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### DRAFT ORDINANCE.

#### MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

**An Ordinance to regulate the Business of dealing in Old Metal.**

**WHEREAS** the business of dealing in old metal affords facilities for the disposal of stolen goods, and it is expedient that the same should be regulated in order to diminish such facilities: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :

**Preamble.**

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Old Metal Ordinance, No.        of 1925," and shall come into operation on a day to be fixed by the Governor in Executive Council by Proclamation in the "Government Gazette."

**Short title and commencement.**

2 In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires—

**Definitions.**

"Dealer in old metal" means any person carrying on the business of buying, or buying with a view to resale or use in any manufacture or industry, scrap metal, or broken metal, or partly manufactured metal goods, or defaced or old metal goods, or portions of machinery, or old metal of any other kind or description, whether such person deals in such articles exclusively or together with other things, but does not include an itinerant dealer in old tins and similar articles ;

“ Old metal ” means the said articles or any of them ;

“ Local authority ” means—

- (a) Within the limits of any Municipality, the Chairman of the Municipal Council ;
- (b) Within the limits of any District Council, the Chairman of the Council ;
- (c) Within the limits of any Local Board or Sanitary Board or the Board of Improvement at Nuwara Eliya, the Chairman of the Board ;
- (d) In any place outside such limits, the Government Agent of the Province or Assistant Government Agent of the district ;

“ Regulations ” includes forms.

Dealers to be licensed.

3 It shall not be lawful for any person to carry on the business of a dealer in old metal unless he is duly licensed under this Ordinance.

Licences.

4 (1) Licences under this Ordinance shall be granted by the local authority within whose administrative limits the premises to be licensed are situate.

(2) No such licence shall be granted without the previous report of the Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent of Police of the district or before the expiration of twenty-one days at least after application in writing has been made therefor to the local authority.

(3) A licence may be refused if the applicant has been convicted of an offence against this Ordinance or of any offence involving dishonesty, or if the applicant has previously held a licence under this Ordinance and such licence has been cancelled.

(4) Such licences shall be in the form in schedule I. hereto, and a fee of ten rupees shall be paid to the local authority for each such licence.

(5) The local authority shall keep a register of the licences so issued, and shall enter therein the number of the licence, the name and place of abode of each dealer, and every place of business, warehouse, store, and place of deposit occupied or used by such dealer for the purpose of such business.

Signboard.

5 Over one of the principal entrances to the premises licensed under this Ordinance there shall be placed a board, on which shall be printed in legible letters of at least two inches in height the name in full of the person holding such licence and the words “ Licensed Buyer of Old Metal ” in the English, Sinhalese, and Tamil languages.

Regulations to be observed by licensed dealer.

6 (1) Every dealer in old metal who is licensed as aforesaid shall conform to the following regulations, that is to say :

(a) He shall keep in ink an accurate register in the form No. 1 in the second schedule hereto of all such old metal bought or otherwise obtained by him ; and he shall also keep in ink an accurate register in form No. 2 in the said schedule of all such old metal which he may from time to time sell or dispose of, whether he became possessed of the same before or after the commencement of this Ordinance ; every entry in any such register shall be deemed and taken unless the contrary is shown to have been made by or with the authority of the dealer of old metal to whom such register belongs.

(b) If he is carrying on business at the commencement of this Ordinance, he shall forthwith cause a list of all such old metal as he is possessed of at the commencement of this Ordinance to be entered in the first of such books required to be kept as aforesaid, such entries commencing at the beginning of such last-mentioned book, and being continued without any break until it is complete. Every such list shall on completion be signed and dated by such dealer, and all old metal in his possession not appearing in such list shall be deemed to have come into his possession subsequently to the commencement of this Ordinance ; and all alterations and interlineations appearing in any such list shall be deemed to have been made subsequently to the commencement of this Ordinance.

- (c) He shall not, by himself or by any other person, purchase or receive any old metal of any description before the hour of seven o'clock in the morning nor after the hour of six o'clock in the evening, nor shall he, by himself or by any other person, purchase or receive old metal of any description from any person apparently under the age of sixteen years, nor shall he employ any servant or apprentice or any other person under the age of sixteen years to purchase or receive old metal of any description; and
- (d) He shall keep all old metal purchased or received by him without changing the form in which the articles comprising the same were when so purchased, and without disposing of the same in any way, for a period of ten days after such articles have been purchased or received.

Provided always that the local authority issuing a licence shall, if he is satisfied that the licensee intends to carry on the business of buying unserviceable lead foil or scrap lead foil or lead foil clippings for the purpose of re-manufacture, exempt the licensee from the provisions of paragraph (d) so far as concerns such lead foil.

(2) (a) The Governor in Executive Council may make further regulations for the carrying out of the provisions of this section, and may amend, add to, or revoke any regulations contained in the said section or any such further regulations.

(b) Such further regulations, and any amendments, additions, or revocations of such further regulations or of any regulations contained in this section, shall forthwith be published in the "Government Gazette."

(c) All regulations published as aforesaid shall be laid as soon as conveniently may be before the Legislative Council, and may at any of the three meetings of the Council next succeeding the date of their being so laid be disallowed by resolution of the Council, but without prejudice to anything that may have been done thereunder, and if not so disallowed shall be deemed to be valid.

7 (1) It shall be lawful for any officer of police not below the rank of sub-inspector, for any officer of police below the rank of sub-inspector, who has with him an authority in writing from a local authority or from an officer of police not below the rank of Assistant Superintendent, or for any peace officer not below the rank of vidane arachchi, korala, or udaiyar, at any time when the licensed premises are open for business, to inspect any such book as is required to be kept under this Ordinance, or the old metal lying in the premises of any licensee under this Ordinance, and every such officer of police or peace officer as aforesaid shall, and he is hereby required to, record in the book hereinbefore required to be kept by every dealer in old metal, the day and hour of his visit, and place opposite the entry of every article examined by him, his name or initials in attestation of the same.

Power of  
entry and  
inspection.

(2) Such licensee, or his representative, or the person in charge of such premises, or the person in whose custody or charge such book or old metal may be, or the person who shall have made any entry in such book with respect to which any such police officer may desire to ask any question, shall permit such officer to inspect such book or old metal, and shall answer all such questions as may be asked by such officer with reference to such book or old metal or to any of the entries or contents of such book.

8 Every person who shall contravene any provision of this Ordinance or any regulation made thereunder shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees for the first offence, or a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees for the second or any subsequent offence.

Penalties.

9 When any person licensed under this Ordinance is convicted of any offence against this Ordinance, it shall be lawful for the convicting Magistrate, if he sees fit, to cancel the licence of such person.

Cancellation  
of licences  
on conviction.

10 "The Old Metal Ordinance, 1905," is hereby repealed.

Repeal.

## SCHEDULE I.

## Form of Licence.

(Section 4).

A and B, having this day paid the sum of ten rupees, is hereby authorized and licensed to deal in old metal at \_\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the provisions of "The Old Metal Ordinance, No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 1925."

\*

C. D.,  
Government Agent, or  
Assistant Government Agent, or  
Chairman of the Municipal Council.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

Rs. 10

\* Add if necessary—

The licensee is under the provision of the proviso to section 6 (1) of this Ordinance exempted from the provisions of paragraph (d) of the said sub-section so far as concerns lead foil.

## SCHEDULE II.

## Form No. 1.—Entry of Purchases and Receipts of Old Metal.

(Section 6 (a).)

1	2	3	4	5	6
Name of Person who purchased or received.	Name of Person from whom purchased or received.	Business and Place of Abode of Person from whom purchased or received.	Description of Old Metal purchased or received.	Price paid therefor.	Day of Purchase or Receipt and Hour of Day.
				Rs. c.	

## Form No. 2.—Entry of Sales of Old Metal.

(Section 6 (1) (a).)

1	2	3	4	5
Name of Person to whom sold.	Business and Place of Abode or of Business of Person to whom sold.	Description of Old Metal sold.	Price received therefor.	Day and Hour of Sale.
			Rs. c.	

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 29, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

*Statement of Objects and Reasons.*

A BILL to regulate the business of dealing in old metals was introduced into the Legislative Council in the session of 1921, and was referred to a Select Committee of the Council for report. Owing to the prorogation of the Legislature all proceedings in connection with that Bill have lapsed, but the Select Committee framed and signed a report, which, however, was never presented to the Council, recommending the passing of the Bill but proposing certain amendments to it. In the present Bill all those amendments have been inserted.

"The Old Metal Ordinance, 1905," is based on an English Act, 24 & 25 Vict., Chap. 110, which deals with the same subject. The carrying on of this business gives wide opportunities for disposing of stolen goods, and as a result the law in England was amended by the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907.

"The Old Metal Ordinance, 1905," does not come into operation until a dealer in old metal has been convicted of an offence under that Ordinance, and directed to be registered under its provisions. In the present Bill it is proposed to adopt the requirements of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907, and provide for the registration of all dealers in old metal.

The provisions of the Bill are to all intents and purposes similar to those of the existing law, the great difference being that all dealers in old metal must, whether they have been convicted or not, be licensed. On the other hand, "dealers" in old metal include buyers only, not sellers, so that the sale of old metal will not of itself render the vendor a dealer within the meaning of the Ordinance.

There is one provision of the Bill to which it may be well to call attention. Under section 7 (1) (e) of "The Old Metal Ordinance, 1905," a dealer must keep all old metal purchased or received by him without changing the form in which the articles comprising the same were when so purchased for a period of forty-eight hours. The Inspector-General of Police has stated that this period is much too short to allow of the necessary inquiries being made, and for that purpose the period has been extended to ten days (see section 6 (1) (d)).

The proviso to section 6 gives power to exempt manufacturers of lead foil from this provision, which, owing to the impossibility of identifying scrap lead foil, would be of little use and would cause considerable expense in providing storage room.

Attorney-General's Chambers, L. H. ELPHINSTONE,  
Colombo, March 14, 1925. Attorney-General.

### NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,195. In the matter of the insolvency of Sayna Ana Seyado Omar Lebbe, Ana Leyna Mohamado Sali, M. S. M. Mohamado Mastan, A. M. S. Hameed, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of A. M. M. Omer & Co., at 41, Keyzer street, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvents will take place at the sitting of this court on July 21, 1925, for proof of claim of N. P. L. S. P. Ramasamy Chetty.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, June 27, 1925. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,195. In the matter of the insolvency of S. A. Seyado Omar Lebbe, O. L. M. Sally, M. S. M. Mohamado Mastan, and A. M. Sahul Hamid, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of A. M. M. Omer & Co., at 41, Keyzer street.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvents will take place at the sitting of this court on July 21, 1925, for proof of claim of S. K. Cader Mohideen.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, June 30, 1925. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,383. In the matter of the insolvency of M. M. Aliya Maricar of 16, Main street, Kalutara, presently at Grandpass.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on July 14, 1925, for proof of claim of K. R. M. I. T. T. Thiagaraja Chetty.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, June 30, 1925. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,425. In the matter of the insolvency of Mohamed Yoosof Abdul Raheem of Church street, Slave Island.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on July 14, 1925, for proof of claim of Sanda Raju Ameer Bee.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, June 24, 1925. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,433. In the matter of the insolvency of Bulat-singhalage Simon Cooray of Ja-ela.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on July 28, 1925, for the grant of a certificate of conformity to the insolvent.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,  
Colombo, June 24, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,475. In the matter of the insolvency of Eric Verne Joseph of Bambalapitiya.

WHEREAS E. V. Joseph has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by W. de Neise of Bambalapitiya, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said E. V. Joseph insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on August 11, 1925, and on August 25, 1925, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,  
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,476. In the matter of the insolvency of Kekultotuwage Don Benedict of 7, Fifth Cross street, Pettah.

WHEREAS K. D. Benedict has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by P. D. Enasi of Tarala in the Gangaboda pattu of Siyane korale, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said K. D. Benedict insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on August 11, 1925, and on August 25, 1925, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,  
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,477. In the matter of the insolvency of Gamage Don Premaratne of Dam street, Colombo.

WHEREAS G. D. Premaratne has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by H. Noris Sinno of Kalutara, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said G. D. Premaratne insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on August 11, 1925, and on August 25, 1925, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,  
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,478. In the matter of the insolvency of Velauthapillai Ponnadurai of Elibank road, presently of 103, Chakku street, Colombo.

WHEREAS V. Ponnadurai has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by S. Sanmugampillai of Pettah,

under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said V. Ponnadurai insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on August 11, 1925, and on August 25, 1925, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,  
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 3,479. In the matter of the insolvency of Marshall William Fernando of Colpetty.

WHEREAS M. W. Fernando has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by C. Premachandra of Kelaniya, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said M. W. Fernando insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on August 11, 1925, and on August 25, 1925, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, P. DE KRETSEK,  
Colombo, June 29, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Negombo.

No. 170/L. In the matter of the insolvency of Seena Kawanna Muna Assen Mohideen of Minuwangoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of this court in the above matter has been adjourned to July 10, 1925.

By order of court, C. EMMANUEL,  
Negombo, June 26, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 184. In the matter of the insolvency of Watutantrige Philipo Alwis of Paranakade in Beruwala.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on August 26, 1925, for the examination of the insolvent and the assignee.

By order of court, R. MALALGODA,  
Kalutara, June 27, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 185. In the matter of the insolvency of Mohamad Hadjar Ahmad Mansoor of Kalutara.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on July 31, 1925, for the examination of the insolvent and the assignee.

By order of court, R. MALALGODA,  
Kalutara, June 24, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 543. In the matter of the insolvency of Abdul Cader Hadjar Mohamed Hanifa of Dangedera, Galle.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sitting for the examination of the insolvent in the above matter has been adjourned for July 21, 1925.

By order of court, C. W. GOONEWARDENE,  
Galle, June 29, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 537. In the matter of the insolvency of Badu Vidanegi Deonis Appu of Kottegoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on July 6, 1925, for the examination of the insolvent.

By order of court, C. W. GOONEWARDENE,  
Galle, June 24, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Matara.

No. 24. In the matter of the insolvent estate of Moham-madu Lebbe Marikkar Kumisteru Mohammadu Cassim of Watagederamulla.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sitting of this court in the above matter has been adjourned for July 31, 1925.

By order of court, E. C. DIAS,  
Matara, June 29, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Matara.

No. 25. In the matter of the insolvent estate of Saibo Dora Mohammed Shariff of Matara.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 1st sitting of this court in the above matter has been adjourned to July 16, 1925.

By order of court, E. C. DIAS,  
Matara, June 25, 1925. Secretary.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

No. 29. In the matter of the insolvency of Weerasinghe Ratnachigey Mathias Fernando of Wennappuwa.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sitting of this court for meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place on August 31, 1925, to consider the award of a certificate of conformity to the insolvent above named.

By order of court, W. A. T. GUNAWARDHANA,  
Chilaw, June 25, 1925. Secretary.

### NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Srai Lebbe Marikar Mahamood of 47, New Urugoda-watta in Colombo ..... Plaintiff.

No. 7,305. Vs.

Srai Lebbe Marikar Abdul Razak of Colpetty, Colombo ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, July 30, 1925, at 2 p.m., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,625, and costs Rs. 52, viz. :—

All that undivided 2/7 share of the land called and known as Hendala farm, situated at Hendala and Palliyawatta in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, in Colombo District, Western Province, and marked A2 and B in plan 4,320 dated May 24, 1920, and made by G. A. Weeraratne, Licensed Surveyor; which said portion marked A2 is bounded on the north by the share A1 of the same estate; on the east by the canal from Colombo to Negombo, land claimed by natives, now properties of Justina Fonseka, M. Fonseka, and Alexander Perera, portions of Hikgahakumbura of J. Fonseka, D. Fonseka, and G. D. Agostinu Appoo, Morganwatta of J. Rodrigo, small canal, and the property of Solomon Pulle and others; on the south by land claimed by the natives, now Madangahawatta of Eugene Britto; and on the west by portions of Javagewatta of Jerome Perera, Joseph Albert, H. J. Francis, ex Police Vidane, and the seashore; and which said portion marked B is bounded on the north by a part of the same land claimed by natives, but more correctly by portions of Delgahawatta of C. Rodrigo and T. C. Rodrigo, and the properties of J. A. Rodrigo and H. Rodrigo, and by the small canal; on the east by Kivul-ela, now canal from Colombo to Negombo; on the south by the canal, but more correctly by the said canal, and the properties of Eugene Britto and Stephen Gurunnanse; and on the west by the paddy fields of the natives, but more correctly by Morganwatta of J. Rodrigo, which said shares marked A2 and B, now forming one property; containing in extent 84 acres 1 rood and 29 perches.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

R. O. DE SARAM,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Cargills, Ltd., Colombo ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 9,872. Vs.

S. W. Edwin Perera of the Orient Boat Co., Caffoor's building, now of Wellampitiya, close to the Base-line Railway Station, Colombo, executor of the last will and testament of C. W. Louis Perera, deceased ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, July 27, 1925, at 3.30 P.M., will be sold by public auction at 4, Canal row, Fort, Colombo, the following movable property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,378.29, with interest on Rs. 1,236.80 at 12 per cent. per annum from October 1, 1922, to May 23, 1924, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of suit Rs. 357.20, viz. :—

All that and those the business called and known as the Oriental Boat Co., Colombo, including the goodwill, boats, and all the stock-in-trade.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

R. O. DE SARAM,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

F. S. Burkey of Hulftsdorp street, Colombo ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 15,364. Vs.

Don Allis Jayawardane of Dedigamuwa in Hewagam korale ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, July 28, 1925, at 2 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 403.30, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from March 30, 1925, till payment in full and costs of suit, viz. :—

An undivided 1/4 share of all those two portions of the land called Yagodakanda, situated at Yagoda in the Meda pattu of Siyane korale; and bounded on the north by land said to belong to Davith Appu and others, Punchi Appuhamy, Lenohamy and Magiris Appu and Crown land; on the east by Crown land; on the south-east by land claimed by Magiris Appu and others; on the south by land appearing in plan 127,861 and land claimed by Abersan Appu and others and road; on the south-west by land claimed by Don Pieris; and on the west by land claimed by Don Alvinis

Appu and others, and Y. Hendrick Appu; on the north-west by land claimed by Davith Appu and others; and containing in extent within these boundaries 33 acres 1 rood and 26 perches.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, June 30, 1925.

R. O. DE SARAM,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

S. Sinnathamby of Brassfounder street, Colombo. Plaintiff.  
No. 15,596. Vs.

(1) Thevasagayam de Croos of Salloobar in Kollupitiya, and (2) C. R. Maharajah of Ramlal Chattaram, Gintupitiya street, Colombo. Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, July 31, 1925, at 3 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 488.51, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from April 29, 1925, till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz. :—

All that premises bearing assessment No. 8, St. John's road, Pettah, within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by boutique No. 9, formerly belonging to the estate of J. Orr, now of H. Don Philip Muhandiram; east by property belonging to the estate of the late J. B. Misso, now of I. M. M. Marikar; south by boutique No. 7, belonging to the heirs of the late W. C. Kelaart; and west by St. John's road; containing in extent 67/100 perch.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, July 1, 1925.

R. O. DE SARAM,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the Court of Requests of Negombo.

Velatantrige Bastian Boteju Appuhamy of Kehel-  
ella. Plaintiff.  
No. 32,089. Vs.

(1) Nikulansuriya Mudiyanseleage Ukku Menika of Mutugala, administratrix of the estate of L. Ukku-  
rala Appuhamy of Mutugala, deceased, (2) Kumara-  
patirennelage Appurala of Kehelalla in Dunagaha  
pattu of Alutkuru korale. Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, July 25, 1925, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following mortgaged property ordered to be sold by the decree entered in the above action.

The land called Munamalgahawatta with the buildings and plantations thereon, situated at Kehelalla in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by the field, east by the lands of Carnis Appu and others, south by the land called Gurugodella belonging to Allis Rodrigo Appuhamy, and west by the field of Menikrala and the deniya land belonging to Government; containing in extent about 6 acres.

Amount to be levied Rs. 59.85, with interest on Rs. 45.15 at 16 per cent. per annum from November 12, 1924, to January 16, 1925, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit Rs. 24.15.

Fiscal's Office,  
Negombo, June 29, 1925.

M. EDIRIWIRA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

S. Seelawansa Terunnanse of Pantiya Temple, 6th  
defendant. Judgment Creditor.  
No. 9,652. Vs.

Walakada Appuhamillage Dona Jane  
Nona, plaintiff. Judgment Debtor.  
Fredrick Richard Wittahachi, th defendant, and  
Peternella and Nancy, all of Pan-  
tiya, defendants. Judgment Debtors.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, July 31, 1925, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises, the right, title, and interest

of the said plaintiff, 9th defendant, and Peternella and Nancy in the following pointed out property to recover Rs. 193.60 :—

1. All that allotment of land called lot No. 1 of Bokkegamadeniya belonging to the plaintiff, situated at Pantiya, and appearing in plan No. 908 made by Mr. J. Weeraratna, Licensed Surveyor, on September 22, 1922; and bounded on the north by Crown jungle, east by lot marked No. 2, south by Crown land, and on the west by Crown land claimed by the plaintiff; and containing in extent about 1 acre 2 roods and 27 11/12 perches.

2. All that allotment of land called lot No. 6 of the same land belonging to the 9th defendant; and bounded on the north by Crown jungle, east by lot No. 7, south by Crown land, and on the west by lot No. 5; and containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 14 1/2 perches.

3. All that allotment of land called lot No. 2 of the same land belonging to Peternella; and bounded on the north by Crown jungle, east by lot No. 3, south by Crown land, and on the west by lot No. 1; and containing in extent about 2 roods and 27 1/6 perches.

4. All that allotment of land called lot No. 3 of the same land belonging to Nancy; and bounded on the north by Crown jungle, east by lot No. 4, south by Crown land, and on the west by lot No. 2; and containing in extent about 1 rood and 13 7/12 perches.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Kalutara, June 25, 1925.

H. SAMERESINGHA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the Court of Requests of Panadure.

Halpawattage Shelton Odiris Peiris of Kehelwatta in  
Panadure. Plaintiff.  
No. 18,400. Vs.

Neelaweerapatabendige Abraham Silva of Kehel-  
watta in Panadure. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, July 29, 1925, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following pointed out property to recover Rs. 223.11, with legal interest on Rs. 199.50 from March 5, 1925, till date of decree, and thereafter with legal interest on the aggregate amount till payment in full:—

All that soil and all the trees together with the buildings standing thereon of the land called a defined portion of Maragahawatta, situated at Kehelwatta in Panadure badde in Panadure totamuna, Kalutara District; and bounded on the north by Welabada-agala, east by portion of this land belonging to Pasqual Peiris alias presently the cart road, south by cart road, and west by a portion of this land; and containing in extent about 1 rood.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Kalutara, June 30, 1925.

H. SAMERESINGHA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

M. H. Nandoris of Padupola. Plaintiff.  
No. 30,246. Vs.

S. A. B. Silva of Kalugala in Nawalapitiya. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, July 31, 1925, at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 538.89, and poundage, viz. :—

An undivided half part or share of Kekuna-attagahamula-henewatta of 24 acres in extent, situate at Kalugala in Yatiganhulaha in Ambagamuwa korale of Uda Bulatgama, in the District of Kandy, Central Province; and bounded on the north by Nakanda-oya, on the east by Delpath-oya and high road, on the south by Crown forest, and on the west by Crown forest and Nakanda-oya; together with a like share of the two-storied house standing thereon.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, June 29, 1925.

A. RANESINGHE,  
Additional Deputy Fiscal.



In the District Court of Colombo.

## Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. Donat Cornelia Elizabeth Herat Senevi-  
No. 2,230. ratte Pandittesekera of Ihlagama in  
the District of Chilaw, deceased.

Clara Alberta Abeysekera of Wasala Walawwa, Demata-  
goda, in Colombo ..... Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq.,  
Acting District Judge of Colombo, on June 11, 1925, in the  
presence of Mr. M. R. Akbar, Proctor, on the part of the  
petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said  
petitioner dated February 7, 1925, and the order of the  
Supreme Court dated March 5, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby  
declared entitled, as daughter and sole surviving heir of the  
above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to  
her estate issued to her, unless any person or persons  
interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient  
cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 11, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

## Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. late Henry Joseph Salgado Goonewardene  
No. 2,311. of Moratuwa, deceased.

Agnes Matilda Salgado Goonewardene of Melville in  
Moratuwa ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Andrew William Salgado of Rawatawatta, (2) John  
Solomon Salgado of Laxapathiya, (3) Louis Jacob  
Salgado of Rawatawatta, (4) Emmanuel Abraham  
Salgado of Rawatawatta, all of Moratuwa, (5) Helena  
Apolonia Fernando *nee* Salgado, and her husband (6)  
Kurukulasuriya Diego Sebastian Fernando, both of  
Kynsey road in Colombo, (7) Catherine Engalthina  
Fernando *nee* Salgado, and husband (8) Henry Joseph  
Fernando, both of Kuliapitiya, and (9) Jane Catherine  
Perera *nee* Salgado, and husband (10) Mahamarakkala  
Kurukulasuriya Patabendige Francis Bastian Perera,  
both of Laxapathiya aforesaid, (11) John Wilmot  
Charles Salgado, (12) Justin Frederick Lorenz Sal-  
gado, (13) Johanna Selina Roseline Perera *nee* Sal-  
gado, and husband (14) Bodiabaduge Martin Perera,  
(15) Jessica Theodora Evelyn Perera *nee* Salgado, and  
husband (16) Roland Ernest Wilmot Perera, (17)  
Jennet Chrislania Florence Mendis *nee* Salgado, and  
husband (18) Randolph Jewell Francis Mendis, and  
(19) Joseph Maurice Stanley Salgado, all of Mora-  
tuwa ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq.,  
Acting District Judge of Colombo, on May 27, 1925, in the  
presence of Mr. G. C. E. Peiris, Proctor, on the part of the  
petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said  
petitioner dated March 26, 1925, and the order of the  
Supreme Court dated May 5, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby  
declared entitled, as widow of the above-named deceased,  
to have letters of administration to his estate issued to her,  
unless the respondents above named or any other person or  
persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show  
sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the  
contrary.

May 27, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

## Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. late Udugodage *alias* Udugoddage Helena  
No. 2,333. Hamy Rodrigo of Borella, Colombo,  
deceased.

Maddumage Peiris Appuhamy of Borella,  
Colombo ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Maddumage Selestina Cooray, wife of (2) Bulat-  
singhalage Hendrick Cooray, (3) Maddumage Johana  
Hamy, wife of (4) Pathberiyage William Perera, (5)  
Maddumage William Perera, (6) Maddumage Ellen  
Perera, all of Borella, Colombo ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq.,  
Acting District Judge of Colombo, on May 25, 1925, in the  
presence of Messrs. Jayasekera & Jayasekera, Proctors,  
on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit  
of the said petitioner dated May 12, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby  
declared entitled, as widower of the above-named deceased,  
to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him,  
unless the respondents above named or any other person  
or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show  
sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the  
contrary.

May 25, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

## Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. Rajasuriyage Marcelline *alias* Martinus  
No. 2,336. Fernando of Maradana in Colombo,  
deceased.

Rajasuriyage Allen Fernando of Dias place, Pettah,  
Colombo ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Rajasuriyage Jane Fernando, (2) ditto Thomas  
Fernando, both of Maradana aforesaid, (3) Hembra-  
konthage Engeline Fernando, (4) ditto Edlin Fer-  
nando (5) ditto Evelyn Fernando, all of Maradana  
aforesaid, minors, appearing by their guardian  
*ad item* the 2nd respondent ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq.,  
Acting District Judge of Colombo, on May 26, 1925, in the  
presence of Mr. M. P. Wijeyesinghe, Proctor, on the part  
of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the  
said petitioner dated May 22, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby  
declared entitled, as brother of the above-named deceased,  
to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him,  
unless the respondents above named or any other person  
or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925,  
show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court  
to the contrary.

May 26, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

## Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. the late Hetti Arachchige Dona Emalia  
No. 2,345. Hamine of Ranmutugala in the Adikari  
pattu of Siyane korale, deceased.

Paulu Sarange Allen de Saram of Ranmutugala aforesaid  
..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Paulu Sarange John de Saram, (2) ditto, Ebenezar  
de Saram, (3) ditto Seelawathie de Saram, (4) ditto  
Somawathie Juliet de Saram, (5) ditto Nelly de  
Saram, all of Ranmutugala aforesaid ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq.,  
Acting District Judge of Colombo, on May 28, 1925, in the

presence of Mr. J. H. Perera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 21, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 16, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 28, 1925. G. KOCH, District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Alice Josephine Williamson of San No. 2,347. Sebastian, Colombo, deceased.

Bertram Leslie Williamson of San Sebastian in Colombo ..... Petitioner.

And

- (1) Stella Greve, wife of (2) Walter Greve, both of Maradana, (3) Mabel Van Rooyan, wife of (4) Dr. G. S. Van Rooyan of Bandarawela, (5) Alwin James Williamson of Colombo..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on May 29, 1925, in the presence of Mr. C. H. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 25, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 29, 1925. G. KOCH, District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Wadiya Ralalage Siriwardane Appuhamy No. 2,349. deceased.

Weerasuriyage Dona Francina Hamy of Yatiyantota, presently of 2nd Division, Maradana, Colombo ..... Petitioner.

And

- (1) Wadiya Ralalage Maria Nona, (2) ditto Rupesinghe, (3) ditto Nancy Nona, all of Rosmead place, Colombo, (4) Singhara Mudiyansele John Singho of Yatiyantota, presently of 2nd Division, Maradana, Colombo. (The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd respondents are minors appearing by their guardian ad litem the 4th respondent)..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on June 2, 1925, in the presence of Mr. W. H. Wickramasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated April 30, 1925, and the order of the Supreme Court dated May 21, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to her, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 2, 1925. G. KOCH, District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate and Jurisdiction. Effects of the late Epasinge Don Sardiell No. 2,357. Carolis of Mawiththara in the Palle of Salpiti korale, deceased.

Kuruppu Achchige Dona Isabella Hamy of Mawiththara aforesaid ..... Petitioner.

And

- (1) Epasinge Don Julias, (2) ditto Don Dias, (3) ditto Don Manis, (4) ditto Dona Elisahamy, (5) ditto Don Mendis, (6) ditto Dona Podinona, (7) ditto Dona Emanona, (8) ditto Anohamy, all of Mawiththara aforesaid; the 5th to 8th respondents being minors appearing by their guardian ad litem - the 1st respondent ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on June 8, 1925, in the presence of Mr. David de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 20, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to her, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 16, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 8, 1925. G. KOCH, District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Pesturu Liyanerallage Benedict Cooray, No. 2,363. late of the General Hospital, Maradana, in Colombo, deceased.

Weerawarna Kurukulasuriya Boosabaduge Isabella Fernando (widow) of Paiyagala South in the District of Kalutara ..... Petitioner.

And

- (1) Pesturu Liyanerallage Joceline Cooray, (2) ditto Jane Cooray, (3) ditto Maria Cooray, (4) ditto Henry Joseph Cooray, minors, appearing by their guardian ad litem (5) Weerawarna Kurukulasuriya Boosabaduge Pedro Fernando, all of Paiyagala South, aforesaid ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on June 12, 1925, in the presence of Mr. W. J. C. Fernando, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated June 8, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to her, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 23, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 12, 1925. G. KOCH, District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Jurisdiction. Gangodawilage Emanuel Dabera of Peliyagoda in Kelaniya, deceased. No. 2,367.

Gangodawilage Emanuel Bernard Visterenje Dabera of Clarendon in Kelaniya ..... Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on June 16, 1925, in the presence of Mr. S. G. Watson, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavits (1) of the said

petitioner dated June 15, 1925, and (2) of the attesting notary also dated June 15, 1925, having been read :

It is ordered that the last will of Gangodawilage Emanuel Dabera, deceased, of which the original has been produced and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved ; and it is further declared that the petitioner is the executor named in the said will and that he is entitled to have probate thereof issued to him accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 16, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the Jurisdiction. late Gamage Thelenis Appuhamy of No. 7,307. Miriyagalla, in the Meda pattu of Hewagam Korale, deceased.

Gamage Brampy Appu of Miriyagalla aforesaid. . . Petitioner.

And

(1) Mapatunage Iyo Hamy, (2) Gamage John Appu, (3) Gamage Poch Nona, wife of (4) Thirakandahage John, (5) Gamage Konthenis Appu, (6) Gamage Mary Nona, all of Miriyagalla aforesaid, (7) Gamage Elpi Nona, wife of (8) Mapatunage Emis Perera, both of Angamuwa in the Meda pattu of Hewagam korale, (9) Gamage Chalo Singho of Miriyagalla aforesaid . . . . . Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on May 25, 1925, in the presence of Messrs. Jayasekera & Jayasekera, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner above named ; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 18, 1925, having been read :

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 25, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the Jurisdiction. late Loobaddewaduge Mori Singho of No. 7,310. Wellawatta in Colombo, deceased.

Totawattekadee Mestrige Justina Nona of Paman-kada, presently of Green street in Colombo. . . Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. Koch, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on May 28, 1925, in the presence of Mr. M. R. Akbar, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named ; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 18, 1925, having been read :

It is ordered that Mr. P. H. de Kretser be and he is hereby declared entitled, as Secretary of the District Court of Colombo, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before June 25, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 28, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

The date for showing cause is extended to July 9, 1925.

June 25, 1925.

G. KOCH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. the late Mariampillai Emmanuel, Post No. 2,338. master, Madampe, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. D. Brown, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on June 5, 1925, in the presence of the petitioner, Mr. C. Emmanuel of Sea street, Negombo ; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated June 5, 1925, having been read :

It is ordered that the 1st respondent be and she is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th respondents for the purpose of this testamentary action, unless sufficient cause be shown to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary on or before the date mentioned herein below.

It is further ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as a brother of the said deceased, to administer the estate of the deceased above named and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Theodora Emmanuel (2) Victor Emmanuel, (3) Constance Emmanuel, (4) Leelawathi Mary Emmanuel, and (5) Dominic Aloysius Emmanuel— or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before June 22, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 5, 1925.

J. D. BROWN,  
District Judge.

The above *Order Nisi* is hereby extended to July 6, 1925.

June 19, 1925.

D. H. BALFOUR,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Kiliwitage Raphiel Jurisdiction. Fernando of Andiambalam, Walpola, No. 2,341. deceased, and of Hikkaduwege Ana Maria Perera of Andiambalam Walpola.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before D. H. Balfour, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on June 18, 1925, in the presence of Mr. H. P. Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Hikkaduwege Ana Maria Perera of Andiambalam, Walpola ; and the affidavits (1) of the said petitioner and (2) of the attesting witnesses dated June 15, 1925, having been read :

It is ordered that the last will and testament of Kiliwitage Raphiel Fernando of Andiambalam, Walpola, deceased, dated June 1, 1925, of which the original has been produced and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved.

And it is further ordered that the said Hikkaduwege Ana Maria Perera of Andiambalam, Walpola, is the executrix named in the said will, and that she is entitled to have probate of the same issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Kiliwitage Davith Fernando of Andiambalam, Walpola, (2) ditto Verohamy Fernando, assisted by her husband (3) Palakutti Aratchige Gabriel Perera, both of Mudungoda, (4) Kiliwitage Marthina Fernando, assisted by her husband (5) Kurugamage Simon Fernando, (6) Kiliwitage Gabriel Fernando, (7) ditto Abilinu Fernando, all of Andiambalam, Walpola, (8) Kiliwitage Sidohamy Fernando, assisted by her husband (9) Mahatelge Waleriyanu Peiris, both of Arapola, (10) Kiliwitage Andris Fernando of Andiambalam, Walpola— or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 16, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 18, 1925.

D. H. BALFOUR,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Estate of Kuruppumullage Don John, deceased, of Hirana. No. 1,788.

Kuruppumullage Don Pedrick of Hirana.....Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Samanakkodige Adriaan Perera, (2) Kuruppumullage Dona Mariana, (3) ditto Don Cornelis, (4) ditto Dona Mary Nona, (5) ditto Dona Jane Nona, (6) ditto Dona Johanahamy, (7) ditto Dona Yasohamy, all of Hirana, respondents; 5th, 6th, and 7th respondents, minors, by their guardian *ad litem* the 1st respondent..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. H. B. Carbery, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on May 9, 1925, in the presence of Mr. D. E. de Zilva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 2, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as one of the children of the said deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the 1st respondent be and she is hereby declared entitled to be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the 5th, 6th, and 7th respondents, minors, for all the purposes of this action, unless the said respondents or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

W. H. B. CARBERY,  
District Judge.

Kalutara, May 9, 1925.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Polgolle Dematagolle Haluapullana Heneyalegedera Kumarahenaya, deceased, of Polgolla. No. 4,276.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Paulus Edward Pieris, Doctor of Letters, District Judge of Kandy, on May 27, 1925, in the presence of Messrs. Wijayatilake, & Wijayatilake, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner, Haluapullana Heneyalegedera Lensuwa Henaya of Polgolla, aforesaid; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 25, 1925, and his petition having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner as a son of the deceased, be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the deceased estate issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Moragepitiya Vidaneheneyalegedera Ran Kirie Ridie, (2) Haluapullana Heneyalegedera Ranahenaya, both of Polgolla, (3) Haluapullana Heneyalegedera Kuda Ridie of Hurikaduwa, (4) Haluapullana Heneyalegedera Pinchi Ridie of Polgolla—shall, on or before July 6, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

P. E. PIERIS,  
District Judge.

May 27, 1925.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Estate of Samathuwasan Saranaris, deceased, of Pathegama. No. 6,131.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before A. P. Boone, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on August 6, 1925, in the presence of Mr. T. Jayawardena, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Samathuwasan Livinis of Ampe in Welitara; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated June 10, 1925, having been read: It is ordered that the 8th respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, 1st to 7th respondents, unless the respondents, viz., (1) Samathuwasan Meslin, (2) ditto Adeline, (3) Saranaris,

(4) ditto Sawlin, (5) ditto Ayaneris, (6) ditto Misilin, (7) ditto Liyaneris, and (8) ditto Laidoris, all of Pathegama, shall, on or before August 6, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said petitioner, as the brother-in-law of the deceased above named, is entitled to have letters of administration issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named shall, on or before August 6, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

A. P. BOONE,  
District Judge.

June 11, 1925.

In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Dona Ciciliyana Wickramesinha Hamine of Kirinda, deceased. No. 3,119.

Don Dines Wijesekera Ekanayaka Appuhamy of Kirinda, husband of the deceased..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Wijesekera Ekanayaka Hinnihamine and husband, (2) Gunaratna Andarayyas, (3) Wijesekera Ekanayaka Andrayyas, and (4) Charles Wijesekera Ekanayaka, all of Kirinda..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. C. W. Rock, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on May 26, 1925, in the presence of Messrs. Abeyagunawardene & Weerassekera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the petition and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 14, 1925, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner Don Dines Wijesekera Ekanayaka be and he is hereby declared entitled, as husband of the said deceased, to administer the said estate, and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before July 9, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. C. W. ROCK,  
District Judge.

May 26, 1925.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. In the Matter of the Estate and Effects of the late Sasagam, wife of Veluppillai Saravanamuthu of Kanakesanthurai, deceased. No. 5,328.

The Secretary, District Court, Jaffna, Petitioner (administrator).

Vs.

(1) Saravanamuthu Thavarasa, (2) Ponnu, daughter of Saravanamuthu, (3) Vellupillai Saravanamuthu, all of Kula Lumpur, (4) Ampalavi Suppar of Kanakesanthurai..... Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of the above-named petitioner, praying that the above-named 3rd respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the above-named 1st and 2nd respondents, and also praying that the petitioner be declared entitled to take out letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate, coming on for disposal before Hon. Sir Kanagasabai, Kt., District Judge on June 11, 1925, in the presence of Mr. R. Subramaniam, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and on reading the affidavit and petition of the petitioner:

It is ordered that the above-named 3rd respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the above-named 1st and 2nd respondents, and that the petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate, unless the above-named respondents appear before this court on July 7, 1925, and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

A. KANAGASABAI,  
District Judge.

June 13, 1925.

*Root* ✓  
In the District Court of Jaffna.

*FRS.*  
Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Nagaratnam, wife of L. S. Dorai Rajah No. 5,795. of Vannarponnai East, deceased.

L. S. Dorai Rajah of Vannarponnai East, presently of Ratnapura ..... Petitioner.

(1) Dorai Rajah Balasingam, (2) Dorai Rajah Rajasingam, (3) Mankayattakarasy, daughter of Dorai Rajah by their guardian *ad litem* (4) Suppiah Ramalingam, all of Vannarponnai East ..... Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of the above-named petitioner, praying that the 4th respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd respondents, and that letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate be issued to the petitioner coming on for disposal before the Hon. Sir A. Kanagasabai, Kt., District Judge, Jaffna, on May 1, 1925, in the presence of Mr. V. Canagaratnam, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated April 6, 1925, having been read: It is ordered that the above-named 4th respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd respondents, for the purpose of protecting their interest and of representing them in this case, and that the petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him as her lawful husband, unless the respondents or any other person interested shall appear before this court on June 23, 1925, and state objection or show cause to the contrary.

May 9, 1925.

A. KANAGASABAI,  
District Judge.

Time to show cause extended to July 14, 1925.

*Root* ✓  
In the District Court of Chilaw.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Hapu Aratchige Don Marthinu Appuhamy of Gonawila, in the District of Chilaw. No. 1,636.

Ranawala Aratchige Dona Anathasia Hamine of Irabodagama ..... Petitioner.

(1) Sergius Appuhamy of Irabodagama, (2) Anthony Appuhamy of Hapugoda, (3) Anohamy of Hapugoda, (4) J. D. Hendrick Appuhamy of Hapugoda, (5) Ranwala Aratchige Don Francis Xavier of Otarawadiya ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. J. Martin, Esq., Additional District Judge of Chilaw, on March 18, 1925, in the presence of Mr. M. V. Tissera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated March 12, 1925, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner, as the widow of the deceased, be and she is hereby appointed administratrix over the estate of the late Hapuaratchige Don Marthinu Appuhamy of Gonawila, deceased, and that the 4th respondent be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* over the 2nd and 3rd respondents, who are minors, and the 5th respondent be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* over the 1st respondent, who is a minor, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before June 19, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

March 18, 1925.

O. L. DE KRETZER,  
District Judge.

The above Order Nisi is extended for July 15, 1925.

O. L. DE KRETZER,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Sego Abdul Cader Sinna Ahamado Naina Marakar of Pallivasalthurai, in Akkarpattu, in the Puttalam District, deceased. No. 581.

Sego Abdul Cader Naina Mohamado Lebbe of Pallivasalthurai aforesaid ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Sego Meera Natchia, widow of the deceased above named, (2) Sego Abdul Cader Abubakker Marakar, proposed guardian *ad litem* of the minors (a) Mohamado Sego Alaudeen Marakar, aged about 11 years, (b) Mohamado Abdul Cassim Marakar, aged about 7 years, (c) Naina Mohamado Natchia, aged about 6 years, all of Pallivasalthurai, aforesaid ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before O. L. de Kretser, Esq., District Judge of Puttalam, on June 13, 1925, in the presence of Mr. Wilfred A. Muttukumaru, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the petitioner's affidavit dated June 10, 1925, and petition dated June 11, 1925, having been duly read:

It is ordered that Sego Abdul Cader Abubakker Marakar, the 2nd respondent above named, be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* of the minors (a) Mohamado Sego Alaudeen Marakar, (b) Mohamado Abdul Cassim Marakar, and (c) Naina Mohamado Natchia above named, for all the purposes of these proceedings and the petitioner above named be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased above named and that letters of administration do issue to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 7, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 12, 1925.

J. LIGHT,  
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Anuradhapura.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Udayarege Naidurala of Periyakulama. No. 339.

Naiduralage Walli Etani of Periyakulama ..... Petitioner.

THIS matter of the petition of the above-named petitioner praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, coming on for disposal before M. K. T. Sandys, Esq., District Judge of Anuradhapura, on May 6, 1925, in the presence of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated May 6, 1925, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the daughter of the said intestate, and is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to her, unless any person interested in the said estate shall, on or before June 22, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 6, 1925.

M. K. T. SANDYS,  
District Judge.

Extended till July 21, 1925.

June 26, 1925.

S. D. KRISNARATNE,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Anuradhapura.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Kamachchi Thalamuthu of Anuradhapura, deceased. No. 340.

Kamachchi Ramasamy of Pankuliya in Anuradhapura ..... Petitioner.

THIS matter of the petition of Kamachchi Ramasamy of Pankuliya in Anuradhapura, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, Kamachchi Thalamuthu, coming on for disposal before M. K. T. Sandys, Esq., District Judge, on June 6, 1925, in

the presence of Mr. V. Ramaswamy, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated June 5, 1925, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the brother and heir of the said intestate and is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless any other person shall, on or before July 7, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 6, 1925.

M. K. T. SANDYS,  
District Judge.

Extended for July 21, 1925.

M. K. T. SANDYS,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Ratnapura.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. Kottalbadde Vidanelaye Kostan Naide  
No. 821. of Nakandala, deceased.

Waduge Nonno Perera of Nagoda in Getahetta.. Petitioner.

And

Kottalbadde Vidanelaye Sumanawathi of Nagoda,  
minor, by her guardian *ad litem* Nawagomuwe  
Waduge Juwanis Perera of Nawagomuwa .. Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before H. E. Jansz, Esq., District Judge, Ratnapura, on June 17, 1925, in the presence of Mr. A. Wijetilaka, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the said petitioner above named dated May 23, 1925, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the deceased above named, to have letters of administration issued to her accordingly,

unless the respondent or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before July 15, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 17, 1925.

H. E. JANSZ,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate and  
Jurisdiction. Effects of Senanayake Wasala Panditha  
No. 1,096. Sri Wijesundera Mudiyanseralahamillage  
Loku Banda Beligodapitiye, ex Korale  
of Beligodapitiye in Meda pattu of  
Kinigoda, Korale in the District of  
Kegalla, deceased.

Ratnayake Mudiyanse Ralahamillage Atawatta  
Walawwe Ran Banda Ratnayake, presently of  
Matale ..... Petitioner.

And

(1) Wannisekera Mudiyanse Medduma Kumari-  
hamy, (2) Beligodapitiye Somawathie Kumarihamy,  
both of Beligodapitiye ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. Coomaraswamy, Esq., District Judge, Kegalla, on May 29, 1925, in the presence of Mr. George Aturupane, Proctor, for petitioner; and his affidavit and petition dated May 23 and 29, 1925, respectively, praying for letters of administration of the said estate, having been read: It is ordered and declared that the petitioner, as son-in-law of the deceased, is entitled to letters of administration of the said estate and that such letters will be issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents or any person or persons interested shall, on or before July 7, 1925, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

June 29, 1925.

V. COOMARASWAMY,  
District Judge.