line drawn southward to meet the landmark on the north-western point of lot 2 in P. P. 4,901, lot 2 in P. P. 4,901, Pambarachchi claimed by Mr. J. A. Corea, lot 2 in P. P. 4,826, Kattumurichan claimed by Bastian Vedarala, lots P 4, H 5, K 5, and U 5 in P. P. 488, road to the south of lots N 5 and T 5 in P. P. 488 till it meets the Colombo-Madampe road, thence along the said road till it meets the water-course, and along the water-course to the lake, and thence by a straight line drawn due south-west across the lake to the western edge of the lake, and thence along the western edge of the lake to meet the road reservation to the south of lot 11639 in P. P. 2,554.

South by the road reservation to the south of lot 11639 in P. P. 2,554 and T. P. 253,529, the southern boundary of title plans 205,394 and 204,966, and the southern boundary of lot 319 in P. P. 3,907, and the road reservation to the south of lot 317 in P. P. 3,907.

West by the sea.

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

BY-LAWS made by the Ratnapura Urban District Council, with the approval of the Local Government Board, under sections 164 and 168 (1) of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," and confirmed by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1925.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAWS.

1. The meetings of the Ratnapura Urban District Council shall be held on the second Tuesday in each month at 9 A.M., at the Council's Office.

2. The by-law relating to the time and place of meetings of the Ratnapura Urban District Council, published by Notification dated February 1, 1923, in *Government Gazette* No. 7,308 of February 2, 1923, is hereby repealed.

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NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the erection of an engine shed at Maho and a water tank at Nikawewa on the Batticaloa and Trincomalee Light Railway. The weight of the engine shed is about 16 tons and the water tank 15 tons.

2. Tenderers should quote their rates per cubic yard for excavation in foundations, concrete in foundations (6.3.1 with cement supplied by department at Rs. 12.50 per barrel), rate per ton for erection of steel and cast iron work, and rate per square for fixing galvanized iron sheets.

3. Drawings can be seen in Chief Construction Engineer's Office, Colombo.

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

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

6. Tenders may be for all or any of the works above mentioned, but each must be quoted for separately.

7. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for Erection of Engine Shed at Maho and Water Tank at Nikawewa, Batticaloa and Trincomalee Light Railway" on the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on Tuesday, July 14, 1925.

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

9. The work is to be carried out in all respects as shown on drawings which can be seen in Chief Construction Engineer's Office.

10. The contract sum to be quoted is to be in lump sum, a separate quotation being given for each work.

11. The contractor must provide labour to carry out the work and accommodation for his labour.

12. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign an agreement to execute and perform the works in accordance with the drawings, specifications, and the general conditions therein set forth and to complete the whole of the works within two months from the date of order to commence. The work will be paid for on monthly measurements of work done. Ten per cent. of the value of work done will be retained as security and will be refunded within one month of the satisfactory completion of the work. He will also be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 50 in cash in the case of the engine shed, and Rs. 50 in cash in the case of the water tank, or Rs. 100 in cash if the whole work is tendered for, which amount will be returned when the retention equals this sum.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

M. COLE BOWEN,
Railway Extension Office, Chief Construction Engineer,
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Railway Extensions.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from October 1, 1925, to December 31, 1925, in the case of Kantalai Hospital, and from October 1, 1925, to March, 31 1926, in the case of Topawewa Hospital.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Diets, Railway Extension Hospitals," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on July 21, 1925.

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

6. A cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at General Treasury or at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing of the acceptance of the tender, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Chief Construction Engineer's Office.

7. If required samples must be deposited.

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

9. Contracts may not be assigned, sublet, or otherwise transferred without the previous written sanction of the Chief Construction Engineer. Sanction will not be given for any transfers including powers of attorney in favour of persons in the defaulting contractors' list. No defaulting contractor should be employed on any service connected with the contracts or the tenders.

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

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

12. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extensions, Colombo, and not to the undersigned in person.

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

14. The contracts being for temporary hospitals, they may be terminated, if necessary, on a month's notice given by the Chief Construction Engineer.

M. C. BOWEN,
Chief Construction Engineer,
Railway Extensions.

Colombo, June 29, 1925.

Schedule referred to.

Service.	Tender		Security.
	Deposit.	Rs.	
Supply of cooked provisions, with milk, to the Hospital at—			
Kantalai	50 ..	200
Topawewa	50 ..	200

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one or two or three years commencing from October 1, 1925.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Principal Civil Medical Officer, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Transport of Stores from ————" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer not later than midday on August 4, 1925.

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

6. A cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing of the acceptance of the tender, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

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

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

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

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

accepting any portion of a tender or the whole of it for one, two, or three years.

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 Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

12. The contract shall be entered into by the contractor with the Head of the Department acting for and on behalf of His Majesty the King, and the designation of such officer shall mean and include the officer for the time being holding such office and his successors in office for the time being under the Government of Ceylon.

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

J. F. E. BRIDGER,
Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, June 27, 1925.

Schedule referred to.

Services.	Amount of		Amount of
	Tender Deposit.	Rs.	
Transport of stores from—			
(1) Bandarawela	50 ..	100
(2) Ratnapura	50 ..	100
(3) Chilaw	50 ..	100
(4) Kandy	50 ..	100

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase and removal of about 100 tons scrap iron, which can be inspected at the Government Factory, Colombo.

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

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Scrap Iron" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on Tuesday, July 14, 1925.

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

5. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the office of the Factory Engineer, Government Factory, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

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

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

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

9. The successful tenderer will be required to remove all the iron purchased by him within thirty days of signing the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

14. The full amount of the purchase money must be paid to the Director of Public Works on the same day as the contract is signed as mentioned in paragraph 9, and none of the iron purchased will be allowed to be removed until this amount has been duly paid over.

E. W. BARTHOLOMEW,
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, June 29, 1925.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the extension of Doragompuwa Boys' School, in Kandy District, Central Province.

2. Tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, District Schools Committee, Kachcheri, Kandy, and should reach the Kachcheri on or before 12 noon on July 16, 1925.

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

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

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 should accompany the tender. Should any person decline to enter into the contract or bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within 7 days of receiving a notice in writing from the Chairman that his tender has been accepted, his deposit shall be forfeited to the District Schools Committee. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or agreement.

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

The Kachcheri,
Kandy, June 27, 1925.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended June 27, 1925.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 122 (8 Burghers, 76 Sinhalese, 23 Tamils, 12 Moors, 2 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1925, viz., 254,867) was 25.0. The weekly average for last year was 27.6.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 174 (1 European, 8 Burghers, 109 Sinhalese, 30 Tamils, 21 Moors, and 5 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 35.6, as against 34.2 in the previous week, 22.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 29.8 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 174 total deaths, 50 were of infants under one year of age, as against 37 in the preceding week, 30 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 32 the average for last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 8.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Thirty-six deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 16 in Maradana hospitals (including 7 deaths of non-residents), 4 each in St. Paul's and Slave Island, 3 in New Bazaar, 2 each in Kotahena North, Kotahena South, and Wellawatta North, and 1 each in Maradana North, Maradana South, and Kollupitiya, as against 33 in the previous week, and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Thirteen deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 2 each in St. Paul's, San Sebastian, Kotahena South, New Bazaar, and Slave Island, and 1 each in Pettah, Maradana hospital (of a non-resident), and Maradana East, as against 18 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Eleven deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 2 each in Kotahena North and New Bazaar, and 1 in Kotahena South, as against 2 in the previous week, and 4 the weekly average for last year.

2. Twelve deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 4 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 3 in Kotahena South, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena North, and Maradana North, as against 17 in the previous week, and 13 the weekly average for last year.

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

4. Seventeen deaths were registered from *Debility*, 14 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 11 from *Enteritis*, 8 from *Dysentery*, 7 from *Diarrhoea*, 1 each from *Worms*, and *Peurperal Sepsæmia*, and 37 from *Other Causes*.

5. Twenty-seven cases of *Chickenpox*, 11 of *Enteric Fever*, 5 of *Measles*, and 1 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 23, 19, 16, and 5, respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 79.7°, against 82.2° in the preceding week, and 81.0° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.771 in., against 29.821 in. in the preceding week, and 29.868 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 6.48 in., against 1.64 in. in the preceding week, and 2.10 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

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

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying in the Ceylon Wharfrage Company's premises beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, August 11, 1925, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods must be cleared on or before Friday, August 14, 1925 :—

Entry Number and Date.	Date of Vessel.	Vessel.	Marks and Numbers.	Number and Description of Packages.
<i>B. I. Warehouse.</i>				
1925.	1924.			
F 1,350, Jan. 14 ..	December 22 ..	ss. Barenfels ..	T O M upon C A L 1 ..	1 case paperware
F 1,756, Jan. 16 ..	December 30 ..	ss. Japan ..	The Mercantile Sole Agency, P. O. Box 174 ..	1 case zinc in bottles
1925.				
F 1,898, Jan. 17 ..	January 5 ..	ss. Chantilly ..	L E V & Co. ..	1 parcel tissues
F 1,952, Jan. 19 ..	January 1 ..	ss. Falkenfels ..	M A C M around 94 ..	1 case ironware
F 2,217, Jan. 21 ..	January 8 ..	ss. Insulinde ..	W A B upon 1780 ..	1 case aluminiumware
F 2,218, Jan. 21 ..	January 8 ..	do. ..	W A B upon 1777½ ..	2 cases aluminiumware
F 2,923, Jan. 29 ..	January 12 ..	ss. Clan Mackay ..	A ½ I D	2 cases groceries, wine, and cigars
F 3,066, Jan. 30 ..	January 13 ..	ss. Marienfels ..	Colombo Co. 784/8 ..	5 cases toys
F 642, Feb. 9 ..	January 21 ..	ss. President Harrison ..	Colo. Madium or nil ..	1 case sardines
F 915, Feb. 10 ..	January 26 ..	ss. Amazone ..	CHV & Co. upon 9639/45 ..	7 cases brandy
F 917, Feb. 10 ..	January 26 ..	do. ..	K S A upon 7802 ..	1 case samples
F 918, Feb. 10 ..	January 26 ..	do. ..	A P C C 1/11 ..	11 cases brandy
F 2,575, Feb. 24 ..	February 2 ..	ss. Drachenfels ..	F. St. & Co. I D ..	5 cases provisions
F 2,535, Feb. 27 ..	February 11 ..	ss. Malia ..	Colombo Co. 845/7 ..	3 cases toys

T 1 Warehouse.

—	1924.	November 9 ..	ss. Merkara ..	G S P G ..	1 bag rice
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T 2 Warehouse.

—	1924.	September 23 ..	ss. Sicilia ..	Kaiser I. Kino or nil ..	2 bags rice
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Cask Warehouse.

—	...	—	Unknown ..	Nil ..	3 bundles iron 4 steel sheets 2 bars angle iron 6 bars flat iron 2 bars round iron 8 bundles iron
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H. M. Customs,
Colombo, June 29, 1925.

F. C. GIMSON,
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 July 6, 1925, until further orders.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, July 1, 1925.

G. S. WODEMAN,
for Principal Collector.

Sale of a Government Motor Car.

A SALE of a Government motor car, 18-horse power, 4 Model Overland car, will be held by public auction at the Railway motor garage, opposite the Railway Stores, Maradana, on Friday, July 10, 1925, at 2 P.M.

For further particulars apply to the Mechanical Engineer, Ceylon Government Railway, Maradana.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, June 29, 1925.

T. E. DUTTON,
General-Manager.

KG/Hewadiwella Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Manager, Salvation Army Schools, for a grant in aid of the above school, which is situated in Walgam pattu, Kinigoda korale, Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations will be received not later than July 30, 1925.

Education Office,
Colombo, June 23, 1925.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Registration.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. B. de Geradon for the conversion of his G/Kalegane Girls' School into a Mixed School.

Observations will be received not later than August 3, 1925.

Education Office,
Colombo, June 29, 1925.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Deletion of Notice re Cancellation of Third Class Certificate.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the last sentence of *Gazette* notice appearing in *Gazette* No. 7,432 of November 28, 1924, regarding cancellation of the Third Class Certificate of Mr. H. S. Perera, is hereby deleted. He may be employed in any Government or Assisted School.

Education Office,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

WITH reference to the Government notification appearing in the *Gazette* No. 7,470 of June 26, 1925, it is hereby notified that I have appointed, with effect from July 1, 1925, the persons whose names appear in the subjoined schedule, to be Registrars of Births and Deaths for the divisions noted opposite their names, holding office in the places appearing in column 4.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

SCHEDULE.*Central Province—Matale District.*

1. No. of Registration Division.	2. Name of Registrar.	3. Name of Registration Division.	4. Place of Office.
1 ..	Dr. John Benjamin Rodrigo Punchi Banda Ekanayaka (Deputy)	.. Matale town do. ..	Civil Hospital, Matale do.
2 ..	Ranpanhinda Dewakara Alahakoon Mudiyansele Niyarepola Waluwwe Medduma Banda	.. Kohonsiya pattu ..	Nikawellewaluwawatta in Udupihilla

Sale of Trees at the Colombo Museum.

NOTICE is hereby given that ten trees will be sold by public auction at the Colombo Museum on Tuesday, July 7, 1925, at 10 A.M., subject to the following conditions:—

(1) The highest bid will be accepted subject to the approval of the Director, Colombo Museum.

(2) The highest bidder will be required by the officer who will conduct the sale to deposit the full amount of the bid no sooner the sale is over.

(3) The trees sold should be cut without any injury to Government property and removed by the purchaser before Saturday, July 11, 1925, at his own expense.

Colombo Museum,
July 1, 1925.

JOSEPH PEARSON,
Director, Colombo Museum.

Tenders for Lease of Right to Gem.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Province of Sabaragamuwa will receive sealed tenders for the lease of the right to gem for one year in the under-mentioned Crown lands in the District of Ratnapura.

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tender for Gemming Lease," will be received at the Ratnapura Kachcheri until 10 A.M. on Monday, July 20, 1925, when they will be opened, and all persons making tenders will be required to be present or satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agents that the tender is *bona fide*.

3. The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to the Governor will be required to deposit the full amount of the tender at once in cash, and, should the tender be accepted by His Excellency the Governor, to enter into a lease bond for the fulfilment of the conditions on which the tender is accepted.

4. 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.

5. The highest tenderer should deposit Rs. 100 for each land as security for filling up pits.

6. Tenders must be made for each land separately.

7. Further information can be obtained from the Government Agent, Ratnapura.

8. Lessees of lots 1, 4, 6, and 9 mentioned in the following list of lands should notify to the Government Mineralogist, Colombo, when he begins to gem, and stop work, and give him access to the workings at any time for inspection.

Lands.

(1) Kekiripalagathhena, in extent about 2 acres, situated at Kuruwita in the Uda pattu of Kuruwiti korale, within the following boundaries:—

North by the remaining portion of the same land.

East by lots 3 and 6 in preliminary plan 2,717.

South by Dematagahahena.

West by the remaining portion of the same land.

(2) Polagapuhena about 3 acres in extent, situated at Kuruwita in Uda pattu, Kuruwiti korale, within the following boundaries:—

North by Egodakanattewatta.

East by Mahagaladeniya.

South by Kottegodahena.

West by Kuruberuwekumbura.

(3) Bed of the following streams and on the strips of Crown lands, situated at Halpawila in Uda pattu of Nawadun korale, viz.:—

(a) In the bed of the Aluketiye-dola, a length of 20 chains from its confluence with the Panawenna-ela.

(c) In the bed of the Panawenna-ela from the boundary of lot 9 in final village plan 33 on the east to the village boundary of Händurukañda on the west.

(d) On a strip in lot 7 in final village plan 33 parallel to (c) above and one chain in width along the right bank of the same stream.

(e) On a strip in lot 1G in final village plan 33, 1 chain in width and parallel to (c) above on its left bank between private lot 1F on the east and private lot 1GI on the west.

(4) Ariddamandiya, in extent about 2 acres, situated at Kuruwita Patagama in Uda pattu, Kuruwiti korale, within the following boundaries :—

North, east, and south by Mahagaldenimukalana.
West by Gansabhawa road.

(5) The stream reservation called Morandolahagulana, lot 76½ in final village plan 10, situated at Kalalella in Pannil pattu, Atakalan korale, viz. :—

(a) The reservation attached to the right bank of Demuwata-ganga, a length of approximately 67 chains from the point on the eastern village boundary of Kalalella village to the confluence of Demuwata Panapitiya-ganga on the west, and approximately 2 chains in breadth.

(b) Reservation attached to the right bank of Panapitiya-ganga, a length of approximately 55 chains from the confluence of Demuwata Panapitiya-ganga to the confluence of Panapitiya Kiwul-ela, and approximately 2 chains in breadth.

(6) A portion of lot 2 in Final Village plan No. 74, called Wannigehena *alias* Peellabodahena, in extent about 2 acres, situated at Muwagama in Meda pattu of Nawadun korale, within the following boundaries :—

North by Wannigewila.
East by Peellaboda.
South by Ratupolghakanatta and Kendagasmandiya.
West by Gulanewatta and Medakella.

(7) Bed of the stream called Paragal-ella about ¾ mile in length in Paragala-ganga, situated at Paragala in Palle pattu of Kukulukorale, within the following boundaries :—

North by Parandelwala and Kukuluk Modara.
East by Horaketiye-hena, Uruwala, and Gurukadahena.
South by Kesbe-dola.
West by Kirimetiye-hena, Ittegalahena, and Koratuwe-hena.

(8) Bed of the stream called Ellawala-ganga about one mile in length, situated at Ellawala in Uda pattu of Kuruwiti korale, within the following boundaries :—

(a) A portion of about 220 fathoms in length, and bounded on the north by Peragasgodelleowita, east by Kanuggalla, south by Pelenge and Nugagaha, and on the west by Lenakinda and Malapaluwa.

(b) A portion of about 180 fathoms in length, and bounded on the north by Pelenge and Nugagaha, east by Kanuggalla, south by Puhuwala, and on the west by Malapaluwa.

(c) A portion of about 200 fathoms in length, and bounded on the north by Puhuwala, east by Kanuggalla, south by Horakada-ela Modara, and on the west by Horakadaowita and Malapaluwa.

(9) The unlotted 55 link stream reservation along the right bank of Polon-ela called Siddat-ella (in P. P. 7,808), in Madampe village, Meda pattu, Atakalan korale, a length of 16 chains (more or less) from the point called Siddat-ella (water-fall in the stream bed) to the point known as Radage-totupola.

The Kachcheri, G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
Ratnapura, June 29, 1925. for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the areas declared infected at Weragoda, Hapitigama, Diyagampola, Wilwatta, Panawala, and Mugurugampola in Hapitigam korale of the Colombo District of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in *Gazettes* dated April 24, 1925; May 8, 1925; May 15, 1925; and May 22, 1925, are free from foot-and-mouth disease, and are no longer infected areas.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, R. J. PEREIRA,
Colombo, June 28, 1925. for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Idama in Salpiti korale of the Colombo District of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in *Gazette* dated May 29, 1925, is free from foot-and-mouth disease, and is no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, R. J. PEREIRA,
Colombo, June 26, 1925. for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at premises No. 390, Rawatawatta in Pallepattu of Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by the road leading to Kuduwamulla, south by ditto Public Works Department cooly lines, east by land belonging to Mr. M. A. Fernando, and west by Galle high road.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 14, 1925. G. W. DE FONSEKA,
Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at premises No. 393, Rawatawatta in Pallepattu of Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by the road leading to Kuduwamulla, south by ditto Public Works Department cooly lines, east by land belonging to Mr. M. A. Fernando, and west by the Galle high road.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 14, 1925. G. W. DE FONSEKA,
Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out on Makullagahawatta at Kandana in Alutkuru korale south of Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by land belonging to the Church, south by ditto to Agustinu Perera, east by ditto to Lawarenti Perera and others, and west by ditto to Warliyanu Perera.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 18, 1925. TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area bounded on the north by high road, south by Village boundary of Delwagura, east by Village Committee road and Danwelkotuwa estate, and west by estate belonging to Mr. Ratnasabhpathi.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

June 19, 1925. C. H. A. SAMARAKODY,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Mirihana in Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by lands belonging to Abraham Joris and O. M. Perera, south by Pengiriwatta and Acharige Millagahawatta, east by village boundary of Mirihana, and west by high road.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 25, 1925. D. E. WIJESÉKERE,
Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Dethgama division No. 33 in Yatigaha pattu south, Hapitigam korale of the Negombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by the village boundaries of Patagama and Hirikuluwa, south by tract of paddy fields, east by Banduragoda-Ganimulla Village Committee road, and west by tract of paddy fields.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 18, 1925. A. F. SAMARASINGHE,
Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Tennagama division No. 12, in Udugaha pattu north, Hapitigam korale of the Negombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by village boundary of Bajjangoda, south by village boundary of Keenadeniya, east by Maha-oya, west by village boundaries of Prisyala and Bajjangoda.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 22, 1925. A. F. SAMARASINGHE,
Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Nawana division No. 53, in Yatigaha pattu north, Hapitigam korale of the Negombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by Crown land called Moragalkanda, south by Kotadeniyawa-Mugurugampola road, east by village boundary of Halpe, west by footpath leading from Kotadeniyawa-Mugurugampola road to Karawilakumbura.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 25, 1925. A. F. SAMARASINGHE,
Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Keppitiwalana division No. 35, in Yatigaha pattu south, Hapitigam korale of the Negombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared 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, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by tract of paddy fields, south by village boundary of Gaspe, east by village boundary of Gaspe, west by tract of paddy fields.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

June 26, 1925. A. F. SAMARASINGHE,
Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

Thambewila is bounded on the east by the Waddeniyagala and Borakgomuwa village boundary, south by Borukgomuwa village boundary and Maha-ela, west by the Maha-oya, and on the north by rubber estate.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

June 20, 1925. P. C. DEDIGAMA,
Ratemahatmaya, Beligal Korale.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

Weniwellakadua is bounded on the east by rubber estate, south by Pahalalakugala village boundary, west by Pahalalakugala village boundary, and on the north by Puakella village boundary.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

June 20, 1925. P. C. DEDIGAMA,
Ratemahatmaya, Beligal Korale.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the villages of Gonagala, Mapitigama, and Medagoda, which adjoin each other, in Dehigampal korale Egodapota, pattu, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz. :—

The infected area is bounded on the north by Indurana estate, east by the village boundary of Moraliya, south by Kelani river, and west by the village boundaries of Pallekanugala, Dehiowita, and Lyndhurst estate.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

June 22, 1925. J. H. MEEDENIYA,
Ratemahatmaya, Three Korales
and Lower Bulatgama.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

Ampe wasama is bounded on the north by Malmadua village, east by Arukgammuna village, south by Halolua village, and on the west by Gurugoda-oya.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

June 23, 1925. P. C. DEDIGAMA,
Ratemahatmaya, Beligal Korale.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

Dedigama is bounded on the north by Poruamankada, south by Thuntota, west by Aruppola, and on the east by Ilukdeniya and Awaradeniya.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

P. C. DEDIGAMA,
Ratamahatmaya, Beligal Korale.

June 23, 1925.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the villages of Imbulana, Kadadora, Rattagala, and Niwanhella, which adjoin each other, in Dehigampal korale, Egodapota pattu, Kegalla District: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, viz. :—

The infected area is bounded on the north by the village boundary of Tewangama, east by the village boundaries of Siyambalawala and Betmegedara, south by Gurugoda-oya, west by Imbulana-oya and village boundaries of Bogamuwa and Dannoruwa.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

J. H. MEEDENIYA,
Ratamahatmaya, Three Korales and
Lower Bulatgama.

June 25, 1925.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The infected area is bounded on the north by village boundary of Ambamalla, east and south by Wee-oya, west by Kelani estate.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

J. H. MEEDENIYA,
Ratamahatmaya, Three Korales and
Lower Bulatgama.

June 26, 1925.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

Alawatura is bounded on the east by Kabagomuwa and Pannala villages, south by Patha Bulathgama village boundary, west by Arukgammana wasama, and on the north by Epalatotua village.

This declaration is to take effect from to-day.

P. C. DEDIGAMA,
Ratamahatmaya, Beligal Korale.

June 26, 1925.

Surra.

WHEREAS surra exists in the Weligatta village in the Magam pattu of the Hambantota District, Southern Province: It is hereby proclaimed under provisions of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area, limits of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This proclamation shall take effect from date hereof.

Boundaries of the Area referred to.

North by a line drawn from Palugaswewa to Asurapuligewewa.

East by western boundary of Weligatta village.

South by Weligatta-Bundala road.

West by Weligatta-ara.

H. E. AMERASEKERA,
Mudaliyar, Magam Pattu.

June 18, 1925.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest exists in the Weligatta village, in the Magam pattu of the Hambantota District, Southern Province: It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This proclamation shall take effect from the date hereof.

Boundaries of the Area referred to.

North: A line drawn from Palugaswewa to Asurapuligewewa.

East: Eastern boundary of Weligatta.

South: Weligatta-Bundala road.

West: Weligatta-ara.

H. E. AMERASEKERA,
Mudaliyar, Magam Pattu.

June 22, 1925.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest exists in the village of Joolgamuwa in Magam pattu of Hambantota District, Southern Province: It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This proclamation shall take effect from date hereof.

The Boundaries of the Area referred to.

North by the northern boundary of the village, east by Yahangala road, south by the Hambantota-Tanamalwila main road, and west by the Malala-ara.

The Kachcheri, H. E. AMERASEKERA,
Hambantota, June 25, 1925. Mudaliyar, Magam Pattu.

Rinderpest.

IN terms of section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, I do hereby proclaim that the under-mentioned road shall be closed to all cattle traffic for a period of ten days from date hereof :—

Road referred to.

The main road from Ambalantota at the bridge over the Walawe-ganga to Tissa at the bridge over the Kirindi-oya and to Wellawaya at the Province boundary.

R. M. M. WORSLEY,
The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Hambantota, June 29, 1925.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest exists in the villages of Dipgama and Weligatt and Hambantota town in Magam pattu, Hambantota District; Notice is hereby given under section 6 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is established a protective zone —

North, Province boundary of Uva; east, the Kirindi-oya; south, the sea; west, the Walawe-ganga.

This notice shall take effect from date hereof.

R. M. M. WORSLEY,
The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Hambantota, June 29, 1925.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease exists at Ganegoda in the Four Gravets of Galle District: It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 5, (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 16 of 1912, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This proclamation shall take effect from the date hereof.

Boundaries of the Infected Area referred to.

North, Ganegoda bridge and 6th milepost, Narawala road; east, Gajanagoda estate; south, Ganithagoda village; west, Totagoda bridge and 5th milepost, Narawala road.

The Kachcheri, J. A. MULHALL,
Galle, June 29, 1925. for Government Agent.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

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

Area referred to.

Bandirippuwa boundaries: north by the village limit of Lunuwila, east by the village limits of Kirinnetiyana and Haldanduwana, south by the village limit of Borelessa, and west by Gin-oya river.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

C. G. DE ALWIS,
Mudaliyar, Pitigal Korale South.
June 25, 1925.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in tulana No. 17 of Kadawath korale, in the North-Central Province: I Frank Bartlett, Government Agent, North-Central Province, do hereby declare, under sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the said tulana is an infected area:—

Boundaries.—The boundaries of the revenue division of tulana No. 17:—

This order shall take effect from the date hereof.

The Kachcheri, F. BARTLETT,
Anuradhapura, June 24, 1925. Government Agent.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Yatipauwa in the Meda pattu of Kuruwiti korale, Ratnapura District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by the Karandana village, east by Kodagala, south by the road to Ratnapura and Madala estate, and west by Vithanakanda, is infected in terms of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration will take effect from June 22, 1925.

June 22, 1925.

P. B. MUTTETTUWEGAMA,
Ratamahatmaya.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Karandana in the Meda pattu of Kuruwiti korale, Ratnapura District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa: It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by Nugadanda Pahalagama and Karandan-ela, east by Nawalewatta, south by the village boundary of Yatipauwa, west by Krandan-ela, is infected in terms of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration will take effect from June 22, 1925.

June 22, 1925.

P. B. MUTTETTUWEGAMA,
Ratamahatmaya.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out in the village Boltumbe in Uduwaggam pattu, Ratnapura District, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa; It is hereby declared that the area bounded on the north by Village Committee road to Walawegoda, east by Boltumba-oya, south by Walawe-ganga and Boltumba-ya, and west by Walawe-ganga, is infected in terms of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909.

This declaration will take effect from June 23, 1925.

June 23, 1925.

BARNES RATWATTE,
Ratamahatmaya, Meda and Kadawata Korales.

Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS hoof-and-mouth disease has broken out at Pitihuma in Ekiriya-gala wasama in Mawata pattuwa of Paranakuru korale, in the District of Kegalla: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected under sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909:—

The infected area is bounded on the north by the Local Board limits of Kegalla, east by the village limits of Bohora and Nimalgoda, south by the village limit of Marapana, and west by the oya and the high road.

This declaration is to take effect from the date hereof.

June 16, 1925.

M. B. MAPITIGAMA,
Ratamahatmaya, Paranakuru Korale.

SALE OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.

Sale of Ferry Toll Rents, Northern Province.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the Government Agent of the Northern Province, or by his Office Assistant at the Jaffna Kachcheri at 12 noon, on Monday, July 20, 1925, for the purpose of the following Ferry Toll Rents for twelve months from October 1, 1925 :—

- | | |
|-----------------|---------------|
| 1. Pannaiturai. | 3. Karaitivu. |
| 2. Araliturai. | 4. Mannar. |

Separate tenders should be made for the several rents as shown above.

Tenders must be handed in personally and no tender received by post will be accepted, nor will any tender received after the day and hour mentioned above be considered.

The successful tenderer will be required to deposit forthwith one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash and should the offer be accepted by His Excellency the Governor to furnish approved security for one-half of the purchase amount, or in cash for one-third of the purchase amount; within thirty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Governor's acceptance of his offer.

He shall also deposit on the day of sale a sum to be fixed by the Government Agent as security for the payment of the cost of all repairs to the ferry boats.

He will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Proctor for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds of properties tendered by him as security and for examining and settling the security bond, and the fees charged by the Crown Proctor for examining documents and drawing the security bond, the expenses of appraising the properties, and the stamp duty on the bonds under the Ordinance No. 22 of 1909.

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.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Government Agent, Jaffna, or the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar.

Rents for which satisfactory tenders are not received will be put up to auction after the opening of the tenders on the same day for which tenders are called.

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, June 26, 1925.

F. J. SMITH,
Government Agent.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."

Toddy Rents, Western Province, 1925-26,
Colombo District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent for the Western Province will, at the Colombo Kachcheri at 12 noon on Wednesday, July 15, 1925, expose for sale by auction, subject to the Toddy Rent Sale Conditions published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,542 of March 27, 1925, the privilege of selling fermented toddy by retail from October 1, 1925, to September 30, 1926, at taverns to be established by the purchasers in the villages specified in the schedule hereto, not more than one shop being allowed in each such village, at a site to be approved by the Government Agent.

2. No sale of fermented toddy will be allowed in villages other than those in the said schedule expressly specified.

3. (a) If taverns are to be moved from present sites, a month's notice has to be given by the Government Agent, under paragraph 5 of IV. of Excise Notification No. 85 of February 12, 1919. Application should therefore be made by purchasers to the Government Agent for sites without delay.

(b) No rebate will be allowed in respect of any taverns in the event of objections to sites being upheld after inquiry by the Government Agent.

4. The purchasers will be required to pay in stamps the stamp duty under the Stamps Ordinance of 1919 in respect of the Conditions of Sale as well as of the security bond referred to in clause 2 (a) of the Conditions of Sale.

5. The attention of intending purchasers is specially drawn to clause 2 (b) of the Conditions of Sale.

6. Save in exceptional circumstances no trees will be licensed in dry areas.

7. Permission to tap trees for fermented toddy for Colombo taverns will not be allowed in the following areas:—

- (i.) From Panadure to Galle.
- (ii.) In the areas assigned to the toddy taverns at (a) Dehiwala, (b) Suwarapola, and (c) Ratmalana.

8. Further information can be obtained on application to the Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

R. N. THAINE,
Government Agent.

SCHEDULE.

List of Toddy Taverns—Colombo District.

Abukuru Korale North.

No.	Locality or Range.	Division.
	Within the village of—	
8	Demahandiya	Godakaha palata

Colombo Mudaliyar's Division.

29	Bounded on the north by Dam street, on the east by San Sebastian street, on the south by San Sebastian hill, on the west by Saunder's place and Cramer's lane	San Sebastian Ward (Saunders' place tavern)
37	In or near Galle road, between 1st and 2nd mileposts at a place not included in any other rent area	Kollupitiya Ward (Kollupitiya tavern)

Opening and Closing Hours of Toddy Taverns.

Hour of opening : 7 A.M. | Hour of closing : 7 P.M.

Sale of Toddy Rents by Public Auction.

NOTICE is hereby given that the privilege of selling fermented toddy by retail in the area specified in the annexed schedule below, for the period of twelve months from October 1, 1925, to September 30, 1926, will be put up for sale by public auction at the Chilaw Kachcheri at 10 A.M. on Wednesday, July 29, 1925.

2. The conditions of sale and any further particulars can be obtained from me on application.

Carl E. Arndt,
The Kachcheri, for Assistant Government Agent.
Puttalam, June 29, 1925.

Schedule referred to.

No.	Locality or Range.	Division.
2	Within northern ward, Chilaw	Pitigal korale north, Chilaw

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and costs be duly paid.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

G. F. LAZENBY,
Acting Municipal Treasurer.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : Monday, July 27, 1925.

Premises No.	Street.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale. A.M.
66a/6	Temple road	2nd quarter, 1921, to 1st quarter, 1925	8.30

Street Hawkers.

I, H. E. NEWNHAM, Chairman of the Colombo Municipal Council, hereby notify that in virtue of the powers vested in me under section 203 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, I prohibit the sale or exposure for sale of any articles in or upon any part of the following public streets :—

York street.
Queen street.
Prince street.

Chatham street.
Baillie street.

Main street from York street to Municipal latrine.

Norris road from Queen street to Railway Station.

Any person contravening this prohibition is liable to a fine of Rs. 20.

H. E. NEWNHAM,
Chairman, Municipal Council, and
Mayor of Colombo.

Colombo, June 29, 1925.

Sale of Land.

IT is hereby notified that the following allotment of land belonging to the Municipal Council of Colombo, by virtue of certificate of title No. 4 dated August 29, 1924, will be sold by public auction for outright possession at 2.30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 5, 1925, at the Town Hall.

Conditions of sale will be made known at the time of sale or earlier, on application to the undersigned :—

A block of land with the buildings thereon, bearing assessment Nos. 24/47D (12-15), San Sebastian Hill, situated in the New Bazaar Ward within the Municipal limits of Colombo, Western Province; bounded as follows: north by a cart road, east by properties of D. J. Wanigasooriya, Mudaliyar, bearing assessment No. 82/115, Hulftsdorp street, south by a canal, west by property of the owner bearing assessment No. 23 (2)/47c (2); containing in extent 1 rood and 9 perches.

VIVIAN PEREIRA,
for Acting Municipal Treasurer.
Municipal Treasurer's Department,
Colombo, June 26, 1925.

MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy, held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on May 16, 1925, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated May 12, 1925.

Present :—Mr. J. C. Ratwatte; Mr. L. H. S. Pieris; Dr. G. P. Hay; Dr. R. F. La Brooy; Mr. Haji M. S. Usoof Ismail; and Mr. S. A. Wijayatilleke.

In the absence of the Chairman, on the motion of Mr. Pieris, seconded by Mr. Wijayatilleke, the Senior Member, Mr. J. C. Ratwatte was chosen to preside at the Meeting.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on April 25, 1925, having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval and a copy thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted :—

- Statement of receipts and disbursements from close of 1924, to April 30, 1925, on account of the Municipal Fund.
- Progress report of works brought up to the same date.
- Health Officer's report for April, 1925.
- Statements of cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of April, 1925.
- The reservoir readings for April, 1925.

Resolved that the statement (a) together with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, as required by section 83 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following papers were laid on the table :—Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries, bakeries, dairies, standpipes, and house service taps inspected during April, 1925.

3a. Mr. Wijayatilleke presented a petition from M. Idroos, applying for permission to sell black cattle meat when buffalo meat is not available for sale in his stall.

Resolved that the petition be referred to the Standing Committee on Markets.

4. Correspondence :—(1) Letter No. 11 of April 29, 1925, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, stating that the matter referred to in letter No. 7 of February 25, 1925, (building road-side drain along Katugastota road), is receiving the attention of Government.—Read.

(2) Letter No. 339 of April 30, 1925, from the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, stating that the cost of constructing the drain from premises No. 57, Katugastota road to culvert near 1st milepost is Rs. 750, and inquiring what proportion of this cost the Council would contribute.

Resolved that half the cost be contributed by the Council.

(3) Letter No. 12 of May 1, 1925, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary authorizing the Municipal Council of Kandy, to overdraw its current account at the Bank to a maximum of Rs. 100,000, for the purchase of generating plant for the Electric Power Station.—Read.

(4) Letter No. 3,435 of April 3, 1925, from the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province, requesting that lot 17A in preliminary plan 6,980 be surrendered to the Crown.

Resolved that lot 17A be surrendered to the Crown.

(5) Letter No. 1,827 of May 13, 1925, from the Colonial Auditor *re* Electricity Department Accounts.

Resolved that the matter be deferred for consideration at the next Meeting.

(6) Letter of May 12, 1925, from the President, Y. W. C. A. *re* renewal of lease of site on which the Y. W. C. A. Hall stands.

Resolved that the matter be brought up at the next Meeting.

(7) Letter No. 371 of May 14, 1925, from the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, *re* tarring Malabar street.

Resolved that the Director of Public Works be requested to make provision in his estimates for 1925–1926 for tarring all the main thoroughfares in Kandy, right up to the end of the Municipal limits.

5. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Wijayatilleke asked—(1) Will the Chairman be pleased to state how many rickshaws have been licensed for hiring during 1925, by the Municipal Council up to April 30, 1925? (2) Will the Chairman be pleased to state how many rickshaw stands have been provided by the Council and how many rickshaws can be accommodated in those stands? (3) Is the Chairman aware that several rickshaw-pullers have been prosecuted for parking their rickshaws at certain junctions not licensed as stands? (4) If the licensed stands do not provide enough room for all the licensed rickshaws, will the Chairman be pleased to order the withdrawal of the cases against these rickshaw-pullers, and withhold further prosecutions till such time as the Council is able to provide more rickshaw stands?

The Chairman replied as follows :—(1) 276. (2) 8 rickshaw stands to accommodate 72 rickshaws. (3) There have been 8 prosecutions for loitering and 23 for obstruction. (4) Traffic regulation is in the hands of the Police and I am not prepared to interfere in the matter.

6. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Ismail asked—Is there a by-law in force prohibiting the disfiguring of different posts along the streets? If there is none, will the Council be pleased to frame one such by-law strictly prohibiting the disfiguring of lamp posts, stand posts, &c., with chunam or some such things?

The Chairman replied in the negative and that even if such a by-law were passed it would not be practicable to enforce it.

7. Report of the Special Committee appointed to consider the feasibility of appointing a Native Doctor of repute to give free medical aid to the poor residents of the town.

Resolved that the report be adopted. It was also agreed to call monthly reports on the work done at the dispensary.

8. To obtain a vote of Rs. 500 for a lawn-mower for the Bogambra Recreation Ground.

Resolved that the amount be voted.

9. Recommendations of the Standing Committees :—

S. C. (A).

(1) That free grants be issued to the Imperial War Graves Commission in respect of the two war graves at the Mahaiyawa cemetery.

(2) That the draft by-laws providing for public stands and halting places for motor vehicles and prescribing the fees leviable on such vehicles when kept at public stands be adopted.

(3) That by-laws Nos. 14, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, and 27 of the Colombo Municipal by-laws relating to licensed jinrickshaws be adopted.

S. C. (B).

(4) That the market daily renter be allowed the lease of the market daily rents for the years 1926, 1927, and 1928, on the same terms as for the current year.

(5) That the rent of mutton stall 79/79A be increased from Rs. 27·50 to Rs. 35 per mensem, with effect from January 1, 1925.

(6) That the rent of space No. 47, public market be reduced from 40 cents to 30 cents per diem.

Resolved that the recommendations be adopted.

At this stage the permanent Chairman arrived and conducted the proceedings of the Meeting.

S. C. (C).

(7) That the Superintendent of Works be given an advance of Rs. 2,400 for the purchase of a motor car to be repaid in monthly instalments of Rs. 100 with interest at 5 per cent.

(8) That the bicycle allowance of the Assistant Supervisor of Conservancy be raised from Rs. 6 to Rs. 7·50 per mensem.

(9) That a vote of Rs. 250 be taken for the purchase of two disinfecting pumps.

(10) That a substitute at Re. 1·50 per diem be employed during the absence of the Assessment Clerk on leave.

S. C. (D).

(11) That the Superintendent of Municipal Works be allowed to employ a separate Kangany at Re. 1 a day for emptying cesspits.

(12) That the following applications for water service be allowed :—

(i.) 156/157, Colombo street—M. G. Aponsu & Co.

(ii.) 138, Peradeniya road—A. S. P. N. Supperamanian Chetty.

(iii.) 831, Peradeniya road—A. R. P. Ranasinghe.

(iv.) 98, Peradeniya road—M. W. Fernando.

Resolved that the recommendations be adopted.

Confirmed this 20th day of June, 1925 :

J. C. RATWATTE,
for Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy.

	Expended to Dec. 31, 1924.		Expended during 1925.		Total Capital Outlay.		Unexpended Balance in Hand.		Total Assets.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Capital outlay :—										
Town Hall and Municipal offices	37,469	98	—	—	37,469	98	—	—		
Markets	77,442	91	—	—	77,442	91	—	—		
Rice granaries and depôts	60,138	56	—	—	60,138	56	—	—		
School buildings	10,156	51	—	—	10,156	51	—	—		
Model dwellings	181,070	6	19,261	57	200,331	63	74,668	37		
Other Municipal buildings	59,771	91	—	—	59,771	91	—	—		
Roads, pavements, &c.	107,607	13	—	—	107,607	13	—	—		
Drainage	145,010	75	—	—	145,010	75	—	—		
Public latrines	20,229	84	—	—	20,229	84	—	—		
Carriage and rickshaw stands	371	78	—	—	371	78	—	—		
Recreation grounds	30,374	26	—	—	30,374	26	—	—		
Waterworks	293,486	88	—	—	293,486	88	—	—		
Lands in the catchment area	103,000	0	—	—	103,000	0	—	—		
Waterworks—new scheme	68,752	2	405	21	69,157	23	145,707	77		
Preliminary Investigation <i>re ditto</i>	2,499	8	—	—	2,499	8	—	—		
Steam road roller	14,902	36	—	—	14,902	36	—	—		
Conservancy hand carts	226	0	—	—	226	0	—	—		
Deacon meters	8,289	42	—	—	8,289	42	—	—		
Incinerators	679	1	—	—	679	1	—	—		
Water supply to Peradeniya	62,713	34	—	—	62,713	34	—	—		
	1,284,191	80	19,666	78	1,303,858	58	220,376	14		
Loan to Electricity Department	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,524,234	72
Investments held by trustees of Sinking Fund	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	192,092	34
Stocks and stores :—									58,673	80
Stores	—	—	—	—	—	—	5,217	62		
Rice	—	—	—	—	—	—	817	47		
Sundry debtors :—									6,035	9
Rates, taxes, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	29,337	57		
Cheques returned by Bank	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	20		
Advance of pay, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	729	15		
Board of Improvement	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,137	25		
Education District Committee	—	—	—	—	—	—	445	17		
Cash :—									31,680	34
In Mercantile Bank	—	—	—	—	—	—	15,375	38		
Petty cash in hand	—	—	—	—	—	—	303	54		
Petty cash in hand of Secretary, Maternity and Child Welfare Committee	—	—	—	—	—	—	50	0		
									165,728	92
									1,978,445	21

Kandy, June 19, 1925.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

Application for Leave to Amend a Specification.

NOTICE is hereby given that any person or persons intending to oppose the under-mentioned application must leave at the Patent Office within three months of the date of this *Gazette* notice on Form I. of his or their objections thereto.

N.B.—The paging referred to is that of the duplicate copy of the Specification at the Patent Office. Office copies of the Specification can be supplied at a cost of Rs. 10.50.

No. 2,044.—The Anode Rubber Company, Limited, of 15, Throgmorton Avenue, London, E.C. 2, England, seek leave to amend the Specification of Application numbered as above for "Process and device for the direct production of rubber sheets and moulded articles from latex" alleging as the reasons "For the purpose of more clearly describing the invention and its uses."

The proposed amendments are as follows :—

On Page 2.

Line 2.—Inserting "rubber coated fabrics and threads" after "sheets."

On Page 4.

Deleting page 4 and substituting a new page 4 as follows :—

From literature on the subject it would appear that in the treatment of rubber latex by the action of electric current, laboratory experiments have already been made with a membrane of parchment inserted between the anode and the cathode as a means for preventing coagulation of the rubber on the anode, *i.e.*, for the specific purpose of obtaining merely an uncoagulated concentrate.

Closer investigation of this phenomenon has shown, however, that in spite of preventing the rubber deposit from coming into direct touch with the anode by a semi-permeable diaphragm, coagulated deposit can be obtained if the pressure and density of the electric current is sufficient to obtain a really homogeneous rubber deposit. The rubber deposit obtained on a semi-permeable backing, leaving between the anode and the rubber deposit free escape for the gases liberated at the anode as a result of the electrolysis taking place simultaneously with the electrophoresis, is a really homogeneous one.

The new process is based on the circumstance that rubber can be deposited as a homogeneous, thick and smooth layer, if a supporting surface consisting of a permeable and non-conducting material serving as a backing or mould for the formation of the electrophoretic rubber precipitate is inserted between the anode and cathode and lowering the escape of the gases liberated at the anode either by the own porosity of said backing or mould or through a layer of electrolyte interposed between said backing and the anode. After removal from the bath and drying, said rubber layer is no longer peptisable when once dried and forms a transparent, homogeneous rubber skin of high elasticity and tensile strength.

The expression "non-conductive" as used above is not intended to imply that the substance of the backing should be deemed to be limited to an absolute non-conductor of electricity but merely that the resistance of the substance of the permeable backing when permeated with liquid electrolyte is greater than the resistance of the electrolyte filling the pores of the backing so that the current passes mainly through the electrolyte and not through the substance of the backing.

No fully satisfactory explanation for this behaviour of the rubber emulsion could so far be found, but extensive research on the subject would justify the assumption that the coagulation referred to may be due to acid anions liberated at the anode. This explanation will hold good, however, in certain cases only, but not in such cases where coagulation takes place and yet it has not been possible to demonstrate the presence of acid anions. In such cases coagulation is presumably caused by coagulating ions going into solution from the anode, or from the backing for instance, if this latter consists of gypsum.

If preferably clear rubber skins or articles are to be produced, the latex is first subjected to purification, if desired also to concentration, for example by centrifuging.

On Page 5.

Line 1.—Striking out "Moreover" and substituting "In centrifuging."

On Page 7.

Line 27.—Inserting "In the practical carrying out of the invention when using an anode embedded in gypsum, good results have been obtained with an E. M. F. of 15 volts and a current density of 0.3 amperes per dem. 2."

On Page 8.

Line 23.—Striking out "acid liquid" and substituting "electrolyte."

On Page 11.

Line 26.—Inserting "in a finely divided state" after "substances."

On Page 12 Claims.

Striking out claim 1 and substituting a new claim as follows:—

"The direct manufacture of homogeneous rubber goods from rubber latex by a coagulating process which is characterized by electrophoretically precipitating the rubber upon a supporting surface or backing consisting of electrically non-conductive material permeable to liquids inserted between the cathode and the anode and by preventing the gases liberated at the anode during precipitation from interfering with the deposit by allowing their escape either by the use as a backing of a substance of the requisite porosity and/or by the use between the backing and the anode of an electrolyte facilitating said escape."

Line 18.—Striking out "acid" and substituting "an."

On Page 13.

Line 10.—Inserting "in a finely divided state" after "sulphur."

Line 14.—Inserting "in a finely divided state" after "charge."

E. HUMAN,
Registrar of Patents.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

Notice of Sale, Local Board, Moratuwa.

IN terms of section 34A of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, notice is hereby given that the properties mentioned in the annexed schedule and situated within Local Board limits of Moratuwa, which have been seized under section 34A of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, and section 41 of Ordinance No. 16 of 1865, for default of the payment of assessment tax due for 1st quarter, 1925, will be sold by public auction on July 25, 1925, on the spot, commencing at 10 A.M., unless in the meantime the amounts owing in respect of rates, together with lawful costs of seizure and sale, are duly paid.

Further particulars can be obtained from the Local Board Office, Moratuwa.

P. SARAVANAMUTTU,

Additional Assistant Government Agent.

Local Board Office,
Moratuwa, June 30, 1925.

Village.	Assessment No.	SCHEDULE.		Amount Due. Rs. c.
		Name of Defaulter.		
Uyana	217	S. E. Fernando	..	3 90
Do.	332	S. P. Fernando	..	25

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Huluganga-Bambaraela Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the above road will be held at Goomera Bungalow on Monday, July 20, 1925, at 9 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee.

Notice is also given that the Local Committee, as soon as elected, will consider—

1. Election of Chairman of Local Committee.
2. Any other business of which due notice has been given.

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.
Kandy, June 22, 1925.

Norwood-Upcot Branch Road.

(Cooly Lines.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for cooly lines to the above road, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road as follows:—

(Estimate No. 274 of April 9, 1925.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 1,393.00
Private contributions .. Rs. 1,427.82

Total acreage, 6,560—Rate per acre, .2176c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
M. Elton Lane ..	Haloowella ..	244 ..	53 11
J. M. Robertson & Co. ..	Lanka and Craighill 204 ..	44 41	
R. Cotesworth ..	Stockholm ..	283 ..	61 60
Do. ..	Lower Cruden ..	194 ..	42 23
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Mahagala ..	290 ..	63 12
Do. ..	Mahanilu ..	290 ..	63 12
Harrisons & Crosfield ..	Kincora ..	245 ..	53 33
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Gouravilla ..	706 ..	153 64
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company ..	Alton ..	225 ..	48 98
Do ..	Beaconsfield ..	168 ..	36 57
Scottish Ceylon Tea Co., Agents ..	Blairavon ..	177 ..	38 53
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Minna ..	277 ..	60 29
Mackwoods, Ltd. ..	Scarborough ..	276 ..	60 7
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Ormidale ..	350 ..	76 17
Do. ..	Anandale ..	296 ..	64 42
Do. ..	Cleveland ..	340 ..	74 0
Rosehaugh Tea Co. ..	Caledonia & Mee-riacotta ..	409 ..	89 1
Fairlawn Estates Co. ..	Suriakanda ..	221 ..	48 10
Do. ..	Fairlawn ..	292 ..	63 55
Do. ..	Glencoe(Bargany) 208 ..	45 28	
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company ..	Mincing lane ..	194 ..	42 23
R. J. Austin ..	Ladbrook ..	208 ..	45 28
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company ..	Upcot ..	232 ..	50 50
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Strathspey ..	231 ..	50 28
		Total ..	1,427 82

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before July 31, 1925.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, June 22, 1925.

Norwood-Upcot Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1925, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 223 of December 23, 1924.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 4,900.00
Private contributions .. Rs. 4,949.00

1st and 2nd sections, 1½ mile.

Total acreage, 6,560—Moiety of cost, Rs. 784.18—
Sectional rate, .11953c.—Total rate, .11953c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
M. Elton Lane ..	Haloowella ..	244 ..	29 18
	1st to 5th section, 3¼ miles:		
	Total acreage, 6,316—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,567.78—		
	Sectional rate, .24822c.—Total rate, .36775c.		
J. M. Robertson & Co. ..	Lanka and Craighill 204 ..	75 3	
	1st to 6th section, 4 miles.		
	Total acreage, 6,112—Moiety of cost, Rs. 157.16—		
	Sectional rate, .02571c.—Total rate, .39346c.		
R. Cotesworth ..	Stockholm ..	283 ..	111 36
Do. ..	Lower Cruden ..	194 ..	76 34
	1st to 7th section, 4¼ miles.		
	Total acreage, 5,635—Moiety of cost, Rs. 470.39—		
	Sectional rate, .08347c.—Total rate, .47693c.		
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Mahagala ..	290 ..	138 32
	1st to 8th section, 5½ miles.		
	Total acreage, 5,345—Moiety of cost, Rs. 470.39—		
	Sectional rate, .08800c.—Total rate, .56493c.		
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Mahanilu ..	290 ..	163 84
	1st to 9th section, 6 miles.		
	Total acreage, 5,055—Moiety of cost, Rs. 313.78—		
	Sectional rate, .06207c.—Total rate, .62700c.		
Harrisons & Crosfield ..	Kincora ..	245 ..	153 63
	1st to 10th section, 6¾ miles.		
	Total acreage, 4,810—Moiety of cost, Rs. 470.39—		
	Sectional rate, .09779c.—Total rate, .72479c.		
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Gouravilla ..	706 ..	511 71
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company ..	Alton ..	225 ..	163 9
Do. ..	Beaconsfield ..	168 ..	121 77
Scottish Ceylon Tea Co., Agents ..	Blairavon ..	177 ..	128 30
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Minna ..	277 ..	200 78
	1st to 12th section, 79/10 miles.		
	Total acreage, 3,257—Moiety of cost, Rs. 721.52—		
	Sectional rate, .2152c.—Total rate, .94631c.		
Mackwoods, Ltd. ..	Scarborough ..	276 ..	261 19
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Ormidale ..	350 ..	331 22
Do. ..	Anandale ..	296 ..	280 12
Do. ..	Cleveland ..	340 ..	321 76
Rosehaugh Tea Co. ..	Caledonia & Mee-riacotta ..	409 ..	387 5
Fairlawn Estates Co. ..	Suriakanda ..	221 ..	209 14
Do. ..	Fairlawn ..	292 ..	276 33
Do. ..	Glencoe(Bargany) 208 ..	196 84	
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company ..	Mincing lane ..	194 ..	183 59
R. J. Austin ..	Ladbrook ..	208 ..	196 84
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company ..	Upcot ..	232 ..	219 55
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Strathspey ..	231 ..	218 61
		Total ..	4,955 59

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before July 31, 1925.

	Rs.	c.
N.B.—Private contributions ..	4,949	0
Excess, 1923-24 ..	16	62
	4,965	62
Unexpended balance, 1923-24 ..	10	3
	4,955	59

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, June 22, 1925.

Norwood-Upcot Branch Road.

(Flood Damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for repairing flood damages of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1925, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. 11 of November 12, 1924.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 1,075·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 1,101·87

Total acreage, 6,316—Rate per acre, 17445c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
J. M. Robertson & Co. ..	Lanka and Craighill	204	35	59
R. Cotesworth ..	Stockholm	283	49	37
Do. ..	Lower Cruden	194	33	85
Geo. Stewart & Co. ..	Mahagala	290	50	59
Do. ..	Mahanilu	290	50	59
Harrisons & Crosfield ..	Kincora	245	42	74
Geo. Stewart & Co. ..	Gouravilla	706	123	16
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company ..	Alton	225	39	25
Do. ..	Beaconsfield	168	29	31
Scottish Ceylon Tea Co., Agents ..	Blairavon	177	30	88
Geo. Stewart & Co. ..	Minna	277	48	32
Mackwoods, Ltd. ..	Scarborough	276	48	15
Geo. Stewart & Co. ..	Ormidale	350	61	6
Do. ..	Anandale	296	51	64
Do. ..	Cleveland	340	59	32
Rosehaugh Tea Co. ..	Caledonia & Meeriacotta	409	71	35
Fairlawn Estates Co. ..	Suriakanda	221	38	56
Do. ..	Fairlawn	292	50	94
Do. ..	Glencoe (Bargany)	208	36	29
Scottish Ceylon Tea Company ..	Mincing lane	194	33	85
R. J. Austin ..	Ladbrook	208	36	29
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company ..	Upcot	232	40	47
Geo. Stewart & Co. ..	Strathspey	231	40	30
	Total		1,101	87

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, June 22, 1925.

Maskeliya-Cruden Branch Road.

(Flood Damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for repairing flood damages on the above road for the year ending September 30, 1925, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 779, sanctioned on April 27, 1925.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 265·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 271·62

Total acreage, 4,620—Rate per acre, 05879c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
J. M. Robertson & Co. ..	Glentilt	448	26	34
Sir Thomas Lipton ..	Bunyan	298	17	52
Do. ..	Ovoca	255	14	99
G. B. de Mowbray ..	Dotala	108	6	35
Bois Bros. & Co. ..	Queensland	281	16	52
Whittall & Co. ..	Bloomfield	259	15	23
Do. ..	Mottingham	258	15	17
A. P. Juckes ..	Dunnottar	187	11	0
Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd. ..	Emelina	205	12	5
Whittall & Co. ..	Brunswick	255	14	99
Do. ..	Caskieben	212	12	47
J. M. Robertson & Co. ..	Midlothian	247	14	52
Do. ..	Mocha	588	34	57
Do. ..	Deeside	437	25	69
Geo. Steuart & Co. ..	Genugie	377	22	16
Do. ..	Bargrove	265	12	5
	Total		271	62

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before July 31, 1925.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
* Kandy, June 20, 1925.

Wanarajah Branch Road (between Wanarajah Bridge and Claverton Store).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1925, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the repair of the said road to make up the private contributions, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 224, sanctioned on December 23, 1924.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 2,100·00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 2,121·00

1st section, 1 mi'e.

Total acreage, 4,509—Moiety of cost, Rs. 471·08—
Sectional rate, 10447c.—Total rate, 10447c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Ltd. ..	Wanarajah	345	36	5

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
* 1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.			
Total acreage, 4,164—Moiety of cost, Rs. 471·08— Sectional rate, ·11313c.—Total rate, ·21760c.			
South Wanarajah Tea Estates Company (A. F. White)	South Wana- rajah	250	54 41
1st to 4th section; 4 miles.			
Total acreage, 3,914—Moiety of cost, Rs. 942·17— Sectional rate, ·24071c.—Total rate, ·45831c.			
Ceylon Proprietary Com- pany	Summerville	239	109 54
R. D. Kershaw	Blair Athol	306	140 25
Executors of M. V. Aranasalam Retty Cangany	Carfax	298	136 58
K. Rollo and Mrs. Mercer	Gorthie	308	141 16
Whittall & Co.	Dunkeld	237	108 62
Castlereagh Estate Com- pany	Castlereagh	511	234 20
Whittall & Co.	Banff	211	96 71
Do.	Elstree	167	76 54
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (E. H. B. Norrish)	Lethenty and Essex	320	146 66
Do.	Marlborough	258	118 25
Do.	Blairgowrie	114	52 25

1st to 5th section, 4·50 miles.

Total acreage, 945—Moiety of cost, Rs. 235·51—
Sectional rate, ·24921c.—Total rate, ·70752c.

Lethenty Tea Estates Company (E. H. B. Norrish)	Claverton	198	140 10
Uplands Tea Estates of Ceylon	Osborne	441	312 1
Lethenty Tea Estates Company (E. H. B. Norrish)	Broad Oak	306	216 51
			Total .. 2,119 84

Rs. c.

N.B.—Private contributions	2,121 0
Unexpended balance, 1923-24	1 16
Amount to be recovered on account 1924-25	2,119 84

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the
several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial
Treasury, Colombo, on or before July 31, 1925.W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, June 20, 1925. Chairman.**Preston Junction-Agra Branch Road.**(Between Preston Junction and end of Agra road.)
(Flood Damages.)NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the
advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having
agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for repairing flood
damages of the above road for the year ending September
30, 1925, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the
provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have
assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the
private contributions:—

(Estimate No. 313, sanctioned on April 29, 1925.)

Government moiety	Rs. 1,075·00
Private contributions	Rs. 1,101·87

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Total acreage, 5,452—Rate per acre ·2021c.			
Portmore Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Aldourie	269	54 37
Glasgow Estates Com- pany, Ltd.	Nithsdale	242	48 91
Portmore Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Portmore	311	62 86
Balmoral Ceylon Es- tates Co., Ltd.	Sandringham and Yaravale	542	109 54
Heirs of T. Mackie and P. Moir (W. B. Bart- lett)	Lot 112,364 Powys- land	165	33 35
Lutyens Bros. (F. Lus- hington)	Mornington	417	84 28
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Ardallie	209	42 24
New Dimbula Com- pany, Ltd.	Diyagama	3,125	631 56
Heirs of J. M. Sayres	Nutbourne	172	34 76
			Total .. 1,101 87

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the
several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial
Treasury, Colombo, on or before July 31, 1925.W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, June 20, 1925.**Preston Junction-Agra Branch Road.**

(Between Preston Junction and end of Agra Road.)

(Waverly Bridge).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the
advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having
agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance
of the above bridge for the year ending September 30, 1925,
the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions
of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed
the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contri-
butions at the rate of ·00936 per acre:—

Total acreage, 5,609.

(Estimate No. D 494, sanctioned February 24, 1925.)

Government moiety	Rs. 52·00
Private contributions	Rs. 52·52

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount due. Rs. c.
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Limited (F. Lushington)	Waverly	157	1 47
Glasgow Estate Company, Ltd.	Nithsdale	242	2 27
Portmore Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Portmore	311	2 91
Do.	Aldourie	269	2 52
Lutyens Bros. (F. Lushing- ton)	Mornington	417	3 90
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Limited	Ardallie	209	1 96
Heirs of T. Mackie and P. Moir (W. B. Bartlett)	Lot 112,364 Powysland	165	1 55
Balmoral Ceylon Estates Co., Limited	Sandringham and Yaravale	542	5 8

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount due. Rs. c.
New Dimbula Company, Ltd. . .	Diyagama . .	3,125 . .	29 25
Heirs of J. M. Sayres . .	Nutbourne . .	172 . .	1 61
		Total . .	52 52

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before July 31, 1925.

Amount to be recovered on account 1924-25 . . 52 52

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, June 20, 1925.

Preston Junction-Agra Branch Road.

(Between Preston Junction and end of Agra Road.)
(Flood Damages.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for repairing flood damages on the above road for the year ending September 30, 1925, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

(Estimate No. D 780, sanctioned on April 27, 1925.)

Government moiety Rs. 225.00
Private contributions Rs. 230.62

Total acreage, 5,609—Rate per acre, Rs. 0.4111c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co., Ltd. (F. Lushington)	Waverley . .	157 . .	6 46
Portmore Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Aldourie . .	269 . .	11 6
Glasgow Estates Company, Ltd.	Nithsdale . .	242 . .	9 95
Portmore Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Portmore . .	311 . .	12 79
Balmoral Ceylon Estates Co., Ltd.	Sandringham and Yarravale	542 . .	22 28
Heirs of T. Mackie and P. Moir (W. B. Bartlett)	Lot 112,364 Powysland . .	165 . .	6 79
Lutyens Bros. (F. Lushington)	Mornington . .	417 . .	17 15
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Ardallie . .	209 . .	8 60
New Dimbula Company, Ltd.	Diyagama . .	3,125 . .	128 47
Heirs of J. M. Sayres . .	Nutbourne . .	172 . .	7 7
		Total . .	230 62

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before July 31, 1925.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, June 20, 1925.

Deniyaya-Hayes Branch Road, 1924-25.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sums for the maintenance and improvement of the Deniyaya-Hayes Branch Road during 1924-1925, the Provincial Road Committee of the Southern Province, acting under the provisions of section 19 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," as amended by Ordinance No. 9 of 1907, will on Saturday, July 4, 1925, at 1.30 P.M., at the Galle Kachcheri, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions.

Estimate of 1924-25.	Government. Moiety. Rs.	Private Contributions. Rs. c.
D 247 Maintenance of Deniyaya-Hayes road	5,430 . .	5,511 45
43 Improvements, Deniyaya-Hayes road	1,250 . .	1,306 25
New cooly lines for Deniyaya-Hayes road	3,825 . .	3,997 12
619 Benching corners on the Deniyaya-Hayes road	250 . .	261 25
266 Repairs to flood damages, Deniyaya-Hayes road	831 . .	868 40
Over-expenditure on account maintenance, 1923-24	— . .	16 74
Total to be recovered		11,961 21

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors and Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
D. M. Rajapakse	Deniyaya	609

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

D. K. Dias Appu and others	Kokunahena	80
D. Asirvathan	Tenipitiya	28

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

D. M. Rajapakse	Downside	202
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1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Handford Estates Company (George Steuart and Company)	Handford	765
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1st to 6th section, 6 miles.

E. C. Anderson	Anningkanda	775
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1st to 7th section, 7 miles.

W. A. Elias Appu	Marahena	95
W. Denoris Silva	Iluktenna	36
Do.	Puhulhenekanda	30

1st to 8th section, 8 miles

Lipton, Limited	Panilkanda	844
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1st to 10.1 section, 10.1 miles.

Haydella Tea and Rubber Company, Limited (Whittall and Company)	Hayes	1,638½
Do.	Gongalla	574
E. C. Gunatilaka	Longford	257
M. S. Furlong	Dambahena	70

Total 6,003½

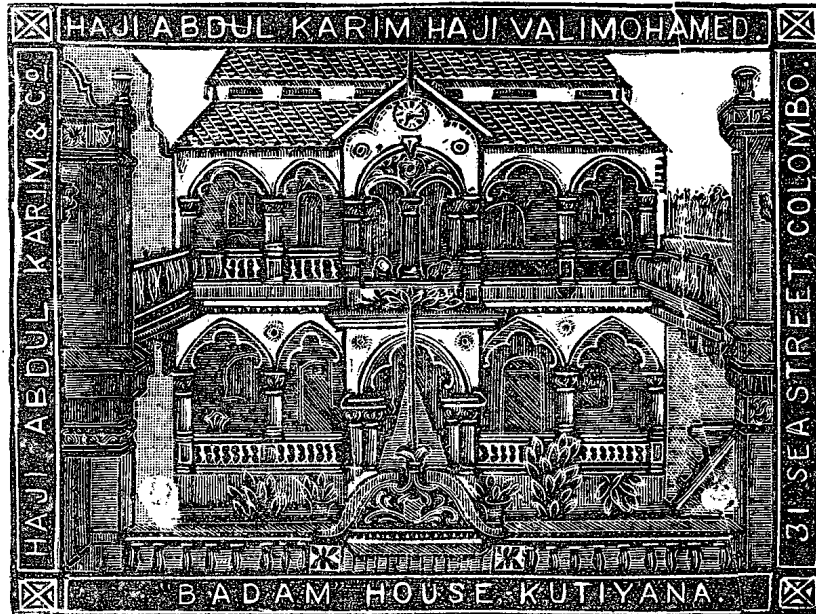
And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

T. B. RUSSELL,
Chairman.
Provincial Road Committee Office,
Galle, June 22, 1925.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

In compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," the following application for registration of a Trade Mark is advertised:—

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,405.
 (2) Date of Receipt: May 22, 1925.
 (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): HAJI ABDUL KARIM & COMPANY, No. 31, Sea street, Colombo; Merchants.
 (4) Address for service in the Island, if any:—
 (5) Class: Twenty-four.
 (6) Goods: Cotton piece goods.
 (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



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The essential particular of the Trade Mark is the distinctive device and no claim is made to the exclusive use of the added matter.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 24, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
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:—

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,388.
 (2) Date of Receipt: May 1, 1925.
 (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): KALUTARA ARATCHIGE DON SADRIS APPUHAMY, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of "LANKA SOAP COMPANY," Wattagama; Manufacturer.



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The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the distinctive device and the word "ELK."

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 10, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

- (4) Address for service in the Island, if any:—
 (5) Class: Forty-seven.
 (6) Goods: Common soap.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Peradeniya (Ceylon) Chocolate Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Monday, July 20, 1925, at 12 noon.

Business.

To confirm the following special resolution, the resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on Monday, June 22, 1925, at 12 noon, viz.:—

“That clause 2 of the Company’s Memorandum of Association be altered by deleting the word Colombo, and substituting therefor the word Peradeniya.”

By order of the Directors,
GORDON FRAZER & CO., LTD.,
Colombo, July 3, 1925. Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Colombo, No. 16,130.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to us in the above case, we shall offer for sale by public auction on Wednesday, July 29, 1925, at 5 P.M., at the spot, the following property:—

All that allotment of land called Nickagahaowittawatta alias Bahagahaowittawatta alias Kadurugahaowittawatta, situated at Pattiya in Panadurebadde of Panadure Totamune, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province, together with all the buildings and plantations standing thereon; and bounded on the north by water-course, east by Kadurugahaowittawatta, south by land wherein the Panadure hospital stands and Nickagahaowittawatta, and on the west by old road on Nickagahaowittawatta alias Galpottewatta; containing in extent 3 roods and 26 perches, according to the survey plan bearing No. 275A, dated March 25, 1922, and made by T. E. Collette, Special Licensed Surveyor and Commissioner, Kalutara.

For deeds, &c., apply to Messrs. Wilson & Kadirgamar, Colombo.

JENSEN & Co.,
Commissioner and Auctioneer.

Phone 733.

Auction Sale.

A Very Good Opportunity for Capitalists.

UNDER partition deeds in D. C., Colombo, case No. 13,697, and upon commission issued to me, I shall sell by public auction, all that premises bearing assessment No. 91, together with the upstairs building thereon, situated at 4th Cross street, Pettah, Colombo, extent 2.56 perches, on Friday, August 14, 1925, at 5 P.M., at the spot.

The sale will be put up first among the co-owners at the appraised value, and if none of them be the purchaser, then it will be sold to the highest bidder among the public.

H. J. F. RODRIGO,
Commissioner, Auctioneer, and Broker.

60, Belmont street,
Colombo, June 29, 1925.

Auction Sale.

CROWN TITLE.

A Valuable Rubber Estate called Anderson Estate, in Extent 137 Acres and 28 Perches, in the Kalutara District. Property of Mr. A. P. Fernando of Moratuwa.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me, and the decree entered in case No. 7,910, District Court, Colombo, I shall sell by public auction, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 50,000, interest, and costs, at office No. 120, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, on Monday, July 27, 1925, at 2 P.M.—All that allotment of land called Horaketimukalana in Bulat-sinhala village, Gangaboda pattuwa, Pasdun korale east, Kalutara District, Western Province: bounded on the north by lot 11415 in P. P. 11,253, lot 7 in P. P. 10,485, lots 163000 and 16299 in P. P. 12,390, and T. P. 154,305;

on the east by P. P. 154,305, lots 11404, 11406, and 11407 in P. P. 11,252, a water-course, lots 10 and 75 in P. P. 10,485, reservation for a road, and reservation along the road; on the south by lot 75 in P. P. 10,485; and on the west by lot 5 74 and 5 in P. P. 10,485 and lots 11413 and 11414 in P. P. 11,253; containing in extent 137 acres and 28 perches.

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

Auction Sale under Primary Mortgage Decree.

A Very Fine and Extensive Coconut Estate called Kehelwattawatta Estate, 3 Miles from Polgahawela Railway Station. Property of Richard Nugawela, Esq., of Kehelwattawatta, Kegalla.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 15,196 of the District Court of Colombo, and the commission issued to me in the said case, I shall sell by public auction for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree on Monday, July 27, 1925, at office No. 120, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, at 4 P.M., the following properties, viz.:—(1) An undivided part or share of land called and known as Badahehaya, now a garden, situated at Batuwatta in Gandolaha pattu, in Beligal korale, in the District of Kegalla, Province of Sabaragamuwa; and bounded on the north by Kalotuwwawatta claimed by Hetuwaduraya and Boraluwehena claimed by A. Punchirala, east by Boraluwehena claimed by Haramanis Appu and B. Nuga, south by land described in title plan No. 178,361 and Alagadayewatta claimed by Undiya and Badahehaya claimed by Kirimenika, and west by Hitinawatta claimed by Hetuwa Duraya; and containing in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 33 perches. (2) An undivided part or share, save and excluding an extent of 2 kurunies paddy sowing, of the land called Boraluwehena, now a garden, situated at Batuwatta aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the field and kongaha, east by the village limit of Geewana, south by the limit of Polkadahena and Badahehaya, and west by the limit of Araccigehena and Nekatigehena; and containing in extent about 7 pelas paddy sowing. (3) All that allotment of land called Boraluwehena, situated at Batuwatta aforesaid; and bounded on the north by endaru fence, east by the endaru fence, south by the endaru fence, and west also by endaru fence; and containing about 12 lahas paddy sowing extent. (4) An undivided part or share of the land called Boraluwehena, situated at Batuwatta aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the limit of the chena belonging to Kira, east by the Polwetiya, south by the ditch, and west by the land belonging to Crown; and containing in extent about 8 lahas paddy sowing, the said four blocks of lands being held and possessed under and by virtue of deed No. 13,509 dated January 27, 1920, and attested by G. F. G. Wijeyratna, Notary Public, and deed No. 24 dated November 19, 1920, and attested by G. C. H. Molligoda, Notary Public. (5) An undivided part or share of the land called and known as Boraluwehena, now a garden, situated at Batuwatta aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the field and kongaha, east by the village limit of Geewana, south by limit of Polkadahena and Badahehaya, and west by the limit of Araccigehena and Nekatigehena; and containing about 7 pelas paddy sowing extent, which several lands above described adjoin each other and form one property, and which said several shares above stated have been surveyed and defined and now form separate allotment described as follows:—All that allotment of land called Boraluwehena, Polkadahena, and Badahehaya, situate in Batuwatta village aforesaid; bounded on the north by field claimed by natives, on the east by land claimed by natives, oya, and Geewana village, on the south by Geewana village and Badahehaya, and on the west by Badahehaya and Aratchigehena and Nekatigehena; containing in extent 11 acres and 20 perches according to the plan thereof dated May 24, 1923, made by C. D. Jayasinghe, Licensed Surveyor. (6) All that allotment of land called and known as Kurukkepetiyamukalana, situated at Pitawela in Gandolaha

pattu in Beligal korale aforesaid; and bounded on the north by ela, east by the ela, and land claimed by natives and land described in title plans Nos. 194 and 112, south by land described in title plan No. 192, 112 and land claimed by natives, west by land claimed by natives; containing in extent 8 acres and 34 perches. (7) The land called and known as Amunutudawakiyanekumbura of 1 amunam paddy sowing in extent; bounded on the north by elawella, east by liminary ridge of Wewaliyadda, south by liminary ridge of Lankairakianakumbura, and west by liminary ridge of Palpela, situated at Kehelwatugoda in Gandolaha pattu in Beligal korale aforesaid. (8) The field called and known as Irawellakumbura of 3 pelas paddy sowing extent; bounded on the north by the liminary ridge of Lankirakiyanakumbura, east by the endaru fence of the pillawa, south by the liminary ridge of Wagalemadakumbura, and west by ela, situated at Kehelwatugoda aforesaid. (9) The land called Kurukosgahamulawatta of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent; bounded on the north by the limit of Kiuldeniya Hitinawalawewatta, east by ditch, south by endaru fence of Epagewatta, and west by ela, situated at Kehelwatugoda aforesaid. (10) The land called Yakahena of 3 amunams paddy sowing extent; and bounded on the north by galenda, east by the limit of Vederalagehena, south by the limit of Dandiralagehena, and west by the limit of Vederalagehena, situated at Kehelwatugoda aforesaid. (11) The land called and known as Moragolehena of 1 amunam of paddy sowing in extent; bounded on the north by galenda, east by Millpandura, south by stone, and west by Binhubaha and hill, and situated at Kehelwatugoda aforesaid. (12) The land called and known as Ehinuwawelichhigalagawahena of 1 amunam paddy sowing extent; bounded on the north by the ditch, east by galenda, south by ketakela tree, west by binhubaha and hill, situated at Kehelwatugoda aforesaid. (13) The land called and known as Ambagahamulahena of 1 amunam and 2 pelas paddy sowing in extent; bounded on the north by the ditch, east by galenda, south by hubaha and hill, and west by Mala-ela, situated at Kehelwatugoda aforesaid; which said several portions of land above described adjoin each other and form one property, and have been included in one survey and are now described as follows:—All that estate and plantations called or known as Yakabahenyaya estate, situated at Kehelwatugoda village aforesaid; bounded on the north by Mala-ela and Walauwawatta and land claimed by natives, on the east by ela, on the south by ela and land claimed by natives, and on the west by land claimed by natives and Walauwewatta; containing in extent 49 acres and 2 roods according to the figure of survey thereof dated May 24, 1923, made by the said C. D. Jayasingha. (14) An undivided half share of the field called Dandeniya of 2 nellies paddy sowing in extent; bounded on the north by Wela field, east by road leading from Anguruwella to Polgahawela, south by ela, and west by endaru fence, situated at Kehelwatugoda aforesaid. (15) An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share from and out of all that defined $\frac{1}{4}$ part or share of Kekunakanda marked lot C in the plan thereof being a defined portion of the land comprised and described in title plan No. 221,684, situated at Batuwatta aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the defined portion of Kekunakanda marked B allotted to Mr. Charles Pieris, east by Crown land and land claimed by natives, south by land claimed by natives and a road, and west by land claimed by natives, lots C 579 and B 519 in preliminary plan 4,028, and a water-course; containing in extent 31 acres 2 roods and 17/33 perches (according to the plan thereof made by E. A. Jayawickreme, Licensed Surveyor). (16) An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share from and out of all that defined $\frac{1}{4}$ part or share of Kadurugahalanda-mukalana marked lot D, situated at Batuwatta aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Kumbukemalalanda, lot B, and the kumbura, east by fields, south by land claimed by natives, and west by portion of this land marked lot C; containing in extent 6 acres 3 roods and 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, together with all and singular the bungalows, buildings, furniture, stores, machinery, fixtures, tools, instruments, cattle, and other the dead and live stock in the said estate, and all rights, privileges, easements, servitudes, and appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises belonging or usually held, occupied, used, or enjoyed therewith.

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

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Colombo, No. 3,276.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell the following property for the recovery of the balance due by the defendant on Tuesday, July 28, 1925, at the spot at 5 P.M.:

An allotment of land, lot A, Kahatagahakanattewatta in Nedimale village, Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, Colombo District; bounded on the south by the road leading from Dehiwala to Nedimale; containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods 26 perches.

Further particulars from—

AYRES KARUNARATNA,
122, Hulftsdorp, Colombo. Commissioner and Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Primary Mortgage in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 14,863.

Two Valuable Coconut Estates comprising of 130 Acres and 128 Acres and 6 Perches, situated at Kurunegala District and Puttalam District respectively.

In the District Court of Colombo.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall put up for sale by public auction at my rooms, Noorani Villa, Colpetty, on Tuesday, July 28, 1925, at 5 P.M.—

(1) All that coconut estate called and known as Dambuwewatta presently known as Katupotha, situated in the village of Molligodagama and Radagama in the Tisso korale, in the Dewamedi hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province; containing in extent 130 acres.

(2) All that land called Ambalam Vembukadu in Ambalam village, Amparippu pattu of Kalpitiya division, Puttalam District, North-Western Province; containing in extent 128 acres and 6 perches.

Further particulars from H. T. Ramachandra, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Dam street, Colombo.

R. C. M. HYZER,
Auctioneer and Broker.
Phone 1681.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

Valuable House Property bearing Assessment No. 13,
now No. 2,088/13, situated at Kotahena Street
in Kotahena, Colombo.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 13,932 of the District Court of Colombo I shall sell by public auction on Monday, July 27, 1925, at 5 P.M. at the spot, the following property, to wit:—

All that land called Kitulgahawatta, with the buildings thereon bearing assessment No. 13, now No. 2,088/13, situated at Kotahena street in Kotahena, Colombo; containing in extent 7 perches.

For further particulars apply to A. M. Rupasinghe, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Hulftsdorp, Colombo, or to me—

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Auctioneer and Broker.
8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Auction Sale under Primary Mortgage Decree in Case No. 13,445, D. C., Colombo.

A Valuable Property at Laxapathiya in Moratuwa.

UNDER commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, July 27, 1925, at 4.30 P.M., at the spot All those two contiguous portions of land called Kapurubandarawatta and Lunabodowita, situated at Laxapathiya in Moratuwa; in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 5 perches.

For particulars apply to C. S. A. Perera, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Moratuwa or Colombo.

Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

A. V. PERERA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

CAPITALISTS PLEASE NOTE

Valuable Lands and Buildings at Panadure Town.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 12,139, D. C., Kalutara, and the order to sell issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, July 18, 1925, commencing at 10 A.M., at the respective spots:—

1. Undivided $\frac{1}{10}$ shares of the soil and of all the trees and plantations and of the boutique room standing thereon of the northern portion of a portion of the land called Siyambalagahawatta, situated at Panadure pattiya in the Panadure badda of the Panadure totamune, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province; and containing in extent about 14 perches from and out of the portion of land called Siyambalagahawatta, together with the 3 contiguous boutique buildings standing thereon; and containing in extent 39 $\frac{53}{100}$ perches.

2. The soil together with all the trees, plantations, standing thereon of the portion of land called Gangabodawatta alias Pinwattekattiya, situated at Panadurepattiya aforesaid; and containing in extent about 5 perches.

H. THOMASZ FERNANDO,
Auctioneer.

Panadure, June 29, 1925.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Lands at Kehelwatugoda near Polgahawela.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, case No. 31,670, entered in favour of the plaintiff Rev. A. G. Fraser of Kandy against the defendant W. Nugewela of Kehelwatugoda Walawwa, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots, commencing at 12 noon, on Saturday, July 25, 1925:—

1. Half share of Muttuttulandehena of 5 pelas paddy sowing extent.
2. Kurukeppiteyehena of 2 pelas in extent.
3. Kanuketiyeekumbura and pillewa of 16 lahas in extent.

The above properties are situated at Kehelwatugoda in Gandolahe pattu, Kegalla District.

4. Kiridenawelakumbura of 12 lahas paddy sowing extent.

5. Kiridenawelamedaweeatalaha of 8 lahas in extent.

6. Galaganakumbura and pillewa of 13 lahas in extent. The above fields are situated at Batuwatta in Gandolahe pattu aforesaid.

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

A. R. WICKREMESEKARA,
Auctioneer.

8, Cross street, Kandy.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Kandy.

W. K. Fernando of 109, Colombo street, Kandy. Plaintiff.
No. 32,293.

B. Dharmapala of Wattagama Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case and by virtue of order issued to me for the recovery of the amount stated therein, I shall sell by public auction the following properties herein below declared bound and executable under the said decree on July 4, 1925, commencing at 1 P.M. on the spots:—

1. All that divided southern $\frac{1}{2}$ shares, containing in extent 10 acres 3 roods and 35 perches, out of the lands called Galketiyeekopiawatta, Dewalawakahena, Adikarigehena, and Pallepahurehena, all adjoining each other, situate at Wattagama and Yatawara in Pallegampaha of Lower Dumbura in the Kandy District, Central Province.

2. Three-eighth shares of Giranwaluwewatta of about 15 lahas paddy sowing, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

3. All that $\frac{1}{2}$ share described and known as Hewanmadittewatta of 2 acres and 1 perch in extent, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

4. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ shares of the field called Isthummada of 2 pelas and 5 kurunies paddy sowing in extent, situate at Yatawara aforesaid.

5. An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the field called Getanekumbura of 2 pelas paddy, Getanekumbura of 12 lahas paddy, Appuwekanatiyeekumbura of 2 lahas paddy, Getanekumbura of 2 pelas paddy, Naranpanawekumbura of 2 pelas and 4 lahas paddy, and Getanekumbura of 12 lahas paddy, all adjoining each other, situate at Yatawara aforesaid.

6. Undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the land and everything thereon out of Getanewatta of 12 lahas paddy at Yatawara aforesaid.

7. Undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the land and everything thereon, out of Naranpanawekumburewanata and Getanekumburewanata, both adjoining each other of about 2 pelas paddy, situate at Yatawara aforesaid.

8. Undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Heewalapitiyewatta of 1 acre 3 roods and 34 perches and of Heewalapitiyewatta of 1 acre 2 roods and 30 perches adjoining each other, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

9. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of an undivided 1 pela of Pallepahurehena, now Pandichiwatta of about 3 pelas paddy, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

10. Undivided $\frac{1}{32}$ share of the land and everything thereon, out of Imbulawalamedawaluwewatta of about 12 lahas paddy, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

11. Undivided $\frac{1}{32}$ share out of Pallekumbura of 16 lahas paddy, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

12. Undivided $\frac{1}{16}$ share of the field called Nuweratenna of 1 pela paddy, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

13. Undivided $\frac{1}{32}$ share out of Uduwelagekumbura of about 3 amunams paddy, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

14. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land and building standing thereon bearing assessment No. 55, containing in extent 11.97 perches out of Girankumburewanata of about 30 perches, situate at Wattagama aforesaid.

15. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share out of Pannambewatta of 1 acre and 7 perches, situate at Yatawara aforesaid.

16. Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Panuambeasweddumekumbura and of Galgodeasweddumakumbura, both adjoining each other, situate at Yatawara aforesaid, of 5 acres 1 rood and 27 perches.

17. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share out of Galangewatta of about 12 lahas paddy, situate at Pannagama in Yatawara aforesaid.

18. The Oldsmobile Motor Car bearing No. D. 966, now lying at Wattagama in the garage of the defendant.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned or to Messrs. Wijayatilake & Wijayatilake, Proctors, Kandy.

T. N. RANATUNGA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Kandy, June 30, 1925.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Galle.

Seena Pana Kana Runa Saminathan Chetty of Galle Plaintiff.
No. 22,427.

- (1) Rajawasan Wellala Heetige Andrayas Wijetilake of Kumbalwella in Galle, (2) Esufali Mohamed Bhooy, (3) Goolan Hassen Alshamed Bhooy, (4) Adamally Mohamed Bhooy, the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th carrying on business at Nos. 76 and 79, Main street, Galle, under the firm and style of E. G. Adamaly & Co., (5) Fazzelabus Goolan Hussen of Nos. 78 and 79, Main street, Galle, carrying on business under the firm and style of E. G. Adamaly & Co., substituted in place of 3rd defendant Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case and the order to sell issued therein, I shall sell by public auction at the spot on July 25, 1925, at 3.30 P.M., the following property declared bound and executable for the recovery of Rs. 8,500 with interest at 9 per cent. per annum from May 1, 1925, and costs of suit, viz. :—

An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ of $\frac{1}{24}$ part of the allotment of land called Mahapoddawelakele, together with an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ part of the right to dig for plumbago and the plumbago in an undivided 1 acre extent of the said allotment of land, situate at Karandeniya in Wellaboda pattu of Galle; in extent 8 acres 1 rood and 3 perches.

CHAS. M. GOONASEKERA,
Auctioneer.

June 30, 1925.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

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

BY-LAWS made by the Ratnapura Urban District Council, under sections 164 and 168 (8) (c) of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," approved by the Local Government Board, confirmed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in Executive Council, and published as required by section 166 (1).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 1, 1925.

By His Excellency's command,
E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. The driver of any motor vehicle licensed for hire shall not stand or permit the same to stand for hire in any street within the Ratnapura Urban District Council area otherwise than on a stand or place specially appointed for that purpose except for loading and unloading.

2. Any person committing a breach of the above by-law shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

"THE EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN, YOUNG PERSONS, AND CHILDREN ORDINANCE, No. 6 OF 1923."

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased, in terms of section 2 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1923, to appoint the Ratemahatmaya, Demala hatpattu, to be a "duly authorized officer" to act under the provisions of the Ordinance within the District of Puttalam, with effect from July 1, 1925.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

By His Excellency's command,
E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE CEYLON TELEGRAPH ORDINANCE, 1908."

RULES made by the Governor in Executive Council under section 7 of "The Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908," as amended by Ordinance No. 10 of 1923.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 1, 1925.

By His Excellency's command,
E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

RULES REFERRED TO.

1. No person shall establish, maintain, or work telephone lines, instruments, and exchanges unless such person has obtained in that behalf a licence from the Postmaster-General.

2. Licences for establishing, maintaining, and working telephone lines, instruments, and exchanges, hereinafter called the "Telephone System" shall be granted subject to the following conditions:—

(a) That the area within which a telephone system is to be established, maintained, and worked shall be specified.

(b) That a royalty of Re. 1 per annum shall be paid to the Postmaster-General on each telephone instrument connected to the said telephone system whether as a main instrument, operating set, or an extension, and not merely on each line connected to the exchange switchboard, provided that the system is not worked on a profit-making basis.

(c) That should it be at any time established to the satisfaction of Government that the said telephone system is being worked on a profit-making basis, a higher scale of royalty (to be fixed by Government in each case) will be charged for each telephone connected to such system.

(d) That all connections to the said telephone system shall be notified to the Telegraph Authority within one week of the date of connection.

(e) That the Telegraph Authority shall have access to all exchange premises within the specified area during the hours they are open for business, and upon giving 24 hours' notice in writing to any other premises containing any portion of the telephone system.

(f) That Government reserves the right to take over the said telephone system and its connections at any time, the price to be paid to be settled by agreement or arbitration, without any allowance for profits or goodwill; but Government will in no case take over any apparatus or material which is, in the opinion of Government, not up to a proper standard.

(g) That neither the said telephone system nor any part of it shall be sold or leased to any person or any company as a working concern.

(h) That no connection will be given with the Government trunk or junction telephone lines if established in the neighbourhood unless the licensee's system is placed on a metallic circuit basis, and the construction and apparatus is passed as fit for this purpose by the Telegraph Authority.

(i) That such connection, if given, will at once be withdrawn if it is found that the system is not being worked by a competent English-speaking operator, and is not in other ways efficiently maintained.

(j) (1) That no charge shall be recovered for the initial inspection of the said telephone system made for the purpose of ascertaining whether it is in an efficient condition for trunk connection.

(2) That the following charges shall be payable for every subsequent inspection of the said telephone system made for the purpose of ascertaining whether it is maintained in an efficient condition for trunk connection, and for every inspection made for any other purpose and solely in the interests of the said telephone system :—

	For the first 24 Hours or under.	For every subsequent period of 12 Hours or Fraction thereof.
	Rs.	Rs.
Where inspection is made by an Engineer of the Telegraph Department	75	25
Where inspection is made by an Inspector of the Telegraph Department	40	15

(k) That the Postmaster-General shall at the end of every month cause to be rendered to the licensee or his representative an account for all fees due on trunk, junction, or "disturbance" calls made by the subscribers to the licensee's system, and the licensee shall settle such accounts within fourteen days of receipt.

(l) That the licensee having access to the general trunk system shall purchase from the Postmaster-General copies of every edition of the "Ceylon Post Office Telephone Directory" and supply a copy to every subscriber to the system.

(m) That where trunk service is afforded the Postmaster-General shall show in the Telephone Directory the names of the subscribers connected to the licensee's system in such a manner as is approved by him from time to time, and any alteration or change of name shall be paid for at the current rates for such amendments. The alteration of addresses and the insertion of names of new subscribers shall be done free of charge.

(n) That no supports, poles, stays, or struts be fixed on any public road or road reservation without the previous sanction of the Director of Public Works or the local road authority (if any). Such sanction may be withdrawn at any time by the Governor—

(1) If such roads are required for the erection of Government telegraph lines.

(2) If the condition of the licensee's posts or lines be allowed to become such as to constitute, in the opinion of the Government, a public danger.

(o) That all crossings over roads and over or under telegraph lines shall be erected, or, if necessary, altered to the satisfaction of the Telegraph Authority.

(p) That it shall be distinctly understood that no monopoly is granted by this concession.

(q) That a telephone connected to an exchange of the licensee may be fitted up in a local post office within the specified area, subject to terms of a special agreement to be entered into with the Telegraph Authority.

(r) That the licence is immediately revokable on the breach of any of the conditions therein mentioned.