



# THE CEYLON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

No. 7,564 — FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1927.

*Published by Authority.*

## PART I.—GENERAL.

*(Separate paging is given to each Part in order that it may be filed separately.)*

	PAGE		PAGE
Minutes by the Governor .. .. .	—	Specifications under "The Irrigation Ordinance" .. .. .	—
Proclamations by the Governor .. .. .	90	Proceedings of Municipal Councils .. .. .	—
Appointments by the Governor .. .. .	90	Sales of Arrack and Toll Rents .. .. .	143
Appointments, &c., of Registrars .. .. .	92	Patents Notifications .. .. .	144
Government Notifications .. .. .	93	Trade Marks Notifications .. .. .	145
Currency Commissioners' Notices .. .. .	98	"Local Government Ordinance" Notices .. .. .	146
Revenue and Expenditure Returns .. .. .	—	Road Committee Notices .. .. .	148
Notices calling for Tenders .. .. .	99	Local Board Notices .. .. .	154
Sales of Unserviceable Articles, &c... .. .	105	"Excise Ordinance" Notices .. .. .	154
Vital Statistics .. .. .	105	Notices to Mariners .. .. .	—
Unofficial Announcements .. .. .	106	Meteorological Returns .. .. .	—
Miscellaneous Departmental Notices .. .. .	124	Books registered under Ordinance No. I of 1885 .. .. .	—

NEW LAW REPORTS.—Part I. of Vol. XXVIII. was issued on the 20th instant.

COLOMBO :

H. ROSS COTTLE, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, CEYLON.

## PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

L 431/26

### A PROCLAMATION.

HUGH CLIFFORD.

**W**HEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date July 2, 1890, a tract of forest land, as set forth in the schedule to the said Proclamation and within the limits therein specified and set forth, was, under the provisions of section 19 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1885," declared to be a reserved forest subject to certain rights:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient that a certain portion of the said land so reserved as aforesaid should cease to be reserved.

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by sub-section (2) of section 6 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1907," do hereby direct that the portion of the said land specified and set forth in the schedule hereto shall cease to be reserved as from and after the date hereof.

And We do in all other respects confirm the said Proclamation of July 2, 1890.

Colombo, January 21, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE.

Lot 324 in preliminary plan No. 8,632, which has been resurveyed and shown as lots 1 to 13 in preliminary plan No. 3,615 dated February 23, 1926, situated in the village Balakottunna-Bambarabotuwa, in the Uda pattu of Nawadun korale, Ratnapura District, Province of Sabaragamuwa; and bounded on the north by a road, east by lot 325 in preliminary plan No. 8,632, and south and west by title plan No. 157,768, and containing in extent 7 acres and 37 perches.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 9 of 1927.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to sanction the promotion of Mr. M. M. WEDDERBURN to Class I. of the Civil Service, with effect from November 23, 1926.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 20, 1927.

No. 10 of 1927.

**M**R. C. H. HARTWELL having been selected by the SECRETARY OF STATE for appointment as a Cadet in the Civil Service of this Colony, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to order that he be attached to the Kandy Kachcheri, with effect from January 17, 1927, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 12, 1927.

No. 11 of 1927.

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

Mr. H. A. BURDEN to be Rubber Controller and President of the Rubber Restriction Board, with effect from January 17, 1927, until further orders.

Mr. M. T. ARCHIBALD to act as Settlement Officer and a Special Officer under the Waste Lands Ordinance, with effect from January 18, 1927, until further orders.

Mr. H. J. L. LEIGH-CLARE to be, in addition to his own duties, Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent, North-Central Province, from January 22 to February 13, 1927, inclusive, or until further orders.

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. V. P. REDLICH, from January 13 to 16, 1927, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. D. KRISNARATNE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura, during the absence of Mr. H. J. L. LEIGH-CLARE, on January 22, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. A. CATHRAVELU to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Police Magistrate, Jaffna, from January 13 to 28, 1927, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. G. W. WOODHOUSE from the station, or until further orders.

The Notification of January 7, 1927, appearing in the *Gazette* of the same date, is cancelled in so far as it relates to the appointment of Mr. CATHRAVELU for two weeks from January 10, 1927.

Mr. C. F. DHARMARATNE to act as Additional District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, during the absence of Mr. W. SANSONI, on January 23 and 24, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. C. SANSONI to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Negombo, and Assistant Superintendent of the Prison at Negombo, during the absence of Mr. L. H. DE ALWIS, from January 24 to February 12, 1927, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. M. H. JAYETILLEKE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadure, during the absence of Mr. P. O. FERNANDO, from January 15 to 17, 1927, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. B. L. DRIEBERG to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Avissawella, during the absence of Mr. E. F. MARSHALL, on January 21, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. F. DHARMARATNE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, and Additional District Judge, Ratnapura, from January 20 to 22, 1927, inclusive, during the absence from the station of Mr. W. SANSONI, or until further orders.

Mr. E. FELIX JAYAWARDENA to act at Dandagamuwa as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Kurunegala, from January 13 to 16, 1927, inclusive, during the absence from the station of Mr. S. P. WICKRAMASINHA.

The Notification dated January 13, 1927, appearing in the *Gazette* of the same date, regarding the appointment of Mr. E. G. M. GOONEWARDENE to act at Dandagamuwa, is cancelled.

Mr. H. J. L. LEIGH-CLARE to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Police Magistrate, Mannar, on January 22, 1927.

Mr. HENRY A. S. HAMER, Accountant, Ceylon Savings Bank, to act as Secretary on the 20th instant, during the absence on leave of Mr. K. W. Y. ATUKORALA, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 20, 1927.

No. 12 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment, with effect from January 1, 1927:—

Mr. D. C. E. ABEYSEKERE, Checking Officer of Distilleries, to be Assistant Superintendent of Excise, Distilleries.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 17, 1927.

No. 13 of 1927.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. R. A. G. FESTING resumed duties as Government Agent, Province of Uva, on January 17, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 20, 1927.

No. 14 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 18 (4) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920, to nominate Mr. P. SARAVANAMUTTU, Assistant Government Agent, Mullaittivu, to be a Member of the Education District Committee for the Revenue District of Mullaittivu, *vice* Mr. R. JONES-BATEMAN, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

No. 15 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 13 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint the following gentlemen to be Members of the Provincial Road Committee, Northern Province, for the year 1927:—

The Hon. Mr. A. CANAGARATNAM.

Mr. M. S. RAMALINGAM, Gate Mudaliyar.

Mr. JOSEPH CHERUBIM.

Mr. S. SUPPRAMANYAM.

Mr. J. V. CHELLIAH.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 13, 1927.

No. 16 of 1927.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Mr. T. E. WAGNER as honorary Vice-Consul for Finland at Colombo as from January 17, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo January 11, 1927.

No. 17 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. LOKU BANDA, Arachchi of Boyagoda, to be, in addition to his own duties, an Inquirer for Weuda korale in Weudawili hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, for ten days from January 20, 1927, during the absence of Mr. M. B. DAULAGALA, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. **DIONYSIUS BARTHOLOMEW SENEVIRATNE** as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Colombo District in the Western Province, with effect from January 17, 1927, *vice* Mr. **REGINALD SYDNEY VERNON POULIER** on furlough. His office will be at the Kacheheri, Colombo.

Mr. **EDWARD HERON RYAN TENISON** as Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths of Batticaloa District division, and of Marriages (General) of Batticaloa District division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from January 13, 1927, *vice* Mr. **DIONYSIUS BARTHOLOMEW SENEVIRATNE**, transferred. His office will be at the Batticaloa Kacheheri.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colombo, January 17, 1927. Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

Mr. **STEPHEN JAMES RUBERA** to act as Registrar of Lands, Badulla, for four days from January 19, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. **C. SENANAYAKA**, on leave.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,  
Colombo, January 11, 1927. Registrar-General.

**I**T is hereby notified that **WICKRAMAGE WILLIAM PERERA**, Registrar of Marriages (General) of Colombo town division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, will, with effect from January 24, 1927, hold his office at No. 105, Galle road, Kollupitiya, instead of at No. 106, School lane, Kollupitiya, Colombo, as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 7,534 of July 2, 1926.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,  
Colombo, January 17, 1927. Registrar-General.

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

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed **Dr. DON JAMES HECTOR FERDINANDO** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Colombo town No. 2A Division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from January 9, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **Dr. A. S. P. FERNANDO**, on sick leave. His office will be at No. 4/24, Rifle street, Slave Island.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed **Dr. PERCIVAL LANCELOT FREDERICK LIVERA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maradana division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from January 9, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **Dr. A. C. FERNANDO**, on sick leave. His office will be at No. 229, Dematagoda road, Maradana.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed **Dr. GEORGE RAJANAYAGAM HANDY** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Colombo town No. 2A Division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for three days from January 11, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **Dr. A. S. P. FERNANDO**, on sick leave. His office will be at No. 4/24, Rifle street, Slave Island.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed **Dr. GEORGE RADCLIFFE MUTTUMANI** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wellawatta division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on January 16, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **Dr. (Miss) VERONA FLORENCE WIRASEKERA**, on leave. His office will be at No. 65, Galle road, Bambalapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed **UDAGAMA KORALLAGE DON STEPHEN PATRICK** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages

(General) of Uda Bulatgama No. 3 Division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for eight days from January 20, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **TIKIRI APPUHAMY BANDRANAYAKA HERAT**, on leave. His office will be at Dikoya estate.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed **MABADAWILAGE PEERIS APPUHAMY** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapane korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale (excluding the portion in Gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for five days from January 14, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **WARAHENE LIYANAGE SUGATADASA DE ALWIS GUNETILAKA**, on leave. His office will be at Hedunawa in Kalapitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed **KIRI BANDA WICKRAMASINHA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Oyapalata korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Walapane (excluding the portion in Gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for three days from January 18, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **DAMBAGOLLEGEDERA APPUHAMY**, on leave. His office will be at Ambalamalangawatta in Batagolla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed **PALLETENNE MUDIYANSELEGEDARA PUNCHI BANDA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uduwoda Udasiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale North division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for six days from January 11, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **IMALAGEDARA HERAT MUDIYANSELEGE WILLIAM HERAT MUDIYANSE**, on leave. His office will be at Dansalakumburepillewa in Akuramboda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **HARUMANIS DE SILVA ABEWEERA GUNASEKERA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kosgoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for five days from January 11, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **AGAMPODI ASANERIS DE ZOYSA JAYATILAKA** on leave. His office will be at Kammalawatta in Nape.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **WEERAKKODI ELDTRECK DE ZOYSA** 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 January 13, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **WALMUNI SARAWIS MENDIS ABAYASEKERA WIJAYAKULATILAKA**, on leave. His office will be at Maradanewatta at Wenamulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **MARTINUS CHARLES DE SILVA JAYATILAKA** 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, on January 15, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **GARDIYE HEWAWASAN BALAGE ARTHUR DE SILVA**, on leave. His office will be at Assalawatta at Moderapatuwata.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **DON ANDRAYAS RUBASINHA GUNAWARDENA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Neluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Hinidum pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from January 20, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **DON JAMES RUBASINHA GUNAWARDENA**, on leave. His office will be at Okandewatta at Batuwangala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed **DON CAROLIS EPA SENEVIRATNE** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pitigala division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on January 20, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, **BOMIRIYEGE DON DAVID KARUNARATNE**, on leave. His office will be at Polpanagalakaraturewatta in Pitigala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed HEWAWALGAMAGE JOHANIS JINADASA SAMARAWICKRAMA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Denapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from January 11, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, ABRAHAM OBEYASEKERA WEERASINGHA, on leave. His office will be at Naigewatta at Denapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON ANDRAYAS JAYASUNDERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kebaliyapola division, and of Marriages (General) of Kandaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from January 18, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DON SAMUEL SEDARA SENARAT, on leave. His office will be at Gorakawatta in Kebaliyapola.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DAYANOLIS WILLIAM SEPALA RATNAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for three days from January 19, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, ROBERT WILLIAM SEPALA RATNAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Walauwewatta in Bengamuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed JOHN WILFRED JUSTIN GUNASEKARA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for three days from January 17, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CAROLIS DE ALWIS SAMARADIWAKARA JAYASUNDERA, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Tangalla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed NIKKILAPPILLAI PARUNANTU ANTHONIPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Elutumadduval division, and of Marriages (General) of Tenmaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for four days from January 17, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, NICHOLAPPILLAI SINNAPPU PHILIPPUPPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Chempadu in Mirusuvil.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed SALVADORE BENJAMIN to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mantai South division, and of Marriages (General) of Mantai division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for three days from January 10, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, MANNERS ANTONIPILLAI PONNIAH, on leave. His office will be at the Registrarvalavu in Perianavatkulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed MUKAMMATUTAMPI MARICAR MUKAYATIN ABDUL CARIM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mamunai East (North-Central) division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for six days from December 18, 1926, *vice* Registrar, AKAMATULEVVAI MOHAYADEENLEVVAI, deceased. His office will be at Kattankudy.

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed MOHAMADO ALI MANSOOR SAHIB MARIKAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mamunai East (North-Central) division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern

Province, for twenty days from December 24, 1926, *vice* Registrar, AKAMATULEVVAI MOHAYADEENLEVVAI, deceased. His office will be at Kattankudy.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed RANGE BANDARA SINHAFFRATAFA WANNINAYAKE MUDI-ANSELAGE MUDIANCE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pahalawisideke korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Wann hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for twenty-one days from January 10, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, RANGE BANDARALAGE APPUHAMY UDUWERIYA, on leave. His office will be at Pahalagama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed ASSENA MARKAR NAINA MOHOMMADU KUPPA MARKAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalpitiya division and town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from December 23, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, SINNATAMBY NAGOOR PITCHE, on leave. His office will be at Kurinjipitty.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed KATHIRKAMATHAMPI SITTIRAVEL CHANDRA-SEGARAMPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Puttalam pattu and Gravets division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for twenty-two days from January 10, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, THAMBIPILLAI SIVASUBRAMANIAM, on leave. His offices will be at the Assistant Provincial Registrar's Office, Puttalam, and at the old Resthouse building, Post Office road.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw Districts, has appointed WARNAKULASURIYA ALEXANDER LAWRENCE FERNANDO to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Akkarai pattu south southern division, and of Marriages (General) of Akkarai pattu south division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for seven days from January 20, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, WILLIAM BERNARD MUTTUKUMARU, on leave. His office will be at Kattaikadu.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed WEERASEKERA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Imbulpe division, and of Marriages (General) of Kadawata korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for thirty days from January 11, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, ATTANAYAKA MUKAWETI SAHABANDU MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHIMAHATMAYA, on leave. His office will be at Pallewatta in Alutnuwara.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed BODIMALUWE MUDIYANSELAGE *alias* KOSWINNEMOHOT-TALLAGE KARUNARATNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Talapitagan pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Kadawata korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for thirty days from January 11, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, BODIMALUWE MUDIYANSELAGE *alias* KOSWINNEMOHOT-TALLAGE RAN BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Godewatta in Muttettuwegama.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

G-619/26

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. H. A. Burden	Officer in Class II. of the Civil Service	Rubber Controller and President of the Rubber Restriction Board, with effect from January 17, 1927.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 20, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

F 653/26

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombó, January 8, 1927.

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

## COMPANY REFERRED TO.

The Nakkala Rubber Company, Limited.

S 12/27

THE following Order in Council dated November 5, 1926, further reducing the Dues at present leviable in respect of the Great and Little Basses Lighthouses and the Minicoy Lighthouse as from April 1, 1927, is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 12, 1927.

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

## ORDER IN COUNCIL REFERRED TO.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 5th day of November, 1926.

Present :

## THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section 670 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, it is enacted that when any lighthouse, buoy, or beacon has either before or after passing of that Act been erected or placed on or near the coast of any British Possession, by or with the consent of the Legislature of that Possession, His Majesty may, by Order in Council, fix such Dues (in that Act referred to as Colonial Light Dues) to be paid in respect of that lighthouse, buoy, or beacon by the owner or master of every ship which passes the same and derives benefit therefrom as His Majesty may deem reasonable, and may by like Order increase, diminish, or repeal such Dues, and those Dues shall from the time mentioned in the Order be leviable throughout His Majesty's Dominions, and further that Colonial Light Dues shall not be levied in any British Possession unless the Legislature of that Possession has, by address to the Crown or by Act or Ordinance duly passed, signified its opinion that the Dues ought to be levied :

And whereas the Great Basses Lighthouse, the Little Basses Lighthouse, and the Minicoy Lighthouse are lighthouses which have been duly erected under and pursuant to the said section :

And whereas by Orders in Council dated respectively the 22nd day of May, 1883; the 9th day of May, 1892; the 29th day of June, 1896; the 10th day of August, 1903; the 21st day of October, 1912; the 6th day of February, 1917; and the 14th day of July, 1922, the Dues leviable in respect of the said lighthouses for the classes of ships therein respectively mentioned were duly fixed :

And whereas by Order in Council dated the 6th day of February, 1925, His Majesty directed that, as from the 1st day of April, 1925, or from the time of the receipt of notice of that Order, if that be later, by the officers authorized to collect Light Dues, the Dues thenceforth to be levied should be as follows, that is to say, in respect of the Great Basses Lighthouse and the Little Basses Lighthouse, three-sixteenths of one penny per ton, and in respect of the Minicoy Lighthouse, one-sixteenth of one penny per ton, of the burden of every ship on every voyage in which she passes or derives benefit from the said lights respectively :

And whereas it has been made to appear to His Majesty that the said Dues should be altered in manner hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in exercise of the powers so vested in Him by the above recited provisions, and by and with the advice of His Privy Council, doth by this Order in Council order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as "The Colonial Light Dues (Great and Little Basses and Minicoy) Order, 1926."

2. As from the 1st day of April, 1927, or from the time of the receipt of this Order, if that be later, by the officers authorized to collect Light Dues, the Dues thenceforth to be levied shall be as follows, that is to say, in respect of the Great Basses Lighthouse and the Little Basses Lighthouse, three-thirtyseconds of one penny per ton, and in respect of the Minicoy Lighthouse, one-thirtysecond of one penny per ton of the burden of every ship on every voyage in which she passes or derives benefit from the said lights respectively.

M. P. A. HANKEY.

J 460/26

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to extend the jurisdiction of the following Justices of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrates and the Inquirers to that portion of the Ratnapura District which lies within the boundaries of Hayes and Panilkanda estates :—

Mr. D. M. Rajapakse, J.P., U.P.M., Matara District.  
Mr. C. B. Collison, J.P., U.P.M., Matara District.

Mr. P. W. F. de Livera, Inquirer, Morowak korale.  
Mr. J. W. D'Alwis, Inquirer, Morowak korale.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombó, January 11, 1927.

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

N 11/26

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the regulations published in the *Gazette* of November 23, 1923, to grant the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal to Lieutenant William McCulloch of the Ceylon Supply and Transport Corps (Reserve).

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 17, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

E 223/26

IT is hereby notified for general information that the under-mentioned Clerks in Class II. of the Clerical Service have passed the examination prescribed in General Orders 507 and 508 in the subjects noted against their names:—

Amarasekera, A. B. M.	..	Education Office	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Ambahera, R. B.	..	District Court, Kurunegala	..	Accounts
Amarthalingam, S.	..	Registrar-General's Office, Colombo	..	Accounts
Ananthar, R.	..	Irrigation Office, Trincomalee	..	Tamil (b)
Andrado, P. M.	..	Kacheheri, Hambantota	..	Accounts
Arumugasamy, V.	..	Audit Office	..	Accounts
Chandrasegaran, K.	..	Bacteriological Institute, Colombo	..	Accounts
Chellappah, M. S.	..	Port Commission Office	..	Accounts
Chelvanayagam, S. C. E.	..	Audit Office	..	Tamil (b)
Dalpathadu, R. S.	..	Director of Medical and Sanitary Services Office	..	Sinhalese (b)
Dassanayake, K. B.	..	Kacheheri, Kegalla	..	Accounts
De Mel, W. I.	..	Public Works Department	..	Accounts
De Silva, P. R.	..	Education Office	..	Sinhalese (a)
De Silva, S. P.	..	Provincial Registrar's Office, Badulla	..	Accounts
De Silva, T.	..	Office of the Superintendent of Police, Colombo	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Devota, J. C. S.	..	Government Stores	..	Tamil (b)
Fernando, M. J.	..	Police Office, Western Province	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Fernando, W. H.	..	Land Registry, Colombo	..	Accounts
Goonatilaka, W. J. P.	..	Forest Office, Kandy	..	Sinhalese (a)
Goonawardana, H. W.	..	Education Office	..	Accounts
Goonawardana, S. V. W.	..	Education Office	..	Accounts
Jayamma, D. C.	..	Land Registry, Kandy	..	Accounts
Joseph, W. S.	..	Fiscal's Office, Anuradhapura	..	Tamil (a)
Kanagaratnam, K.	..	Audit Office	..	Tamil (a) and Accounts
Kanagasundaram, K.	..	Settlement Office	..	Tamil (a)
Kapuliadde, P. B.	..	Kacheheri, Kandy	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Knower, L. C. D.	..	Public Works Department	..	Accounts
Kunaratnam, T.	..	Audit Office	..	Accounts
Louis, S. M. J.	..	Public Works Department	..	Tamil (a) and (b)
Mailvaganam, S.	..	Public Works Department	..	Accounts
Mailvaganam, S.	..	Provincial Surgeon's Office, Jaffna	..	Tamil (b)
Migael, G. M.	..	Public Works Department	..	Tamil (a)
Mylvaganam, A.	..	Public Works Department	..	Tamil (a)
Mylvaganam, A.	..	Registrar-General's Office	..	Tamil (a) and (b)
Manickam, M. V.	..	Railway Audit Office	..	Tamil (a)
Manicavasagar, M.	..	Forest Office, Haputale	..	Tamil (a)
Mudanayake, P. A. P.	..	Audit Office	..	Sinhalese (a)
Mudanayake, P. B.	..	Land Registry, Kandy	..	Accounts
Murugasoe, S.	..	Director of Medical and Sanitary Services Office	..	Accounts
Nadarajah, M. C.	..	Provincial Engineer's Office, Nuwara Eliya	..	Tamil (a)
Naganathan, R. V.	..	Police Court, Dandagamuwa	..	Accounts
Paramanathan, V.	..	Rubber Controller's Office	..	Tamil (b)
Perera, W. E.	..	Land Registry, Colombo	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Pieris, G. D.	..	Audit Office	..	Accounts
Peiris, V. N.	..	Audit Office	..	Sinhalese (a)
Ponniiah, K.	..	Agricultural Office, Peradeniya	..	Tamil (a)
Ponappah, S.	..	Public Works Department	..	Accounts
Puvimanasingha, A. W.	..	Irrigation Office, Trincomalee	..	Tamil (a) and (b)
Ratwatta, H. F.	..	Land Registry, Kurunegala	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Sodashivam, S. K.	..	Kacheheri, Anuradhapura	..	Accounts
Saladin, T. J.	..	Forest Office, Kandy	..	Accounts
Sandrasegarar, S.	..	Director of Medical and Sanitary Services Office	..	Tamil (b)
Sangarapillai, T.	..	Kacheheri, Batticaloa	..	Accounts
Selvadurai, T. B.	..	Public Works Department	..	Accounts
Senanayake, R.	..	Audit Office	..	Accounts
Seneviratna, E. H.	..	Land Registry, Kurunegala	..	Accounts

Sivapalan, S.	..	Irrigation Office, Trincomalee	..	Tamil (a) and (b) and Accounts
Sivasubramaniam, A.	..	Kachcheri, Batticaloa	..	Accounts
Subramaniam, C.	..	Forest Office, Kandy	..	Accounts
Subramaniam, P.	..	Audit Office	..	Accounts
Swaminathan, S. S.	..	Government Stores, Colombo	..	Tamil (a) and (b) and Accounts
Tissevarasingha, A. B.	..	Land Settlement Office	..	Tamil (a)
Vanderbona, G. T.	..	Office of the Registrar of Motor Cars	..	Accounts
Vanderwall, C. G.	..	Audit Office	..	Accounts
Wanaguru, A. L. G.	..	Railway Audit Office	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Wanasundara, G.	..	Land Registry, Galle	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Weeraratna, D. M. P.	..	Land Registry, Kalutara	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Wijesingha, E. R. P.	..	Police Court, Chilaw	..	Sinhalese (a) and (b)
Willathgamuwa, D. C. A.	..	Land Registry, Chilaw	..	Sinhalese (b)
Zeynudden, M. M.	..	Office of the Registrar of Motor Cars	..	Tamil (a)

The following officers have now passed the examination qualifying them for promotion :—

Ambahera, R. B. ; Amarthalingam, S. ; Ananthar, R. ; Andrado, P. M. ; Arumugasamy, V. ; Chandrasegaran, K. ; Chellappah, M. S. ; Dassanayaka, K. B. ; De Mel, W. I. ; De Silva, S. P. ; Fernando, W. H. ; Goonawardana, H. W. ; Jayamanna, D. C. ; Knower, L. C. D. ; Mylvaganam, A. (P. W. D.) ; Mudanayaka, P. B. ; Murugasoe, S. ; Naganathan, R. V. ; Pieris, G. D. ; Ponnappah, S. ; Sodashivam, S. K. ; Saladin, T. J. ; Sangarapillai, T. ; Selvadurai, T. B. ; Senanayaka, R. ; Seneviratna, E. H. ; Sivapalan, S. ; Sivasubramaniam, A. ; Subramaniam, P. ; Vanderbona, G. T. ; Weeraratna, D. M. P.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

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

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

U 261/26

BY-LAWS made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under the provisions of the Ordinance above named, for the Western Province.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

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

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. No person shall use a motor vehicle exceeding 1½ ton in weight when fully loaded and equipped on the bridges named in the schedule hereto.
2. No person shall drive a motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 4 miles per hour over the bridges named in the schedule hereto.

*Schedule.*

Kotugoda bridge, 17th mile, Ja-ela-Kotadeniya road.  
Idalawella bridge, 26th mile, Minuwangoda-Henaratgoda road.

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

W 501/26

BY-LAWS made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 18 of "The Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916," for the Local Board town of Trincomalee, Eastern Province.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 12, 1927.

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

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

*Town of Trincomalee.*

1. No person shall use a motor omnibus except on the following roads :—
  - (a) All the Public Works Department roads.
  - (b) The following Local Board roads :—
    - (1) Oil Mongers street.
    - (2) Birch street.
    - (3) Mathison street.
    - (4) Brownrigg street.
    - (5) Main street (from Kandy road to Moor street Junction).
    - (6) Moor street
    - (7) Kirby street.
    - (8) Moor street to Harbour road.
    - (9) Orrs Hill road.
    - (10) Love lane.
    - (11) Dock Yard street.
    - (12) Dyke street.
    - (13) Goal road.
    - (14) Court road as far as Kachcheri road.
2. Motor omnibus shall not be driven at a greater speed than 12 miles an hour on any street or thoroughfare within the Local Board area of Trincomalee.
3. Motor cars shall not be driven at a greater speed than 15 miles an hour on any street or thoroughfare within the Local Board limits of Trincomalee.



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

U 373/26

**BY-LAW** made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, under section 18 of "The Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916," for the Municipal town of Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 12, 1927.

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

## BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

All vehicular traffic, except tram cars, in the following streets within the Municipality of Colombo when proceeding shall proceed and when halted shall halt only facing the direction indicated against each street:—

Gasworks street towards Norris road,  
Fifth Cross street towards Main street,

provided that motor omnibuses shall not halt on either of these streets but on the omnibus stand lying between these streets and turned so as to face Gasworks street.

## "THE REVENUE COLLECTION ORDINANCE, 1925."

K 19/26

**REGULATIONS** made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, under section 3 (1) of "The Revenue Collection Ordinance, 1925."

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 13, 1927.

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

## REGULATIONS REFERRED TO.

*The Revenue District of Mannar.*

1. The revenue from gun licences issued under "The Firearms Ordinance, No. 33 of 1916," in the District of Mannar will cease to be recovered in stamps from January 14, 1927, and will be collected in cash or by cheque, money order, or postal order.

2. The applicant for the renewal of an old licence will take or send it to the Assistant Government Agent, together with the fee due, which may be remitted either by cash, cheque, money order, or postal order. In return he will receive a fresh licence in the prescribed form.

3. An applicant for a new licence will send in his application accompanied by the necessary documents and the licence fee.

## "THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898."

U 52/26

**IT** is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, has, in terms of section 44 of "The Local Boards Ordinance, 1898," fixed a water rate of 6 per centum on the annual value of all houses, buildings, lands, and tenements whatsoever within the limit of the Local Board town of Hatton, with effect from January 1, 1927.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 4, 1927.

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

## CODE FOR ASSISTED VERNACLAR AND ANGLO-VERNACLAR SCHOOLS.

E 102/26

**THE** following amendments to the Code of Regulations for Assisted Vernacular and Anglo-Vernacular Schools, which have been approved by the Board of Education, are hereby published for general information in accordance with section 10 (2) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 5, 1927.

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

## AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO.

In the amendments published in *Gazette* No. 7,515 of March 5, 1926, make the following alterations:—

*Teachers' Certificates.*

For clause 54 (c) substitute the following:—Teachers holding a second class provisional trained certificate will be awarded a second class trained certificate after doing satisfactory work for three successive years in Government or assisted schools, and may then qualify for a first class certificate as below.

*Classification of Schools.*

Amend clause 2 to read as follows:—Vernacular schools in which the medium of instruction is Sinhalese shall be called Sinhalese schools. Vernacular schools in which the medium of instruction is Tamil shall be called Tamil schools. Sinhalese and Tamil schools are graded as Primary and Middle.

A Primary School is a school which provides a course of instruction up to Standard V.

A Middle School is a school which provides a course of instruction up to the V. S. L. C. class.

*Recognition and Registration.*

In clause 10 add after "counted" the following words:—"except in such schools as may in the discretion of the Director justify exceptional treatment."

Clause 15 to be amended by adding after "teacher" at the end of the first sentence:—"or a male teacher and a female assistant at the discretion of the Director."

## Archaeological Reserves.

L 406/26

It is hereby notified that the following lots situated in the village Dondra North, in Wellaboda pattu of the Matara District, in the Southern Province, are archaeological reserves:—

Preliminary Plan No.	Lot No.	Name of Land.	Extent. A. B. P.	
12,718	1	Galgewatta	0 2 24	} Declared Crown under the Waste Lands Ordinance by Final Order published in Gazette No. 7,552 dated October 22, 1926.
"	1A	Galgewatta <i>alias</i> Galgekebella (reservation for path)	0 0 10	

Boundaries: North by T. P. 152,802; east by T. P. 152,813; south by Pansalawatta Galgane Buddhist temple claim, a road, and T. P. 189,848; west by reservation for a path.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 8, 1927.

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

### MONTHLY STATEMENT issued by the Commissioners of Currency, under section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884, for the month of December, 1926:—

## 1.—Note Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Total Stock on November 30, 1926	131,165,545	0	In vault on December 31, 1926	75,353,930	0
Add Notes received in December, 1926	9,550,000	0	In circulation on December 31, 1926	62,744,615	0
	140,715,545	0			
Deduct Notes destroyed in December, 1926	2,617,000	0			
	138,098,545	0		138,098,545	0

## 2.—Reserve Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Coin received for Notes in circulation	62,744,615	0	Securities at cost (£1 = Rs. 15)	44,833,028	14
Excess of reserve over Notes in circulation	7,405,964	54	Coin in vault	25,317,551	40
	70,150,579	54		70,150,579	54

3.—Average amount of Notes in circulation during the month	62,782,099	0
Average amount of Coin in vault during the month	25,355,035	0

## 4.—Details of Investments and Securities.

	Face Value.			Face Value. (£1 = Rs. 15.)		Purchase Value. (£1 = Rs. 15.)		Market Value. (Sterling at Rate of the Day.)	
	£	s.	d.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Colonial and other Securities	1,324,170	1	1	19,832,550	81	18,101,938	56	15,415,757	66
Conversion Loan	237,032	10	11	3,555,488	19	3,383,683	50	2,971,135	41
War Loan, 5 per cent.	4,877	15	1	73,166	31	75,000	0	64,537	97
National War Bonds, 5 per cent.	59,000	0	0	750,000	0	799,445	63	696,373	6
Funding Loan, 4 per cent.	7,091	1	2	106,365	88	85,092	69	79,478	65
Indian Stock, Sterling	171,000	14	7	2,535,010	94	2,307,403	50	1,800,926	95
Indian 5 per cent. War Loan	—	—	—	15,838,700	0	14,880,329	89	16,175,272	37
Government of India 6 per cent. Bonds	—	—	—	371,100	0	371,100	0	396,149	25
Government of India 5 per cent. Loan	—	—	—	2,027,500	0	1,994,834	37	2,199,837	50
Government of India 6 per cent. Loan	—	—	—	2,834,200	0	2,834,200	0	3,082,192	50
<b>Total</b>	—	—	—	47,984,082	13	44,833,028	14	42,881,661	32

Currency Office,  
Colombo, January 10, 1927.

E. B. ALEXANDER, Acting Colonial Secretary,  
W. H. WARR, Acting Controller of Revenue,  
W. W. WOODS, Colonial Treasurer. } Commissioners of Currency.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for constructing the 1st half and 2nd half of 6th mile Passara-Nakkala road. A separate tender will be required for each of the above half miles.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Passara, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 12 noon).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Passara, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for the Construction of the 6th mile, Passara-Nakkala Road," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 12, 1927. The following imported materials will be supplied by Government:—Cement, steel powder, and fuzes. The rates quoted by the contractors should be omitting the value of the above-mentioned materials supplied by Government.

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

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

7. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the works to the District Engineer, Passara, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works,

Public Works Office,

Colombo, January 15, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of Pile Caps, &c., for the New Secretariat, Colombo.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer concerned and the contractor on the basis

of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally subject to the approval of the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo.

3. The specification, quantities, plans, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained, from the Office of the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted, duly signed and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, addressed to the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, and endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Pile Caps, New Secretariat, Colombo," so as to reach the Office of the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, on or before 12 noon on Wednesday, January 26, 1927. Each schedule to include alternative rates in respect of each item necessitating the use of imported articles, viz., one rate including the value of all materials, the other omitting such as are imported.

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

6. Government reserves to itself the right to supply the contractor with all imported articles, such as cement, &c., which it may be necessary to use in the execution of the works included in any agreement.

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

8. Government does not bind to itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted; nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works,

Public Works Office,

Colombo, January 15, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of work comprised in Stage 3 of the New Customs Building at the Passenger Jetty, Colombo.

Work to be undertaken on periodical agreements, not extending over a period of one month, to be entered into by the District Engineer concerned and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally subject to the approval of the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo.

2. The general conditions, specification, quantities, plans, articles of agreement, form of agreement, &c., can be seen at, and all other information obtained from, the Office of the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.)

3. Those desirous of tendering will be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 250 in the Colombo Kachcheri. Provided the receipt for this sum is produced, the bill of quantities, &c., will be handed to the contractor to enable him to submit his tender.

Should any person fail to return the bill of quantities, &c. or to submit a tender within the prescribed period, or decline to enter into the first periodical contracts within ten days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the first contract.

4. Sealed tenders, addressed to the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, and marked on the left hand top corner "Schedule of Rates for Stage 3, New Customs Building, Colombo," must reach his office not later than 12 noon on Friday, February 4, 1927. They should either be sent by registered post, or deposited in the tender box in his office. A duplicate copy of the schedule to be sent to the Director of Public Works, under sealed cover, at the same time and date.

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

5. Government reserves to itself the right to supply the contractor with all or any, imported articles which it may be necessary to use in the execution of the works included in any agreement.

For this purpose the schedule is to include alternative rates in respect of items necessitating the use of imported articles.

6. The contracts shall not be assigned or sublet without the written authority of the Director of Public Works.

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.

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

8. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted; nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item, to any one contractor; nor to continue to enter into periodical agreements should it be decided not to do so at any time during the construction of the work.

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

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 15, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of an Overseer's Quarters at Diyatalawa.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, and the contractor on the basis

of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 12 noon).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Overseer's Quarters at Diyatalawa," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 5, 1927. The following imported materials will be supplied by Government:—Calicut tiles, cement, doors and window fittings, lime, valley guttering, paint, squatting plates, iron bars for field gate, barbed wire, iron for reinforcement, water piping and fittings, powder, fuze, and steel. The rates quoted by the contractors should be omitting the value of the above-mentioned materials supplied by Government.

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

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

7. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the works to the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 15, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for building Quarters for the Medical Officer at Valaichchenai.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Batticaloa, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Batticaloa, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 12 noon).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Batticaloa, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Batticaloa, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Medical Officer's Quarters at Valaichchenai," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 5, 1927. All imported articles such as cement, door and window fittings, cast iron ventilators, glass, iron rods, tiles, galvanized iron, paint, and G. I. buckets for E. C., will be supplied free of charge to the contractor by the Department, and the rates submitted should be exclusive of the costs of these materials for the items which necessitate their use.

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

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

7. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Batticaloa, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

S. J. KIRBY,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 15, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for additions to Batticaloa Hospital—Additional Room to Nurses' Quarters.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Batticaloa, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Batticaloa, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 12 noon).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Batticaloa, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Batticaloa, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Additions to Batticaloa Hospital—Additional Room to Nurses' Quarters," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 5, 1927. All imported

articles such as cement, door and window fittings, cast iron ventilators, glass, paint, and oil will be supplied free of charge to the contractor by the Department, and the rates submitted should be exclusive of the costs of these materials for the items which necessitate their use.

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

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

7. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Batticaloa, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

S. J. KIRBY,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 15, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of Plantation Overseer's Quarters at Ohiya.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 12 noon).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for the Plantation Overseer's Quarters at Ohiya," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 5, 1927. The following imported materials will be supplied by Government:—Calicut tiles, cement, lime, doors and window fittings, zinc, guttering and down pipes, paint and glass. The rates quoted by the contractors should be omitting the value of the above-mentioned materials supplied by Government.

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

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

7. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the works to the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the Schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

S. J. KIRBY,  
for Director of Public Works

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 15, 1927.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the improvements to Garage Blocks, Public Works Department Office, Colombo.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, and the contractor, on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Improvements to Garage Blocks, P. W. D. Office, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 4, 1927.

5. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

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

8. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting

contractors, or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his object in writing.

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

W. J. PRICE,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1927.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for Record Presses, Land Registry Office, Colombo.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, and the contractor, on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Record Presses, Land Registry Office, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 4, 1927.

5. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

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

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

W. J. PRICE,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the improvements to District Court, Colombo.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, and the contractor, on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Improvements to District Court, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 4, 1927.

5. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

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

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

W. J. PRICE,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for Boundary Wall round Religious Sisters' Quarters, General Hospital, Colombo.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, and the contractor, on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and

dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Boundary Wall round Religious Sisters' Quarters, General Hospital, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 4, 1927.

5. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

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

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

W. J. PRICE,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1927.

**S**ENDERS 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, February 22, 1927.

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.

W. J. PRICE,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,

Colombo, January, 19, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of Cooly Lines, Experiment Station, Peradeniya.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Buildings, Kandy, and the contractor, on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, North, Kandy.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Kandy, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Kandy, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, North, Kandy, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Kandy, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates, Cooly Lines, Experiment Station, Peradeniya," so as to reach the office of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 1, 1927. Each schedule to give rates excluding the value of imported materials, as may be necessary in the execution of the work.

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

6. Government reserves to itself the right to supply the contractor with any materials which may be necessary in the execution of the work included in any agreement.

7. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any

other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, North, Kandy, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

8. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

W. J. PRICE,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for a Dipping Tank for Cattle, Government Dairy, Colombo.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, and the contractor, on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally, subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for a Dipping Tank for Cattle, Government Dairy, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on February 4, 1927.

5. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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

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

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

W. J. PRICE,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1927.



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

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned private property of deceased, discharged, and long-sentenced prisoners of the Welikade Prison will be sold by public auction at the Welikade Prison premises, at 11 A.M. on Monday, January 31, 1927:—

30 cloths	36 belts
12 shirts	3 towels
52 banians	73 sarongs
22 handkerchiefs	12 coat buttons
9 coats	3 shop studs

Colombo, January 19, 1927.

C. C. SCHOKMAN,  
Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction on Friday, January 28, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at the Police Headquarters, Maradana:—

200 pairs boots	42 trousers, khaki
80 overcoats	600 tunics, serge
1 raincoat, Inspectors'	600 trousers, serge
27 tunics, khaki	

E. F. L. WRIGHT,  
for Inspector-General of Police.

Police Headquarters,  
Madarana, January 19, 1927.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

## Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended January 15, 1927.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 222 (2 Europeans, 16 Burghers, 144 Sinhalese, 23 Tamils, 27 Moors, 7 Malays, and 3 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1927, viz., 260,345) was 44.5, as against 37.3 in the preceding week, 47.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.1 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 171 (2 Europeans, 6 Burghers, 102 Sinhalese, 25 Tamils, 22 Moors, 3 Malays, and 11 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 34.2, as against 32.6 in the previous week, 35.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28.7 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 171 total deaths, 30 were of infants under one year of age, as against 38 in the preceding week, 36 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 10.

**Principal Causes of Deaths.**—1. Twenty deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 12 in Maradana hospitals (including 6 deaths of non-residents), 3 in Maradana North, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in Kotahena South, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta South, as against 16 in the previous week and 11 the weekly average for last year.

2. (a) Seventeen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 8 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 2 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena North, and New Bazaar, and 1 each in Kotahena South, Maradana North, and Slave Island, as against 11 in the previous week, and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Six deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 3 in St. Paul's, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 in San Sebastian, as against 10 in the previous week, and 6 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Five deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 3 in Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), and 1 each in Maradana South and Wellawatta North, as against 9 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

3. Two deaths from *Plague* were registered, 1 each in St. Paul's and Kotahena South, as against nil in the previous week, and nil the weekly average for last year.

4. One death from *Enteric fever* was registered in San Sebastian, as against 4 in the previous week, and 3 the weekly average for last year.

5. Twenty-one deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 12 from *Debility*, 7 from *Enteritis*, 4 from *Dysentery*, 3 from *Puerperal Septicaemia*, 2 from *Diarrhoea*, 1 from *Worms*, and 70 from *Other Causes*.

6. Thirty-one cases of *Chickenpox*, and 1 each of *Smallpox* (in Port) *Enteric Fever* and *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 32, nil, 11, and 1, respectively, of the preceding week. No case of *Measles* was reported this week, but 4 were reported in the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 79.0°, against 78.8° in the preceding week, and 80.8° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.868 in. against 29.863 in. in the preceding week, and 29.932 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 1.54 in., against 3.97 in. in the preceding week, and nil in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

P. D. RATNATUNGA,  
for Registrar-General.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF DOUGLAS, SCOTT AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is " DOUGLAS, SCOTT AND COMPANY, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company will be situate in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is established are—
  - (a) To acquire and carry on as a going concern the business of Merchants and Commission Agents now carried on by Messrs. Douglas, Scott and Company at Colombo, Ceylon, and all or any part of the assets and goodwill of that business.
  - (b) To carry on the business of planters, cultivators, sellers, and dealers in tea, cocoa, rubber, gutta percha, and other tropical crops, and to manufacture, dispose of, sell, and deal in products of tea, cocoa, rubber, gutta percha, and other tropical crops.
  - (c) To act as directors, secretaries, consignees, and commercial agents of any company or companies carrying on business or owning property or estates of any kind in Ceylon or elsewhere in the East, or to undertake any or all of these duties concurrently.
  - (d) To act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, and improvement, development, and management of property, including business concerns and undertakings, and generally to transact all kinds of agency business whether in respect of agricultural, commercial, or financial matters.
  - (e) To seek for and secure openings for the employment of capital in Ceylon and elsewhere in the East, and with a view thereto to prospect, inquire, examine, explore, and test, and to despatch and employ expeditions, commissioners, experts, and other agents.
  - (f) To purchase, take on lease, or otherwise acquire and deal in immovable and movable property of all kinds, and any interests therein, including reversions, mortgages, charges, annuities, patents, licences, policies, book debts, investments, and claims of every kind.
  - (g) To act as financial adviser, and to facilitate and encourage the creation, issue, or conversion of debentures, debenture stock bonds, obligations, shares, stocks and securities, and to act as trustees in connection with any such securities, and to take part in the conversions of business concerns and undertakings.
  - (h) To acquire the goodwill, property and assets, and to assume the liabilities of any other company, partnership or person carrying on business which this Company is authorized to carry on, and undertake the winding up of any such company or partnership.
  - (i) To manufacture, buy, sell, repair, alter, improve, manipulate, treat and deal in all kinds of goods, wares, and merchandise, plant, machinery, apparatus, appliances, tools, utensils, products, materials, substances, articles and things necessary or useful in carrying on any of the above businesses or operations, or usually dealt in by persons or companies engaged therein.
  - (j) To make, build, construct, provide, maintain, improve, carry on, use and work in any parts of the world, roads, ways, railways, tramways, telegraphs, telephones, electric light, canals, reservoirs, waterworks, wells, aqueducts, water-courses, furnaces, gasworks, piers, wharves, docks, saw and other mills, hydraulic works, factories, warehouses, boats and other works and buildings which may be deemed expedient for the purposes of the Company, and to contribute to the cost of making, building, constructing, providing, carrying on, using, and working the same.
  - (k) To apply for or acquire by purchase or otherwise for the business of the Company in any parts of the world, any factories, buildings, mills, plants, engines, machinery, patents, patent rights, secret processes, or other things, British, colonial or foreign licences, concessions, and the like conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited rights to use any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to benefit the Company, and to use, exercise, develop, or grant licences in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights or information so acquired, and to make, assist or subsidize experiments, researches, investigations, expeditions or voyages of discovery that may appear to be likely to benefit the Company.
  - (l) To carry on any other business or businesses whatsoever and wheresoever, which may in the opinion of the Board of the Company be conveniently carried on in connection with any business which the Company is authorized to carry on, or calculated directly or indirectly, to enhance the value of, or render profitable any of the Company's properties or rights, and transact any or every description of agency, commission, commercial, manufacturing and mercantile business.
  - (m) To promote any other company or companies for the purpose of acquiring, or undertaking all or any of the property, assets and liabilities of this Company, or of advancing, directly or indirectly, the objects or interests thereof, and to take and otherwise acquire, and hold shares in any such company or companies and to guarantee the payment of any debentures or other securities issued by any such company or companies.
  - (n) To purchase, subscribe for, underwrite, take, or otherwise acquire and hold, sell, mortgage, and deal in shares, stock, options, bonds, debentures, debenture stock or obligations in any other company or corporation, or of any government or state.
  - (o) To amalgamate with, or enter into partnership, or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, joint adventure, reciprocal concession or co-operation with any person or company carrying on, or about to carry on, any business occupation, or enterprise, which this Company is authorized to enter into, undertake, or carry on, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or securities in any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue, with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with the same.
  - (p) To sell, let on lease, exchange or dispose of, all or any part of the undertaking, property, assets, and rights of the Company, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.

- (q) To distribute any of the properties of the Company, whether upon a distribution of assets or a division of profits, among the members in specie or otherwise.
- (r) To draw, make, accept, endorse, execute and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, charter-parties, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.
- (s) To lend, invest, and deal with moneys of the Company not immediately required in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (t) To receive money and securities on deposit, at interest or otherwise.
- (u) To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money in such manner as the Company shall think fit, and in particular by mortgage or charge and/or by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or other securities, with or without a mortgage or charge upon all or any of the Company's property or assets (either present or future) including its uncalled capital, and to purchase, redeem, and pay off any such securities, and to issue any such securities for such consideration or purpose as may be thought fit.
- (v) To guarantee the payment or performance of any debts, contracts or obligations, and to accept property on trust, and to act as trustee and executor, administrator, liquidator, receiver, attorney or director either gratuitously or otherwise.
- (w) To pay all expenses incident to the formation or promotion of this or any other Company, and to remunerate any person or company for services rendered, or to be rendered, in placing or assisting to place or guaranteeing the placing of any of the shares in, or debentures or other securities of the Company, or in or about the promotion, formation, or business of the Company, or of any other company promoted wholly or in part by this Company.
- (x) To establish and support, or aid in the establishment and support of associations, institutions, funds, trusts, and conveniences calculated to benefit any of the employes or ex-employes of the Company, or its predecessors in business, or the dependants or connections of such persons, and to grant pensions and allowances and to make payments towards insurance and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects, or for any exhibition, or for any public general, or useful object.
- (y) To sell, exchange, improve, manage, develop, lease, mortgage, charge, dispose of, turn to account or otherwise deal with, all or any part of the property, assets and rights of the Company.
- (z) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in the United Kingdom, any British Colony, Protectorate or Dependency, or in any Foreign State, and to enter into any arrangements with any governments or authorities, supreme, provincial, municipal, local or otherwise, that may seem conducive to the Company's objects, or any of them, and to obtain from any such government or authority any rights, privileges, and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (aa) To do all or any of the above things in any parts of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees, or otherwise and by trustees, sub-contractors, agents, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others.
- (bb) To do all such other things as are incidental to or connected with any of the above objects, or conducive to the attainment thereof, or otherwise likely in any respect to be advantageous to the Company, and in case of doubt as to what shall be so incidental, connected, conducive, or advantageous as aforesaid, the decision of an Extraordinary General Meeting shall be conclusive.

And it is hereby declared that the word "Company" in this clause, except where used in reference to this Company shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated and whether domiciled in the Island of Ceylon or elsewhere; and further, that the objects specified in each paragraph, in this clause shall, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be in no wise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Fifty thousand (50,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased or reduced), of the Company may be subdivided, consolidated, or divided into such classes, with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special or other rights, privileges or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and Regulations of the Company for the time being or otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
D. DOUGLAS SCOTT, Colombo .. .. .	One
ALFRED M. CHITTAMBALAM, Colombo .. .. .	One
HORACE S. MELTON, Colombo .. .. .	One
JOHN HOOD, Colombo .. .. .	One
M. F. P. GUNERATNA, Kalutara .. .. .	One
F. J. SCHOCH, Colombo .. .. .	One
CLEMENT P. WIJEYERATNE, Kalutara .. .. .	One
Total number of Shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this Seventeenth day of November, One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-six.

P. G. COOKE,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

## ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF DOUGLAS, SCOTT AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows :—

1. *Table C not to apply; Company to be governed by these Articles.*—The regulations contained in Table C in the Schedule annexed to “The Joint Stock Companies’ Ordinance, 1861,” shall not apply to this Company, which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution.
2. *Power to alter the Regulations.*—The Company may, by special resolution, alter and make provisions instead of, or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company, whether contained and comprised in these Articles or not.
3. None of the funds of the Company shall be employed in the purchase of or be lent on shares of the Company.

## INTERPRETATION.

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

*Company.*—The word “Company” means “Douglas, Scott and Company, Limited,” incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

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

*Extraordinary Resolution.*—“Extraordinary resolution” means a resolution passed by three-fourths in number and value of such Shareholders of the Company for the time being entitled to vote as may be present at any meeting of the Company or which notice specifying an intention to propose such resolution as an extraordinary resolution has been duly given.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

*Writing.*—“Writing” means printed matter or print as well as writing.

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

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

5. Subject to the preceding Article, any words defined in the Ordinance shall, if not inconsistent with the subject or context, bear the same meaning in these presents.

## BUSINESS.

6. *Commencement of Business.*—The business of the Company may, subject to the provisions of the Ordinance, be commenced as soon as the Board thinks fit.

7. Subject as aforesaid, any branch or kind of business which by the Memorandum of Association of the Company, or by these presents, is either expressly or by implication authorized to be undertaken by the Company may be undertaken by the Board at such time or times as they shall think fit, and further suffered by them to be in abeyance, whether such branch or kind of business may have been actually commenced or not, so long as the Board may deem it expedient not to commence or proceed with such branch or kind of business.

## CAPITAL.

8. *Nominal Capital.*—The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Fifty thousand ( 0,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

## SHARES.

9. *Allotment and Issue.*—The shares, except where otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper; provided that such unissued shares shall be first offered by the Directors to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company as nearly as possible in proportion to the shares already held by them, and such shares as shall not be accepted by the Shareholder or Shareholders to whom the shares shall have been offered within the time specified in that behalf by the Directors, may be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as they think most beneficial to the Company; provided also that the Directors may at their discretion allot any unissued shares in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company, and may make arrangements, on an issue of shares for a difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid, and the time of payment of such calls.

10. *Payment of Amount of Shares by Instalments.*—If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount thereof shall be payable by instalments, every such instalment shall, when due, be paid to the Company by the holder of the share.

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

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

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

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

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

16. *Survivor of Joint-Holders, other than a firm, only recognized.*—In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders, other than a firm, of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

17. *Liability of Joint-Holders.*—The joint-holders of a share shall be severally as well as jointly liable for the payment of all instalments and calls due in respect of such share.

18. *Trusts or any Interest in Share other than that of Registered Holder or of any Person under Clause 39 not recognized.*—The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under Clause 39 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

#### INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

19. *Increase of Capital by a Creation of New Shares.*—The Company in General Meeting may, by special resolution from time to time, increase the capital by creation of new shares of such amount per share and in the aggregate, and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto as such resolution shall direct.

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

21. *How carried into Effect.*—Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them. Such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine, provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them in payment for any estates or lands or other property purchased or acquired by the Company, without first offering such shares to the registered Shareholders for the time being of the Company.

22. *Same as original Capital.*—Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original capital, and shall be subject to the provisions herein contained with reference to the payments of calls and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise.

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

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

#### SHARE CERTIFICATE.

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

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

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

27. *Certificate to be delivered to the first named of Joint-Holders not a Firm.*—The certificate of shares registered in the names of two or more persons not a firm shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

33. *Board may decline to Register Transfers.*—The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise; or to any person not approved of by them.

34. *Not bound to State Reason.*—In no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

35. *Registration of Transfer.*—Every instrument or transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Rs. 2·50, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid; and thereupon the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 33, 34, and 36 shall register the transferee as Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

36. *Directors may Authorize Registration of Transferees.*—The Directors may, by such means as they shall deem expedient, authorize the registration of transferees as Shareholders without the necessity of any meeting of the Directors for that purpose.

37. *Directors not bound to inquire as to Validity of Transfer.*—In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring, or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but if at all upon the transferee only.

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

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

40. *Registration of Persons entitled to Shares otherwise than by Transfer.*—Any curator of any minor Shareholder or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Company think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares on payment of a fee of Rs. 2·50; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

41. *Failing such Registration, Shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 40 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall within twelve calendar months after such death be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such shares, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same. The nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

43. (a) *If Call or Instalment be not paid, Notice to be given to Shareholder.*—If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the trustee or assignee in his bankruptcy, requiring him to pay the same together with any interest that may have accrued, at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

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

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

(d) *Shareholder still liable to pay Money owing at time of Forfeiture.*—Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall, notwithstanding, be liable to pay and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls, instalments, interest, and expenses owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at 9 per centum. per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

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

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

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

(b) *Forfeiture may be Remitted.*—The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 44 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

47. *Company's lien on Shares.*—The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder, or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares, held by such holder, or joint-holders or otherwise, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls resolutions for which shall have been passed by the Directors, although the times appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived: and where any share is held by more persons than one, the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any moneys due to the Company from any of such persons. The Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

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

49. *Proceeds how applied.*—The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 44 and 48 hereof shall be applied in or towards the satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) shall be paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

50. *Certificate of Sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the agent or secretary or agents or secretaries that the power of sale given by Clause 48 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

51. *Transfer on Sale how executed.*—Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof, and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such shares.

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

- (1) The holders of any class of shares by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders may consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares.
- (2) All or any of the rights, privileges, and conditions attached to each class may be commuted, abrogated, abandoned, added to or otherwise modified by a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, provided the holders of any class of shares, affected by any such commutation, abrogation, abandonment, addition, or other modification of such rights, privileges, and conditions consent thereto, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders.

Any extraordinary resolution passed under the provision of this Article shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent as aforesaid in any case in which but for this Article the object of the resolution could have been effected without it.

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

#### CALLS.

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

(b) *Calls, Time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board Meeting of the Directors or by resolution in writing in terms of Article 120.

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

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

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

#### BORROWING POWERS.

58. *Power to borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of Two hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 200,000). With the sanction of the General Meeting the Directors shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may for the purpose of securing the re-payment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create, and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures,

debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property, and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes, or bills of exchange. Provided also that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures or create any debenture stock they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, notice of the intention to obtain such sanction at such meeting having been duly given. Any such securities may be issued, either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the agent or secretary or agents or secretaries, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall as regards the creditor be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

#### MEETINGS.

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

60. *Subsequent General Meetings.*—Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is prescribed, at such time and place as may be determined by the Directors.

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

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

63. *Requisition of Shareholders to state Object of Meeting; on Receipt of Requisition, Directors to call Meeting, and in Default Shareholders may do so.*—Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company. Upon the receipt of such requisition, the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such place and at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

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

65. *Seven Days' Notice of Meeting to be given.*—Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given either by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* or by notice sent by post, or otherwise served as hereinafter provided, but an accidental omission to give such notice to any Shareholder shall not invalidate the proceedings at any General Meeting.

66. *Business requiring and not requiring Notification.*—Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors retiring in rotation and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatever of which special mention shall have been made in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### VOTING AT MEETINGS.

74. *Voters.*—At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by the votes of the Shareholders present. In case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney, and unless a poll be immediately demanded in



writing by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the minute book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

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

76. *Poll how taken.*—If at any meeting a poll be demanded by notice in writing signed by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, which notice shall be delivered during the meeting to the Chairman; the meeting, shall if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and in such a manner as the Chairman shall direct; and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided, and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy and attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

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

78. *Number of Votes to which Shareholder entitled.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy, or attorney, shall have one vote for every one share held. When voting on a resolution involving the winding up of the Company, every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

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

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

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

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

83. *Proxy to be printed or in writing.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written, and shall be signed by the appointor or if such appointor be a corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such corporation.

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

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

*Douglas, Scott and Company, Limited.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ appoint \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ (a Shareholder in the Company), as my proxy, to represent me and to vote for me and on my behalf at the ordinary (or extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_, and at any adjournment thereof, and at every poll which may be taken in consequence thereof. As witness my hand, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_.

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

87. *No Shareholder to be Prevented from Voting by being Personally Interested in Result.*—No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

DIRECTORS.

88. *Number of Directors.*—Until otherwise determined by a General Meeting, the number of Directors shall not be less than three nor more than seven.

89. *First Directors.*—Douglas Douglas Scott of Colombo, Michael Francis Perera Guneratna of Kalutara, and Alfred Matthews Chittambalam of Colombo (who are herein referred to as "The Life Directors") and Clement Perera Wijeyeratne of Kalutara and Francis Joseph Schoch of Colombo (who and any other Directors hereafter appointed are herein referred to as "the ordinary Directors") shall be the First Directors of the Company.

90. *Holdings of Life Directors.*—The said Douglas Douglas Scott, Michael Francis Perera Guneratna, and Alfred Matthews Chittambalam shall be entitled to hold office so long they respectively hold shares of the Company of the nominal value of Five thousand Rupees (Rs. 5,000), and in the event of one or more of them vacating office by death, resignation, or otherwise the others or other shall be Life Directors or Life Director.

91. *Control of Business.*—The said Douglas Douglas Scott, Michael Francis Perera Guneratna, and Alfred Matthews Chittambalam whilst holding office as Life Directors, and after one or more of them vacates the office of Life Director the others or other whilst holding office as Life Directors or Life Director shall have full control of the business of the Company, and they or the survivor of them shall have power to appoint and remove any other Director or Directors; and may appoint any person in addition to any existing Directors and may from time to time appoint, define, limit, and restrict the powers and duties, and fix the qualification and remuneration of any other Directors, and may remove any Director howsoever appointed and may at any time convene a General Meeting of the Company.

92. *Consent of Life Directors to appointment of Directors.*—So long as the said Douglas Douglas Scott, Michael Francis Perera Guneratna, Alfred Matthews Chittambalam, or one or more of them shall be Life Directors or Life Director of the Company, no other Director or Directors of the Company shall be appointed without the consent of such Life Directors or Life Director.

93. *Disqualification of Life Directors.*—In the event of any Life Director ceasing to hold shares of the Company of the nominal value of Five thousand Rupees (Rs. 5,000), he shall thereupon be deemed to be elected to office as an ordinary Director.

94. *Appointment of Directors, when no Life Directors Left.*—When all the said Douglas Douglas-Scott, Michael Francis Perera Guneratna and Alfred Matthews Chittambalam shall cease to be Life Directors then and from thenceforth the Ordinary Directors shall have power from time to time to appoint any other persons to be Directors, but so that the total number of Directors shall not at any time exceed the maximum fixed as above.

95. *Qualification of Ordinary Director.*—The qualification of a Director (other than a Life Director) shall be the holding in his own right alone of shares of the Company of the nominal value of One thousand Rupees (Rs. 1,000).

96. *Remuneration of Directors.*—The remuneration of the Life Directors shall be such sum as, subject to any agreement, the Company may determine. The remuneration of the other members of the Board may be fixed from time to time by the Company in General Meeting. The Directors shall be paid all travelling and hotel expenses to which they shall be put in connection with the Company's business.

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

98. *Casual Vacancy how filled Up.*—Any casual vacancy occurring among the Directors may be filled up by the Company in General Meeting, but any person so chosen shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred. The continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any vacancy in their body, but so that if the number falls below the minimum above fixed, the remaining Director (unless he be a Life Director) shall not commit the Company to any new business so long as the number is below the minimum.

99. *The Office of a Director shall be vacated—*

- (a) If he, without the sanction of a General Meeting, accept or hold any other office under the Company except that of Managing Director, Managing Secretary, Manager, or Trustee.
- (b) If he become bankrupt, or suspend payment, or compound with his creditors.
- (c) If he engage on his own account in speculative transactions in produce, stocks or shares without the previous consent of all the other Directors.
- (d) If he absents himself from the Meetings of the Company for a period exceeding three months at any one time without the consent of the Life Directors or one of them.
- (e) If he be found lunatic, or become of unsound mind.
- (f) If he be called upon by all the other Directors to resign his office.
- (g) If by notice in writing to the Company he resign his office.

Provided that sub-clauses (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) of this Article shall not apply to a Life Director and sub-clause (e) shall apply to a Life Director only so long as he shall be incapacitated by lunacy or unsoundness of mind and on his ceasing to be so incapacitated he shall *ipso facto* be restored to his office of Life Director. Until an entry of the vacating of office by a Director under one of the sections of this Article shall be entered in the Minutes of the Board of Directors his acts as a Director shall be effectual.

100. *Directors may enter into Contract with Company.*—A Director or intending Director shall not be disqualified by his office from entering into a contract or arrangement with the Company, either as vendor, purchaser, manager, agent, broker, or otherwise, and no such contract or arrangement or any contract or arrangement entered into by or on behalf of the Company with any person, firm or Company of or in which any Director shall be in any way interested, shall be avoided, nor shall any Director so contracting or being so interested be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by any such contract or arrangement by reason of such Director holding the office of Director, or of the fiduciary relation thereby established. Any Director so contracting or being so interested as aforesaid shall disclose at the Board Meeting at which the contract or arrangement is determined upon the nature of his interest, if his interest then exists, or in any other case at the first Board Meeting after the acquisition of his interest, and a Director shall not as a Director vote in respect of any contract or arrangement in which he is so interested as aforesaid, and if he do so vote his vote shall not be counted. A general notice that a Director is a member of any specified firm or Company, and is to be regarded as interested in any transaction with such firm or Company, shall be sufficient disclosure under this Article, and after such general notice it shall not be necessary to give any special notice relating to any particular transaction with such firm or Company as aforesaid.

101. *Rotation of Directors.*—At the Ordinary General Meeting in the year 1927 and in each subsequent year, one Director not being either of the Life Directors shall retire from office, but this provision shall be subject to any agreement to the contrary binding upon the Company. A retiring Director shall retain office until the dissolution or adjournment of the Meeting at which his successor is elected.

102. *Which of Directors to Retire.*—Subject to the provisions herein contained with respect to the Life Directors, the Director to retire in every year shall be the Director who has been longest in office since their last election. As between Directors of equal seniority, the Director to retire shall (unless such Directors of equal seniority shall agree amongst themselves) be selected from among them by lot.

103. *Retiring Directors eligible for Re-election.*—A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election.

104. *Vacancy how Filled Up.*—The Company may at the Meeting at which any Director retires in manner aforesaid, fill up the vacated office of each Director by electing a person thereto, and if at any such Meeting the place of a retiring Director is not filled up, the retiring Director shall be deemed to have been re-elected, unless a resolution reducing the number of Directors is passed at the same Meeting.

105. *New Director to be approved by Life Directors.*—No person not being a Director retiring at the Meeting shall, unless recommended by the Board for election, be eligible for the office of a Director at any General Meeting, unless he shall have been approved by the Life Directors.

106. *Number of Directors how Increased or Reduced.*—With the consent of the Life Directors, the Company may from time to time in General Meeting increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may alter their qualification and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number shall go out of office.

107. *Removal of Directors.*—The Company by an Extraordinary Resolution may remove any Director, other than any of the Life Directors, before the expiration of his period of office, and may by Ordinary Resolution appoint another person to be a Director in his stead. The person so appointed shall retain his office so long only as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

108. *Resignation of Directors.*—A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notices to the Secretary or by leaving the same at the office, or by tendering his written resignation at a Meeting of the Directors.

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

any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

110. *No contribution to be required from Directors beyond amount, if any, unpaid on their Shares.*—No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

#### MANAGING DIRECTOR.

111. *Appointment of Managing Director.*—Subject to any agreement to the contrary and to the consent of the Life Directors the Board may from time to time appoint one or more of their number to be a Managing Director or Managing Directors of the Company, either for a fixed term or without any limitation as to his or their period of office, and may with the consent of the Life Directors, from time to time remove any Managing Director and appoint another in his place.

112. *Managing Director not subject to Retirement by Rotation.*—A Managing Director, while he continues to hold that office, shall not be subject to the provisions of these presents as to retirement by rotation and shall not be taken into account in determining the rotation of retirement of Directors, but he shall (subject to the provisions of any contract between him and the Company) be subject to the same provisions as to resignation and removal as the other Directors of the Company, and if he cease to hold the office of Director from any cause he shall *ipso facto* and immediately cease to be a Managing Director.

113. *Remuneration of Managing Director.*—Subject to any agreement, the remuneration of a Managing Director shall from time to time be fixed by the Board, and may be by way of salary or commission or participation in the profits or by any or all of those modes, and shall, if so determined by the Board, be in addition to his share of any remuneration payable to the Board or to the Managing Director as one of the Board.

114. *Duties and Powers of Managing Director.*—A Managing Director may perform such duties, and exercise all such powers, authorities, and discretions as are exercisable by the Board (other than the power to make calls and to mortgage the assets of the Company) on such terms and conditions and with such restrictions (if any) as the Board from time to time may direct.

#### POWERS OF THE BOARD.

115. *Business to be managed by Board.*—Subject to the provisions hereinbefore contained as to Life Director and subject to any agreement to the contrary, the business of the Company shall be managed by the Board, who may exercise all such powers of the Company, and do on behalf of the Company all such acts as are within the scope of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and as are not by the Ordinances or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject nevertheless to any regulations of these presents, to the provisions of the Ordinances and to such regulations, being not inconsistent with the said regulations as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, but no regulations made by the Company in General Meeting, shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made.

#### BORROWING.

116. *Regulations regarding Borrowing.*—The Board may at any time borrow or raise for the purpose of the Company from the Directors, members or other persons, or any bank, firm, or company such sums of money, and at such rates of interest as the Board may think proper, and may secure the repayment of such moneys by mortgage or charge or by debentures or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise, forming a charge upon the whole or any part of the property, assets and undertaking of the Company, both present and future, including its uncalled capital for the time being, in such manner, and upon terms and conditions and with such security as the Board shall determine, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so raised, borrowed or secured, shall not, without the previous sanction in writing of a Life Director, exceed the sum of Rs. 200,000 and shall not without the sanction of a General Meeting exceed the nominal amount of the capital. Nevertheless no lender or other person dealing with the Company shall be concerned to see or inquire whether this limit is observed.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD.

117. *Meetings of Directors.*—The Board may meet together for the despatch of business at such place and adjourn and otherwise regulate their meetings as they think fit. Whenever one or more of the Life Directors shall be in the Island of Ceylon the presence of one of them shall be necessary to form a quorum. Subject as aforesaid three Directors shall form a quorum. A Director may at any time, and the Secretary upon request of a Director shall convene a meeting of the Board. Questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes, and the Life Directors shall be entitled to as many votes as there are Directors of the Company and one more. In case of an equality of votes, the Chairman shall have an additional or casting vote in addition to his vote or votes as a Director.

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

119. *Questions at Meetings how Decided.*—Any question which may arise at any meeting of the Board shall be decided by the votes of the Directors present and each of them the said Douglas Douglas-Scott, Michael Francis Perera Guneratna, and Alfred Matthews Chittambalam shall be at liberty so long as he shall be a Director by writing under his hand to authorize any other member of the firm to vote for him at any meeting or meetings of the Board, and such authority may be general or may be limited to any one or more meetings or to any specific question or questions and must if required be produced at any meeting at which the holder of the authority proposes to vote.

120. *Resolution in Writing by all the Directors as Valid as if Passed at a Meeting of Directors.*—A resolution in writing signed by all the Directors shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted.

121. *Board may appoint Committees.*—The Board may delegate any of their powers to Committees consisting of such member or members of their body as they think fit. Any Committee so formed shall, in the exercise of the powers so delegated, conform to any regulation that may from time to time be imposed on it by the Board.

122. *Regulation of Proceedings of Committees.*—The meetings and proceedings of any such Committee consisting of two or more members shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for the regulating of meetings and proceedings of the Board so far as the same are applicable thereto and not superseded by any regulations made by the Board under the last preceding clause.

123. *Acts of Board or Committee valid notwithstanding Defect or Disqualification.*—All acts done at any meeting of the Board, or of a Committee of the Board, or by any person acting as a Director, shall, notwithstanding that it shall afterwards be discovered that there was some defect in the appointment of such Directors or Committee or persons acting as aforesaid, or that they, he or any of them were or was disqualified, be as valid as if every such person had been duly appointed and was qualified to be a Director.

124. *Remuneration for Extra Services by Directors.*—If any Director being willing shall be called upon to perform extra services, or to make any special exertions in going or residing abroad or otherwise, for any of the purposes of the Company, and shall do so, the Company may remunerate such Director, either by a fixed sum or by a percentage of profits, or otherwise, as may be determined by the Board and such remuneration may be either in addition to or in substitution for his share in the remuneration above provided.

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

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

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

#### COMPANY'S SEAL.

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

#### ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

132. *Copy of Balance Sheet to be sent to the Shareholders.*—A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at, or posted to, the registered address of every Shareholder.

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

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

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

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

135. *Reserve Fund.*—Previously to the Directors paying or recommending any dividend on preference or ordinary shares, they may set aside out of the profits of the Company, such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund, and may invest the same in such securities as they shall think fit, or place the same on fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### AUDIT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### NOTICES.

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

153. *Shareholders to register Address.*—Every Shareholder shall furnish the Company with an address in Ceylon which shall be deemed to be his place of abode and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

154. *Service of Notice.*—A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such Shareholder at his registered address or place of abode; and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served for all purposes, notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless his executors, or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries of the Company, their own or some other address in Ceylon.

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

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

157. *Non-resident Shareholders must Register Address in Ceylon.*—Every Shareholder resident out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notice.

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

#### ARBITRATION.

158. *Directors may refer Disputes to Arbitration.*—Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or person the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration.

#### EVIDENCE.

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

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

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

161. *Distribution.*—If the Company shall be wound up, and there shall be any surplus assets after payment of all debts and satisfaction of all liabilities of the Company, such surplus assets shall be applied, first, in repaying to the holders of the preference shares (if any), the amounts that may be due to them, whether by way of capital only or by way of capital and dividend or arrears of dividend or otherwise in accordance with the rights, privileges, and conditions attached thereto, and the balance in repaying to the holders of the ordinary shares the amounts paid up or reckoned as paid up on such ordinary shares. If after such payments there shall remain any surplus assets, such surplus assets shall be divided among the ordinary Shareholders in proportion to the capital paid up, or reckoned as paid up, on the shares which are held by them respectively, at the commencement of the winding up, unless the conditions attached to the preference shares expressly entitle such shares to participate in such surplus assets.

162. *Payment in Specie, and Vesting in Trustees. Right of Contributory to Dissent, &c.*—If the Company shall be wound up, the liquidator, whether voluntarily or official, may, with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution, divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may, with their sanction, vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefit of the contributories as the liquidator, with like sanction, shall think fit, and if thought expedient any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the Shareholders of the Company, and in particular any class may be given preferential or special rights or may be excluded altogether or in part, and the liquidator shall be entitled to sell all or any of the assets of the Company in consideration of or in exchange for shares (ordinary, fully paid, part paid or preference) in the purchasing company, but in case any division otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories shall be determined on or any sale made of any or all of the assets of the Company in exchange for shares in the purchasing company either ordinary, fully paid or part paid, or preference, any contributory who would be prejudiced thereby shall have a right to dissent as if such determination were a special resolution passed pursuant to section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act of 1908 in England, but for the purposes of an arbitration as in sub-section (6) of the said section, provided the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance, 1866, and of the Civil Procedure Code, 1889, shall apply in place of the English and Scottish Acts referred to in the said sub-section (6) of section 192 of the aforewritten Companies (Consolidation) Act, and the said section 192, save as herein excepted, shall be deemed to be part and parcel of these Articles.

In witness whereof the Subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names at Colombo, this Seventeenth day of November, One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-six.

D. DOUGLAS SCOTT.

ALFRED M. CHITTAMBALAM.

HORACE S. MELTON.

JOHN HOOD.

M. F. P. GUNERATNA.

F. J. SCHOCH.

CLEMENT P. WIJEYERATNE.

Witness to the above signatures :

P. G. COOKE,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

**A. R. Ephraums Co-operative Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 57, Pedlar street, Galle, on Saturday, January 29, 1927, at 10 A.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ending September 30, 1926.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 22 to 29, 1927, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

CHAS. P. HAYLEY & Co.,

January 8, 1927.

Agents and Secretaries.

**The Southern Province Transport Company, Limited, Galle.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 57, Pedlar street, Galle, on Monday, January 24, 1927, at 2 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To elect Auditors for the ensuing year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 17 to 24, 1927.

By order of the Directors,

CHAS. P. HAYLEY & Co.,

January 8, 1927.

Agents and Secretaries.

**The Templestowe Estate Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the 29th Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 1, 1927, at noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1926.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
5. To transact such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 18 to February 4, 1927, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,

Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 17, 1927.

**The Frocester Estate Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the 21st Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 1, 1927, at 3 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1926.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
5. To transact such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 18 to February 4, 1927, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,

Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 17, 1927.

**The Giragoda Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the 16th Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, February 1, 1927, at 12.30 P.M.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1926.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor for the current year.
5. To transact such other business as may be duly brought forward before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from January 18 to February 4, 1927, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,

Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 17, 1927.

**The Arawakumbura Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at noon on Saturday, January 29, 1927, at the registered office of the Company, 45, Queen street, Fort, Colombo.

*Business.*

1. To receive the Directors' report and statement of accounts for the period ended December 31, 1926.
2. To fix Directors' remuneration for the period ended December 31, 1926.
3. To elect Directors for the ensuing year.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other competent business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,

Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 18, 1927.

**The Dickapitiya Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at noon on Friday, February 4, 1927, at the registered office of the Company, 45, Queen street, Fort, Colombo.

*Business.*

1. To receive the Directors' report and statement of accounts for the period ended December 31, 1926.
2. To elect Directors for the ensuing year.
3. To appoint an Auditor.
4. To transact any other competent business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of Directors,  
GEORGE STEUART & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 18, 1927.

**Ceylon Financial Investments, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the offices of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Thursday, February 3, 1927, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1926.
2. To elect Directors.
3. To elect an Auditor and transact any other business which may be properly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 13, 1927.

**The Labugama Rubber Estate, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered offices of the Company, Gaffoor building, Main street, Colombo, on Thursday, February 3, 1927, at 3 p.m.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to December 31, 1926.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect Directors.
4. To elect an Auditor and transact any other business which may be properly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,  
GORDON FRAZER & Co., LTD.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, January 13, 1927.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, Case No. 21,774, D. C., Colombo.**

*House Properties at Kollupitiya.*

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Thursday, February 24, 1927, at 5 p.m. at the spot, the following property, to wit:—

All that land and premises called and known as Madangahawatta with the building standing thereon bearing assessment Nos. 33<sup>2</sup>-33<sup>4</sup>, situated at Kollupitiya, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by garden of Don Isaac, south by lot marked B of

W. Isabella de Alwis, on the east by the garden of Uduma Lebbe, and on the west by the high road to Galle; in extent 22 42/100 perches, and registered in Colombo Land Registry in A 161/44.

For deeds, &c., apply to P. Cassius Jansz, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

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

Phone: 733.

**Auction Sale.**

RESIDENTIAL house bearing No. 1321-42, New Moor street, Colombo, will be sold by public auction on Friday, February 11, 1927, at 4.30 p.m. at the spot, under mortgage decree in case No. 21,140 of the District Court of Colombo; in extent 12 65/100 perches.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. Wilson & Kadigama, Proctors and Notaries, Colombo, or to me—

B. D. AMIT,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

86, Dam street, Colombo.

**Auction Sale.**

A Valuable House Property at Galkissa, in Close Proximity to the Railway Station.

In the District Court of Colombo.

K. A. D. S. P. Abeywardane.....Plaintiff.  
No. 21,392 Vs.  
Mortgage.

- (1) W. William Fernando, (2) Elizabeth Fernando, both of Mount Lavinia, (3) N. M. A. R. Nalla Karuppan Chetty, (4) A. M. R. M. Muttu Palaniappa Chetty, both of Colombo.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 11,893.75, with interest on Rs. 11,000 at 15 per cent. per annum from October 6, 1926, and further interest, and costs of suit, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, February 12, 1927, at 4 p.m. at the spot:—

All that defined portion marked G in the plan No. 284, together with the buildings and plantations thereon, from and out of all those two contiguous portions of land called Galkissawatta and Bangalawatta, situated at Galkissa; containing in extent 39 20/100 perches.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Jayasekera & Jinendradasa, Proctors and Notaries, Colombo, or to me—

H. D. JOHN PEIRIS,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Phone: 1357.

**Auction Sale.**

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 13,060, D. C., Kalutara, and the order to sell issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Thursday, January 27, 1927, commencing at 2 p.m. at the respective spots:—

1. All those undivided 2/20 shares of the soil, trees, plantations, and of the buildings standing thereon of the land called Elabodawatta and Medabinkattiya, situated at Kaldemulla in Moratuwa; and containing in extent 2 acres and 3 57/100 perches.



2. The soil, together with the trees and plantations standing thereon of lot No. 2 of the northern  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Elabodawatte, situated at Kaldemulla aforesaid; and containing in extent 1 acre and 17 perches.

H. THOMAS FERNANDO,  
Auctioneer.

Panadure, January 6, 1927.

**Auction Sale under a Mortgage Decree** 30/10/27

UNDER the decree entered in case No. 300 D. C., Negombo, in favour of Rawenna Maria Una Lana Panjacharam Chetty, by his attorney, Muna Pona Muttuwairu Pulle of Negombo, against (1) Velambage Maria Perera of Welisara, legal representative of the estate of Moragodage George Andrew Pinto Wickramaratna, Fiscal's Officer, deceased, (2) Moragodage Bernard Edwin de Pinto Wickramaratna, for himself, and as executor of the last will and testament of the late Moragodage George Andrew Pinto Wickramaratna, and the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,720, with interest on Rs. 1,000 at 18 per cent. per annum, from April 11, 1925, till September 15, 1926, and thereafter on the aggregate amount at 9 per cent. per annum, till payment in full, and costs of suit. I shall sell by public auction at the spot the following property on Saturday, February 5, 1927, at 4 P.M. to wit:—

A portion of land called Velangahawatta, situated at Welisara in Ragam pattu of the Alutkuru korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 3 roods and 19 perches, together with the tiled boutiques and the trees and all the appertenances belonging thereto.

For further particulars apply to—

K. H. PERERA,  
Licensed Auctioneer.

Negombo, January 7, 1927.

**Auction Sale under Partition Decree in D. C.**  
**Galle, Case No. 22,192.** 34/10/27

UNDER and by virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, I shall offer for sale, by public auction on Saturday, March 5, 1927, commencing at 2 P.M. at the spot the following:—

All that allotment of land called Welabodawatta *alias* Paluwatta, situated at Poramba, Ambalangoda, in the Wellaboda pattu of the Galle District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by Wadumestrikumbura and Pabewadugewatta, east by Penniwadugewatta *alias* Bentotagewatta and road, south by field and Acharigewatta *alias* another portion of Welabodawatta, and the west by sea; and containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 21.5 perches.

The said land will be sold in ten blocks A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, A7, B1, B2, and B3 (1 rood and 18.75 perches, 1 rood and 5 perches, 1 rood and 10 perches, 1 rood and 26.75 perches, 18.5 perches, 30.25 perches, 37.5 perches, 1 rood and 11 perches, 2 roods and 39 perches, 2 roods and 16.5 perches respectively) as per plan of survey No. 1,061, made by Mr. S. Warusewitane, Surveyor, and filed of record, first among co-owners at the upset price at which the blocks have been valued, and if not purchased by any one of them, they will immediately thereafter be put up for sale among the public, in terms of the Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863.

Further particulars, if necessary, may be obtained from M. C. E. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, or from me—

K. T. THOS. SILVA,  
Commissioner.

Ambalangoda, January 19, 1927.

**Auction Sale under Partition Decree in D. C.,**  
**Galle, No. 21,956.** 32

UNDER and by virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Saturday, February 26, 1927, commencing at 2.30 P.M. at the spot:—

All that allotment of land called Bataduwekumbura, situated at Batapola in the Wellaboda pattu of the Galle District; and bounded on the north by Bataduwakumbura, Bataduwaowita, and Bataduwa-udumulla, east by Bataduwakke, cinnamon estate, belonging to P. G. Peter de Silva, south by Bataduwa-kelekumbura belonging to P. G. Peter de Silva, and west by cinnamon land, Amuhena, and Kandegoda-kele; and containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 27.6 perches.

The said land will be sold in four lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 (3 roods and 8.9 perches, 2 roods and 24.3 perches, 2 roods and 5 perches, 2 roods and 29.4 perches, respectively) as per plan of survey No. 542A, made by Mr. H. B. Goonewardena, Surveyor, and filed of record, first among the co-owners at the upset price at which the blocks have been valued, and if not purchased by any one of them, they will immediately thereafter be put up for sale among the public, in terms of the Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863.

Further particulars, if necessary, may be obtained from K. T. E. de Silva, Esq., Proctor and Notary, or from me—

K. T. THOS. SILVA,  
Commissioner.

Ambalangoda, January 12, 1927.

**Auction Sale under Partition Decree in D. C.,**  
**Galle, No. 21,600.** 30

UNDER and by virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Saturday, February 26, 1927, commencing at 10 A.M. at the spot:—

Two allotments of land D and J, together with everything thereon adjoining each other, and 1 rood and 10 perches and 1 rood and 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches respectively. As per plan of survey marked by Mr. R. P. de Zoysa, Surveyor, of the land called Hathhawatta *alias* Galwalalangawatta, situated at Illukpitiya in Batapola in the Wellaboda pattu of the Galle District; and bounded on the north by Illukpiliyawatta and Delgahawatta, east by Gammeddehewa Aberanpadinchiwaunidama, south by Galwala and Balamuttagekumbura, and west by high road; containing in extent 3 acres and 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches.

The said two lots will be sold separately first among the co-owners at the upset at which they have been valued, and if not purchased by any one of them, they will immediately thereafter be put up for sale among the public, in terms of the Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863.

Further particulars, if necessary, may be obtained from A. D. de Silva, Esq., Proctor and Notary, or from me—

K. T. THOS. SILVA,  
Commissioner.

Ambalangoda, January 12, 1927.

**Auction Sale.**

*Lands at Uduvil in the District of Jaffna*

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 19,595, D. C., Jaffna, in favour of the plaintiff, Meenadchy, widow of Appukkuddy Ramalingam of Uduvil, against the defendants, Sangarappillai Rasasingham and others of Uduvil, on January

23, 1925, and by virtue of the commission issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned lands by public auction on Saturday, February 5, 1927, at 3 P.M. at the respective spots:—

1. Land situated at Uduvil called Yanthirai, in extent 20 lachams varagu culture, with well and old and young palmyras and cultivated and spontaneous plantations; and bounded on the east and north by lane, west by the property of Vairavanather Ramalingam and by the property of the 1st and 2nd defendants, and on the south by the property of Arumugam Seenivasagam and shareholders, and Murukesar Kathirithamby. The whole hereof:

2. Land situated at ditto called Andaiyinarpathy Vadaliyadaippoo and Odai, in extent 18½ lachams varagu culture, with house, palmyras, cultivated and spontaneous plantations, and share of well; and bounded on the east by the property belonging to the heirs of Sellammah, wife of Nagalingam, north by lands belonging to Sinnathamby Vairamuttu and Kathiravelu Nallathamby, west by the property belonging to Vairavy Vaithiar, and on the south by lane. Of this ½ share in common.

B. EMMANUEL,  
Commissioner.

Jaffna, January 5, 1927.

**Auction Sale.**

*Land at Valalai in the District of Jaffna.*

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 21,098, D. C., Jaffna, in favour of the plaintiff, Sinnathamby Subramaniam, Proctor, of Puloly East, against the defendants, Arumugam Kumaraswamy, Police Vidane, of Valvettiturai, and another on January 29, 1926, and by virtue of the commission issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned land by public auction on Saturday, February 5, 1927, at 5 P.M. at the spot:—

Land situated at Valalai in Achchuevely Parish called Thalalyadthalaimadai, in extent 700 lachams varagu culture, of this out of the northern ½ share excluding 14 lachams varagu culture and 12 7/12 kulies on the north out of the remaining extent, the northern ½ share is in extent 167 lachams varagu culture and 11 17/24 kulies, which with coconut trees is bounded on the east by Crown land, north by the property of Murukar Kathiripillai and the extent of land donated to the Kaladdy Vairavasamy temple out of the above-mentioned land, west by seashore, and south by the property of Mankayatkarasy, wife of Sandrasekarampillai. The whole of this.

B. EMMANUEL,  
Commissioner.

Jaffna, January 10, 1927.

**Auction Sale.**

*In the District Court of Kurunegala.*

Ragamuka Bastiana Peiris Hamine of Hapitigama ..... Plaintiff.

No. 11,639. Vs.

(1) Herat Mudiyansele Arnolis Appuhamy of Dadigama in Beragal korale, (2) Wijesundera Lekamalage Cornelis Appuhamy of Kamburagala ..... Defendants.

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 property hereinbelow declared bound and executable under the said decree on Saturday, February 12, 1927, commencing at 2 P.M. on the first land hereinbelow:—

1. An undivided ¼ share of Murutahena of about 6 lahas kurakkan sowing extent.

2. An undivided ¼ share of Murutahenewatta of 10 acres 1 rood and 39 perches in extent.

3. An undivided ¼ share of Murutahenewatta of 5 acres 2 roods and 12 perches in extent, all situate at Yatigaloluwa in Dambadeni Uducaha korale east.

Further particulars from me—

T. B. AMUNUGAMA,  
Licensed Auctioneer.

Kurunegala, January 11, 1927.

**Application for Enrolment as an Advocate.**

I, HEMA HENRY BASNAYAKE of Danandana, Vijira road, Bambalapitiya, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, to be admitted and enrolled as an Advocate of the said Court.

HEMA H. BASNAYAKE.

Bambalapitiya, January 21, 1927.

**Application for Enrolment as an Advocate.**

I, EDWIN HERBERT THEODORE GUNASEKARA of Daisy Villa lane, Bambalapitiya, Colombo, hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, to be admitted and enrolled as an Advocate of the said Court.

E. H. T. GUNASEKARA.

Daisy Villa lane,  
Bambalapitiya, January 21, 1927.

**Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.**

I, ALIA MARIKAR MOHAMED of 95, Old Moor street, Colombo, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said Court.

Colombo, January 19, 1927. A. M. MOHAMED.

**Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.**

I, CONRAD ASHTON LESLIE COREA of Korale, Watawa, Chilaw, presently of Subahadara, Norris Avenue, Maradana, Colombo, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said Court.

C. A. LESLIE COREA.

Colombo, January 19, 1927.

**Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.**

Six weeks hence, I, James Peter Salgadoe (jr.) of Liz-Oliv, Mount Lavinia, shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

Liz-Oliv, J. P. SALGADOE, JR.  
Mount Lavinia, January 21, 1927.

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

I, **AMARASINGHE MUDALIGE DON CHARLES** of Menerigama in Udugaha pattu of Raigam korale, Kalutara District do hereby give notice in terms of rule 2 in schedule I B of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, three months hence, I shall apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Matara.

Matara, January 19, 1927. *M. C. AMARASINGHE.*

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

A S required by section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907 (Schedule I.), I, the undersigned Yapa Appuhamillage Don Samuel Jayasinghe of Kossinna in Medapattu of Siyane korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province, hereby give notice that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language within the District of Ratnapura.

January 5, 1927. *Y. D. S. JAYASINGHE.*

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

A S required by section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907 (schedule I.), I, the undersigned Hettige Don Christian of Nagoda in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province, hereby give notice that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Colombo.

January 3, 1927. *H. D. CHRISTIAN.*

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

A S required by section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907 (schedule I.), I, the undersigned Wellege Dionysius Graham Richard de Silva of Edammita in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province, hereby give notice that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language within the District of Colombo.

January 4, 1927. *W. D. G. R. DE SILVA.*

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

A S required by section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907 (schedule I.), I, the undersigned Korale Gamaralalage Don Jacolis Gunatillake of Andambalama in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale in the District of Negombo, Western Province, hereby give notice that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language within the District of Kurunegala.

January 4, 1927. *K. D. J. GUNATILAKE.*

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

A S required by section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907 (schedule I.), I, the undersigned Dinayara Sestian de Silva of Hiranattivuwa Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale in the District of Negombo, Western Province, hereby give notice that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language within the District of Kegalla.

January 4, 1927.

*D. S. DE SILVA.*

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

A S required by section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907 (schedule I.) I, the undersigned Tiri-manna Hettige Don David Seneviratne of Kandana in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province, hereby give notice that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Galle.

January 3, 1927.

*T. D. SENEVIRATNA.*

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

I, **WICKREMESINGHE MUDALIGE WIPULASENA WICKREMESINGHE** of Magalegoda in Meda pattu of Siyane korale in the District of Colombo do hereby give notice in terms of rule 2 in schedule I B of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that, three months hence, I shall apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language within the District of Kurunegala.

Magalegoda, January 20, 1927.

*W. WICKREMESINGHE.*

**St. Paul's Church, Kandy.**

A GENERAL Meeting of the seat-holders of St. Paul's Church, Kandy, will be held at St. Paul's School, on Monday, January 31, 1927, at 6.15 p.m., to elect three trustees for the current year.

Kandy, January 10, 1927. *G. FRED BUULTJENS,*  
Hon. Secretary, Trustees.

**Christ Church, Jaffna.**

I GIVE notice that in accordance with the provisions of section 11 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, there will be a meeting of the Congregation of this Church on Sunday, the 30th instant, at 7 p.m., for the election of trustees for the current year.

Christ Church,  
Jaffna, January 10, 1927.

*C. H. VANDENBERG,*  
Incumbent.

**APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES, &c.**

I hereby give notice that I have applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for a new licence as per schedule noted under:—

Name and address of the applicant: *M. Dorai, 1, Turret road, Colombo.*  
Description of licence applied for: *Medicated wine and rectified spirit.*  
State whether the application is for renewal of existing or for a new licence or licences: *New licences.*  
Situation of premises to be licensed: *1, Turret road Colombo.*

*M. DORAI.*

## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying at B 2 warehouse beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, March 1, 1927, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods sold must be cleared on or before Friday, March 4, 1927.

No. and Date of Entry. 1926.	Ship	Bonded by	Marks and Numbers.	Number and Description of Packages.
2,591, September 23 ..	ss. D. Artagnan ..	Ceylon Wharfage Co.	2773 within a diamond and E G and N C outside ..	1 case steel iron joists
3265, September 23 ..	ss. Benares ..	do.	113 within a diamond and A N and T outside ..	1 case M. disc
2897, September 24 ..	ss. Ockenfels ..	do.	112 within a diamond and E T and Soo & Co. outside ..	1 case finger rings
2899, September 24 ..	do. ..	do.	111 within a diamond and V S and S H outside ..	1 case jewellery
3208, September 29 ..	ss. Goldenfels ..	do.	AA upon MT or A A and M ½ T outside a diamond ..	2 cases hunting guns

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, January 14, 1927.

F. C. GIMSON,  
for Principal Collector.

## Sale of Timber.

THE under-mentioned timber will be sold by public auction at the Forest Ranger's Office, Kekirawa, at 2 P.M., on Saturday, February 5, 1927, subject to the following conditions:—

1. The timber will be put up in convenient lots to suit buyers.
2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.
3. Payment of 25 per cent. of the successful bid to be made at the time of sale, if so required.
4. No timber will be removed before payment of the full bid, and all timber must be removed within ten days of notification of acceptance by the Conservator of Forests of such bid, and will be at the risk of the purchaser until removed. Logs not so removed will revert to the Crown.
5. Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or the balance thereof, and to remove the timber within the time specified, the lot will again be put up for auction and the original purchaser will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at such resale, while if an enhanced price is realized at such resale, he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.
6. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority.
7. Any further particulars can be obtained from the Divisional Forest Officer, North-Central Division, Anuradhapura.

## Particulars of Timber, &amp;c.

- 100 satin outside slabs (lying at Ittikattiya)
- 125 palu outside slabs (lying at Ittikattiya)
- 60 palu outside slabs (lying at Dampalessagama)
- 65 satin outside slabs (lying at Pallekagama)
- 105 palu outside slabs (lying at Pallekagama)
- 9 palu broad gauge sleepers, and
- 1 palu narrow gauge sleeper

Intending purchasers should inspect and satisfy themselves as to the correctness of the quantity and condition of the timber.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, January 18, 1927.

## "The Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924."

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 98 of the Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924, that the under-mentioned Village Committees have, with the approval of the Assistant Government Agent, Mullaittivu, prescribed the buildings noted below as their Court-houses.

The Kachcheri, Jaffna, January 18, 1927. T. B. RUSSELL,  
Government Agent.

## Maritime Pattus.

Name of the Village Committees.	Description of the Building.
1. Mulliyavalai	Udayar's Office, Mulliyavalai
2. Karikkaddumulai North	District Mudaliyar's Office, Mullaittivu
3. Karikkaddumulai South	Provincial Road Committee Madam, Kumulamunai
4. Puthukudi-iruppu	Madam, Puthukudiruppu
<i>Vavuniya North.</i>	
5. Melpattu east	Village Tribunal Court-house, Nedunkerni
6. Melpattu South and Udaiyaur	Village Tribunal Court-house, Puliyankulam
7. Karunavalpattu South	Udayar's Office, Karuppaddaimuripu
8. Melpattu North	District Mudaliyar's Office, Oddusuddan
<i>Vavuniya South (T. D.).</i>	
9. Chinnacheddikulam West	C. M. S. School, Suduventapulavu
10. Chinnacheddikulam East	Village Tribunal Court-house, Cheddikulam
11. Kilakkumulai South	District Mudaliyar's Office, Vavuniya
12. Naducheddikulam	Do.
13. Kilakkumulai North	Circuit Bungalow, Omantai
<i>Vavuniya South (S. D.)</i>	
14. Kilakkumulai South	Ratemahatmaya's Office, Madukande
15. Chinnacheddikulam	Circuit Bungalow, Ulukulama East and West

## Sale of Elephant's Tusk.

NOTICE is hereby given that the elephant's tusk advertised for sale in *Government Gazette* No. 7,563 of January 13, 1927, will be sold at 2 P.M. at the Badulla Kachcheri.

R. N. BOND,  
The Kachcheri, for Government Agent.  
Badulla, January 17, 1927.

**Loss of Firearms.****GALLE DISTRICT.**

Description of Gun: Single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun, No. 1823G marked on the stock.  
 Number of Licence: No. 3296/B66911.  
 Name of Owner: Johanis Wijesingha of Wackwella, Four Gravets, Galle District, Southern Province.  
 Remarks: Reported to have been lost.

P. H. DE LA HARPE,  
 for Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Galle, January 17, 1927.

**KURUNEGALA DISTRICT.**

A single-barrelled cap gun, No. Q 4420 on the stock and barrel, belonging to D. M. D. Dissanayake of Mepitiya in Hiriyala hatpattu in the Kurunegala District.

H. W. ABEYWARDENE,  
 for Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Kurunegala, January 12, 1927.

A single-barrelled cap gun, No. Q 1644 on stock, belonging to R. M. Punchirala of Minhettiya in Weuda Willi hatpattu in Kurunegala District.

H. W. ABEYWARDENE,  
 for Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Kurunegala, January 12, 1927.

A single-barrelled cap gun, No. Q 4993 marked on the stock and barrel, belonging to A. Bandiya of Pallegama in Weudawili hatpattu in the Kurunegala District.

H. W. ABEYWARDENE,  
 for Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Kurunegala, January 17, 1927.

**PUTTALAM DISTRICT.**

An air gun, marked on stock 3812, lost in the train while taking it to Colombo for repairs on December 14, 1926.

Owner: Mr. A. M. Perera, Licensed Surveyor, Chilaw.

C. SITTAMPALAM,  
 for Assistant Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Puttalam, January 12, 1927.

A single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun, No. 8940 marked on the barrel, N. S. L. Mohideen Lebbe & Sons, on stock 8940, 1936, 1911, and 3735.  
 Owner: Peer Mohammado Uduma Naina Marikar of Puluduwayel.

C. SITTAMPALAM,  
 for Assistant Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Puttalam, January 17, 1927.

**RATNAPURA DISTRICT.**

Description of Property: One single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun, No. 484 on stock.  
 Number of Licence: 484/AT.  
 Name of Owner: Galgodage Baba of Panapitiya.  
 Remarks: The gun is reported to have been lost.

W. D. GODSALL,  
 for Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Ratnapura, January 11, 1927.

Description of property: One single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun, No. 597 on stock.  
 Number of licence: 775/KR.  
 Owner: Eratnage Rattranhamy of Dodampe.  
 Remarks: The gun is reported to have been lost.

W. D. GODSALL,  
 for Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Ratnapura, January 12, 1927.

Description of Property: One single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun No. 281,472 on stock.  
 Number of Licence: 472/KO.  
 Owner: Kankanidurage Heena of Wijeriya.  
 Remarks: The gun is reported to have been lost.

J. M. DE SILVA,  
 for Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Ratnapura, January 18, 1927.

**Examiner of Mechanically Propelled Vehicles.**

BY virtue of powers vested in me under rule 1 of the rules regarding mechanically propelled vehicles made by the proper authority of every Province, district, or town within the Island, under the provisions of "The Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916," and appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,104 of May 21, 1920, it is hereby notified that Mr. J. W. H. Casinader, District Engineer, Vavuniya, has been nominated by me as Examiner of Mechanically Propelled Vehicles for the Mullaittivu District from January 1, 1927, until further orders.

P. SARAVANAMUTTU,  
 Assistant Government Agent.  
 The Kachcheri,  
 Mullaittivu, January 13, 1927.

**Bookbinder, Government Record Office.**

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of bookbinder, Government Record Office. Salary Rs. 420 per annum rising to Rs. 600 per annum by annual increments of Rs. 15.

Applicants must possess a knowledge of bookbinding and should have passed the 7th standard in English.

GEORGE PRIGBUS,  
 for Colonial Secretary.  
 January 19, 1927.

**English Teachers' Certificate Examination, August, 1926.***Supplementary Pass List.***TEACHERS' CERTIFICATE (ORDINARY).**

Index No.	Name.	School.
54	Grebe, Alice	Sacred Heart Convent, Galle

L. MACRAE,  
 Director of Education.  
 Education Office,  
 Colombo, January 15, 1927.

English School-Leaving Certificate Examination, October, 1926.

DETAILED RESULTS.

THE following are the results in detail of the candidates for the above examination. The letter "p" denotes pass, horizontal line "—" failure, and "a" absence:—

Index No.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	English.	Geography.	History.	Sinhalese.	Tamil.	Mathematics.	Needlework.	Bookkeeping.	Shorthand.	Drawing.	Nature Study.	Physiology and Hygiene.	Elementary Science.	Result of whole Examination
1	p	p	p	p	—											p
2	p	p	p	p	p											p
3	p	p	p	p	p											p
4	p	p	p	p	p											p
5	p	p	p	p	p											p
6	p	p	p	p	p											p
7	p	p	p	p	p											p
8	p	p	p	p	p											p
9	p	p	p	p	p											p
10	Absent.															a
11	p	p	p	—	—		—									p
12	p	p	p	—	—		—									p
13	p	p	p	—	p		—					p				p
14	p	p	p		p			p								p
15	Absent.															a
16	p	—	p	—				p							p	—
17	p	—	p	—	p			—				p				—
18	p	—	p	—	p			—				p				—
19	p	—	p	p	p			—				p				—
20	—	—	p	p	p			—				—				—
21	p	p	p	—	p			—				p				—
22	Absent.															a
23	p	p	p		p			—				p				p
24	—	p	p		p			—				p				—
25	p	p	p		p			—				p				—
26	p	p	p		p			—				p				—
27	Absent.															a
28	p	p	p	p	—			—				p				—
29	p	p	p	—				—				p				—
30	p	p	p	—				—				p				—
31	p	p	p	p	—			—				p				—
32	p	p	p	p	—			—				p				—
33	Absent.															a
34	p	p	p	—				—				p				—
35	p	p	p	—	p			—				p				—
36	p	—	p	—	p			—				p				—
37	p	p	p		p			—				p				—
38	Absent.															a
39	—	p	p	—	p			—				p				—
40	p	p	p	—			p	—				p				—
41	Absent.															a
42	p	p	p		p		—	—				—				—
43	p	p	—	—	p			—				—				—
44	p	—	—	—	p			—				—				—
45	—	—	—	—	p			a				—		p		—
46	p	—	p	p	p			—				p				—
47	p	p	p	—				—				p				—
48	Absent.															a
49	p	p	p		p		—	—				—				—
50	p	p	p		p			—				—				—
51	p	p	p		p			—				—				—
52	p	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
53	p	—	p	—	—			—				—				—
54	p	—	p	—	p			—				—				—
55	—	p	p	—	—			—				—				—
56	p	—	p	—	p			—				—				—
57	p	p	p	—	p			—				—			p	—
58	p	p	p	p	p			—				—				—
59	p	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
60	p	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
61	—	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
62	p	p	p	p	p			—				—				—
63	p	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
64	p	p	p	p	p			—				—				—
65	p	p	p	p	p			—				—				—
66	p	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
67	p	p	p	p	p			—				—				—
68	—	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
69	p	p	p	—	p			—				—				—
70	p	p	p	—	—			—				—				—
71	p	p	p	—	—			—				—				—
72	p	p	p	—	—			—				—				—
73	p	p	p	—	—			—				—				—
74	p	p	p	—	—			—				—				—
75	p	p	p	—	—			—				—				—
76	p	—	p	—	—			—				—				—
77	p	p	p	—	—			—				—				—

Index No.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	English.	Geography.	History.	Sinhalese.	Tamil.	Mathematics.	Needlework.	Bookkeeping.	Shorthand.	Drawing.	Nature Study.	Physiology and Hygiene.	Elementary Science.	Result of whole Examination.
78	p															
79	p															
80	p															
81	p															
82	p															
83	p															
84	p									a						
85	p															
86	p															
87	Absent.															
88	p															
89	p															
90	p															
91	Absent.															
92	p															
93	p															
94	p															
95	p															
96	p															
97	p															
98	p															
99	p															
100	p															
101	p															
102	Absent.															
103	p															
104	p															
105	p															
106	p															
107	p															
108	p															
109	p															
110	p															
111	p															
112	p															
113	p															
114	p															
115	p															
116	p															
117	p															
118	p															
119	p															
120	p															
121	p															
122	p															
123	p															
124	p															
125	p															
126	p															
127	p															
128	p															
129	p															
130	p															
131	p															
132	p															
133	p															
134	p															
135	p															
136	p															
137	p															
138	p															
139	p															
140	p															
141	p															
142	Absent.															
143	p															
144	p															
145	Absent.															
146	p															
147	p															
148	p															
149	p															
150	p															
151	p															
152	p															
153	p															
154	p															
155	p															
156	p															
157	p															
158	p															
159	p															
160	p															
161	p															

















Index No.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	English.	Geography.	History.	Sinhalese.	Tamil.	Mathematics.	Needlework.	Bookkeeping.	Shorthand.	Drawing.	Nature Study.	Physiology and Hygiene.	Elementary Science.	Result of whole Examination.
748	p	p	p	p	p		p									
749	p	p	p	p	p		p									
750	p	p	p	p	p		p									
751	Absent.															
752	p	p	p	p	p		p									
753																
754	p	p	p	p	p		p									
755	p	p	p	p	p		p									
756	p	p	p	p	p		p									
757	p	p	p	p	p		p									
758	p	p	p	p	p		p									
759	p	p	p	p	p		p									
760	p	p	p	p	p		p									
761	p	p	p	p	p		p									
762	p	p	p	p	p		p									
763	p	p	p	p	p		p									
764	p	p	p	p	p		p									
765	p	p	p	p	p		p									
766	p	p	p	p	p		p									
767	p	p	p	p	p		p									
768	p	p	p	p	p		p									
769	p	p	p	p	p		p									
770	p	p	p	p	p		p									
771	p	p	p	p	p		p									
772	p	p	p	p	p		p									
773	p	p	p	p	p		p									
774	p	p	p	p	p		p									
775	p	p	p	p	p		p									
776	p	p	p	p	p		p									
777	p	p	p	p	p		p									
778	p	p	p	p	p		p									
779	p	p	p	p	p		p									
780	p	p	p	p	p		p									
781	p	p	p	p	p		p									
781A	p	p	p	p	p		p									
782	p	p	p	p	p		p									
783	p	p	p	p	p		p									
784	p	p	p	p	p		p									
785	p	p	p	p	p		p									
786	p	p	p	p	p		p									
787	p	p	p	p	p		p									
788	p	p	p	p	p		p									
789	p	p	p	p	p		p									
790	p	p	p	p	p		p									
791	p	p	p	p	p		p									
792	p	p	p	p	p		p									
793	p	p	p	p	p		p									
794	p	p	p	p	p		p									
795	p	p	p	p	p		p									
796	p	p	p	p	p		p									
797	p	p	p	p	p		p									
798	p	p	p	p	p		p									
799	p	p	p	p	p		p									
800	p	p	p	p	p		p									
801	p	p	p	p	p		p									
802	p	p	p	p	p		p									
803	p	p	p	p	p		p									
804	p	p	p	p	p		p									
805	p	p	p	p	p		p									
806	p	p	p	p	p		p									
807	p	p	p	p	p		p									
808	p	p	p	p	p		p									
809	p	p	p	p	p		p									
810	p	p	p	p	p		p									
811	p	p	p	p	p		p									
812	p	p	p	p	p		p									
813	p	p	p	p	p		p									
814	p	p	p	p	p		p									
815	p	p	p	p	p		p									
816	p	p	p	p	p		p									
817	p	p	p	p	p		p									
818	p	p	p	p	p		p									
819	p	p	p	p	p		p									
820	p	p	p	p	p		p									
821	p	p	p	p	p		p									
822	p	p	p	p	p		p									
823	p	p	p	p	p		p									
824	p	p	p	p	p		p									
825	p	p	p	p	p		p									
826	Absent.															
827	p	p	p	p	p		p									
828	p	p	p	p	p		p									
829	p	p	p	p	p		p									
830	p	p	p	p	p		p									
831	p	p	p	p	p		p									















Index No.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	English.	Geography.	History.	Sinhalese.	Tamil.	Mathematics.	Needlework.	Book keeping.	Shorthand.	Drawing.	Nature Study.	Physiology and Hygiene.	Elementary Science.	Result of whole Examination.
1341	p															
1342	p	p	p													
1343	p	p	p		p											p
1344	p	p	p							p						
1345	p	p	p						p							
1346	p	p	p						p							
1347	p	p	p						p							
1348	p	p							p							
1349	p	p	p													
1350	Absent															a
1351			p									p				
1352	p	p														
1353	p	p	p													
1354	p		p		p											
1355	p		p									a				

Education Office  
Colombo, January 18, 1927.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

#### KI/Kaludewala Mixed Vernacular School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. A. Ker for grant in aid of the above school, which is situated in Kaludewala, Kalutara District of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than February 22, 1927.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.  
Education Office,  
Colombo, January 21, 1927.

#### J/Narantbanai Arumuga Vidyasalai Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school, situated at Narantbanai in the Islands Division of Jaffna District of the Northern Province, under the management of Hon. Sir P. Ramanathan, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school with effect from November 1, 1925.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.

Education Office,  
Colombo, January 13, 1927.

#### Rajapakse Kumara Wanniyaya Estate Vernacular Buddhist School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Superintendent, Rajapakse Kumara Wanniyaya estate for grant in aid of the above school, which is situated on the above estate, Puttalam District of the North-Western Province.

Observation will be received not later than February 22, 1927.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.  
Education Office,  
Colombo, January 21, 1927.

#### Kg/Talgomuwa Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the General Manager, Buddhist Schools, Colombo, for grant in aid of the above school, which is situated in Talgomuwa, Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observation will be received not later than February 22, 1927.

L. MACRAE,  
Director of Education.  
Education Office,  
Colombo, January 21, 1927.

#### Sale of Produce, Experiment Station, Peradeniya.

THE following produce of the Experiment Station, Peradeniya, will be sold by public auction sale, on Tuesday, February 1, 1927, at 9 A.M. on the spot:—

Unselected maize  
Clearing of cacao and dadap  
One Anglo-Paris lawn mower (unserviceable)  
Cacao refuse  
Firewood  
Dry coffee  
Coconuts  
Copra  
Two white Indian bulls

A deposit of Rs. 10 will be required to be made with the Manager of the Experiment Station, by the purchasers of each of the articles purchased. Should any person fail to remove the produce within seven days, inclusive of the date of purchase, such deposits will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned when the articles purchased have been removed.

Payment must be made before delivery. The produce will be delivered at the store of the Experiment Station, Peradeniya, where it can be seen by intending purchasers.

The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of accepting or rejecting the highest offer.

F. A. STOCKDALE,  
Director of Agriculture.

Peradeniya, January 15, 1927.

#### Interruption to Traffic on Main Roads.

Western Province—Panadure District.

IT is hereby notified that owing to damage to bridge No. 58 on the 7th mile Hanwella to Ingiriya road, traffic should proceed *via* Mipe junction, Padukka, and Bope junction. The portion of the road between Mipe and Bope junctions will be closed for through traffic till January 31, 1927, to admit of repairs being effected to the bridge.

W. J. PRICE,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, January 17, 1927.

**Rinderpest.**

IN terms of section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, I do hereby proclaim that the District Road Committee road from Katuwana to Talawa is closed to all cattle traffic from Amudaman-ara to Middeniya junction for a further period of ten days from the date hereof.

C. SENARATNE,  
for Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, January 15, 1927.

**Rinderpest.**

IN terms of section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, I do hereby proclaim that the Walasmulla-Hakmana road as far as the Matara District boundary is closed to all cattle traffic for a further period of ten days from the date hereof.

C. SENARATNE,  
for Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, January 17, 1927.

**Rinderpest.**

IN terms of section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, I do hereby proclaim that Talahagan-waduwa-Miella road as far as the Matara District boundary is closed to all cattle traffic for a further period of ten days from the date hereof.

C. SENARATNE,  
for Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, January 18, 1927.

**Rinderpest.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Paranakade in the Kalutara totamune of the Kalutara 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 January 13, 1927, is not an infected area. The disease on diagnosis proved not to be rinderpest.

E. T. DYSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Kalutara, January 18, 1927.

**Rabies.**

NOTICE is hereby given that rabies exists in the Colombo and Negombo Districts of the Western Province. Any dog which is not controlled by a muzzle or led by a competent person on a chain in any public road or place, will be seized and dealt with under the rules passed under "The Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893."

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, January 11, 1927.

R. N. THAINE,  
Government Agent.

**Rabies.**

NOTICE is hereby given that rabies exists in the Colombo and Negombo Districts of the Western Province. Any dog which is not controlled by a muzzle or led by a competent person on a chain in any public road or place within the limits of the Local Board of Minuwangoda, will be seized and dealt with under the rules passed under "The Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893."

C. H. A. SAMARAKKODY,  
Deputy Chairman.

Local Board Office,  
Minuwangoda, January 14, 1927.

**Rabies.**

NOTICE is hereby given that as an outbreak of rabies has occurred in Urapola, Danture, and Arambegama wasamas in Yatinuwara division of the Kandy District, the said area is hereby proclaimed from this day under "The Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893." The area is bounded as follows:—

On the north by Udawela and Dodanwela wasamas; on the east by Dodanwela, Giragama, and Moladanda wasamas; on the south by Udu-nuwara division; and on the west by Haliyadde and Walgampaya wasamas.

All owners of dogs are hereby warned that they must keep their dogs muzzled and under proper control within this area, until further notice. All unmuzzled or uncontrolled dogs found in any public place, within the said area, will be destroyed.

E. H. DAVIES,  
for Government Agent.  
The Kachcheri,  
Kandy, January 17, 1927.

**SALES OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.****Toll Rents, Western Province.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, January 27, 1927, at 12 noon, will be put up for resale at the Colombo Kachcheri, at the risk of the original purchasers for the period mentioned below, the under-mentioned Toll Rents of the Western Province, the original purchasers of which may have failed to pay on or before that date the instalment for the month of December, 1926, or any part thereof, that may be due and owing on that date.

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

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

From February to September 30, 1927.

Canals.—(1) Hendala, (2) Grandpass, (3) Kittan-pahuwa.

R. N. THAINE,  
Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, January 5, 1927.

## NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specification has been accepted:—

No. 2,168 of January 15, 1926.

*Christian Gleeup-Moller.*

An improved electric illuminated advertising device.

*Abstract.*—A rotatable drum has facets on which are universal letters which can be illuminated with lamps or by the removal of shades. Individual lamps or shades are actuated electrically. The necessary contacts are made in two ways, either by the rotatable drum carrying with it a series of contact tables over which runs an endless belt also carrying contact tables, or behind each facet is a drum rotated by the main drum and carrying contact bands which can make connection with contact springs.

The claims are:—

1. An improved electric illuminated advertising device, in which movable universal letters are employed.
2. An improved electric illuminated advertising device as claimed in claim 1, in which the letters form the outer side of a rotatable drum.
3. An improved electric illuminated advertising device as claimed in claims 1 and 2, in which the universal letters are connected to one or more contact tables, by which means a universal letter shows a new letter or sign for each revolution or certain number of revolutions the drum performs.
4. An improved electric illuminated advertising device as claimed in claims 1 to 3, in which the drum formed by the letters is rigidly arranged upon a rotatable spindle, and the said spindle carries a collection of contact tables corresponding to the collection of universal letters and in a similar manner forming a drum, by which means the contact pieces, upon engaging a contact-table, cause the correct number of lamps to light or the correct shades to move in the corresponding universal letter.
5. An improved electric illuminated advertising device as claimed in claim 4, in which the contact pieces are arranged as a chain, which is laid over the contact drum and carried round with it.
6. An improved electric illuminated advertising device as claimed in claims 1 to 3; in which each lamp or shade in the universal letters is connected with its contact spring, and each contact spring for every universal letter is arranged alongside each other and acted upon by the contact pieces, of which there is one for each letter, and arranged as shifters upon a cylinder that advances one contact piece at each revolution or certain number of revolutions of the advertising drum.
7. An improved electric illuminated advertisement device as claimed in claim 6, in which the cylinder is rotated by means of a toothed wheel engaging a rail.
8. An improved electric illuminated advertisement device as claimed in claim 7, in which the rail moves slowly around the spindle.
9. The improved electric illuminated advertisement device, substantially as hereinbefore described and as illustrated in the accompanying drawings.

One sheet of drawings.

NORMAN RAE,  
Registrar of Patents.

THE following Specification has been accepted:—

No. 2,028 of January 26, 1924 (Date applied for under Section 48 of the Ordinance, June 17, 1921).

*Alfred William MacIlwaine.*

Improvements in or relating to the preservation and preparation for transportation of oil-bearing raw material, such as nuts, seeds, and copra.

*Abstract.*—Rubber nuts, walnuts, cohune nuts, kapok seed, or copra are compressed into a solid block for transport by means of a pressure not great enough to expel oil. An apparatus is described in which this can be done by a hydraulic press, the final block being sewn up in jute while still in the press.

The claims are:—

1. A method of preparation for transport and/or preservation of oil-bearing raw material, such as nuts, seeds or copra, which consists in compressing quantities of said material in bulk, under a pressure insufficient to express any appreciable quantity of the contained oil, but sufficient to form a package of greatly reduced bulk.
2. A method according to claim 1, wherein the pressure employed is insufficient to express any of the contained oil, but sufficient to form the material into a coherent block.
3. A method according to claim 1 or claim 2, as applied to nuts or seeds, wherein the nuts or seeds are compressed while within their shells or casings, for the purpose described.
4. A method according to claim 1, claim 2, or claim 3, wherein the oil-bearing material is enclosed in jute or like material, substantially as described.
5. The method of preparation for transport and/or preservation of oil-bearing raw material of the type specified, substantially as herein described.
6. As a new product, a block or package of oil-bearing raw material of the type specified, prepared in the manner set forth in any one of the foregoing claims.

One sheet of drawings.

W. N. RAE,  
Registrar of Patents.



THE following Specification has been accepted.

No. 2,101 of December 4, 1924 (Date applied for under Section 50 of the Ordinance, December 13, 1923).

Alfred William MacIlwaine.

Improvements in or relating to the preservation of rubber nuts and the preparation of said nuts for transportation.

*Abstract.*—The applicant describes a method of packing rubber nuts in which the nuts are first decorticated, then compressed to a compact mass using a pressure insufficient to express the oil. The compression is carried out between Jute Hessian sheets which are folded and sewn before the pressure on the packages is released.

The claims are :—

1. A method of preparing rubber nuts for transport and storage which consists in first breaking the shells of the nuts and then compressing quantities of said nuts in bulk under a pressure insufficient to express any appreciable quantity of the contained oil, but sufficient to form a block or package of greatly reduced bulk.
  2. A method according to claim 1, wherein the nuts are decorticated before compression.
  3. The method of preparing rubber nuts for transport and storage, substantially as herein described.
  4. A block or package of rubber nuts prepared in the manner set forth in any of the foregoing claims.
- No drawings.

W. N. RAE,  
Registrar of Patents.

### 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. 3,710.

(2) Date of Receipt: November 12, 1926.

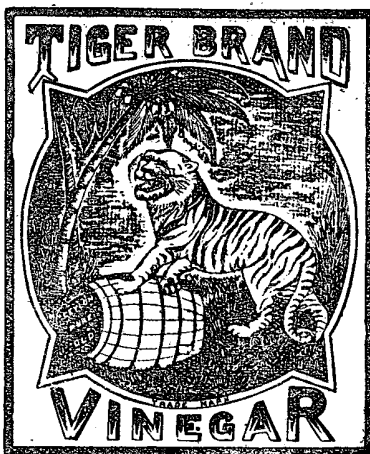
(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): WEERASINGHEARACHIGE JAMES RICHARD PERERA, carrying on business as "THE JAMES' MANUFACTURING WORKS," No. 1, Price place (Price Park), Pettah, Colombo. Manufacturers and dealers in vinegar &c.

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

(5) Class: Forty-two.

(6) Goods: Vinegar for food purposes.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the distinctive device and the word "TIGER," and no claim is made to the exclusive use of the added matter.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,  
Colombo, December 8, 1926. Registrar-General.

NOTICE is hereby given that any person who has grounds of objection to the registration of the following Trade Mark may, within two months from the date of this Gazette, lodge Notice of Opposition on Form T. M. No. 7 with an uncanceled stamp of Rs. 20 affixed thereto.

The period for lodging Notice of Opposition may be enlarged by the Registrar if he thinks fit and upon such terms as he may direct.

(1) Trade Mark No. 3,744.

(2) Date of Receipt: December 21, 1926.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): KASSEN OUD & PIETER OUD, trading as WED. G. OUD. PZ. & CO., Peperstraat D 134/135, Purmerend, Holland; Manufacturers.

(4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, No. 22, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.

(5) Class: Forty-three.

(6) Goods: Fermented liquors and spirits.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar of Trade Marks.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, January 19, 1927.

## NOTICE UNDER "THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE, No. 11 OF 1920."

## RATNAPURA URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

## Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Ratnapura Urban District Council for 1926.

		REVENUE.			
		Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<b>A.—General Revenue :—</b>					
(1) Property tax (171 (1) (a))	..	12,372 79			
(2) Acreage tax (171 (1) (b))	..	—			
(3) Vehicles and animals tax (173 (1) (b))	..	4,228 50			
(4) Licence duties (173 (1) (c))	..	545 0			
(5) Other taxes (173 (d))	..	—			
(6) Refund of stamp duties	..	4,257 75			
(7) Refund of liquor licences	..	1,284 0			
(8) Refund of police tax	..	4,752 93			
(9) Compensation for opium revenue	..	3,409 23			
(10) Fines by court (not included elsewhere)	..	512 25			
Fines—Departmental	..	11 50			
(11) Pension contributions	..	—			
(12) Assessment arrears recovery, &c.	..	54 53			
(13) Interest from bank	..	569 10			
			31,997 58		
<b>B.—Thoroughfares :—</b>					
(1) Labour tax (173 (1) (a))	..	4,650 0			
(2) Fines on defaulters	..	227 0			
(3) Other Collections—					
Fines under Part IV., Chap. II.	..	273 50			
Sale of badges, &c.	..	—			
Sale of old stores	..	137 50			
Stray cattle poundage fees	..	110 23			
Fines Departmental	..	43 50			
Sale of firewood	..	26 20			
Demuwatta ferry toll rent fees	..	1,010 4			
			6,477 97		
<b>C.—Resthouse and Ambalams :—</b>					
(1) Fees 60	..	4,291 15			
(2) Sale of old articles	..	32 75			
			4,323 90		
<b>D.—Council Lands and Buildings :—</b>					
(1) Rents	..	210 30			
(2) Sale of produce	..	63 75			
			274 5		
<b>E.—Public Health :—</b>					
(1) General revenue—					
(a) Fines under Part IV., Chapter III.	..	278 0			
(b) Other-unexpended balance	..	7 29			
			285 29		
(2) Scavenging—					
(a) Fees (168 (10) (b))	..	—			
(b) Sale of refuse (130)	..	60 0			
(c) Fines on contractors and coolies	..	—			
			60 0		
(3) Conservancy—					
(a) Fees (168 (10) (c))	..	5,650 0			
(b) Sale of refuse (130)	..	—			
(c) Fines on contractors and coolies	..	27 70			
(d) Refunds	..	0 50			
			5,678 20		
<b>(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—</b>					
(a) Fees (168 (11) (a))	..	1,324 25			
Fees—Special licence to slaughter	..	—			
(b) Sale of refuse	..	—			
			1,324 25		
<b>(5) Water supply—</b>					
(a) Water rate (141 (b) 146)	..	7,551 58			
(b) Surplus cost and distraining fees	..	1 10			
			7,552 68		
<b>(6) Hospitals—</b>					
(a) Contribution from Government	..	—			
(b) Rent of hospital grounds	..	—			
			—		
<b>(7) Markets and Galas—</b>					
(a) Rents (168 (12))	..	3,778 0			
(b) Boutiques and stalls (168 (12))	..	—			
(c) Fees for private markets (150 (3))	..	—			
(d) Licences (163 (1))	..	56 0			
(e) Other, fines on contractors and coolies	..	183 0			
			4,017 0		
<b>F.—Public Recreation :—</b>					
(a) Rents	..	264 0			
(b) Cattle grazing fees	..	85 80			
(c) Licences for public performances	..	36 0			
(d) Grant for upkeep of Fort grounds	..	90 0			
			475 80		
<b>G.—Cemeteries :—</b>					
(1) Fees	..	469 50			
(2) Hire of hearse	..	70 0			
(3) Graves sold, &c.	..	30 0			
(4) Fees for maintaining of Church of England burial grounds	..	24 0			
			593 50		
<b>H.—Dog Registration :—</b>					
(1) Registration fees	..	117 0			
(2) Fines	..	0 30			
(3) Sale of dog collars	..	—			
(4) Seizing fees	..	—			
			117 30		
<b>I.—Weights and Measures :—</b>					
(1) Fees for stamping	..	54 60			
(2) Fines	..	16 50			
			71 10		
<b>J.—Electricity Department :—</b>					
(1) Sale of current	..	—			
(2) Rent of meters	..	—			
(3) Works executed for customers	..	—			
(4) Miscellaneous	..	—			
			—		
Total revenue	..	—	63,248 62		
Other receipts refund of advances	..	—	—		
Balance, January 1, 1926	..	—	33,769 50		
			97,018 12		

## EXPENDITURE.

	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.			
<b>A.—General Expenditure :—</b>								
(1) Salaries of officers (not otherwise charged)—			(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—					
(a) Secretary ..	2,400	0	(a) Wages ..	288	0			
(b) Revenue inspector ..	360	0	(b) Maintenance ..	60	7			
(c) Clerk ..	1,200	0	(c) Acquisition ..	—	—			
(d) Peon ..	252	0	(d) Construction ..	—	—			
(e) Cost of technical advisors ..	34	0	(e) Cattle disease ..	—	—			
(f) Pensions ..	237	96			348 7			
(g) Process server ..	180	0	(5) Water supply—					
(h) Messenger ..	210	0	(a) Wages ..	—	—			
(2) Establishment expenses—			(b) Stores ..	78	13			
(a) Allowances (not otherwise charged)	884	34	(c) Maintenance ..	228	96			
(b) Travelling ..	—	—	(d) Acquisition ..	—	—			
(c) Commission to tax collectors (not otherwise charged)	642	88	(e) Construction ..	175	0			
(d) Assessor's fees ..	75	0	(f) Loan charges ..	—	—			
(e) Legal expenses ..	—	—	(g) Commission to collectors ..	109	32			
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising, and office expenses	985	61			591 41			
(g) Registration of voters, &c. ..	5	30	(6) Hospitals—					
(h) Cost of cart plates ..	64	47	(a) Wages ..	—	—			
(i) Cost of audit ..	570	1	(b) Maintenance ..	1,116	51			
(j) Holiday railway tickets ..	93	38	(c) Paupers ..	—	—			
(3) Refunds ..	54	50			1,116 51			
		8,249 45	(7) Markets and Galas—					
<b>B.—Thoroughfares :—</b>								
(1) Salaries and wages ..	924	0	(a) Wages ..	—	—			
(2) Maintenance ..	11,270	5	(b) Maintenance ..	155	31			
(3) Plant and tools ..	211	55	(c) Printing ..	9	25			
(4) Lighting ..	3,780	95	(d) Acquisition ..	—	—			
(5) Watering streets ..	—	—	(e) Construction ..	—	—			
(6) Commission to tax collectors ..	355	8	(f) Loan charges ..	—	—			
(7) Cost of badges and fare tables ..	—	—			164 56			
(8) Acquisition ..	4,258	50	<b>F.—Public Recreation :—</b>					
(9) Improvements ..	1,273	28	(a) Wages ..	—	—			
(10) Loan charges ..	—	—	(b) Maintenance ..	390	63			
(11) Refunds ..	—	—	(c) Other—King's Birthday celebrations	100	0			
(12) Fire extinguishers ..	171	22	(d) Acquisition ..	—	—			
		22,244 63			490 63			
<b>C.—Resthouse and Ambalams :—</b>								
(1) Salaries ..	649	0	<b>G.—Cemeteries :—</b>					
(2) Maintenance ..	825	44	(1) Wages ..	801	0			
(3) Furniture and equipment ..	1,433	95	(2) Maintenance ..	118	49			
(4) Improvements ..	—	—			919 49			
		2,908 39	<b>H.—Dog Registration :—</b>					
<b>D.—Council Lands and Buildings :—</b>								
(1) Wages ..	—	—	(1) Destruction of dogs	21	75			
(2) Commission to collectors ..	—	—	Gun licences ..	2	50			
(3) Rent of office ..	480	0	(2) Commission to collectors ..	4	45			
(4) Maintenance ..	417	32	(3) Cost of dog collars ..	—	—			
(5) Furniture ..	168	71	(4) Cost of seizers ..	—	—			
(6) Police tax ..	150	16	(5) Dog pound maintenance ..	—	—			
(7) Loan charges ..	—	—			28 70			
		1,216 19	<b>I.—Weights and Measures :—</b>					
<b>E.—Public Health :—</b>								
(1) General expenditure—			(1) Fees to examiner ..	—	—			
(a) Salaries ..	1,320	0	(2) Stores ..	—	—			
(b) Allowances ..	735	0	<b>J.—Electricity Department :—</b>					
(c) Uniforms ..	231	30	(1) Generation of electricity—					
(d) Printing and stationery ..	—	—	(a) Fuel ..	—	—			
(e) Disinfectants ..	134	70	(b) Oil, waste, and engine room stores ..	—	—			
		2,421 0	(c) Salaries and wages at works ..	—	—			
(2) Scavenging—			(2) Repairs and maintenance—					
(a) Wages ..	3,171	95	(a) Building ..	—	—			
(b) Carts and bulls ..	3,999	31	(b) Engines, boilers, machinery, and plant ..	—	—			
(c) Stores ..	48	60	(c) Meters, switches and other apparatus ..	—	—			
		7,219 86	(3) Service and house connections—					
(3) Conservancy—			(a) Materials ..	—	—			
(a) Wages ..	3,776	0	(b) Labour (temporary) ..	—	—			
(b) Carts and bulls ..	3,349	59	(4) Managements and general expenses—					
(c) Stores ..	234	62	(a) Salaries, &c., electrician and clerk ..	—	—			
(d) Rent of nightsoil depôts ..	43	0	(b) Salaries, &c., outdoor staff ..	—	—			
(e) Maintenance of latrines ..	153	50	(c) Printing and stationery ..	—	—			
(f) Acquisition ..	—	—	(d) Sundries ..	—	—			
(g) Construction ..	—	—	(5) Loan charges—					
		7,556 71	(a) Interest ..	—	—			
<b>Total expenditure</b> ..								
<b>Other payments, advances</b> ..								
<b>Balance, December 31, 1926</b> ..								
					55,475 60			
					41,542 52			
					97,018 12			

Deposit Account, 1926.					
RECEIPTS.		Amount.	EXPENDITURE.		Amount.
		Rs. c.			Rs. c.
Receipts .. .. .		2,996 14	Refunds .. .. .		2,681 5
Balance, January 1, 1926 .. .. .		2,543 86	Balance, December 31, 1926 .. .. .		2,858 95
		5,540 0			Total .. .. .
					5,540 0

**Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Ratnapura Urban District Council on December 31, 1926.**

LIABILITIES.		Amount.	ASSETS.		Amount.
		Rs. c.			Rs. c.
Deposits .. .. .		2,858 95	Cash in Kachcheri .. .. .		10,129 80
Balance surplus cash .. .. .		41,542 52	Cash in Chartered Bank of India .. .. .		14,271 67
		44,401 47	Cash in Mercantile Bank of India .. .. .		20,000 0
					Total .. .. .
					44,401 47

January 11, 1927.

T. WALLOPPILLAI,  
Chairman.

### ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

#### Railway Gorge Branch Road.

(Between Caledonia Gap and the Railway Gorge.)

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, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, February 12, 1927, 9.45 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety .. .. .	Rs. 175 00
Private contributions .. .. .	Rs. 179 37

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
The Ceylon Estates Investment Association, Limited .. .. .	Macduff	221
(Col. J. A. S. Agar) Ceylofr Tea Plantations Co., Ltd. .. .. .	Tangakelley	910
The Vallekellie Tea Company .. .. .	Ouvahkellie	593
The Dimbulla Valley Tea Company .. .. .	Elgin	291
Do. .. .. .	Kellyhill	158

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

E. H. DAVIES,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, January 11, 1927.

#### Duckwari-Cottaganga Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held at Cottaganga Bungalow, on Monday, January 31, 1927, at 9 A.M.

#### Business.

- To consider and pass estimate for the maintenance of the road for 1926-27.
- To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

(a) The names of estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road.

(b) The sections of the road used by each estate.

(c) The names of proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—for the assessment of moiety of cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1927.

E. H. DAVIES,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, January 11, 1927. for Chairman.

#### Proposed Road from Ginigathena to Arslena.

WHEREAS an application has been made by the superintendent of Arslena estate to have the above road constructed and brought under "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," notice is hereby given that, acting under the provisions of section 6 of Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, the Provincial Road Committee, Central Province, will on Saturday, February 12, 1927, at 9.45 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to define the limits of the district in respect of the road from Ginigathena to Arslena, the estates in which will be assessed for the construction, upkeep, and repairs to the above road, and that at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

It is proposed that the district shall consist of the following estates:—

Proprietors.	Estates.	Acreage.
W. H. Pate .. .. .	Dambegolla	50
P. P. C. Walker .. .. .	Ginigathena	40
Y. L. Punchi Appuhamy .. .. .	Hiharepitiya	50
K. Appuhamy .. .. .	Kapugederawatte	40
Homagedera Appuhamy .. .. .	Homagamawatte	22
Y. G. Siddappo .. .. .	Raboddetenne	20
H. G. Heenappu .. .. .	Habbekandewatte	30
B. G. William Singho .. .. .	Satambywatte	20
K. G. Dingiri Appu .. .. .	Emberille	22
K. Kudappu .. .. .	Kandurugoda	30
T. A. S. Pillai .. .. .	Ambetalawa	75
H. M. Dingiri Banda .. .. .	Kalugammana	40
M. G. Fernando .. .. .	Orutota	22
Tea Corporation (1921), Ltd. .. .. .	Arslena	310½

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, January 17, 1927. E. H. DAVIES,  
for Chairman.

**Tuntota-Mandakondana Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held at Padma estate on Saturday, January 29, 1927, at 10 A.M.

*Business.*

1. To frame and pass estimate for construction of the above road.
2. To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The sections into which the road is to be divided for construction assessment.
- (b) The sections into which the road is to be divided for upkeep assessment.
- (c) The names of estates (with their acreage) which are interested in and which use the road.
- (d) The sections of the road used by these estates.
- (e) The names of proprietors, resident managers, or superintendent, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the cost of construction of the above road.

W. ABEYAWARDANE,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kurunegala, January 10, 1927.

**Mallawapitiya-Rambadagalla Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held at 11.45 A.M. on Wednesday, January 26, 1927, at the Kurunegala Resthouse.

*Business.*

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

1. The use of road by Arampola estate.
2. Estates which are situated on the road and use the road and are liable to be assessed, but have not yet been assessed.
3. Any other business of which due notice has been given.

W. ABEYAWARDANE,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kurunegala, January 5, 1927.

**Haputale-Dambatenna Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of sections 11 and 14 of the "Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," a general meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the Haputale-Dambatenna road will be held at Pita Ratmalie estate bungalow on Thursday, February 3, 1927, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such said Committee by the Ordinance, during the years 1927 and 1928.

The general meeting for the election of the Local Committee must consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

R. A. G. FESTING,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee,  
Badulla, January 17, 1927.

**Branch Road from Koslanda to Poonagala Factory.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety for the cost of maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October, 1926, to September, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road as follows:—

**ROAD FROM KOSLANDA BAZAAR TO POONAGALA FACTORY.**

Government moiety	..	Rs. 915.00	
Private contribution	..	Rs. 933.30	
1st and 2nd sections, 1 mile.			
Private contributions, Rs. 494.10—Total acreage, 1,769—			
Rate per acre, 27.93c.			
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
J. M. Robertson & Co. Arnhall	..	304	84 91
Messrs. Bois & Co., Ltd.	..	800	223 44
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe, Manager	..	478	133 51
Ramasamy Kangany	..	125	34 92
P. G. Agostine Silva	..	62	17 32
		1,769	494 10

**3rd and 4th sections, 1 mile.**

Private contributions, Rs. 274.50—Total acreage, 1,582—			
Rate per acre, 17.35c.			
J. M. Robertson & Co. Arnhall	..	304	52 75
Messrs. Bois & Co., Ltd.	..	800	138 81
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe, Manager	..	478	82 94
		1,582	274 50

**5th and 6th sections,  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile.**

Private contributions, Rs. 164.70—Total acreage, 1,278—			
Rate per acre, 12.88c.			
Messrs. Bois & Co., Ltd.	..	800	103 9
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd., per R. G. Coombe, Manager	..	478	61 61
		1,278	164 70

*Abstract.*

		Rs. c.
Arnhall	..	137 66
Macaldeniya	..	465 34
Poonagala Group	..	278 6
Singarawatte	..	34 92
Ampititenna	..	17 32
Total	..	933 30

The proprietors, manager, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, the above sums on or before March 31, 1927.

H. A. BURDEN,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Badulla, January 11, 1927.

**Haputale-Dambatenna Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety for the cost of the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October, 1926, to September, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, Province of Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road, as follows:—

**HAPUTALE-DAMBATENNA ROAD.**

Government moiety	Rs. 3,450·00
Private contribution	Rs. 3,519·90

1st section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 612—Total acreage 4,219—  
Rate per acre, 14·50c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Lanka Plantations Co.	Thotulagala	570	82 68
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co.	Pitaratmalie	1,608	233 26
Liptons, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,535	222 67
The Scottish Tea and Land Co. of Ceylon, Ltd.	Sherwood	506	73 39
		<u>4,219</u>	<u>612 0</u>

2nd section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 612—Total acreage, 3,713—  
Rate per acre, 16·48c.

Lanka Plantations Co.	Thotulagala	570	93 95
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co.	Pitaratmalie	1,608	265 4
Liptons, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,535	253 1
		<u>3,713</u>	<u>612 0</u>

3rd section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 612—Total acreage, 3,713—  
Rate per acre, 16·48c.

Lanka Plantations Co.	Thotulagala	570	93 95
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co.	Pitaratmalie	1,608	265 4
Liptons, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,535	253 1
		<u>3,713</u>	<u>612 0</u>

4th section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 612—Total acreage, 3,143—  
Rate per acre, 19·47c.

Ceylon Tea Plantation Co.	Pitaratmalie	1,608	313 11
Liptons, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,535	298 89
		<u>3,143</u>	<u>612 0</u>

5th section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 612—Total acreage, 3,143—  
Rate per acre, 19·47c.

Ceylon Tea Plantation Co.	Pitaratmalie	1,608	313 11
Liptons, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,535	298 89
		<u>3,143</u>	<u>612 0</u>

6th and 7th sections, 75 miles.

Private contributions, Rs. 459—Total acreage, 3,143—  
Rate per acre, 14·60c.

Liptons, Ltd.	Dambatenna	1,535	224 16
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co.	Pitaratmalie	1,608	234 84
		<u>3,143</u>	<u>459 0</u>

**Abstract.**

	Rs.	c.
Thotulagala	270	58
Pitaratmalie	1,624	40
Dambatenna	1,550	63
Sherwood	73	39
	<u>3,519</u>	<u>0</u>

The proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Badulla, the above sums on or before March 31, 1927.

Provincial Road Committee,  
Badulla, January 11, 1927.

H. A. BURDEN,  
Chairman.

**Liyangahawela-Poonagala Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant a moiety of the cost of maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October, 1926, to September, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, Uva, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the maintenance of the said road as follows:—

**LIYANGAHAWELA-POONAGALA ROAD.**

Government moiety	Rs. 3,430·00
Private contributions	Rs. 3,498·60

1st section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 625·86—Total acreage, 3,418—  
Rate per acre, 18·31c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Haputale Co., Ltd.	Liyangahawela	533	97 60
J. A. Bell & Co., Ltd.	Broughton	433	79 29
Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ampitikanda	322	58 95
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	80 20
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Poonagala Group	1,692	309 82
		<u>3,418</u>	<u>625 86</u>

2nd section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 625·86—Total acreage,  
2,885—Rate per acre, 21·69c.

J. A. Bell & Co., Ltd.	Broughton	433	93 94
Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ampitikanda	322	69 86
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	95 2
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Poonagala Group	1,692	367 4
		<u>2,885</u>	<u>625 86</u>

3rd section 1 mile.,

Private contributions, Rs. 625·86—Total acreage, 2,452—  
Rate per acre, 25·52c.

Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ampitikanda	322	82 20
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	111 81
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Poonagala Group	1,692	431 85
		<u>2,452</u>	<u>625 86</u>

4th section, 1 mile.

Private contributions, Rs. 625·86—Total acreage, 2,452—  
Rate per acre, 25·52c.

Lanka Plantation Co., Ltd.	Ampitikanda	322	82 20
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	111 81
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Poonagala Group	1,692	431 85
		<u>2,452</u>	<u>625 86</u>

5th section, 1 mile.  
Private contributions, Rs. 625·86—Total acreage, 2,130—  
Rate per acre, 29·38c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	128	70	
Poonagala Valley	Poonagala Group	1,692	497	16	
		2,130	625	86	

6th section, .34 miles.  
Private contributions, Rs. 212·79 Total acreage, 2,130—  
Rate per acre, 9·99c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount
Gibson & Co., Ltd.	Mahakanda and Malvern	438	43	75	
Poonagala Valley	Poonagala Group	1,692	169	4	
Ceylon Co., Ltd.			2,130	212	79

7th section, .25 miles.  
Private contributions, Rs. 156·51—Total acreage,  
1,692—Rate per acre, 9·25c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount
Poonagala Valley	Poonagala Group	1,692	156	51	
<i>Abstract.</i>					
Liyangahawela			97	60	
Broughton			173	23	
Ampitikanda			293	21	
Mahakanda and Malvern			571	29	
Poonagala Group			2,363	27	
			3,498	60	

The proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay the above amounts to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, on or before March 31, 1927.

H. A. BURDEN,  
Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Badulla, January 11, 1927.

#### Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch Road from 5th Milepost.

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 under-mentioned road from October 1, 1926, to September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," will, on Wednesday, February 16, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### ELLEARAWA-PINNAWALA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 405 of November 1, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 3,000 00
Private contributions	Rs. 3,060 00
Total	Rs. 6,060 00

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Miss A. Orr, C/o Mr. V. Vanlengenbergh, St. Edwards Estate, Matugama	Udagama land	22
The Uplands Tea Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Whittall & Co., Agents)	Balangoda Group: Maratenna, Detanagala, Cecilton, Pambagolla, Pinnawala	2,484
Mr. W. Arthur de Silva Saraswathi, Colombo (Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents)	Waleboda	256*
Mr. S. T. de Silva, Pine Hill Estate, Pelpola, Kalutara	Ferndale & Sherwood	70*

\* Cultivated.

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

W. D. GODSALL,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, January 13, 1927.

#### Gevilipitiya-Hatgampola 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 under-mentioned road from October 1, 1926, to September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will, on Wednesday, February 16, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### GEVILIPITIYA-HATGAMPOLA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 444 of November 1, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 1,000·00
Private contributions	Rs. 1,020·00

Total Rs. 2,020·00

Proprietor or Agents.	Estates.	Cultivated Acreage.
E. L. Ebrahim Lebbe Marikar, No. 9, Gasworks street, Colombo	Yellangowrie	440
W. L. Strachan (Rubber Estates of Ceylon, Ltd.) (The Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Co., Agents)	Debatgama Group: Debatgama, Orakanda	1,358
		Total .. 1,798

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

W. D. GODSALL,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, January 13, 1927.

#### Glenalla-Havilland 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 under-mentioned road from October 1, 1926, to September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," will, on Wednesday, February 16, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### GLENALLA-HAVILLAND BRANCH ROAD.

Estimate No. D 429 of November 1, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 2,600·00
Private contributions	Rs. 2,652·00

Total Rs. 5,252·00

1st section.		
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Messrs. Darley Butler & Company.	Glenalla	246
Messrs. George Steuart & Company	Waharaka	565
The Ceylon Amalgamated Tea and Rubber Estates, Ltd., London (Messrs. J. M. Robertson & Co., Colombo, Agents)	Havilland	525
Punchirala Arachchi, heir of Adikari Rallaye Appuhamy	Pitakele	44
The Ceylon Amalgamated Tea and Rubber Estates, Ltd., London (Messrs. J. M. Robertson & Co., Colombo, Agents)	Dedugalla	382
Messrs. Darley Butler & Company	Gangwarily	425
Mr. R. M. S. Caruppan Chetty, No. 97, Sea street, Colombo	Kelvin	744
Mr. George Hunter	Oonankanda	153
Do.	Uduwa	50
Mr. U. P. William de Silva, Kahatagalla estate, Yatiyantota	Maskeloya	95
		3,229

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

W. D. GODSALL,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.  
Ratnapura, January 13, 1927.

#### Parakaduwa-Hemmingford 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 under-mentioned road from October 1, 1926 to September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," will on Wednesday, February 16, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### PARAKADUWA-HEMMINGFORD BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 416 of November 1, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 730.00
Private contributions	Rs. 744.60

Total Rs. 1,474.60

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Cultivated Acreage.
Mr. E. S. Rodrigo, Edwin Villa, Panadure	Galkanda	42
The Grand Central Rubber Co.	Meegastenna	132
The General Tea Estates, Ltd.	Hemmingford Group	1,399
Messrs. R. G. Talbot and L. Bayly, Digowa, Parakaduwa	Digowa	560
Nagolla (Ceylon) Rubber and Tea Plantations, Ltd. (Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents)	Menikkanda	480
The Walakanda Rubber Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Lewis Brown & Co., Ltd. Agents)	Tatuwalakanda	440
Mr. A. H. T. de Soysa, Lynn Grove, Moratuwa	Hillington	80
Mr. T. A. de S. Wijeyeratne, Caffoor buildings, Fort, Colombo	Pannila	185
Mr. D. D. Pedris, Vimal' Villa, Colombo	Donrill	130
Mr. D. C. Wijewardena and Mr. D. L. Welikala, Proctor, Avissawella	Pathberiya	67
Mr. C. C. Wijetunga, Rosmund Cottage, Brighton place, Bambalapitiya	Gangateeriya	30
Mr. W. S. Kadigawa, Pannawala, Eheliyagoda	Kirigalla	20
Mr. R. S. Ratnayaka, Panadure	Egodakanda	25
Mr. Richard Salgado, Panadure	Labuelligoda	50
Do.	Andapane	35

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Cultivated Acreage.
Mr. Abeysingheachige Don Suwaris Appuhamy, Kesbewa	Tippolewatta	40
	Total	3,715

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, W. D. GODSALL,  
Ratnapura, January 13, 1927. for Chairman.

#### Dehiowita-Deraniyagala 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 first 8 miles of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1926, to September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the "Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," will, on Wednesday, February 16, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### DEHIOWITA-DERANIYAGALA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 430 of November 1, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 6,500.00
Private contributions	Rs. 6,630.00

Total 13,130.00

1st section, 1 mile.		
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Cultivated Acreage.
Messrs. P. L. Bonter and H. A. Hayes (Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents)	Ninfield	80
Mr. B. L. Drieberg, Proctor, Avissawella	Bertlands	23
1st to 2nd section, 2 miles.		
Mr. M. K. Cassiere, Dehiowita	Mass	25
1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.		
Yatiyantota Ceylon Tea Company, Ltd. (Messrs. Whittall & Co., Agents)	Walpola Group	1,023
Sapumalkanda Rubber Co., Ltd., (Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Ltd. Agents)	Sapumalkanda and Mahinkanda	1,069
Clunes Estates Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Whittall & Co., Agents)	Clunes	614
Pindeniya Tea & Rubber Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Henderson & Company, Agents)	Reucastle	668
Sapumalkanda Rubber Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Ltd., Agents)	Digalla	929
1st to 6th section, 6 miles.		
Messrs. Henderson & Co., Colombo	Balahella	140
Messrs. Carson & Co., Colombo	Udabage	1,478
Messrs. F. B. H. Koch and Rosslyn Koch (Messrs. Rosslyn & Co., Agents)	Deloluwa	173
Sapumalkanda Rubber Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Ltd., Agents)	Illuktenna	742
1st to 9th section, 8½ miles.		
Sapumalkanda Rubber Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Ltd., Agents)	Illuktenna new clearing	50
Messrs. F. B. H. Koch and Rosslyn Koch (Messrs. Rosslyn & Co., Colombo, Agents)	Deraniyagala Group: Deraniyagala, Panneniya and Panawalkanda	201



Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Cultivated Acreage.
Mr. L. Archdale, Lassahena, Dehiowita	Lovedale	83
Messrs. Gordon Frazer & Co., Colombo	Panakura	245
Rubber Securities, Ltd. (Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Agents)	Maligatenna	158½
Mr. Selwyn's Syndicate (Mr. B. M. Selwyn, Resident Manager)	Yatapolla	300
Mr. L. Archdale, Agent and Superintendent	Paladeniya	160
Udapola Rubber Company of Ceylon, Ltd. (Messrs. Gordon Frazer & Co., Agents)	Udapola	794
Messrs. Aitken Spence & Co., Colombo	Maliboda	1,245
New Chatel Estates, Ltd. (Messrs. Aitken Spence & Co., Ltd., Colombo, Agents)	Liniyagala	890
Lassahena Rubber Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Aitken Spence & Co., Ltd., Agents)	Lassahena	534
Mrs. J. S. Wilson	Kippen	60
Udabage Korala & family	Bopekanda	114
Messrs. Boustead Brothers, Agents	Miyanawita Company	490
Messrs. Aitken Spence & Co.	Velihinda	341½
Messrs. Lee Hedges & Co., Colombo	Noori	600
Anhitiyagama Syndicate	Anhitiyagama	450
Mr. D. C. Wijewardena, Darley road, Colombo	Kosgahakanda	400
Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Colombo	Lower Maliboda	300
Total		14,380

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

W. D. GODSALL,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, January 13, 1927.

#### Dehiowita-Algodia 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 under-mentioned road from October 1, 1926, to September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," will on Wednesday, February 16, 1927, at 2.30 p.m., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### DEHIOWITA-ALGODIA BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 428 of November 1, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 1,000.00
Private contributions	Rs. 1,020.00
Total	Rs. 2,020.00

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Rajawala Produce Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Gordon Fraser & Co., Agents)	Densworth	566½
Panawala Tea Co., Ltd. (Messrs. Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	Glassel and Ernan	1,364
Nahalma Tea Estates Co., (Messrs. Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	Nahalma	681
Woodend Tea & Rubber Co. (Messrs. Lewis Brown & Co., Agents)	Woodend	987
Sitawaka Tea & Rubber Co. (Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents)	Maldeniya	664½

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Panawatta Tea & Rubber Estates, Ltd. (Messrs. Whittall & Co., Agents)	Yogama	1,631½
J. A. Symons, Colombo (Messrs. Cumberbatch & Co., Agents)	Loolpola	59½
Rajawala Produce Co., Ltd. (Gordon Fraser & Co., Agents)	Maliyagoda	100½
I. L. M. Saig Abdulla, Panadure Store, Panadure	Ambagampola	39
A. A. Thabrew, Udayagama, Dehiowita	Puhuwalagama alias Deegala	124
Total		6,218½

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

W. D. GODSALL,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee,  
Ratnapura, January 13, 1927.

#### Balangoda-Chetnole 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 under-mentioned road from October 1, 1926, to September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," will, on Wednesday, February 16, 1927, at 2.30 p.m., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### BALANGODA-CHETNOLE BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 406 of November 1, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 3,300.00
Private contributions	Rs. 3,366.00
Total	Rs. 6,666.00

1st to 4th section.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Cultivated Acreage.
Messrs. S. Wela Pillai and W. Suppramaniam	Lady Smith and Alpa	102
Heirs of M. Sinnatamby, Balangoda	Wewawatta	95
Messrs. H. and N. Worship	Morahela	559
Heirs of Messrs. F. S. Hill and H. M. Seel	Walawe	380
Messrs. M. P. Gomez & Co., Balangoda	St. Joseph's estate	53

1st to 7th section.

The Anglo-American Direct Tea Trading Company, Ltd.	Meddekanda	709
Do.	Rassagala	1,565½
Heirs of Mr. P. L. Palawasam Pillai, Balangoda	Selvawatta	98
Total		3,561½

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

W. D. GODSALL,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Ratnapura, January 13, 1927.

#### Rassagalla-Chetnole Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of section 13 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1902, a Meeting of the Local Committee in respect of the above road will be held at the Balangoda Resthouse at 4 p.m. on February 2, 1927, to elect two members and a Chairman for the Local Committee, in place of Messrs. W. P. R. Webster and George Brown, who have left the district.

J. M. DE SILVA,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee,  
Ratnapura, January 6, 1927.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

## Notice of Sale, Local Board, Gampola.

NOTICE is hereby given that the houses, &c., at Gampola, mentioned in the annexed schedule, having been seized for default in payment of Police, Local Board, and Water Rates, Gampola, for the 3rd quarter, 1926, will be sold by public auction on February 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, 1927, on the spot at Gampola, at 8 A.M., in conformity with the Local Boards Ordinance, No. 19 of 1905, 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, Gampola.

W. H. MOORE,  
for Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Kandy, January 18, 1927.

## Schedule.

Ambagamuwa street Nos. 31, 32, 41, 42, 43, 60, 88, 89, 98, 143, 157, 188, 190, 191, 191A, 192, 195, 207-208, 224. Hospital road Nos. 20 and 44. Kandy street Nos. 22A, 38, 39, 43, 78, 82, 84-85, 86, 86A, 87, 87A, 88, 92, 98, 100, 104, 105, 111, 112, 114, 128, 129, 136, 142, 143, 160, 165, 166, 175. Nuwara Eliya street Nos. 6, 20, 22, 29A, 30, 31, 31A, 35, 36A, 40, 41-42, 44, 76. Station road Nos. 2, 18, 24A, 34, 50. Malabar street Nos. 7, 15, 19, 22, 23, 24A, 42,

83, 84, 85, 86, 89, 90, 91; 93, 94, 102, 103, 108, 114, 119, 122, 123, 124, 130, 133, 134. Kadugannawa street Nos. 14, 29, 31, 34. Moulton street Nos. 2, 4, 4A, 8. Martyn's lane Nos. 2-3. Illawature street Nos. 21, 22, 27A, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42-42A, 42B, 43, 48, 49, 57, 58, 60, 63, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73A, 75, 80, 93A, 95, 96A, 97, 98, 114, 120, 124, 139, 140, 141, 144, 145, 151, 152, 153, 160. Mahara street Nos. 7, 14-15, 60, 61-62, 73-75, 78, 83. Unambuwa street Nos. 1, 3, 16, 34, 56, 60, 61. Kahatapitiya Nos. 3, 4, 9, 10, 12, 15-16, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 28A, 28B, 29, 33, 39, 47, 48, 50, 52, 63A, 65, 67, 71, 78, 90, 114, 115, 116, 121, 125, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 135, 137, 147A, 148, 149, 152, 161, 163, 164, 166, 169A, 184, 185. Byrde street Nos. 4, 19, 21, 34, 42, 52, 53, 59, 60, 83, 107. Keerapone Nos. 7, 19, 21, 26, 28, 46, 51, 52, 81.

## Licensed Auctioneer and Broker.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned has been granted a licence to practice as an Auctioneer and Broker within the Local Board limits of Badulla during the year 1927, under section 13 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1889.

A. W. Anderson, of Badulla.

G. C. STEPHENS,  
for Chairman.

Local Board Office,  
Badulla, January 13, 1927.

## NOTICE UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."

## Tavern Areas.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following are the "areas" defined, in terms of Excise Notification No. 146 published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,478 dated August 14, 1925, for the taverns and hotel bars of the Kalutara District for ballots in respect of the period commencing October 1, 1928:—

Tavern or Bar.	Police Vidane's Division. No.	Villages.
Maha Waskaduwa (Arrack tavern)	714 ..	Maha Waskaduwa
	710 ..	Kuda Waskaduwa, Koba-duwa
Desastra, Kalutara (Arrack tavern)	717 ..	Desastra Kalutara
	718 ..	Etanamada, Willegoda, Jawatta
Welapura, Kalutara (Arrack tavern, Foreign liquor tavern, and Hotel bar)	715 ..	Dediyawala
	716 ..	Duwegama, Uggalboda, Gankandagoda
Katukurunda (Arrack tavern)	725 ..	Welapura Kalutara
	727 ..	Kuda Hinatyangala
	723 ..	Palatota
Kalamulla (Arrack tavern)	730 ..	Katukurunda
	727A ..	Maha Hinatyangala
	729 ..	Nagoda
Kuda Paiyagala (Arrack tavern and Toddy)	731 ..	Kalamulla West, Kalamulla East
	732 ..	Etagama
Maha Paiyagala (Arrack tavern)	733 ..	Suwandachchimulla, Angangoda, Pambe, Maduraduwa, Malegoda
	734 ..	Kuda Paiyagala
	735 ..	Maha Paiyagala
	736 ..	Pinidiyamulla, Hettiwidiya alias Radagoda, Metiyalamulla, Badalgoda
Maha Paiyagala (Arrack tavern)	737 ..	Wadugoda, Madinakanda
	738 ..	Palayangoda, Nagahaduwa Kachchagoda, Weragala
	739 ..	Mahagammedda, Induruwagoda, Gabadagoda

Tavern or Bar.	Police Vidane's Division. No.	Villages.
Diyalagoda (Arrack tavern)	741 ..	Divalagoda, Kapugoda, Badahalagoda, Munasin-goda, Wawulugallena
	742 ..	Maggona West
	743 ..	Maggona East
	746 ..	Irindiligoda, Hunugoda, Magalkanda
Beruwala (Arrack tavern)	747 ..	Karandagoda, Marakkalahewatta, Yakgahamulla
	748 ..	Polkotuwa, Alutkadetunmanhandiya, Andigoda, Katukurunda, Beruwalgoda, Wellawatta, Hunumulla, Nallahena
	749 ..	Bogalla, Kankanangoda, Pokunegoda, Tantrigoda
	751 ..	Deenagoda, Dondigoda
Alutgama (Toddy tavern)	753 ..	Paranakade, Molliamale, Bandarawatta, Mune-watta
	757 ..	Hettiyakanda, Massalgoda
	760 ..	Moragalla, Awariwatta
	752 ..	Ambepitiya, Pannila
	758 ..	Hettimulla, Ganearamba
	762 ..	Kaluwamodera
Horana (Foreign liquor tavern)	763 ..	Ganagama
	764 ..	Alutgama West
	765 ..	Alutgama East
	766 ..	Alutgamwidiya, Kadiyawatta, Alakandupitiya
Tebuwana (Foreign liquor tavern)	— ..	Horana Sanitary Board
Neboda (Foreign liquor tavern)	— ..	Tebuwana Sanitary Board
	— ..	Neboda Sanitary Board

E. T. DYSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.  
The Kachcheri,  
Kalutara, January 12, 1927.