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COLOMBO :

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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 124 of 1927.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, in pursuance of instructions received from HIS MAJESTY THE KING through the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint the Hon. Mr. J. W. OLDFIELD, O.B.E., M.C., to be a Member of the Executive Council of Ceylon, in place of Sir JAMES LOCHORE.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 26, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 125 of 1927.

WITH reference to the Notification published in the *Gazette* of February 18, 1927, it is hereby notified that HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been pleased to approve the provisional appointment of the Hon. Mr. D. S. SENANAYAKE to be a Member of the Executive Council during the absence from the Island of the Hon. Mr. A. C. G. WIJEYEKON.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 26, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 126 of 1927.

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

The Hon. Sir A. KANAGASABAI to act as District Judge, Jaffna, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, with effect from April 29, 1927, during the absence on leave of Mr. G. W. WOODHOUSE, or until further orders.

Mr. R. JONES-BATEMAN to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional District Judge, Kandy, from May 2 to 7, 1927, inclusive.

The Hon. Mr. A. F. MOLAMURE to be Additional District Judge, Kegalla, on April 28, 1927.

Mr. N. I. LEE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kandy, and Municipal Magistrate, Kandy, on April 28, 1927, during the absence of Mr. E. H. LUCETTE, or until further orders.

Mr. H. W. E. DIAS WANIGASEKERA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matale, and Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Dumbara, from April 27 to 30, 1927, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. C. F. INGLEDOW, or until further orders.

Mr. S. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, from April 25 to 27, 1927, during the absence of Mr. N. MOONESINGHE, or until further orders.

Mr. M. A. PERERA to be Additional Police Magistrate, Kandy, on April 23, 1927.

Mr. MERRILL W. PEREIRA to act as Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, during the absence of Mr. E. M. C. JOSEPH, from May 7 to 16, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. RODRIGO to act, in addition to his other duties, as Superintendent of Prisons, Negombo, from April 14 to 18, 1927.

Mr. GORDON SKENE to be Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Kandy, during the absence of Mr. E. F. HOME.

Captain A. F. WEMYSS to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, during the absence of Mr. F. E. WARING.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 28, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 127 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Mr. E. CAUDIERE provisionally as Acting Consul for Italy at Colombo, from April 26, 1927, during the absence of Mr. A. G. FOMBERTEAUX from the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 128 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 4 of Ordinance No. 37 of 1921, to appoint Mr. J. E. P. RAJAPARSE to be a Member of the Board of Agriculture for the period ending December 31, 1929.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 22, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 129 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 5 (1) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, to appoint Dr. SAM DE VOS to be a Member of the Local Board, Trincomalee, *vice* Dr. K. SOMASKANDER, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 21, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 130 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. W. F. T. RAJAKARUNA to be an Inquirer for Wellaboda pattu and for the Vidane Arachchies' divisions of Welitara, Kosgoda, and Uragaha in Bentota-Walallawiti korale, during the absence of Mr. K. A. DE SILVA, from April 14 to 18, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 28, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 131 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. KANAPATHIPILLAI NALLIAH to be, in addition to his own duties, an Inquirer for Batticaloa town.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 15, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 132 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 365 (1) of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to grant Mr. SINNAPPU NAMASIVAYAM, Vanniah, Koddigar pattu, and Inquirer, authority to order post-mortem examinations.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 27, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 133 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. WILMOT TALDENA to be an Inquirer for Oyapalata korale in Wiyaluwa division; Province of Uva, vice Mr. C. G. RAMBUKPOTA.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 21, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 134 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. M. B. MARALIYA to be an Inquirer for the Palle pattu, Kukul korale, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colombo, April 22, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. EDWARD HERATH SENEVIRATNA to act as Registrar of Lands, Kurunegala, for four days from April 20, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. E. DE S. GUNAWARDANA, on leave.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 14, 1927. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that the acting appointment of AENEAS ABRAHAM DISANAYAKE as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kirama division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,573 of March 25, 1927, has since been cancelled.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 12, 1927. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed Dr. RAJENDRAM JEREMIAH as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mullaittivu town division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, with effect from May 1, 1927, vice Dr. SATHASIVAM PONNIAH, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Mullaittivu.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 25, 1927. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed NELLINATHER KULANTHAVELU to act as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalmunai town division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for nine days

from April 12, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar SEENITAMBY THAMBIPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Kalmunai.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 12, 1927. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed SENADRAGE DON JOHN to act as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for twelve days from April 12, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DEWAGIRIGE DHARMASENA FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Puttalam.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 12, 1927. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed VELUPPILLAI KANDIAH as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, with effect from May 1, 1927. His office will be at the Outdoor Dispensary Kalpitiya.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 20, 1927. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed Dr. CEIL WILLIAM ABRAHAM DE SILVA as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of the Anuradhapura town division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, with effect from April 5, 1927, vice Dr. VICTOR NICHOLAS JOHNPULE, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Anuradhapura.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 12, 1927. Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

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

Name.	Pensionable appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. T. Muttucumaroe	Assistant Engineer	Assistant Mechanical Engineer

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,
A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

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IT is hereby notified for general information that lot 6 should be read instead of lot 5 mentioned in one but the last line in the proclamation of a chena reserve in the village of Ulpatwewa, in the Divigandahe korale of the Hiriyala hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, published on page 590 of *Government Gazette* No. 7,571 of March 11, 1927.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 22, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,
A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

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

W 25/27

IT is hereby notified for general information, under by-law 19 (1), that the roads mentioned in the schedule hereunto annexed are suitable for use by "lorries" (as defined in by-law 1 (2) of the by-laws published in the *Government Gazette* of March 3, 1922, subject to their compliance with the regulations governing the use of motor cars, motor lorries, and motor cycles, and with the modified conditions specified in the schedule referred to).

2. All schedules to previous Notifications are hereby cancelled.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 27, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Roads on which there is no objection to motor lorries being run under the regulations (6 tons when fully loaded and equipped) :—

Western Province.

Colombo-Avissawella road (*via* Urugodawatta).
Colombo-Kalutara-Bentota road (4 tons only permissible over the temporary bridge on the 38th mile, Kaluwamodera).
Colombo-Peradeniya-Kandy road.
Horana-Alutgama road (with exception of the Anguruwatota ferry and Welipenne bridge on the 22nd mile).

Central Province.

Annfield road.
Bathford Valley road.
Colombo - Kadugannawa - Peradeniya-Kandy road.
Dotale road.
Duckwari-Cottaganga road, first quarter of 1st mile (up to but not across the first wooden bridge).
Gampola-Nawalapitiya road (speed not to exceed 4 miles an hour over the arched bridge near 18½ at Ulapane and 19½ milepost).
Hatton - Norwood bridge road.
Kandy-Galawakele road.
Kandy-Rangala-Pussellawa road.
Valley, Rajawella, and Teldeniya.
Navalapitiya-Hatton road up to the Dunbar bridge *via* spotsleigh (with the exception of the bridge on the 5th mile where the maximum weight allowed is 3 tons).
Navalapitiya-Kotmale road (to Galawakele).

Peradeniya-Deltota road.
Strathdon-Fruithill-Hatton road.
Talawakele-Lindula-Agrapatana road.
Talawakele-Watagoda road up to the turn off to Watagoda estate factory.
Tispane road.
Wattegama Railway Station *via* Madulkele up to the Daluk-oya bridge on 20½ to 20¾ mile, Huluganga-Bambara-ela road.
Wattegama *via* Teldeniya to Nugatenna Gap. (Note.—A lorry of greater height than 8 feet 9 inches cannot pass under the aqueduct near the 16th milepost.)

Southern Province.

Broadway (new entrance road to Matara).
Colombo-Matara road.
Deniyaya-Hayes road.
Galle-Akuressa road.
Galle-Udugama road.
Matara-Deniyaya road.

Province of Uva.

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

Haldummulla - Koslanda - Wellawaya-Moneragala road (3 tons only, and speed not to exceed 4 miles per hour across bridges between the 116th and 129th mileposts).
Haputale Railway Station roads.
Koslanda-Poonagala road.
Kumbalwela-Passara road.
Naula-Spring Valley road.
Passara-Madulsima road.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Approach roads to Ratnapura Railway Station and Goods Shed (with exception of Church road).
Colombo - Kegalla - Peradeniya-Kandy road.
Dehiowita-Deraniyagala road up to the 7th milepost.
Ellearawa-Pinnawela Branch road.
Karawanella-Glenalla road.
Polgahawela-Kegalla road.
Ratnapura-Pelmadulla-Balangoda road up to the Keenagahaella road junction at the 87½ milepost (*via* Esplanade road and Cross street, excluding Main street from opposite house No. 228 to 56½ milepost).

Ratnapura-Pelmadulla-Rakwana road (*via* Esplanade road and Cross street, excluding Main street from 56 to 56½ mileposts).
2. Roads on which there is no objection to motor lorries being run under modified conditions as to total weights stated (stated weights mean when vehicles are fully loaded and equipped) :—

Western Province.

Colombo *via* Negombo and Marawila to Madampe .. 3½
Hanwella-Labugama road .. 4½
Korawala-Moragala road .. 4½
Kawallawa-Bellapitiya road .. 2½
Katu-arunda - Nagoda - Matugama-Agawatta road .. 4½
Kosgama-Pugoda road .. 3
Mirigama (Railway Station) up to but not across Gurulla bridge .. 4
Nagoda-Neboda road .. 3
Padukka - Bope - Inariya - Nambapana road (3 tons only permissible over bridge on the 22nd mile) .. 4
Panadure-Ingiriya road speed not to exceed 4 miles per hour over the Bolgoda bridge on the 5th mile .. 3
Tebuwana-Anguruwatota road .. 3
Veyangoda-Ruanwella road .. 4½

Central Province.

Ambawela road .. 3
Brookside-High Forest road .. 4½
Craighead-Somerset road .. 3
Dambulla-Habarana road .. 3
Deltota-Hewaheta-Rikiligasgoda road .. 4½
From Daluk-oya bridge, 20½ to 20¾ mile, Huluganga-Bambara-ela road to Bambara-ela .. 3
Glenlyon-Preston road (at a speed of not more than 3 miles per hour over Torrington bridge) .. 4½
Golahenwatta-Yatayatta road .. 5
Gorge Valley road up to the bridge on Henford estate .. 4½

Weight allowed. Tons.

Iriyagama-Aladeniya road, 2nd to 6th mile .. 3
Kalalpitiya-Ukuwela road .. 5
Kandy-Ampitiya road .. 3
Kandy-Matale-Nalande-Dambulla road :—
(a) Kandy to 31st milepost (Nalande-oya bridge) 3 tons only permissible across the Katugastota bridge .. 4½
(b) 31st milepost to Dambulla .. 3
Kandy - Rikiligasgoda - Padiapellella-Mulhalkele road (with the exception of the Mulhalkele bridge, Kurundu-oya) .. 4½
Katugastota-Galagedara road .. 4½
Katugastota-Madulkele road (between the 7½ and 9½ mileposts) .. 4½
Katugastota-Wattegama road .. 4½
Kitulgala-Ginigathena road from 62½ to 63½ milepost .. 3
Lindula-Nanu-oya-Nuwara Eliya road .. 4½
Madulkele-Kabaragala road .. 4½
Maskeliya road :—
(a) Glenugie-Upcot road* .. 4½
(b) Maskeliya to Cruden .. 4½
(c) Maskeliya to Moray .. 2½
(d) Norwood bridge to Maskeliya .. 4½
(e) Norwood-Upcot road (2½ tons only permissible across the temporary bridge at 1st milepost) .. 4½
Naula-Elahera road (up to 3½ milepost only) .. 2
Navalapitiya-Dolosbage road .. 3
Norton-Carolina road .. 3
Norwood bridge-Campion road .. 4½
Nugatenna-Deanstone Branch road .. 3
Nuwara Eliya town : The following roads within the limits of the Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya, not mentioned elsewhere in the list :—
(a) Lady McCallum's drive .. 4½
(b) Lawson street .. 4½
(c) Moon Plains road (the War Memorial to Badulla road junction) .. 4½
(d) New Bazaar street .. 4½
(e) Queen's Cottage to Hawa Eliya *via* Kacheheri corner .. 4½
(f) Uda Pussellawa road junction to Brewery, Nuwara Eliya .. 4½
Nuwara Eliya-Uda Pussellawa road .. 4½
Nuwara Eliya-Welimada road .. 4½
Oonanagala-Madulkele road (P. W. D.) .. 4½
Padiapellella-Ellamulla road .. 4½
Palapatwela-Galawela road (up to 36th milepost only) .. 5
Pupuressa road .. 4½
Pussellawa - Ramboda - Nuwara Eliya road .. 4½
Rattota road .. 5
St. Margaret's-Kirklees Branch road .. 4½
Talawakele-Watagoda road .. 4
Ulapane-Riverside road .. 5
Wallaha road .. 3
Wanarajah Branch road (up to but not over Castlereagh bridge) .. 4½
Watagoda-Tawalantenna road :—
(a) Tawalantenna to Pundaluoya (with the exception of the Sangilipalam bridge on the 34th mile) .. 3
(b) Watagoda to Pundaluoya .. 3½

Weight allowed. Tons.	Weight allowed. Tons.	Weight allowed. Tons.
Wattegama to Ukuwela Railway Station and thence to the 14th milepost, Kandy-Matale road .. 5	Kurunegala-Narammala road .. 3½	<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>
<i>Southern Province.</i>	Kurunegala-Nikaweratiya road (2 tons only permissible over Maguru-oya bridge on 6th mile from Kurunegala) .. 3	Avissawella-Kitulgala road, except bridge on the 42nd mile (Yatiyantota) .. 4½
Ambalangoda-Elpitiya road .. 4½	Kurunegala-Polgahawela road .. 3	Avissawella-Ratnapura road (speed not to exceed 4 miles per hour over Getahetta and Kuruwita bridges on the 33rd and 48th miles, respectively) .. 3
Beliatta-Tangalla road .. 4	Maharagama-Polgahawela road .. 4	Balangoda-Chetnole road .. 4½
Dikwella-Beliatta road .. 4	Mallowapitiya-Rambodagala road .. 4½	Dela-Karawita road .. 4
Dodanduwa-Halpatota road .. 2	Toppu <i>via</i> Dankotuwa-Giriulla-Narammala-Kuliyapitiya to Madampe .. 4	Hemingford road .. 4½
Hikkaduwa-Halpatota road .. 2		Karandupone-Rambukkana road .. 3½
Matara-Hambantota road .. 4		Kegalla-Bulatkohupitiya road .. 3
Wellawaya-Hambantota road .. 3		Kendangamuwa-Woodend road .. 4½
Wirawila to Tissa :—		Madampe-Hambantota road to but not over Timbulketiya bridge on 96th mile .. 2½
(a) Up to the 7th mile post with the exception of the Kirindi-oya bridge .. 3	Kurunegala town: The following roads within the limits of Kurunegala Local Board, not mentioned elsewhere in this list :—	Malwala ferry road .. 4½
(b) 7th to the 12th milepost .. 2½	(a) Bazaar street .. 4½	Mawanella-Aranayake road .. 3
<i>Northern Province.</i>	(b) Edinburgh street and Approach road to the Railway Station .. 4½	Pindeniya road—
Mankulam-Mullaitivu road .. 2	(c) Getuwana Circular road .. 4	7th to 12th mile .. 3
Jaffna-Elephant Pass road (miles 168½ to 199½) .. 3		13th and 14th miles .. 4
Jaffna-Kankasanturai road (miles 1 to 11½) .. 3	<i>North-Central Province.</i>	Rakwana to Springwood estate bungalow .. 4½
Jaffna-Palali road (miles 1 to 10.75) .. 3	Dambulla-Habarana road .. 3	Springwood estate bungalow to 96th milepost .. 2½
Jaffna-Point Pedro road (miles 1 to 21) .. 3	Habarana-Topawewa road up to 13th mile .. 3	Rambukkana-Mawanella road (with the exception of the section between the 2nd and 3rd mileposts where the maximum weight allowed is 2 tons) .. 3
Jaffna-Punnalai road (miles 1 to 10½) .. 3		Ratnapura-Nambapana road (not more than 2 lorries are allowed at the same time over the Kurugammodera bridge) .. 3½
<i>Eastern Province</i>	<i>Province of Uva.</i>	Ruanwella-Veyangoda road .. 4
Bar road, Batticaloa .. 3	Badulla-Taldena road to 2nd milepost .. 2½	Watapota road .. 3
Batticaloa-Kalkudah road .. 3	Bibile-Alutnuwara road up to the 5th milepost .. 3½	Yatiyantota-Ardross road .. 3
Batticaloa-Kalmunai road .. 3	Bibile-Batticaloa road to Eastern Province boundary only .. 3½	Yatiyantota-Polatagama road .. 3
Bibile-Batticaloa road .. 3	Bibile-Medagama-Moneragala road .. 3	
Pottuvil-Moneragala road .. 3	Dikwella-Welimada road .. 2½	
<i>North-Western Province.</i>	Diyatalawa road .. 2	
Alawwa-Dampelessa road .. 3½	Pottuvil-Moneragala road .. 3	
Colombo <i>via</i> Negombo-Marawila-Chilaw-Puttalam road .. 3½	Wellimada-Nuwara Eliya road .. 4½	
Galagedara-Kurunegala road .. 4½	Wellawaya-Hambantota road .. 3	
Kurunegala-Dambulla road to 20th milepost .. 3½		

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

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Excise Notification No. 160.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has, under the provisions of section 24 of "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912," been pleased to direct that the following shall be the general conditions applicable to all Excise licences on and after July 1, 1927, from which date the general conditions applicable to all Excise licences appearing in Excise Notification No. 154 dated June 5, 1926, will be cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 20, 1927.A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

General Conditions applicable to all Excise Licences.

1. Sales at taverns (whether country liquor or foreign liquor) must be conducted in a suitable building of which the whole or part must be set aside for exclusive use as a tavern. If there are means of communication between the tavern and an adjoining dwelling house, they must be kept permanently closed. In the case of all taverns there shall be no possible means of ingress or egress except by the front door. In the case of taverns in Municipalities, Local Board towns, or towns brought under the operation of the Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, No. 18 of 1892, and of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," the tavern premises shall have no doors except into the main street. The interior of the tavern shall be sufficiently lighted by day and by night, and the tavern shall not be used as a place of residence, save by the vendor or a caretaker.*

No alterations or additions shall be made to any tavern building, nor shall any wall, fence, or other enclosure be erected without the approval of the Government Agent.

2. A signboard must be affixed to the front of each licensed distillery, brewery, wholesale warehouse, arrack renter's storehouse, bottling warehouse, or tavern (including beer and porter), showing the number and nature of the licence, the name of the licensee, and, in the case of country liquor taverns, the current rate of sale. These particulars must be legibly painted in English or the local vernacular. The licence and a printed copy of these conditions must be hung up in a conspicuous place within all licensed premises. In the case of taverns, the licence must show the names of the salesmen.

3. (1) The possession upon any licensed premises of any liquor or intoxicating drug, except that to which the licence relates, or of any essence or substance used or capable of being used for colouring or flavouring liquor, is prohibited, provided that this shall not apply to harmless substances kept or used in distilleries to flavour or colour liquor, if such are approved by the Excise Commissioner.

* In taverns which are clearly of a superior character, private bars may be sparingly allowed by the Government Agent under a special licence to be granted by him, free of fee; provided that the interior of the bar is wholly visible from the doorway, and that the entrance to it is either through the main door of the shop, or through a separate door clearly labelled or provided with a proper signboard to show its nature.

(2) All liquor and intoxicating drugs sold or kept for sale shall be of good quality and unadulterated. Nothing shall be added to them, either to increase their intoxicating power or for any other purpose, provided that this shall not apply to harmless substances kept or used in distilleries to flavour or colour liquor, if such are approved by the Excise Commissioner.

(3) No licensee or renter and his tavern-keeper shall sell any liquor at a price higher than the current rate appearing on the signboard.

4. All officers authorized to inspect licensed premises (*vide* condition 21 *infra*) are authorized to detain any liquor or intoxicating drug reasonably suspected to be unfit for consumption or use, or which they may believe to have been tampered with, and all licensees shall give all such officers all such facilities and assistance as they may require for the exercise of their powers.

5. The sale or transport of liquor or intoxicating drugs by persons below the age of sixteen, or by persons suffering from leprosy or any contagious or infectious disease, and the employment of such persons for the sale of the same, are prohibited. The names of all persons employed or proposed to be employed in godowns, warehouses, taverns, or bars shall be furnished to the Government Agent, who may forbid the employment of any person of whom he may disapprove.

6. The rules regarding the hours of opening and closing places licensed for the sale of liquor are as follows:—

Toddy Taverns.—Toddy taverns shall remain open between the hours of 8 A.M. and 6.30 P.M., and shall be kept closed at all other hours, provided that the Government Agent may, after consulting the Advisory Committee, restrict the hours during which any particular tavern shall remain open by fixing a later hour of opening, an earlier hour of closing, or by directing that the tavern shall be kept closed for certain hours between the opening and the closing hour. The Government Agent may, after consulting the Advisory Committee, fix the opening hour of toddy taverns as early as 7 A.M., where local circumstances are found to require it, and may, in towns and, for special reasons, outside towns, extend the hour of closing any tavern therein situated to such hour as he may fix, not being later than the closing hour of arrack taverns in the same area, and shall enter such hours of opening and closing in the licence. No sale shall take place between the time at which the tavern is required to be closed at night and the time fixed for opening.

Arrack Taverns.—Arrack taverns shall remain open between the hours of 8 A.M. and 6.30 P.M., and shall be kept closed at all other hours. The Government Agent may, after consulting the Advisory Committee, extend the hour of closing any such taverns in towns and, for special reasons, outside towns, to such hour as he may fix, not being later than the closing hour of such taverns in April, 1917, and in no case later than 9 P.M., and shall enter the hour of closing in the licence. No sale shall take place between the time at which the tavern is required to be closed at night and 8 A.M. next morning.

Places licensed for the Sale of Foreign Liquor.—The hours for opening and closing will be noted on the licence by the Government Agent, provided, however, that in cases for which Excise Notification No. 76, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,953 of June 28, 1918, has prescribed hours, such prescription of hours shall hold good. No sale of liquor shall take place between the hour at which the premises are required to be closed and the hour fixed for opening. Taverns (including places licensed for the sale of beer and porter only) and bars shall remain closed between the hours fixed for closing and the hour fixed for opening. The closing hour of foreign liquor taverns (including places licensed for the sale of beer and porter only) shall not be later than the closing hour of arrack taverns in the same area.

The licensing authority may, however, in special cases authorize licensed premises, other than taverns and places licensed for the sale of beer and porter, to be kept open to such later hour as may be fixed by him, provided that no liquor shall be sold between the hours of closing and opening appearing in the liquor licence.

7. No drunkenness, disorder, or gaming shall be permitted in taverns and other licensed premises. Every person licensed to sell liquor and every keeper of any licensed premises shall refuse to admit to, and shall turn out of, the premises in respect of which the licence is granted any person who is drunk, violent, quarrelsome, or disorderly, and any person whose presence on the premises would subject him to a penalty under any Ordinance for the time being in force.

8. No robbers, thieves, habitual criminals, or disorderly or riotous persons or reputed prostitutes shall be harboured in any licensed premises. Intimation of their resort thereto shall be given to the nearest Magistrate or Police Officer by the licensee.

9. No person shall be harboured in any licensed premises between the hours of closing and opening such premises, and no constable shall be harboured in such premises during his time of duty.

10. Taverns situated on or adjacent to the line of march must be closed, if the Government Agent so orders, while a regiment or detachment of European or native soldiers is passing, or is encamped in the vicinity; and if the Government Agent so orders, any licensed premises must be temporarily closed in times of religious excitement, or when a disturbance exists or is apprehended. Every Excise licensee shall of his own motion close his licensed premises when there is a riot or disturbance in the neighbourhood.

10A. On days of polling in respect of licensed premises the Government Agent or his Assistant shall order the closure of all taverns in the area in which polls are held, and the grantee shall have no claim to a remission on this account.

11. The right is reserved to the Government Agent to grant "Occasional licences" for the sale of liquor on the occurrence of fairs, festivals, &c. Such licences shall ordinarily be granted to the tavern-keepers who usually supply the locality, or to the representative of the renter. Their period shall not exceed ten days, and the fees to be paid therefor shall be fixed at the discretion of the officer issuing the licences.

12. No liquor shall be sold or given—

(a) Except at licensed premises specially approved by the Officer Commanding the Troops in the Colony or the Officer Commanding the Station or Camp, and then only in respect to such liquors as shall be approved by the same authority in consultation with the Excise authorities and specified in the licence—

- (1) To sailors in the Royal Navy, soldiers, and the members of their families; or
- (2) To any other person living in barracks.

(b) Whilst on duty to any—

- (1) Member of the Police Force or officer of the Excise Department; or
- (2) Railway servant; or

(c) To a woman for consumption within the premises of a tavern.

(d) In any circumstances to any—

- (1) Person under sixteen years of age; or
- (2) Insane person; or
- (3) Person known or believed to be intoxicated.

13. No privilege of manufacture, supply, or sale, or any interest therein shall be sold, transferred, or sub-rented without the Government Agent's previous permission; nor, if the Government Agent so orders, shall any agent be appointed for the management of any such privilege without his previous approval.

14. Taverns must be kept open, unless their temporary closure is authorized under condition 10 *supra*, and such supply of liquor as the Government Agent may consider sufficient to meet local requirements must be maintained therein. Taverns not opened by dates to be fixed by the Government Agent shall be liable to be resold at the risk of the licensees.

15. No liquor shall be sold in taverns except for cash. All licensees shall, subject to any special condition limiting the quantity that may be sold, be bound to supply liquor on demand and on tender of cash to any person entitled to demand it.

16. No liquor or intoxicating drug shall be sold either below the minimum or above the maximum prices fixed for sale of the same in accordance with the law for the time being in force.

17. No liquor or intoxicating drug in excess of the quantity prescribed for possession without a licence shall be permitted to be removed by any person at any one time from any licensed premises without a valid permit; nor shall liquor or intoxicating drugs be sold at godowns or warehouse in quantities less than the minima prescribed.

18. True accounts of transactions shall be maintained from day to day in ink in forms approved by the Excise Commissioner, and shall be kept in the licensed premises. Such accounts shall be correctly and promptly totalled at the end of each month. The accounts and passes shall be in printed books, which may be obtained from any Kachcheri on payment of cost price, or on production of receipts for the payment of the cost price into a Government Treasury. Passes for liquor or intoxicating drugs received and the counterfoils of passes issued must be carefully filed in the licensed premises. The signing of blank passes for subsequent issue is prohibited. The counterfoils of passes shall be preserved by the licensee for one year after the period covered by the licence, and shall be produced when called for by an officer not below the rank of Assistant Superintendent of the Excise Department.

The licensee shall, within three days of the expiry of the licence by surrender, cancellation, lapse of time, or any other cause, deliver to the Assistant Superintendent of the Circle in which the licensed premises were situated, all books of accounts kept under the provisions of this condition as well as the inspection note book mentioned in General Condition No. 22.

19. Such returns and information as may be required by the Excise Commissioner or by the Government Agent from time to time shall be furnished by holders of licences.

20. When any weights, measures, or instruments have been prescribed for use in any licensed premises, only such weights, measures, and instruments as have been prescribed shall be possessed or used on such premises, and they shall be tested and stamped by the stamping establishment of the district, if the Government Agent shall so direct. The possession or use of weights or measures that are incorrect on any licensed premises will render the licensee liable to punishment.

21. The officers authorized to inspect licensed premises are—

- (1) Any officer of the Revenue Department of rank not lower than a Ratamahatmaya, Mudaliyar, Muhandiram, or officer of like rank;
- (2) Any officer of the Excise Department of rank not lower than Inspector; and
- (3) Any person appointed under section 7 (c) to perform the acts and duties mentioned in sections 32, 34, and 45 (a). (*Vide* Excise Notification No. 68.)

These officers are empowered to enter and examine the premises, to test weights and measures in use, and the liquor and intoxicating drugs in the possession of licensees, to remove samples of the same, free of charge, after duly sealing them in presence of the licensees, for purposes of chemical analysis where there is reason to test quality or strength, and to call for and check the accounts kept in the licensed premises. In regard to taverns (including premises licensed for the sale of beer and porter only) such officers are further empowered to examine any private documents or books within the premises, and, if any offence is disclosed thereby to seize and remove such documents or books. All licensees shall give to all such officers all such facilities and assistance as they may require for the exercise of their powers. Nothing in this condition shall be interpreted as depriving Police Officers of any powers vested in them by law, and no claim shall lie for compensation for the value of such samples.

22. An inspection note book with the pages numbered consecutively shall be kept by the licensee in the licensed premises for the entry in it by Inspecting Officers of their remarks, and be handed over to the Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent of Excise, or any officer authorized by him to receive it, on a receipt being given therefor.

23. Licensees are bound to report to the Government Agent all instances which come to their knowledge of persons employed by them in the manufacture, transport, or sale of liquor and intoxicating drugs committing breaches of the Excise laws, and to comply with the Government Agent's orders respecting the continued employment of such persons. No persons who have been convicted under the Ceylon Penal Code or under "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912," shall be employed in the transport or sale of liquor and intoxicating drugs without the Government Agent's previous permission.

24. Pecuniary dealings of any kind whatever by licensees with officials of the Excise Department are absolutely prohibited.

25. All licensed premises, and all vessels, measures, and other articles used for the storage or sale of liquor therein, shall be kept scrupulously clean.

26. All licensees shall be bound by any additional general rules that may be prescribed under the Excise law, and if so required by the Government Agent or any officer authorized by him, to deliver up their licences for amendment or for the issue of fresh ones.

27. The possession (save under and in accordance with the law applicable to unlicensed persons) or sale by any licensee of any excisable article elsewhere than at the premises to which his licence refers is prohibited.

28. In no case shall an arrack or toddy renter or a licensee of a foreign liquor tavern, either personally or by an agent, transport from his tavern any quantity of liquor that may have been sold without a special permit from the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent.

29. All vessels at arrack renters' storehouse, arrack taverns, toddy taverns, and beer and porter shops used for storing or for transport of liquor shall have their correct capacities marked in terms of gallons, and be provided with accurate dip-rods to ascertain the correct quantities they hold.

Dip-rods for casks and other receptacles shall be kept in the licensed premises, and renters shall provide duplicate keys of each cask, which shall remain in the custody of the Assistant Superintendent of Excise.

"THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, NO. 8 OF 1912."

X 84/27

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of rule 2 (c) of Excise Notification No. 85, as amended by Excise Notification No. 136, to appoint Mr. Wilfred Gunasekera, nominated by the Urban District Council, to be a Member of the Excise Advisory Committee for the Matara Urban District Council area for the remainder of the period of three years ending September 30, 1927, *vice* Mr. G. P. Keuneman appointed Chairman, Urban District Council.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 26, 1927.

A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

N 11/27

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 Rifleman Godfrey Lionel Lushington of the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 26, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,
A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

"THE CRIMINAL PROCEDURE CODE (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, NO. 31 OF 1919."

J 141/27

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under section 326A of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 31 of 1919, to appoint Mr. Cumaravelu Canapatipillai to be a Probation Officer for the judicial division of Vavuniya South-Tamil division, *vice* Mr. C. Ampalavanar, retired.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 15, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,
A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

L 310/27

IT is hereby notified for general information (a) that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to set apart the lot of land described in the schedule hereto annexed, which is the property of the Crown, for a common purpose, to wit, that the villagers of the village of Kossagama of the Wannu Hatpattu Village Committee, in the Pahala Wisideke korale of the Wannu hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, may practise chena cultivation within the said lot on free permits issued by the Government Agent, Kurunegala, in accordance with the rules made by the Village Committee under the provisions of sections 6 and 16 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1889; and (b) that His Excellency the Governor reserves to himself the right to resume absolute possession on behalf of the Crown of the said lot or of any portion thereof whenever he thinks fit. (Waste Lands Ordinance Notice No. 8,552.)

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 23, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,
A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lot situated in the village of Tammitagama, in the Katuwanna korale of the Wannu hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province:—

Block survey preliminary plan No. 1,906.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.	
		A.	R. P.
9c ..	Pachchalagollayaya ..	140	0 11
(Exclusive of the tank bund.)			

Excluded Lots.

Block survey preliminary plan No. 1,906.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent.	
		A.	R. P.
10 ..	Dikharagederawewa (tank and bund) ..	3	1 5
11 ..	Kongahamulahena (reservation for tank bund) ..	0	2 20
12 ..	Dikharagederawela ..	3	0 16
		7	0 1

"THE CEYLON POST OFFICE ORDINANCE, 1908."

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RULE made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 9 of "The Ceylon Post Office Ordinance, No. 11 of 1908."

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 21, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,
A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

RULE.

Rule 48 of the rules made under "The Ceylon Post Office Ordinance, No. 11 of 1908," published by Notification dated February 26, 1909, in the Supplement to the *Government Gazette* No. 6,297 of the same date, as amended by the Notification dated January 17, 1914, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,603 dated January 23, 1914, and the Notification dated November 11, 1918, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,977 of November 14, 1918, is hereby repealed, and the following substituted therefor:—

"48. *Postage.*—The postage on each registered newspaper posted separately shall be 2 cents without limit of weight. A packet of two or more newspapers shall in no case be chargeable with a higher rate of postage than the chargeable on an ordinary packet of the same weight."

"THE CEYLON POST OFFICE ORDINANCE, 1908."

P 14/27

RULE made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under sections 53 (2) and 93 of "The Ceylon Post Office Ordinance, 1908."

By His Excellency's command,

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

A. G. M. FLETCHER,
Colonial Secretary.

RULE.

Rule 14 of the rules made under section 83 of "The Ceylon Postal and Telegraph Ordinance, 1892," and published by Notification dated March 25, 1898, in *Government Gazette* No. 5,541 of the same date, as amended by Notification dated May 30, 1917, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,876 of June 1, 1917, and Notification dated September 10, 1917, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,898 of September 14, 1917, and specified in the first column of the schedule hereto is hereby amended in the manner set forth in the second column of the said schedule.

Rule.

Rule 14, paragraph 3.—The signature of the depositor to the notice of withdrawal must be attested by the Postmaster of the station at which the depositor is resident. If the depositor is not known to the Postmaster his signature must be attested by a Justice of the Peace, Manager of a Bank, Clergyman or Minister of the Christian religion, a qualified Medical Officer, Superintendent of an estate of an acreage of 200 acres or over, Mudaliyar of the district, or Notary Public.

Amendments.

Delete the word "or" between "district" and "Notary," and add the words "or Government Officer or Pensioner drawing not less than Rs. 1,500 per annum" at the end of the paragraph.

MONTHLY STATEMENT issued by the Commissioners of Currency, under section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884, for the month of March, 1927:—

1.—Note Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Total Stock on February 28, 1927	153,081,530	0	In vault on March 31, 1927	112,625,920	0
Add Notes received in March, 1927	26,550,000	0	In circulation on March 31, 1927	62,644,607	0
	179,631,530	0			
Deduct Notes destroyed and written off in March, 1927	4,361,003	0			
	175,270,527	0		175,270,527	0

2.—Reserve Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Coin received for Notes in circulation	62,644,607	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	25,217,543	40
	70,050,571	54		70,050,571	54

3.—Average amount of Notes in circulation during the month	62,668,415	0
Average amount of Coin in vault during the month	25,241,351	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	1,297,170	1	1	19,457,550	81	18,101,938	56	15,225,074	12
War Loan, 5 per cent.	4,877	15	1	73,166	31	75,000	0	65,850	33
National War Bonds, 5 per cent.	50,000	0	0	750,000	0	799,445	63	703,333	34
Funding Loan, 4 per cent.	7,091	1	2	106,365	88	85,092	69	81,344	17
Conversion Loan, 4½ per cent.	237,032	10	11	3,555,488	19	3,383,683	50	3,049,818	74
Indian Stock, Sterling	171,000	14	7	2,565,010	94	2,307,403	50	1,793,206	73
Indian 5 per cent. War Loan	—	—	—	15,838,700	0	14,880,329	89	16,076,280	50
Government of India 6 per cent. Bonds	—	—	—	371,100	0	371,100	0	391,974	37
Government of India 6 per cent. Loan	—	—	—	2,834,200	0	2,834,200	0	3,057,393	25
Government of India 5 per cent. Loan	—	—	—	2,027,500	0	1,994,834	37	2,199,837	50
Total	—	—	—	47,579,082	13	44,833,028	14	42,644,113	5

Currency Office,
Colombo. April 8, 1927.

A. G. M. FLETCHER, Colonial Secretary,
F. G. TYRRELL, Controller of Revenue,
W. E. WAIT, Colonial Treasurer,

Commissioners
of Currency.

Comparative Monthly Return of Revenue from October, 1923, to December, 1926.

	1923-24.		1924-25.		1925-26.		1926-27.
	Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.
October ..	8,639,057	..	9,022,025	..	9,776,699	..	10,388,964
November ..	8,001,201	..	7,895,979	..	9,070,282	..	9,972,165
December ..	6,386,145	..	7,792,815	..	8,435,827	..	8,856,657
January ..	11,434,452	..	12,189,391	..	12,032,299	..	
February ..	8,209,361	..	8,594,667	..	9,827,860	..	
March ..	8,635,906	..	8,777,107	..	10,518,787	..	
April ..	8,088,372	..	9,536,177	..	10,236,123	..	
May ..	7,766,440	..	8,800,293	..	10,265,709	..	
June ..	7,805,669	..	9,830,257	..	9,726,774	..	
July ..	9,634,199	..	9,129,174	..	11,150,635	..	
August ..	8,651,157	..	9,497,003	..	9,662,180	..	
September ..	9,111,157	..	14,474,781	..	13,812,980	..	
Total ..	102,363,116		115,539,669		124,516,155		

General Treasury,
Colombo, April 14, 1927.

W. E. WAIT.
Colonial Treasurer

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of liquid fuel to the Railway Department for use in industrial furnaces and in other ways other than as a locomotive fuel from October 1, 1927, to September 30, 1928.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Liquid Fuel to the Railway Department," in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 24, 1927.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri or Bank in Colombo, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Applications from outside Ceylon, accompanied by a draft on a Colombo Bank in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon, will be considered on intimation being received from the Bank that such a draft has been placed to the credit of Government.

8. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract. The successful tenderer must lodge a cash security of Rs. 1,000.

9. Tenders from tenderers not resident in the Colony will not receive consideration unless submitted by a duly constituted agent resident in the Colony specially empowered to tender for the same and to execute a valid contract in that behalf and to fulfil all the terms of the

contract. In the case of local firms tendering as agents of firms outside Ceylon, the "duly constituted" agents should hold a power of attorney from their principals to enable them to enter into a contract should their tender be accepted.

10. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

11. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions herein laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

12. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

13. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence, if called for.

14. The minimum quantity of liquid fuel to be supplied during the above-mentioned period shall be 200,000 gallons per annum, and the maximum quantity 400,000 gallons per annum.

15. Tenderers should state in the tender forms separate prices per gallon for delivery to the General Manager of the Railway under the following conditions, viz. :—

- (a) Delivery *ex* the contractor's Colombo installation.
- (b) Delivery by tank carts at Maradana or elsewhere within the gravets of Colombo.
- (c) Delivery into tank wagons at contractor's Colombo installation.

16. The contractor shall not assign or transfer the contract or any interest therein without the permission in writing of the General Manager of the Railway.

17. The price per gallon paid by the General Manager of the Railway shall include cost, insurance, and freight, and all other expenses up to delivery *ex* contractor's store, or at Maradana or elsewhere within the gravets of Colombo.

18. Payments for the liquid fuel will be made within 14 days of delivery.

19. Any payments for which the contractor may be liable shall be deducted by the General Manager of the Railway from any moneys which may be due to the contractor under the contract, provided that nothing in the contract shall affect the General Manager of the Railway's right to recover such payments by action at law.

20. Subject to the provisions of clause 21 below, if the contractor fails to supply liquid fuel on the conditions laid down in the contract, or shall commit a breach of any of the covenants on the contractor's part to be observed and performed, then and in any of the said cases the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty, by notice in writing, to forthwith determine the contract, and thereupon the contractor shall be liable to pay to the General Manager of the Railway all cost and expenses incurred by reason of such failure to supply liquid fuel or by such breach of covenant, and shall in addition be liable to forfeit the sum of Rs. 1,000 which must be deposited by the contractor as security for the due performance of the terms of the contract, and which said sum of Rs. 1,000 shall be paid and forfeited as liquidated damages and not by way of a penalty, and shall not be deemed to include the costs and expenses hereinafter referred to.

21. Should tenderers desire to claim exemption from any penalties laid down in this notice on the grounds of exceptional and unforeseen difficulties, such as the act of God, &c., they must specify fully on the tender form the conditions under which they propose to claim exemption.

22. The decision of the General Manager of the Railway as to whether the contractor has been guilty of any breach of the covenants and conditions on the part of the contractor to be done, observed, and performed, and upon all questions arising out of or incidental to the contract, shall be deemed final and conclusive, and the contractor shall be bound thereby.

23. 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 issue a power of attorney to a person, whose name is in the defaulting contractors' list authorizing him to carry on the contract, nor shall he employ any person, whose name is on the said list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the General Manager, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

24. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

25. Should the contractor at any time during the execution of this contract find that he will be unable to deliver the liquid fuel or any portion of it within the period named, he shall at once give notice accordingly to the General Manager of the Railway, who shall have an absolute discretion either to grant an extension of time or to determine the contract and recover damages as provided hereinbefore in condition 20.

26. If any of the liquid fuel supplied is objected to by the Railway Storekeeper as not being of the quality contracted for, or as being inferior in quality, and if such objection be confirmed by the Government Analyst at the expense of the contractor, the General Manager of the Railway shall be at liberty to deduct from the price of such liquid fuel such sums as he may consider justifiable by reason of the inferior quality of the liquid fuel, or he may reject such liquid fuel. Whenever any liquid fuel is so rejected, the contractor shall, at his own cost and expense, forthwith remove such rejected liquid fuel, and pending such removal the liquid fuel shall remain and be at the risk of the contractor, and the contractor shall, in addition to any other penalty, be liable to refund to the General Manager of the Railway the cost incurred in the handling of such rejected liquid fuel, and the amount of the cost so incurred, when certified under the hand of the General Manager of the Railway, shall be deemed final and conclusive for the purpose of such refund.

27. If the contractor at any time fail to supply the liquid fuel at the time and in the quantities specified in clause 14 of this notice or should any liquid fuel be rejected, the General Manager shall be at liberty to purchase elsewhere, at whatever price he may deem fit, such quantity of liquid fuel as the contractor may have failed to supply or as may have been rejected, and should the liquid fuel

so purchased cost more than the contract price, the contractor shall be liable to pay to the General Manager the full amount of the excess cost, together with all expenses attending the purchase and procuring of the same.

28. If any difference or dispute shall arise between the parties of this contract as to the true intent and meaning of any of the conditions herein contained, either party may forthwith give the other, notice in writing of the existence of such difference or dispute, and such difference or dispute shall be referred to arbitration of a person mutually agreed upon. The award of the arbitrator shall be final, conclusive, and binding on both parties. The losing party shall bear the cost of the arbitration.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

T. E. DUTTON,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks to the Upper District of the Railway from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1927, to September 30, 1928, to be delivered at any railway station above Kadu-gannawa, and to be as per under-mentioned specification, viz. :—

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size 8½ in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in.; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned of uniform size and shape.

Each tender must specify the rate per 1,000, stating clearly the minimum number of bricks which will be supplied weekly, if on order, and at what stations the bricks are to be supplied. Six samples of bricks must be forwarded to the Railway Storekeeper before the tenders are submitted. Where a kiln is close to the railway, the tenderer should give a rate for the bricks delivered and stacked alongside the line as well as a rate to deliver at a station.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Bricks to the Upper District of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 24, 1927.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kacheheri, or Colombo Bank, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

9. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tender being notified.

10. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

11. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

12. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

13. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

14. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager, or person delegated by him, that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

15. Tenderers who have not previously held Government contracts should, when applying for tender forms, furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property, and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Railway Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

17. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

18. 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.

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

T. E. DUTTON,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks on the Northern Line of the Railway from persons willing to contract from October 1, 1927, to September 30, 1928, to be delivered at any railway station between Kurunegala and Kankasanturai, and to be as per undermentioned specification, viz. :—

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size $8\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $2\frac{3}{4}$ in.; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned of uniform size and shape.

Each tender must specify the rate per 1,000, stating clearly the minimum number of bricks which will be supplied weekly, if on order. Six samples of bricks must be forwarded to the Railway Storekeeper, Colombo, before tenders are submitted.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Bricks on the Northern Line of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 24, 1927.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri, or Colombo Bank, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of

defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

9. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tender being notified.

10. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

11. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Any offers received containing conditions outside the specification will be rejected without question.

12. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

13. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

14. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

15. Tenderers who have not previously held Government contracts should, when applying for tender forms, furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property, and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Railway Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

17. Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

18. 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.

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

T. E. DUTTON,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling refreshments, &c., in refreshment room and on the platform to 3rd class passengers at Talaimannar Railway Station, from date of acceptance to September 30, 1928, from persons preferably Brahmins willing to tender for the same.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate, and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the General Manager of the Railway, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Privilege of selling Refreshments, &c., at Talaimannar," in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, not later than midday, on Tuesday, May 31, 1927.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 10 in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be required to be made at the General Treasury, Colombo, or at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Applications for tender forms from outside Ceylon accompanied by a draft on a Colombo Bank in favour of the Hon. the Treasurer of Ceylon will be considered on intimation being received from the Bank that such a draft has been placed to the credit of Government.

8. The amount of security required will be a month's rent in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

9. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tender being notified.

10. Only four salesmen will be allowed in the platform in attendance on any one train.

11. The General Manager reserves the right to grant, if and when necessary, permission for the free feeding of pilgrims in station premises.

12. The contract is on no account to be assigned or sublet without the authority of the General Manager.

13. All alterations or erasures in tender should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders will be treated as informal and rejected.

14. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled, and any offers received containing conditions not mentioned herein will be rejected without question.

15. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, or rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

16. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender they will have to satisfy the General Manager or persons delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

17. No structure or stall of any kind will be allowed on the platform. A room is available for which the contractor must pay Rs. 10 extra per month.

18. The contractor must be prepared to provide Hindu eatables such as iddali, vadai, mothagam, uppuma, thosai, and chudney, omapodi, boorlee, murukku, ladu, &c., besides cakes, tea, coffee, sherbert, aerated waters, plantains, &c., at moderate prices.

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

20. No passes on Railway will be issued in connection with the service.

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, April 20, 1927.

T. E. DUTTON,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase and removal of about 150 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, May 17, 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.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

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

TENDERS and schedules of rates are hereby invited for the construction of a Noisy Ward at the Lunatic Asylum at Angoda.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken (a) 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; or (b) a measured lump sum contract may be entered into (Type Articles of Agreement can be inspected with the plans, &c.).

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. Tenders and schedules of rates must be submitted in duplicate on forms to be obtained from the Office of the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the Director of Public Works, Colombo, and endorsed on the outside "Rates for a Noisy Ward, Angoda," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers, on or before 12 noon on Tuesday, May 17, 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 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 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.

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, April 26, 1927. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for constructing the 7th and 8th miles, Passara-Nakkala road.

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. The length of section to be divided according to progress shown.

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 Passara-Nakkala Road," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on May 14, 1927. The following imported materials will be supplied by Government:—Cement, steel, powder, reinforced concrete pipes, moulds, baskets, and fuze. 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 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.

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, April 25, 1927. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited separately for works connected with the construction of the hospital at Hikkaduwa.

1. (a) Medical Officer's quarters with garage.
- (b) Apothecary's quarters with servants' latrine and stall.
- (c) Matrons' and Nurses' quarters.
2. (a) Administration block.
- (b) Kitchen, stores, and attendants' quarters.
3. (a) Two wards, 10 beds each.
- (b) Two wards, 8 beds each.
- (c) Covered ways.
4. (a) Maternity ward.
- (b) Isolation ward
- (c) Mortuary and cart shed.

2. Each of the works to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Galle, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates, and finally subject to the approval of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle.

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, Galle, 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, in respect of each of the foregoing projects, must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Galle, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Galle, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Hikkaduwa Hospital," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on Tuesday, May 10, 1927. All imported articles, such as cement, Calicut tiles, fittings for doors and windows, paint, &c., will be supplied free of charge to the contractor by the Department, and the rate 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 in each instance will be required to complete and hand over the works to the District Engineer, Galle, 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, Southern Province, Galle, 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 each of the foregoing projects or in any one item to any one contractor.

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, April 25, 1927. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for extensions, &c., Tangalla hospital.

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

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, Hambantota, 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, Hambantota, in duplicate, duly signed and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Hambantota, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Extensions, &c., Tangalla, Hospital," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on Tuesday, May 10, 1927. All imported articles, such as cement, Calicut tiles, fittings for doors and windows, reinforcing materials, paint guttering, &c., will be supplied free of charge to the contractor by the Department, and the rate 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 works to the District Engineer, Hambantota, 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, Southern Province, Galle, 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,

Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one or two or three years commencing from October 1, 1927.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Diets, Hospital," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on May 17, 1927.

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

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

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

security for the due performance of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

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

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

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

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

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

14. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, Colombo.

J. F. E. BRIDGER,

Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

Schedule referred to.

Service.	Tender Deposit. Rs.	Security. Rs.
Supply of coocked provisions, without milk, to the following institutions:—		
Avissawolla Hospital	300	600
Ingiriya Hospital	300	600
Kahutara Hospital	200	400
Negombo Hospital	300	600
Pimbura Hospital	200	400
Supply of coocked provisions, with milk, to the following institutions:—		
Gampaha Hospital	100	200
Moratuwa Hospital	200	400
Neboda Hospital	300	600
Panadura Hospital	100	200
Watupitiwela Hospital	100	200
Supply of uncoocked provisions, without milk, to the following institutions:—		
Kandana Sanatorium	300	600
Ragama Hospital	500	1,000

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned supplies of firewood to the Jaffna Depôt during 1926-27. The work is to commence within two weeks of intimation of acceptance of tender. Details of work and the area of exploitation are given in the schedule below.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Supply of Firewood to Jaffna Depôt, Northern Division," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, May 24, 1927.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Jaffna, which can be applied for by post or personal application. No tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 for each service will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt forwarded or produced before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond and all other information can be ascertained on application to the office referred to in section 5. A further security in cash of Rs. 500 will be required to the contractor when entering into the bond.

9. A rate per ton of firewood must be quoted, both in words and figures.

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

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all the tenders, and of accepting any portion of a tender, not necessarily the lowest tender.

12. The contractor's obligations and rights under this contract shall not be assigned or otherwise transferred or sublet without the consent and authority of the Conservator of Forests previously obtained in writing.

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

14. Tenderers before tendering should inspect the area of operation as shown in the schedule and forward a statement to that effect, to the Divisional Forest Officer, Northern Division, Jaffna, when applying for tender forms.

15. For further information and for inspection of the draft contracts, application should be made to the Divisional Forest Officer, Northern Division, Jaffna.

16. Tenderers, who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property, and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Forest Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district or divisions or districts they held contracts.

In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with Departments other than the Forest Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

(a) The firewood shall be in lengths of 3 feet to 5 feet and not less than 2 inches in diameter.

(b) Any tree pointed out by a Forest Officer, as one to be felled for firewood, shall, without question, be felled, and any tree pointed out or marked by a Forest Officer, as not to be felled, shall not be felled or injured.

(c) The contractor will be responsible for the safety of the firewood stacked on the seashore, in the forest, and in transit, until delivered to depôt keeper.

(d) The contractor may be required at times to increase supplies should the depôt requirements necessitate, and at times also decrease supplies, but the average output will be as described in the schedule.

(e) It must be clearly understood that, for failure to deliver monthly supplies as required, a penalty of Rs. 2 for every ton short is liable to be levied.

(f) Payments may be made by the Divisional Forest Officer for firewood delivered at the Jaffna Depôt on production of a receipt from the depôt keeper showing the amount of firewood delivered.

Schedule.

(a) To clear-fell all trees 6 inches from the ground with axe in the land called Ilakadicholai, situated in Madduvinadu, Pooneryn division, and referred to in land application No. 220 of 1927, which is bounded as follows:—

North: Crown land.

South: Land belonging to Subramaniam.

East: Crown land.

West: Land belonging to T. K. Ponniah.

(b) To cut into firewood every tree so felled and every other dead or fallen tree whatsoever sufficient to yield 1,000 tons of firewood, more or less, with the least amount of wastage. All firewood immediately after conversion to be transported to the seashore and thence by boats to Jaffna Customs, and taken to Jaffna Depôt weighed and stacked in the Jaffna Depôt in such a manner as the depôt keeper may direct at a minimum rate of 150 tons per mensem from June 1, 1927. Final delivery in Jaffna Depôt to be made on or before December 31, 1927, when the balance remaining, if any, out of the total quantity to be supplied should be delivered.

(c) Felling must proceed steadily and systematically in one direction straight across the area, every tree being cut and the area stripped clean of all firewood.

(d) Distance of transport by cart to seashore is about 2 miles, and by boats to the Jaffna Depôt 16 miles.

(e) Firewood if so required should be weighed and delivered along the parapet wall of the reclamation grounds adjoining the Forest Department Depôt, or along the Jaffna Customs beach. For such firewood a rate of 25 cents per ton will be deducted from the accepted contract rate, while making payments.

J. D. SARGENT,

Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, April 27, 1927.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting salt from the pans, Chiviyateru, to the General Stores, Karaiur, Jaffna, by bullock carts, all the salt to be collected at Chiviyateru during 1927.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed and should be addressed to (a) the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna (original tenders); (b) the Controller of Revenue, Colombo (duplicate tenders).

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Transporting Salt, Chiviyateru," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the offices of the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the Controller of Revenue, not later than midday on Tuesday, May 24, 1927.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Jaffna Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

5. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors

precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

7. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the Jaffna Kachcheri.

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 Government Agent, Northern Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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

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

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, April 21, 1927.

L. A. NORTHCROFT,
for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the dieting of prisoners in Fiscal's custody at the Chilaw Jail for the period commencing from October 1, 1927, and terminating September 30, 1928.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Dieting Remand Prisoners, Chilaw Jail," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on June 21, 1927.

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

6. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at any Kachcheri or at the Chilaw Treasury, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing of the acceptance of the tender, such deposit will be forfeited

to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned after signature of the contract.

7. Samples must be deposited, if required.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security in Rs. 100 and to sign a bond for Rs. 200, with two sureties for a like amount, for the due fulfilment of the contract. The names of the sureties should be forwarded with the tender.

9. The contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board.

10. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, nor shall the contractor employ any person to whom the Fiscal, North-Western Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing. The contractor shall not issue power of attorney to any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors for carrying on work under the contract.

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

12. Particulars in regard to dieting are as follows :—

Three meals to be served per day as specified below at the hours stated—

6 A.M. : Morning meal—

Tea with sugar.
Hoppers, three.

11 A.M. : Breakfast—

One measure boiled rice.
Curry, beef or fish.
Curry, vegetable or dhall.

4.30 P.M. : Dinner—

One measure boiled rice (heaped).
Curries, as at breakfast.

13. The contractor shall supply cooked meals and deliver the meals at the Chilaw Jail. He may also be required to deliver a stated number of breakfasts at the Chilaw Police Court.

14. Tenders should quote rate per head per meal. Such quotation should be written both in words and figures.

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

16. All other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the Office of the Deputy Fiscal, Chilaw.

Fiscal's Office,
Kurunegala, April 14, 1927.

T. A. HODSON,
Fiscal.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction on Wednesday, the 4th proximo, at 3 P.M., at the Police Headquarters, Maradana :—

300 pairs, boots
10 banians, flannel
8 caps, Inspectors'
5 helmets
84 overcoats

6 raincoats
30 tunics, khaki
50 trousers, khaki
450 serge suits
19 lamps, electric

D. J. G. HENNESSY,
for Inspector-General of Police.

Colombo, April 26, 1927.

THE following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Government Saltern, Elephant Pass, on Thursday, May 26, 1927, at 10.30 A.M. :—

7 barrels tar (empty)	1 tub washing
7 hand carts	800 trolley track rails
10 paint drums (empty, 1 gallon)	1 bellows smiths', 20 in.

Office of the Salt Adviser,
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

J. S. COATES,
Salt Adviser.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended April 16, 1927.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 145 (1 European, 9 Burghers, 91 Sinhalese, 13 Tamils, 24 Moors, 5 Malays, and 2 others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1927, viz., 260,345) was 29·0 as against 29·8 in the preceding week, 34·6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31·1 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 104 (1 European, 4 Burghers, 56 Sinhalese, 17 Tamils, 17 Moors, 5 Malays, and 4 others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 20·8, as against 27·0 in the previous week, 26·7 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28·7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 104 total deaths, 29 were of infants under one year of age, as against 32 in the preceding week, 19 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 32 the average for last year.

Still Births.—The number of still births registered during the week was 13.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Thirteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered; 7 in Maradana hospitals, (including 2 deaths of non-residents), and 1 each in San Sebastian, New Bazaar, Maradana North, Maradana East, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta North, as against 15 in the previous week, and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Six deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in Kotahena North, Maradana hospital (of a non-resident), Maradana North and Slave Island, as against 2 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Two deaths from *Influenza* were registered in St. Paul's, as against 9 in the previous week, and 6 the weekly average for last year.

2. (a) Nine deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 4 in Maradana hospitals (including 2 deaths of non-residents), 2 in Maradana North, and 1 each in Pettah, New Bazaar, and Wellawatta North, as against 10 in the previous week, and 11 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Two deaths of Colombo Town residents from *Phthisis* occurred at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Ragama, during the week, as against 1 in the previous week.

3. Four deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 3 in Maradana hospitals and 1 in Kotahena north, as against 2 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year.

4. (a) Two deaths from *Plague* were registered 1 each in Kotahena North and Maradana hospital, as against nil in the previous week, and nil the weekly average for last year.

(b) Three deaths of Colombo Town residents from *Bubonic Plague* occurred at the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Angoda, during the week.

5. Thirteen deaths were registered from *Debility*, 4 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Infantile Convulsions*, 3 from *Enteritis*, 2 each from *Dysentery* and *Tetanus* and 1 from *Worms*, and 39 from *Other Causes*.

6. Sixteen cases from *Chickenpox*, 6 of *Plague*, 3 of *Enteric Fever*, and 2 of *Measles* were reported during the week, as against 42, nil, 5, and 2 respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 82·1°; against 83·3° in the preceding week, and 82·8° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·834 in., against 29·837 in., in the preceding week and 29·848 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was nil, against 1·42 in. in the preceding week, and 0·18 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 21, 1927.

P. D. RATNATUNGA,
for Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended April 23, 1927.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 187 (1 European, 19 Burghers, 108 Sinhalese, 31 Tamils, 23 Moors, 3 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1927, viz., 260,345) was 37·5, as against 29·0 in the preceding week, 31·0 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31·1 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 139 (1 European, 8 Burghers, 63 Sinhalese, 22 Tamils, 30 Moors, 9 Malays, and 6 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 27·8, as against 20·8 in the previous week, 34·0 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28·7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 139 total deaths, 28 were of infants under one year of age, as against 29 in the preceding week, 32 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 32 the average for last year.

Still Births.—The number of still births registered during the week was 10.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Twenty-four deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 7 in Maradana hospitals (including 5 deaths of non-residents), 5 in New Bazaar, 4 in Kotahena south, 3 in Slave Island, 2 in Maradana south, and 1 each in Fort, Maradana north, and Maradana east, as against 13 in the previous week and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Six deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 4 in New Bazaar and 1 each in St. Paul's and San Sebastian, as against 2 in the previous week, and 6 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Two deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 1 each in Maradana hospital (of a non-resident) and Wellawatta north, as against 6 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

2. Eight deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 4 in Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), 2 in New Bazaar and 1 each in Kotahena north and Wellawatta north, as against 9 in the previous week and 11 the weekly average for last year.

3. (a) Three deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 2 in Maradana hospitals (of non-residents) and 1 in Kotahena north, as against 4 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year.

(b) One death of a Colombo Town resident from *Enteric Fever* occurred at the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Angoda, during the week.

4. One death from *Plague* was registered in St. Paul's, as against 2 in the previous week, and nil the weekly average for last year.

5. Eleven deaths were registered from *Debility*, 9 from *Enteritis*, 8 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 7 from *Dysentery* 4 from *Puerperal Septicaemia*, 3 from *Diarrhoea*, 2 from *Worms*, 1 from *Tetanus* and 50 from *Other Causes*.

6. Thirty cases of *Chickenpox* (1 in Port), 6 of *Enteric Fever*, 2 of *Plague*, and 1 of *Measles* were reported during the week as against 16, 3, 6 and 2 respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of the air was 82·5°, against 82·1° in the preceding week, and 84·7° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·848 in., against 29·834 in., in the preceding week and 29·914 in., in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·86 in., against nil in the preceding week, and 0·01 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 26, 1927.

E. A. JAYASEKERA,
for Registrar-General.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF GAMIKKANDE ESTATES, LIMITED.

1. THE name of the Company is "GAMIKKANDE ESTATES, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
 - (a) To purchase from the proprietors thereof the Nugebande, Gomaragalakande, Gamikkande, and Footprint estates, all situate in Ratnapura District, Ceylon.
 - (b) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties, and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable of any kind, and any contracts, rights, easements, patents, licences, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret) which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business, and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
 - (c) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and manufacturers of and dealers in tea, rubber, coconuts, and other Ceylon produce.
 - (d) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
 - (e) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop any land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company, in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof as a tea, rubber, or coconut estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work coconut mills, tea and rubber factories, and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
 - (g) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any authorities, and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
 - (h) To hire, lease, or purchase land, either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
 - (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, coconuts, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
 - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, plumbago, minerals, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
 - (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
 - (l) To work mines or quarries and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of tea, rubber, cacao, chocolate, coconuts, and other products or any such business on behalf of the Company or as agents for others and on commission or otherwise.
 - (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
 - (n) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, chocolate, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
 - (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
 - (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings, or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.

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

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Three million Rupees (Rs. 3,000,000), divided into Three hundred thousand (300,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company, may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
W. D. FERNANDO, Colombo	One
F. F. ROE, Colombo	One
LIONEL BRAY, Colombo	One
H. S. WAKE, Colombo	One
A. W. HARRISON, Colombo	One
P. J. PARSONS, Colombo	One
SYDNEY JULIUS, Colombo	One
Total shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this Eleventh day of April, 1927:

Jos. F. MARTYN,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF GAMIKKANDE ESTATES, LIMITED.

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

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

INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Nominated Directors" means a Director nominated under Article 102.

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

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

BUSINESS.

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

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

CAPITAL.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Three Million Rupees (Rs. 3,000,000) divided into 300,000 shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

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

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

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

SHARES.

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

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

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

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares, such new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof, or any other General Meeting of the Company

shall direct, and, if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends, and in the distribution of the assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

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

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

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

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

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

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

17. The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except 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 35 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

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

19. Every Shareholder shall be entitled to a certificate or certificates under the common seal of the Company, specifying the share or shares held by him and the amount paid thereon, provided that in the case of shares registered in the names of two or more persons the Company shall not be bound to issue more than one certificate to all the joint-holders, and delivery of such certificate to any one of them shall be sufficient delivery to all.

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

CALLS.

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

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

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

24. 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.

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

26. Subject to the restrictions contained in these Articles, any Shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by instrument in writing.

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

28. 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.

29. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise; or in case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved of by them; and 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.

30. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of three rupees or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer; upon payment thereof the Directors subject to the powers vested in them by Article 29, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder, and retain the instrument of transfer.

31. 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.

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

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

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

34. 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 the shares of such Shareholder.

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

36. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 35, shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the events on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of any Shareholder, no person shall within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such shares, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

39. 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, premia, interest, and expenses owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at nine per centum per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

40. 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.

41. 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.

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

43. 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 nine per centum per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 40 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

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

45. 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 shares the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, sixty days' notice shall be allowed him.

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

47. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that the power of sale given by clause 45 has arisen and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

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

PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

BORROWING POWERS.

52. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained, from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed in addition to the moneys secured under the issue of debentures hereinafter referred to exceed Rupees Three hundred thousand (Rs. 300,000). And the Directors shall have power without the sanction of a General Meeting to borrow up to Rupees Seven hundred thousand (Rs. 700,000) carrying interest at 8 per cent. per annum on the formation of the Company, provided such loan is secured by a debenture mortgage to be executed within three calendar months of the issue of the Certificate of Incorporation of the Company and for the purpose of securing the repayment of such money so borrowed the Directors may exercise the powers given them in the 54th Article, and the debentures can be issued from time to time after the execution of the aforesaid debenture mortgage as and when money is required.

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

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

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

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

GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

61. 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 time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

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

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

64. 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 by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

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

66. With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing Articles as to the business which may be transacted at the 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 except resolutions submitted under Article 62.

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

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

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

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

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

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Gamikkande Estates, Limited.

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

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

83. 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.

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

DIRECTORS.

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

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

86. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding five thousand rupees annually to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration granted for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

87. The first Directors shall be Messrs. Warusahennadige Daniel Fernando of Colombo, Frank Freeman Roe and Percy John Parsons, both of Colombo, and Lewis Burness Gourlay of Moneragala. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall retire, but shall be eligible for re-election ; provided, however, that on the execution of the debenture mortgage authorized by Article 52 and so long as the said debenture mortgage remains undischarged the duties and rights of the Directors regarding retirement and re-election shall be governed by Article 102.

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

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

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

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

89. At the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office and at the First Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in Article 90.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

100. 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.

DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

101. The office of the Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Manager, Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, Agent, or Secretary of the Company, or Trustee for Debenture Holders.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he resigns his office under the provisions of clause 97.
- (f) If he ceases to have his ordinary place of residence in Ceylon or is absent from Ceylon for a period of three consecutive months.

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

DIRECTORS GENERALLY.

102. The following provisions shall have effect for so long as any money shall remain due on the debenture mortgage in Article hereinbefore provided to be executed on the formation of the Company :—

- (a) So long as the aforesaid debenture mortgage shall remain in force and undischarged the following Articles (a) to (h) shall have effect in place of Articles Nos. 85, 87, 89, 93, 94, 95, 98, 114 which shall remain in abeyance until the said debenture loan has been repaid and the bond undischarged.
- (b) The Directors named in Article 87 shall continue to be the first Directors of the Company and shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company when they shall retire, but they shall be eligible for re-election or nomination (as the case may be) and at the First Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in Article 90.
- (c) The number of Directors shall be four, but this clause shall be construed as being directory only and the continuing Directors or Director may act notwithstanding any number of vacancies. Two of the Directors shall be elected by the Shareholders, a third Director shall be nominated by the trustees for the time being of the debenture holders, and the fourth Director shall be nominated by Messrs. Gordon Frazer and Company, Limited, so long they hold 250 ordinary shares and the said debenture mortgage remains undischarged.
- (d) The Director nominated by Messrs. Gordon Frazer and Company, Limited, shall be Chairman of the Board so long as he is willing to act. The Board may meet together for the despatch of business at such place and adjourn and otherwise regulate their meetings as they may think fit. The presence of one of the nominated Directors shall be necessary to form a quorum. All meetings of Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman if present, but if there be a vacancy in the office of Chairman or if at any meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same, then, and in that case the Chairman of the meeting shall be the other nominated Director. Subject as aforesaid two Directors shall form a quorum. Questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes.
- (e) At any meeting of Directors held to consider the advisability of making a call if there is an equality of votes, the Chairman shall have an additional or casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.
- (f) The qualification of a Director shall be the same as provided by Article 85 save that in the case of a nominated Director no qualification shall be necessary.
- (g) On every retirement of a Director in rotation the vacancy shall be filled as follows :—
 In the case of a Director who was elected to his office by the Shareholders the vacancy shall similarly be filled by an appointment made by the Shareholders in General Meeting.
 But in the case of a nominated Director the vacancy shall be filled by a nomination to be made by the same party who nominated the retiring Director.
- (h) Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors arising from death, resignation or otherwise may be filled up as follows :—
 In the case of a Director who was elected to his office the vacancy may be filled up by the Directors.
 And in the case of a nominated Director the vacancy shall be filled by a nomination to be made by the same party who nominated the vacating Director.
 But in either case any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.
- (i) Articles 98 and 101 (d) shall not apply to a nominated Director.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

103. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the said Nuggedande, Gomaragalakande, Gamikkande, and Footprint estates and the lease, purchase, or acquisition of any lands, estates, or property they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

104. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors subject to the provisions of Article No. 122 for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

105. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company, as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and, in addition to the powers and authorities by any

Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, artizans, labourers, and other servants, for such period or periods, and with such remuneration and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause for so doing.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

AGENTS AND SECRETARIES.

122. The firm of Gorden Frazer and Company, Limited, shall be the first Agents and Secretaries of the Company.

ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

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

128. Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company and as to the amount which the Directors recommend should be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders.

129. 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.

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

AUDIT.

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

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

133. 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.

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

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

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

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

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

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

139. The Directors may, if they think fit, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, or pay a bonus to the Shareholders provided the Directors are satisfied that the nett profits of the Company will be sufficient to justify such interim dividend or bonus.

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

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

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

143. 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.

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

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

146. 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.

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

NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

153. Any Shareholder who fails to give and register an address in Ceylon as provided in Article No. 149 shall not be entitled to be given any notices.

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

EVIDENCE.

154. 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.

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

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

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

W. D. FERNANDO, Colombo.
F. F. ROE, Colombo.
LIONEL BRAY, Colombo.
H. S. WAKE, Colombo.
A. W. HARRISON, Colombo.
P. J. PARSONS, Colombo.
SYDNEY JULIUS, Colombo.

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this Eleventh day of April, 1927:

JOS. F. MARTYN,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

[Second Publication]

The Ceylon General Investment and Plantation Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held on Thursday, May 19, 1927, at 5 p.m., at the registered office, No. 87, Union place, Slave Island, Colombo.

Business.

1. To receive the Directors' report and statement of accounts to December 31, 1926.
2. To elect one Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
4. To declare a dividend.
5. Resignation of the Agents and Secretaries.
6. Appointment of Agents and Secretaries.
7. To transact such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

A. MENDIS & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 24, 1927.

The Ceylon Brewery, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, Nuwara Eliya, on Saturday, May 7, 1927, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to December 31, 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 properly brought before the Meeting.
- (The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from May 1 to 7, 1927, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

R. HOOD WRIGHT,
Secretary.

Nuwara Eliya, April 28, 1927.

The Oaklands Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, May 14, 1927, at noon.

Business.

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

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from May 7 to 14, 1927, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

BOIS BROTHERS & Co., LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 27, 1927.

The A. and E. Motor Transport, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, The National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, May 12, 1927, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1926.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.

4. To appoint Auditors for the current year, and for such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 23 to May 12, 1927, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

SKRINE & Co.,

Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, April 26, 1927.

The Horawala (Kalutara) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at the registered office on Thursday, May 12, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions:—

1. "That the nominal capital of the Company be increased to Rs. 500,000 by the creation of 10,000 additional shares of Rs. 10 each."

2. "That the Articles of Association be altered in manner following:—

(a) "Articles 138 and 139 shall be cancelled."

(b) "The following Article shall be substituted for Article 71, namely:—

"Notice of General Meetings.—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 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. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice and it shall be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently on the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting."

(c) "The following Articles shall be inserted after Article 137, namely:—

"138. *Reserve Fund*.—The Directors may before recommending any dividend or bonus set aside out of the profits of the Company such sums as they think proper as a reserve fund to meet contingencies or for special dividends or for equalising dividends or for repairing, improving, and maintaining any of the property of the Company, or for repayment of mortgages or for other purposes as the Directors shall in their absolute discretion think conducive to the interests of the Company and may invest the several sums so set aside upon such investments as they may think fit and from time to time deal with and vary such investments and dispose of all or any part thereof for the benefit of the Company and to divide the reserve fund into such special funds as they may think fit and to employ the reserve fund or any part thereof in the business of the Company and that without being bound to keep the same separate from their other assets."

"139. *Dividends how paid*.—Any General Meeting declaring a dividend may direct payment of any dividend declared at such meeting or of any interim dividends which may subsequently be declared by the Directors wholly or in part by means of drafts or cheques on London or by the distribution of specific assets and in particular by paid up shares debentures or debenture stocks of the Company or of any other Company or in any one or more of such ways and the Directors shall give effect to such direction and when any difficulty arises in regard to the distribution they may settle the same as they think expedient and in particular may issue fractional certificates and may fix the value for distribution of such specific assets or any part thereof and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any shareholders upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties and may vest and such specific assets in trustees upon such trust for the persons entitled to the dividend as may seem expedient to the Directors. Where requisite a proper contract shall be filed and the Directors may appoint any person to sign such contract on behalf of the persons entitled to the dividend and such appointment shall be effective."

Should the resolutions be passed by the required majority they will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

By order of the Board,

AITKEN, SPENCE & Co.,

Colombo, April 29, 1927.

Agents and Secretaries.

The Ceylon Tea Growers and Trading Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 1231 Dam street, Colombo, on Saturday, May 14, 1927, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to June 30, 1926.

2. To consider and, if thought fit, to alter the name of the Company to "THE CEYLON PRODUCE GROWERS AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED."

3. To elect Directors.

4. To appoint Auditors.

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

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from April 29 to May 10, 1927.)

By order of the Directors,

THE LANKA COMMERCIAL CO.,

Colombo, April 27, 1927.

Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale under Partition Decree, D. C., Galle, Case No. 21,601.

UNDER and by virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, I shall offer for sale by public auction, on Saturday, June 18, 1927, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at the spot, the following:—All the land called Ilukpitiyawatta, situated at Batapola; and bounded on the north by Gorakalawatta *alias* Hathaulwatta, east by Delgahawatta, south by Ambalalawatta *alias* Hathaulwatta, and west by high road; and containing in extent 2 acres and 24 paces.

The said land will be sold in 14 blocks A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, and N, as per plan of survey No. 1,029 made by Mr. R. B. de Zoysa, Surveyor, 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 A. D. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, S. C., and Notary, or from me—

K. T. THOS. SILVA,

Ambalangoda, April 21, 1927.

Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

(1) V. Mananther Namasivayam and wife (2) Theivanappillai of Karadie East Plaintiffs.
Vs.

(1) Arunasalam Ponnampalam and wife (2) Valliammai of Karadie East Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission dated April 7, 1927, issued in the above case from the District Court of Jaffna, I shall sell by public auction on May 21, 1927, at 3 P.M. at the spot, the following decreed property:—

Land situated at Velantalai Kalapoomi in Karadie called "Ippuvayal" in extent 12 lachams p. c.; and bounded on the east by the property of Velauther Arumugam, north by the property belonging to the temple called Ambalavanaswami Kovil, west by the property of Velauther Sanmugam and brother, and south by the property of Muruger Vaithilingam and Valliammai, widow of Veeragattiy. The whole hereof.

Jaffna, April 23, 1927.

K. P. KANTHYAH,

Deputy Fiscal.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

UNDER decree in case No. 5,819, D. C., entered in favour of the plaintiff George Ratnaraja Tisseverasinghe of Batticaloa, against the defendants Catherine David Tangamuttu, Mary David, Anne David, Louisa David, Victoria David and husband, Samuel Ambrose Ponnaturai Mark, Mathew Eliyatamby David, Patrick David, Elizabeth Ratnam David, all of Puliantive, and by virtue of order to sell, issued to us, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,109·37½, with legal interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from July 29, 1925, till payment in full, which shall not exceed Rs. 1,890·62½ and cost of this action, we shall offer for sale by public auction, the under-mentioned three contiguous allotments of lands forming into one at this spot, on Saturday, May 21, 1927, at 4 P.M. :—

Properties referred to.

1. The western half share of Akkavalavu with house, well, coconut trees, and other produce standing thereon; bounded on the east by garden belonging to Vellachchi, west by garden of Anthoehchi, north by St. Mary's road, and south by the other share of this belonged to the late P. D. Seenitamby and land described under No. 2; in extent east to west 12½ fathoms, north to south on the eastern side 51¼ fathoms, on the western side 61¼ fathoms.

2. A garden called Koshanteen Moopuvalavu and Awleen Kanakkappillaivalavu, both forming into one; bounded on the east by road, west by garden belonging to Elizabeth and another garden belonged to P. D. Seenitamby, north by garden described under No. 1 and garden of Vellachchi; and south by lane, in extent from east to west on the northern side 20 fathoms, southern side 14½ fathoms, north to south on the eastern side 14½ fathoms, western side 12 fathoms.

3. The western portion of Avulln Kanakarvalavu; bounded on the east by garden of K. Tillanayagam, west by garden belonging to Yoosai and garden of another, north by garden called Akkavalavu, and south by garden called Moopuvalavu; in extent east to west 13½ fathoms, north to south 6½ fathoms, with all rights and produce standing thereon, with the right of way to the road along the eastern boundary fence of Moopuvalavu.

Tel. Ratco,
Batticaloa, April 25, 1927.

RATNASINGHAM & Co.,
Brokers and Auctioneers.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Josephine Alice Wijetunga of Kegalla Plaintiff.

No. 10,496.

Vs.

Atukorallage Peter Perera Appuhamy of Polgahawela Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of 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 herein below declared bound and executable under the said decree on Friday, May 20, 1927, commencing at 4 P.M. on the spot :—

All that eastern remaining portion of the western half of the land called Raddelehena, of the extent of 9 yards in length and 36 yards in width, situate at Galbodagama, in Udapola Otota korale.

Further particulars from me—

Kurunegala, April 22, 1927. T. B. AMUNUGAMA,
Licensed Auctioneer.

Application for Enrollment as a Notary Public.

I, SINNATHAMBY ARULAMPALAM of Saravanai in the District of Jaffna, do hereby give notice in terms of rule 2 in schedule B of Ordinance No. 4 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 Tamil language in the District of Mullaittivu.

March 24, 1927.

S. ARULAMPALAM.

Application for Enrollment as a Notary Public.

I, KARAI SIVACHIDAMBARA MAHESA SARMA of Karainagar in the District of Jaffna, do hereby give notice in terms of rule 2 in schedule 1 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 Tamil language in the District of Jaffna.

March 24, 1927.

K. S. MAHESA SARMA.

APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES, &c.

I hereby give notice that I have on April 27, 1927, applied to the Hon. the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1927, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 75 of June 15, 1918 :—

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Don Edwin Nanayakkara of 458, 3rd Division, Maradana, Colombo.

Description of licence applied for: Medicated wines and rectified spirits.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: A new licence.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 458, 3rd Division, Maradana, Colombo.

Colombo, April 27, 1927.

D. E. NANAYAKKARA.

We hereby give notice that we have on April 21, 1927 applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed for the licensing period ending September 30, 1928, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 75 of June 15, 1918 :—

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: The Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Company, Limited, Union Place, Colombo.

Description of licence or licences applied for: Licence for the sale of foreign liquors.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or licences or for a new licence or licences: For renewal of existing licence.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 96, Union Place, Colombo.

THE GALAHA CEYLON TEA ESTATES AND
AGENCY Co., LTD.

SPECIFICATIONS UNDER "THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE."

SPECIFICATION.— Irrigation Works, North-Central Province.

SUPPLEMENTARY specification showing lands found to be capable of irrigation by Nachchattuwa Scheme, in addition to the specification published in Government Gazette Nos. 6,862 of March 22, 1917; 7,073 of December 19, 1919; 7,291 of October 20, 1922; 7,478 of August 14, 1925; 7,531 of June 18, 1926; and 7,557 of November 26, 1926, the names of proprietors, and the contributions payable in respect of each land.

Lands paying an Irrigation Rate of Rs. 4 per Acre per Annum reversible at any Time.

Final village plan No. 823.—Hidogama.

Table with columns: No., No. of Lot Survey Reference, Name of Allotment of Land or Field, Name of Owner, Extent, Amount paid to Sold for, Date, Rate in Rs. c. for Con- Man- tenance, Charge for struction, Rs. c. A. R. P., Area exempted, Rate-Ex- Amount exempted, whether, No. and Date of Colonial Secretary's Letter authorizing Exemption, and Period of Exemption granted, Total Amount due, Rs. c.

Lands leased on Faidy Permits.

Irrigation survey preliminary plan No. 1.

Irrigation survey preliminary plan No. 2.

Irrigation survey preliminary plan No. 3.

SUMMARY.

Total acreage as per supplementary specification published in Government Gazette No. 7,557 of November 26, 1926

Total acreage as in this supplementary specification

Summary table with columns: A. R. P., Rs. c.

The Kacheheri, Anuradhapura, December 14, 1926.

M. M. WEDDERBURN, Government Agent.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying at the Indian Goods Shed at Maradana, beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, June 14, 1927, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods sold must be cleared on or before Friday, June 17, 1927 :—

Vessel and Date.	Invoice No. and Date.	From Station.	Consignees.	Number and Description of Packages.
ss. Hardinge of November 22, 1926	.. 121 of November 19, 1926	Madura	.. S. Ramasamy Pillai	2 packages, tables
ss. Elgin of December 10, 1926	.. 11 of December 1, 1926	Jaliparamba Road	Anjavnga Weaving Co.	.. 1 bale cotton piece goods
ss. Elgin of December 29, 1926	.. 387 of December 17, 1926	Madras Beach	.. S. Madar	.. 1 case hats

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

C. H. COLLINS,
for Principal Collector.

Registration of a Building for Solemnization of Marriages.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, relating to the registration of Marriages other than the Marriages of Kandyans or of Muhammadans, I, Harry Edward Beven, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the under-mentioned building used as a place of public Christian worship, has been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein :—

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
447 ..	April 21, 1927 ..	School Hall	.. Diwala-Pallegama, Egodapota pattu, Galboda korale, Kegalla District	Rev. A. M. Walmsley, Minister	Church of England (Church Missionary Society)

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 21, 1927.

H. E. BEVEN,
Registrar-General.

Lease of Lot No. 21, Cinnamon Gardens.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent, Western Province, will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the lease of the allotments of land known as the Colombo Cinnamon Gardens, more fully described in the schedule hereto annexed, for a period of three years, commencing from June 1, 1927, subject to the covenants and conditions set out in the form of lease hereto annexed.

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes superscribed "Tenders for the Lease of the Colombo Cinnamon Gardens," will be received at the Colombo Kacheheri until 2 P.M. on Friday, May 13, 1927, when they will be opened. All persons making the tenders will be required to be present, or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agents that the tender is made *bona fide*.

3. The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to His Excellency the Governor, will be required to deposit at once one-tenth of one year's purchase amount in cash, and should the tender be accepted by His Excellency to furnish approved security for half of the whole purchase amount, or a deposit in cash for one-fourth of the whole purchase amount, within fourteen days of the date of receipt by him of the notification of the Governor's acceptance of his offer. Possession will not be granted until sufficient security has been furnished.

4. He will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Counsel for examining the title deeds of properties tendered as security and the expenses of appraising properties and registering the securities.

5. All the deeds tendered as security must be accompanied by a certificate obtained from the Registrar of Lands that the lands to which they refer are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the party producing the title deeds.

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

7. Government reserves to itself full power to reject all or any of the tenders which may be made in pursuance of this notice, and to accept any tender whether such tender be made by the highest bidder or not.

The Kacheheri,
Colombo, April 25, 1927.

R. N. THAINE,
Government Agent.

Schedule referred to.

Lot.	Situation.	Extent. A. R. P.	Description.
21 ..	Welikada	.. 79 0 15.88	.. Cinnamon and grass

An agreement entered into the _____ day of _____, between _____, Government Agent of the Western Province, for and on behalf of Our Sovereign Lord the King (hereinafter called the lessor, which expression shall include his successors in office, for the time being), of the one part, and _____, of _____ (hereinafter called the lessee, which expression shall include his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns) of the other part, by which the parties hereto agree as follows :—

1. The lessor on behalf of the Crown agrees to let and demise and the lessee to take all that allotment of Crown land, situated at _____ in _____, particularized in the schedule hereto, and containing in the whole _____, together with all ways, waters, easements, and appurtenances thereto belonging or usually occupied or enjoyed therewith, for the term of _____ years from the _____ day of _____ for the gross sum of Rupees _____, of which one-tenth of one year's rent, to wit, Rupees _____, was

paid by the lessee to the lessor on the _____ day of _____ last, the receipt of which the lessor doth hereby acknowledge, and the remaining nine-tenths (hereinafter called the rent) shall be paid by the lessee to the lessor by equal quarterly payments on the _____ day of _____, the _____ day of _____, the _____ day of _____, and the _____ day of _____ in every year of the said terms, the first of such quarterly payments to be made on the _____ day of _____ next, and the last to be made in advance one calendar month before the expiration of the said term.

2. The lessee shall not during the term, aforesaid sublet or lease any portion of the said plantation or premises, and shall not erect or construct any temporary or permanent buildings upon the said premises, or open any road through the premises, except with the previous consent in writing of the lessor. In the event of consent being given by the lessor to the lessee for the erection of any temporary buildings on the said premises, such buildings shall be according to a plan to be approved by the Municipal Council of Colombo.

3. The lessee shall cultivate, maintain, and keep up the said premises in a good and husbandlike manner; and shall, within one year from the commencement of the term thoroughly weed and clear the said premises, and shall thereafter, during the continuation of the said term, previously to the month of October, in every year, pull and root up all herbs and weeds growing upon the said premises, and once in every year shall cleanse the ditches, gutters, and water-courses; and in case of default thereof in the last year, the lessee shall permit the lessor and all persons authorized by him to enter and weed the said plantation and cleanse the said ditches, gutters, and water-courses; and shall repay the expenses thereof.

4. The lessee shall not plant any other trees, plants, or shrubs, save and except cinnamon bushes and grass, without the written consent of the lessor.

5. The Crown shall be at liberty during the term of the lease on giving one month's notice to the lessee to resume possession of the premises hereby demised or any portion thereof, and to sell or otherwise appropriate such premises or such portions thereof when required by Government, and a proportionate deduction shall be made from the instalments of rent subsequent to the appropriation of such land by the lessor, his agent or agents, such proportion to be estimated with reference to the gross acreage of the premises hereby demised, and without reference to the quality of the land appropriated by the lessor as aforesaid. The lessee shall on receipt of a month's notice of such requirement from the lessor, his agent or agents, surrender such portion or portions without compensation.

6. If any portion of the plantation and premises hereby demised to be adjudged during the continuance of the tenancy to be private property and not to belong to the Crown, such adjudication shall in no way determine the tenancy, but an abatement in the rent shall be made by the lessor on behalf of the Crown proportionate to the acreage declared to be private property.

7. The lessee shall not during his tenancy cut or peel any cinnamon sticks which shall not have come to maturity, nor shall he at any time destroy or injure any cinnamon bushes or trees or timber on the said plantation growing, nor shall he at any time commit any waste thereon. Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall prevent the lessee from harvesting such cinnamon as is fit to be harvested in the usual course of husbandry.

8. The lessee shall permit the lessor or his agent or agents at all reasonable time during the tenancy to enter upon the said leased premises and plantation to view the state and condition thereof.

9. During the last year of the term it shall be lawful for the lessor to appoint one or more persons who shall superintend the cutting and peeling of cinnamon then growing upon the said plantation, and so soon as such superintendent or superintendents have been appointed, the lessee shall not cut or harvest any cinnamon, save with the approval and consent of one of such superintendents.

10. The lessee shall, from time to time during the said term, when and so often as need shall require, at his own cost, well, and substantially repair and maintain the boundary marks and hedges, mounds, banks, fences, drains, and ditches, which indicate the boundaries of the premises hereby demised.

11. The lessee shall be at liberty to manure the premises hereby demised or any portion thereof subject to Municipal or Sanitary Board regulations. Cattle are not allowed on the land.

12. The lessee shall at the expiration or sooner determination of the said term deliver up the said plantation and leased premises and all fixtures and additions thereto in such good and husbandlike condition as aforesaid, and in all respects in such state and condition as shall be consistent with the due performance of the agreements and stipulations herein contained.

13. The lessee shall, for more perfectly securing to the Crown the due performance of the conditions above set forth, execute with one or more sureties, immediately after the execution of these presents, a bond of even date herewith in favour of Our Sovereign Lord the King for the sum of Rupees _____, and hypothecating to the Crown the properties therein mentioned.

14. If any other quarterly instalments of rent hereby secured shall be in arrear for more than thirty days, or if the lessee commit a breach of any of the foregoing covenants, it shall be lawful for the lessor for and on behalf of the Crown to re-enter upon the said plantation and leased premises without making any compensation to the lessee, and thereupon it shall be optional to the lessor on behalf of the Crown either to sell the remainder of the term at the risk of the lessee or to forthwith determine the tenancy of the said plantations and leased premises.

15. The lessee will pay all rates and taxes due on account of this land and be subject to Municipal or Sanitary Board regulations.

16. The lessee shall provide permanent latrine accommodation in accordance with Municipal or Sanitary Board requirements and regulations.

In witness whereof the said _____ and the said _____ have hereunto set their hands at _____ this _____ day of _____, in the year of Our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and _____.

Witnesses: _____

Summary of Accounts of the Rural Education District Committee, Nuwara Eliya, for the Year, 1926.

RECEIPTS.		Rs.	c.	EXPENDITURE.		Rs.	e.
Balance on December 31, 1925	..	6,737	51	(1) Erection of new buildings and extensions	..	12,120	70
Government grant	..	10,000	0	(2) Repairs to buildings	..	4,023	82
Chairman, Sanitary Board, on account Anglo-Vernacular school, Talawakele	..	4,360	75	(3) Repairs to fences, wells, &c.	..	584	80
Miscellaneous	..	109	61	(4) Furniture and school apparatus	..	1,473	85
Village Committee contributions—				(5) Garden implements	..	150	6
		Rs.	c.	(6) Salaries	..	1,516	63
Kotmale	..	600	0	(7) Miscellaneous	..	144	97
Walapane	..	300	0	(8) Printing and stationery	..	52	89
Uda Hewaheta	..	300	0	(9) Latrines	..	603	80
Gravets.	..	75	0	(10) Land acquisitions	..	186	88
				(11) Advance account	..		
				Balance	..	1,619	83
		1,275	0				
Total	..	22,482	87	Total	..	22,482	87

April 21, 1927.

C. HARRISON-JONES,
Chairman.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Rural Education District Committee, Matale, from January 1 to December 31, 1926.

REVENUE.		Rs.	c.	EXPENDITURE.		Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1925	..	8,268	83	Salaries	..	1,860	0
Government contribution for 1926	..	12,000	0	Repairs to buildings	..	3,004	21
Gansabhawa contribution for 1926	..	600	0	Making and repairing fences, school gardens	..	92	15
Refund of half salary of Assistant Recordkeeper	..	2	50	Furniture and school apparatus	..	980	4
Grant for purchase of boxing materials	..	20	0	Erection and extensions to existing buildings	..	8,811	65
Refund of unexpended balance on account of Tenne school	..	20	58	Garden implements	..	200	0
Refund of unexpended balance on account of Dandubendiruppa school	..	63	38	Miscellaneous	..	566	99
Refund of unexpended balance on account of Naula school	..	210	78	Balance on December 31, 1925	..	15,515	4
Voluntary contribution by the Ratemahatmaya, Matale South, for sports materials	..	24	0		..	5,695	3
		21,210	7			21,210	7

April 22, 1927.

N. W. MORGAPPAH, JR.,
for Chairman.

Revenue and Expenditure of the Rural Education District Committee, Uva, during 1926.

REVENUE.			Amount.	Total.	EXPENDITURE.			Amount.	Total.		
			Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.			
To Balance on January 1, 1926	..	—	—	32,021	31	Item 1	By Salaries, &c.	..	928	34	
Government grant	..	32,000	0			2	Repairs to buildings, &c.	..	5,672	2	
School fines	..	1,025	0			3	Fences	..	627	89	
Miscellaneous	..	109	0			4	Furniture	..	1,408	92	
Refund of advances	..	2,503	0			5	Garden implements	..	268	98	
				35,637	0	6	(a) New buildings	..	22,893	81	
							(b) Extensions, &c.	..	10,446	15	
							(c) Wells	..	780	3	
									34,119	99	
						7	(a) Miscellaneous	..	1,665	24	
							(b) Stationery	..	94	79	
									1,760	3	
						8	(a) Refunds	..	912	75	
							(b) Advances	..	200	0	
									1,112	75	
							By Balance	..	21,759	39	
				67,658	31					67,658	31

To Balance on January 1, 1927

21,759 39

The Kachcheri,
Badulla, April 25, 1927.R. A. G. FESTING,
Chairman.

MT/Aluwihare Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated at Aluwihare in Matale District of the Central Province, under the management of Mr. P. Vincent Perera, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from October 1, 1925.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1927.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

J/Palali Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated at Palali, Valikamam North, Jaffna District of the Northern Province, under the management of Hon. Mr. W. Duraiswamy, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, effect from with effect from November 1, 1925.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1927.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Dodanduwa Buddhist English Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. P. de S. Kularatne for grant in aid of the above school, which is situated at Dodanduwa, Wellaboda pattu, Galle District of the Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than May 30, 1927.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1927.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Girls' English School, Mount Lavinia.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated in Mount Lavinia, Colombo District of the Western Province, under the management of Mr. C. V. Pereira, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from January, 1926.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 14, 1927.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

St. John's English Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated in the Town of Kalutara, Kalutara District of the Western Province, under the management of Rev. T. C. J. Peiris, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from March, 1926.

Education Office,
Colombo, April 29, 1927.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. W. S. Gifford has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, in place of Rev. E. T. Selby:—

Schools referred to.

Kurukkalmadam
Kaluthavali
Eruvil
Kovil PorativuTetative
Kaluthavalimooans
Palugamam
TivuEducation Office,
Colombo, April 12, 1927.L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. J. Yorke has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. J. Piron.

School referred to.

Kg/Punugala Estate School.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, April 14, 1927. Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. P. Chandrasekera has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. P. Dhammarama :—

School referred to.

K/Yatihalagala-Pallegama Vernacular Mixed School.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, April 14, 1927. Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mrs. Nora Jayawardene has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Mrs. Catherine de Silva :—

School referred to.

Girls' Orphanage, Pamankada road, Wellawatta.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, April 25, 1927. Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. S. M. Thomas, St. Paul's Church, Kandy, has been appointed manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. C. A. Guy :—

School referred to.

K/Attaragama Vernacular School.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, April 25, 1927. Director of Education.

"The Mines and Machinery Protection Ordinance, 1896."

IT is hereby notified for general information that a special licence, under the provisions of Rule 7 made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, under section 4 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1896, published in the *Government Gazette* of October 29, 1926, has been granted to Mr. A. C. Campbell for the purpose of issuing "Boiler Certificates" (Form C) for any boilers used in any factory, and certificates of competency (Form A) to any person or persons having control of any boiler or boilers used in any factory.

Public Works Office, H. L. GROOOCK,
Colombo, April 20, 1927, for Director of Public Works.

"The Mines and Machinery Protection Ordinance, 1896."

IT is hereby notified for general information that a special licence, under the provisions of Rule 7 made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, under section 4 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1896, published in the *Government Gazette* of October 29, 1926, has been granted to Mr. A. T. Wylie for the purpose of issuing "Boiler Certificates" (Form C) for any boilers used in any factory, and certificates of competency (Form A) to any person or persons having control of any boiler or boilers used in any factory.

Public Works Office, H. L. GROOOCK,
Colombo, April 25, 1927, for Director of Public Works.

Notice of Sale of Property attached in Police Court, Avissawella, Case No. 10,951.

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 11, 1927, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at Yakella School, the right, title, and interest of Bathiranpedige Rankira of Wegalla, the absconding accused in the above case, in the following property :—

(1) An undivided 1/12th share of Ambaghamulawatta, situated at Wegalla, Punahela Wasama, in Lower Bulatgama, Kegalla District, in extent 2 pelas paddy sowing; and bounded on the north by Bilingahakotuwawatta, east by Yodagewatta, south by Wattuwagewatteagala, and west by Ditch and live fence.

(2) An undivided 1/36th share of Epitawatta situated at ditto, in extent 2 kurunies paddy sowing; and bounded on the north by Epitawatta, east by Ungagewatta, south by Bilindagewatta, and west by Pussamulawatta.

(3) An undivided 1/18th share of Gallindewatta situated at ditto in extent 3 kurunies paddy sowing; and bounded on north by Manangala estate, east by Rattaranagewattegalweta, south by Meegahamulawatta, and west by Wattuwagewattegalweta.

The Kachcheri, W. E. HOBDAY,
Kegalla, April 26, 1927. Assistant Government Agent.

Loss of Firearms.**KURUNEGALA.**

A single-barrelled cap gun, No. Q 6813 on the stock and barrel, belonging to V. M. Mudaliya of Medawachchiya in Wannu hatpattu in Kurunegala District.

The Kachcheri, W. ABEYEWARDANE,
Kurunegala, April 26, 1927. for Government Agent.

BADULLA DISTRICT.

Name of Owner : Veeyanna Mana Arumugam Nada of Kumarapattiya in Yatipalata korale in Udukinda division.
Description of Gun : Single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun, bearing No. 2073B on stock.
Number of Licence : A 17122/54 Uk.

The Kachcheri, R. N. BOND,
Badulla, April 23, 1927. for Government Agent.

RATNAPURA DISTRICT.

Description of Property : One single-barrelled cap gun, No. 102 on stock.
Licence Number : 268/NA.
Licensee : Dewatagoda Mananalage Emanisa of Karawita.

Remarks : The gun is reported to have been lost.

The Kachcheri, J. M. DE SILVA,
Ratnapura, April 23, 1927. for Government Agent.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 67/5, situated at Wekanda, Slave Island, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 17, 1927.

CHAS. W. PATE,
Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, April 22, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 9 c2, situated at Flowerroad, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 16, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 22, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 7, situated at Albert road, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 15, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 22, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises known as the Reclaimed Land in Lake road, Hunupitiya, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 15, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 22, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 60, situated at Baseline Road, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 13, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 35, situated at Baseline Road, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 13, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises known as the Stork Garden, Stafford Place, Maradana, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 19, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises known as the "Garange," Union place, Slave Island, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 18, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 24, situated at Union place, Slave Island, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 18, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 4, situated at Lilly street, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 18, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

This declaration shall take effect from April 20, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 11, situated at Braybrooke place, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 15, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 661, situated at Kirillapone road, Colombo : Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 19, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,
Colombo, April 23, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 13, situated at Kirillapone road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 21, 1927.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 26, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 621, situated at Timbrigasyaya road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 22, 1927.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 26, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 7, 1927, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,577 of April 14, 1927, the premises bearing assessment No. 22, situated at Saunders Court, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 16, 1927.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 26, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS by proclamation dated April 8, 1927, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,577 of April 14, 1927, the premises bearing assessment No. 45, situated at Vauxhall lane, Slave Island, Colombo, were proclaimed an infected area in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909; and whereas foot-and-mouth disease no longer exists in the said premises, it is now declared free from foot-and-mouth disease, and to be no longer an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 22, 1927.

CHAS. W. PATE,

The Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
Colombo, April 26, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 18, situated at Narahempitiya, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 22, 1927.

CHAS. W. PATE,

Municipal Office, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.
do, April 26, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises known as the Kotahena Market, Kotahena, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 11, 1927.

A. M. FERNANDO,

Acting Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, April 20, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises bearing assessment No. 76/77, situated at Colpetty road, Colombo: Such premises are hereby declared, in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, to be an infected area.

This declaration shall take effect from April 11, 1927.

A. M. FERNANDO,

Acting Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, April 20, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at No. 360, Nawala, in Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2) of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by land belonging to Mr. Gooneratna; south by dewata road; east by land belonging to Aron Perera; west by land belonging to Senanayaka Vidanelage Cornelis Perera.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

April 14, 1927.

D. E. WIJESKERE,

Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at No. 395, Nawala, in Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by land belonging to N. C. Cooray, south by Dewata road, east by temple land, west by land belonging to A. Abdul Rahim.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

April 14, 1927.

D. E. WIJESKERE,

Chief Headman.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Welekada in Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared in terms of

section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by southern boundary of garden belonging to Mr. H. P. Goonewardana, south by high road to Cotta, east by Northern boundary of premises No. 451, west by Dewata road.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

D. E. WIJESKERE,
Chief Headman.

April 15, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Mahawatta, in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division, in Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province : It is hereby declared in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by Government Dairy, south by Crown land bearing lot No. 26, east by Crown land bearing lot No. 26, west by Kelani Valley Railway Line.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

D. E. WIJESKERA,
Chief Headman.

April 19, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area is bounded on the north by Kelani river, south by Heen-ela, east by dewata road to Weragoda, west by Nagalagam street.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

D. E. WIJESKERE,
Chief Headman.

April 20, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Mahawatta, in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division, in Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province : It is hereby declared in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by Crown land bearing lot No. 26, south by field, east by Kelani Valley Railway Line, west by Crown land bearing lot No. 26.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

D. E. WIJESKERE,
Chief Headman.

April 21, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Weragoda, in Colombo Mudaliyar's Division, in Salpiti korale of Colombo District of the Western Province : It is hereby declared in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, the under-mentioned area is infected, viz. :—

The area is bounded on the north by Kelani river, south by Heen-ela, east by dewata road to Weheragodella, west by Grandpass canal.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

D. E. WIJESKERE,
Chief Headman.

April 22, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area bounded on the north by dewata road leading to Bandarawatta, south by Biyagama District Road Committee road, east by dewata road leading to the village, west by ditto.

This declaration shall take effect from this date.

MAURICE PERERA,
Suripaluwa, April 20, 1927. Mudaliyar, Siyane Korale West.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area is bounded on the north by the land belonging to P. D. Migel Appu, east by dewata road, south by the land belonging to G. D. Easak Appu, west by Colombo-Negombo high road.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Wattala, April 13, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area is bounded on the north by Telangapata road, south by the fields, east by Telangapata road, west by land belonging to K. Nonno Rodrigo.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Wattala, April 12, 1927. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area bounded on the north and east by Telangapata road, west by the fields, south by land belonging to G. I. William Appuhani.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Wattala, April 12, 1927. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area is bounded on the north by cart road leading to Hendala, south by the fields, east by Colombo-Negombo high road, west by old canal.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,

Wattala, April 21, 1927. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area is bounded on the north by Mahawatta, south by portion of Nelligahawatta; east by Colombo-Negombo high road; west by Kelani river.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Wattala, April 22, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area is bounded on the north by the field belonging to S. A. Gunatilaka; south by the field; east by the Government market premises and fields; west by the old canal.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Wattala, April 22, 1927.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

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

The area is bounded on the north by Hettiyawatta and Welisara estate, south by land belonging to P. Don William Appu, east by land belonging to Don William Ratnasekara, west by Welisara estate.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,

Wattala, April 23, 1927. Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale South.

Foot Disease.

WHEREAS foot disease has broken out at Moratuwulla within the Local Board limits of Moratuwa, in the Colombo District of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by the high road leading to Indibedda, south by the land belonging to Mr. Lambert Fernando, east by the land belonging to Mr. R. A. Mendis, west by the land belonging to Mr. Abraham de Mel.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

G. W. DE FONSEKA,

Moratuwa, April 21, 1927.

Mudaliyar, Salpiti Korale.

Foot Disease.

WHEREAS foot disease has broken out at Rawatawatta within the Local Board limits, Moratuwa, in Salpiti korale of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by the property owned by Davith Aratchy and others, south by the road leading to Holy Emmanuel Church, east by the property owned by Matilda Fernando, west by the property owned by D. A. Fernando and others.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

G. W. DE FONSEKA,

April 21, 1927.

Mudaliyar, Salpiti Korale.

Foot Disease.

WHEREAS foot disease has broken out at Willorawatta within Local Board limits, Moratuwa, in Salpiti korale of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by land owned by Isakiel Fernando; south by a cart road; east by land owned by the Police Vidane of Willorawatta; west by a private road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

G. W. DE FONSEKA,

April 22, 1927.

Mudaliyar, Salpiti Korale.

Foot Disease.

WHEREAS foot disease has broken out at Laxapathiya within Local Board limits, Moratuwa, in Salpiti korale of the Western Province: It is hereby declared that the under-mentioned area is infected in terms of section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, viz. :—

The area bounded on the north by De Mel's road; south by the land owned by Mr. L. J. Salgado; east by the Galle high road; west by De Mel's road.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

G. W. DE FONSEKA,

April 22, 1927.

Mudaliyar, Salpiti Korale.

NOTICE UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**Sale of Toddy Rents, 1927-1928, Mannar District.**

It is hereby notified that the date of sale of Toddy Rents, 1927-1928, Mannar District, fixed for May 2, 1927, appearing in page 942 of *Government Gazette* No. 7,577 of April 14, 1927, has been postponed for May 18, 1927, at 11 a.m.

The Kachcheri,
Mannar, April 22, 1927.

C. E. JONES,
Assistant Government Agent.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held in the Municipal Office on Saturday, March 12, 1927, at 1.15 p.m., pursuant to Notice dated March 7, 1927.

Present :—Mr. L. W. C. Schrader, Chairman ; Mr. D. G. Goonewardene, M.B.E. ; Mr. D. W. Subasinghe ; Mr. C. E. de Vos ; Mr. J. E. Perera ; Mr. D. I. Durham ; Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe ; Dr. E. P. Aserappa ; and Mr. W. W. Morgan.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of February 12, 1927, a copy thereof having been furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed.

Arising from the Minutes, Mr. D. W. Subasinghe asked the Chairman whether the present scheme for supplying water to the town is working satisfactorily, as he has had complaints from residents.

The Chairman replied that the day service is fairly satisfactory but the request of the Muslim community for an all night service, as well, could not be complied with.

It was decided to give instructions to the Ward Inspectors to report whether the valves on the water service were worked according to time table, in their respective wards.

2. Pursuant to notice, Mr. W. W. Morgan moved—With reference to the recommendation of the Special Committee (appointed on March 13, 1926, to report on the drainage of the Mahamodera hospital) that sullage water should be collected in catch pits and removed by manual labour, this Council approves of the present proposal to construct one sump for the sullage water whence, after being rendered innocuous by disinfecting and screening, it may be drained into the canal.

Dr. E. P. Aserappa seconded, and Mr. D. I. Durham supported the motion.

Mr. D. G. Goonewardene, M.B.E., moved as an amendment that the consideration of the motion be deferred, and that the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services be asked whether he is prepared to give an assurance that the sullage water when treated as proposed in the motion and drained into the canal will be perfectly innocuous.

Mr. D. W. Subasinghe seconded, and Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe supported the amendment.

The amendment was put to the meeting and carried by 5 votes to 4. The original motion therefore falls to the ground.

3. Pursuant to notice, Mr. D. I. Durham moved—That this Council take steps to properly drain away the waste water from the cooling tank of the Electric Power Station, and that the Superintendent of Works be requested to estimate for the work. Mr. J. E. Perera seconded.

The Chairman explained that he had already taken action with regard to the draining of the swamp near the quarry and an estimate had been prepared.

With the leave of Council, the motion was withdrawn.

4. To consider a proposal from the Colonial Auditor regarding the audit fee for the Galle Municipality :—Resolved that the Colonial Auditor be informed that this Council will practically be paying the same audit fee as the Kandy Municipality, if the suggestion is adopted, whereas the revenue of the Galle Municipality is about half that of Kandy ; and, in the circumstances, this Council is prepared to pay Rs. 1,750.

5. To consider whether the expenses, amounting to Rs. 118.25, incurred in connection with the occurrence of a case of smallpox on ss. Clan MacNair in December, 1926, should be claimed from Government.

Mr. D. G. Goonewardene, M.B.E., moved—That Government be called upon to reimburse the Council the sum of Rs. 118.25, incurred in connection with the occurrence of a case of smallpox on ss. Clan MacNair in December 1926, the grounds being as stated in his motion of December 11, 1926, (item 4 of the Minutes of the Meeting of December 11, 1926). Mr. D. W. Subasinghe seconded, and Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe supported.

The motion was put to the meeting and carried.

6. Papers referring to the delays at Railway level crossings :—Resolved to lay them by for the present.

7. Supplemental Budget for 1926 :—Mr. J. E. Perera moved, that the Supplemental Budget for 1926, be adopted. Mr. D. W. Subasinghe seconded.—Carried.

The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees were laid before the Council :—

8. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of February 12, 1927.*

- (2) To consider the following estimates :—(a) Rs. 32,000 for maintenance of roads.—Recommended.
- (b) Rs. 2,000 for maintenance of canals.—Recommended.
- (c) Rs. 1,400 for maintenance of Victoria Park and Esplanade.—Recommended.
- (d) Rs. 2,000 for improvements to Victoria Park.—Recommended.
- (e) Rs. 1,000 for valves, hydrants, &c., for the Waterworks Department.—Recommended.
- (f) Rs. 1,500 for meters for the Waterworks Department.—Recommended that Rs. 2,500 be provided, including cost of a 3-in. meter for the Railway main.
- (g) Rs. 500 for cleaning the Fort sewers.—Recommended.
- (h) Rs. 300 for rebuilding a culvert across Sea street.—Recommended.
- (i) Rs. 500 for repairing three conservancy carts.—Recommended.
- (3) To consider tenders for building an office and store room for the Electricity Department.—Recommended that K. P. Hinni Appuhamy's tender of Rs. 2,685 be accepted.

Resolution.

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committees be adopted.

9. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of February 12, 1927.*

- (2) To consider repayment to the Local Loans and Development Fund of a portion of the loan of Rs. 135,000.—Recommended that Rs. 50,000 be repaid.
- (3) Demolished building in Ward 2.—Recommended that the rates be struck off from 1st quarter, 1927.
- (4) Employment of a temporary clerk.—Recommended that a temporary clerk be employed for 2 months.

Resolution.

With regard to item (2) resolved that the recommendation of the Standing Committee be not adopted. With regard to item (4)—Resolved that the services of the temporary clerk be retained for three months.

The recommendation of the Standing Committee with regard to the remaining item was adopted.

10. With reference to the resolution of Council of January 22, 1927, (item 14 (2) (c) of the Minutes) no tenders having been received for converting the Fort market into an office and store for the Health Department, it was resolved that the work be carried out departmentally.

11. The following documents were laid on the table :—

- (1) Statement of receipts and disbursements to end of February, 1927.
- (2) Progress report of works done on estimates during February, 1927.
- (3) Report of the Inspector of Vehicles on carriages plying for hire during February, 1927.
- (4) Diaries of (a) the Medical Officer of Health, (b) the Superintendent of Works, (c) the Inspector of Works, and (d) the Manager, Health Department.

Confirmed :

L. W. C. SCHRADER,
Chairman.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, April 9, 1927.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Special Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held in the Municipal Office on March 19, 1927, at 10 a.m., pursuant to Notice dated March 14, 1927.

Present :—Mr. L. W. C. Schrader (Chairman) ; Mr. D. G. Goonewardene, M.B.E. ; Mr. D. W. Subasinghe ; Mr. C. E. de Vos ; Mr. D. I. Durham ; Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe ; Dr. E. P. Aserappa ; and Mr. W. W. Morgan.

The Chairman explained that this meeting had been called for the purpose of filling the post of Superintendent, Electricity Department, created by Council, as it was important that the appointment should be made as early as possible, in order that the officer may make himself acquainted with his duties before the Public Works Department hands over the scheme at the end of June.

Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe moved that the appointment be deferred until the Council can obtain a report from a competent authority on the whole scheme before the Council take it over from the Public Works Department.

The motion was not seconded.

The Chairman submitted the following recommendations by the Special Committee on Electric Lighting of March 9, 1927 :—(1) "That Mr. Eric H. Jansen be appointed Superintendent, Electricity Department, on a year's probation, on a salary of Rs. 3,000 rising to Rs. 6,000 by annual increments of Rs. 240"; and moved that the recommendation be adopted. Mr. D. G. Goonewardene, M.B.E. seconded.

Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe supported the motion, which was put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

(2) Meter reader :—Recommended that for the present the meter reader be paid a commuted travelling allowance of Rs. 10 per mensem.—Resolved that the recommendation of the Special Committee be adopted.

Confirmed :

L. W. C. SCHRADER,
Chairman.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, April 9, 1927.

A.—Statement showing the Total Receipts and Disbursements to end of March, 1927.

REVENUE.	Amount.		Actual Receipts.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount		Actual Disbursements.	
	Estimated.	Rs. c.			Estimated.	Rs. c.		
Taxes ..	19,575	0	18,472	25	22,202	14	1,793	64
Rates ..	116,600	0	31,807	62	68,021	0	17,414	36
Licences ..	16,000	0	3,373	25	Health Department :—			
Judicial fines ..	4,000	0	903	67	Sanitation Branch			
Tolls ..	17,945	0	—	—	2,150	0	469	51
Slaughter-house ..	4,600	0	1,104	58	Conservancy ..			
Conservancy ..	26,000	0	6,659	75	27,689	0	7,434	80
Markets ..	26,963	0	8,307	94	Scavenging ..			
Rents ..	6,352	0	2,715	1	22,581	0	5,615	40
Cemetery ..	300	0	129	50	Works Department :—			
Water ..	2,850	0	819	21	Annually recurrent			
Miscellaneous ..	50,088	0	16,773	39	48,400	0	5,614	86
					Extraordinary			
					17,000	0	4,055	0
					Waterworks ..			
					4,200	0	507	79
					Municipal Court ..			
					2,250	0	375	0
					Markets ..			
					830	0	143	56
					Slaughter-house ..			
					1,723	0	363	31
					Cemetery ..			
					350	0	75	0
					Street lighting ..			
					13,174	0	2,607	72
					Miscellaneous ..			
					45,830	0	10,055	24
					Total Expenditure ..			
					276,402	14	56,525	19
					Advance to Electrical Department revenue account ..			
					—	—	5,932	88
					Deposits repaid ..			
					—	—	2,068	55
					Advances : Electrical Department (D. P. W.) ..			
					—	—	7,500	0
					Total disbursements ..			
					—	—	72,026	62
					Cash balance on March 31, 1927 ..			
					—	—	192,279	58
					Total ..			
					—	—	264,306	20

B.—Surplus and Deficit Account.

	Amount. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.
Expenditure from January 1 to March 31, 1927	56,525 19	Surplus on January 1, 1927	220,598 66
Surplus on March 31, 1927 ..	255,139 64	Revenue from January to March 31, 1927 ..	91,066 17
Total ..	311,664 83	Total ..	311,664 83

C.—Balance Sheet as at March 31, 1927.

LIABILITIES.	Amount. Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Amount. Rs. c.
Deposits ..	7,970 35	Cash in Bank :—	
Surplus ..	255,139 64	Fixed deposits ..	152,275 0
Nett Revenue Account Electrical Department	1,364 76	Current account .. Rs. 40,825 72	
		Uncashed cheques .. Rs. 921 14	
			39,904 58
		Cash in hand of Shroff ..	100 0
		Advances : Miscellaneous ..	770 50
		Advances : Electrical Department (D.P.W.)	71,424 67
Total ..	264,474 75	Total ..	264,474 75

The Municipal Office,
Galle, April 9, 1927.

ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

B 1.—ELECTRICITY REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Statement showing the Receipts and Disbursements during March, 1927.

Vote No.	DISBURSEMENTS.	Amount Estimated.		Disbursements during Mar. 1927.	Vote No.	RECEIPTS.	Amount Estimated.		Receipts during Mar. 1927.
		Rs.	c.				Rs.	c.	
1.	Fuel ..	6,000	0	—	1.	Private lighting	20,000	0	2,958 81
2.	Oil, waste, &c. ..	4,400	0	—	2.	Public lighting	13,176	0	800 0
3.	Salaries and wages at works ..	5,300	0	45 0	3.	Municipal Department	432	0	—
4.	Repairs and maintenance of buildings ..	—	—	—	4.	Rent of meter	1,200	0	233 0
5.	Repairs and maintenance of machinery ..	500	0	—	5.	Sundry receipts	100	0	37 0
6.	Salaries of outdoor staff ..	1,560	0	—	6.	Refunds ..	92	0	—
7.	Repairs of meters, switches ..	500	0	—		Balance carried to Nett Revenue Account			4,028 81
8.	Public lamps, salaries ..	—	—	—					124 51
9.	Public lamps, repairs, and maintenance ..	1,500	0	—					
10.	Management and salaries ..	2,044	0	30 0					
11.	Printing and stationery ..	100	0	52 0					
12.	Legal expenses ..	—	—	—					
13.	Telephone ..	180	0	—					
14.	Fire insurance ..	376	0	—					
15.	Sundry charges ..	1,500	0	102 50					
16.	Services ..	2,000	0	—					
17.	Interest ..	9,980	0	—					
18.	Meters ..	—	—	3,923 82					
				4,153 32					4,153 32

2.—ELECTRICITY NETT REVENUE ACCOUNT.

	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Deficit brought forward	124 51	By balance	1,489 27
Nett Revenue to March, 1927	1,364 76		
	<u>1,489 27</u>		

3.—ELECTRICITY BALANCE SHEET.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. c.	ASSETS.		Rs. c.
Loan from Local Loans and Development Commissioners ..		135,000 0	Capital outlay ..		206,424 67
Advances from Municipal Fund—			Interest on loan during construction ..		12,224 47
On capital account ..		83,649 14	Nett revenue (on March 31, 1927) ..		1,364 76
On revenue account ..		1,364 76			
		<u>220,013 90</u>			<u>220,013 90</u>

The Municipal Office,
Galle, April 9, 1927.

ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

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. 3,824.
- (2) Date of Receipt: April 7, 1927.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE BRITISH PORTLAND CEMENT MANUFACTURERS, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the English Companies' Acts), Portland House, Tothill street, Westminster, London, S. W., England; Cement Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, No. 22, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Seventeen.
- (6) Goods: Aluminous cement, Portland cement and other cements included in Class 17, lime and whiting.
- (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

LIGHTNING

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 27, 1927. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,706.
- (2) Date of Receipt: November 10, 1926.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): IRVING'S YEAST-VITE, LIMITED (a Company organized under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland), 13, Queen street, London E. C. 4, England; Manufacturing Chemists.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, No. 22, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Three.
- (6) Goods: Medicinal preparations of yeast for human use.
- (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

"YEAST-VITE"

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- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,814.
- (2) Date of Receipt: March 24, 1927.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): MICHELIN ET CIE, SOCIETE EN COMMANDITE PAR ACTIONS (a Company duly registered under the laws of France), Clermont-Ferrand, France; Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, No. 22, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Forty.
- (6) Goods: Goods manufactured from India-rubber and gutta-percha not included in other classes.
- (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

BIBENDUM

This Trade Mark is to be associated with the Trade Mark No. 3,766 under section 24.

Registrar-General's Office, H. E. BEVEN,
Colombo, April 27, 1927. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,823.
- (2) Date of Receipt: April 7, 1927.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): ALFRED BARNAT ADAMS, of 22, West 43rd street, New York, United States of America; Manufacturer.
- (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, No. 22, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.
- (5) Class: Three.
- (6) Goods: Medicines for internal human use.
- (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



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(1) Trade Mark No. 3,821.

(2) Date of Receipt : March 28, 1927.

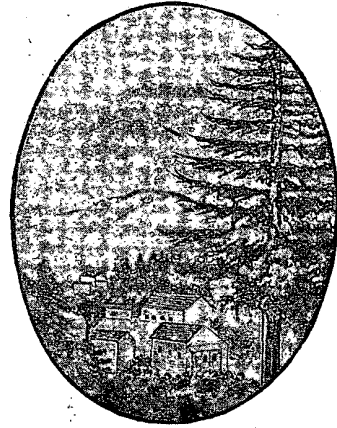
(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE ERASMIC CO., LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the English Companies' Acts), Bank Quay, Warrington, Lancashire, England; Toilet Soap and Perfumery Manufacturers.

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

(5) Class : Forty-eight.

(6) Goods : Perfumery (including toilet articles, preparations for the teeth and hair, and perfumed soap).

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



HIMALAYA BOUQUET.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 27, 1927.

H. E. BEVEN,
Registrar of Trade Marks.

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. 3,816.

(2) Date of Receipt : March 24, 1927.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : MOSES DAVID SOFER, of No. 9, Queen street, Fort, Colombo ; Merchant.

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

(5) Class : Forty-two.

(6) Goods : Tea.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



The transliteration and translation of the foreign words appearing on the mark as " DAHOOD SOFER WOOAW-LADAHOO—BAGHDAD " meaning " DAVID SOFER & SONS, BAGDAD. "

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 27, 1927.

H. E. BEVEN,
Registrar of Trade Marks.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the houses &c., at Hatton, mentioned in the annexed schedule, having been seized for default in payment of Police, Local Board and water rates, Hatton, for the 4th Quarter, 1926, will be sold by public auction on May 17 and 18, 1927, on the spot at Hatton, 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, Hatton.

The Kachcheri,
Kandy, April 26, 1927.

C. H. HARTWELL,
for Government Agent.

Schedule.

Nos. 69, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 186, 187, 189, 192, 193, and 194.

LOCAL BOARD OF NAWALAPITIYA.
Budget of the Local Board of Nawalapitiya for 1927.

REVENUE.	Amount, Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.
A.—General revenue ..	20,525 59	A.—General expenditure ..	6,246 60
B.—Thoroughfares ..	100 0	B.—Thoroughfares ..	71,830 0
C.—Board lands and buildings ..	—	C.—Board lands and buildings ..	1,330 0
D.—Public health ..	18,852 10	D.—Public Health ..	47,131 70
E.—Parks and public recreation ..	150 0	E.—Parks and public recreation ..	—
F.—Cemeteries ..	110 0	F.—Cemeteries ..	660 0
G.—Dogs ..	75 0	G.—Dogs ..	70 0
H.—Weights and measures ..	200 0	H.—Weights and measures ..	200 0
	40,012 69		127,468 30
Balance brought forward ..	99,367 65	Estimated balance ..	11,912 4
Total ..	139,380 34	Total ..	139,380 34

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for 1926.

REVENUE.	Amount. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.
A.—General revenue ..	19,499 35	A.—General expenditure ..	5,357 25
B.—Thoroughfares ..	6,190 65	B.—Thoroughfares ..	6,241 95
C.—Board land and buildings ..	53 50	C.—Board lands and buildings ..	881 84
D.—Public health ..	18,654 55	D.—Public health ..	19,275 28
E.—Parks and public recreation ..	133 50	E.—Parks and public recreation ..	—
F.—Cemeteries ..	75 0	F.—Cemeteries ..	620 0
G.—Dogs ..	53 1	G.—Dogs ..	59 76
H.—Weights and measures ..	121 36	H.—Weights and measures ..	120 24
I.—Other receipts ..	74,000 0	I.—Education ..	25 0
	118,780 92		32,581 32
Balance of previous year ..	13,168 5	Balance on December 31, 1926 ..	99,367 65
	131,948 97		131,948 97

Assets and Liabilities on December 31, 1926.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Rs. c.
Payment order outstanding ..	67 50	Cash in hand ..	318 87
Balance surplus ..	99,367 65	Cash in Kachcheri ..	25,116 28
	99,435 15	Cash in fixed deposit in Hatton Bank ..	74,000 0
Total ..	99,435 15	Total ..	99,435 15

April 25, 1927.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

LOCAL BOARD OF HATTON-DIKOYA.

Statement of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Hatton-Dikoya.

REVENUE.	Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Rs. c.
A.—General ..	27,840 70	A.—General ..	5,572 52
B.—Thoroughfares ..	5,650 25	B.—Thoroughfares ..	4,205 18
C.—Board lands and buildings ..	272 0	C.—Board lands and buildings ..	45 8
D.—Public Health ..	4,834 75	D.—Public health ..	66,424 28
E.—Public recreation ..	40 0	E.—Public recreation ..	—
F.—Cemeteries Ordinance No. 9 of 1899 ..	74 0	F.—Cemeteries Ordinance No. 9 of 1899 ..	450 0
G.—Dogs Registration Ordinance No. 25 of 1922 and No. 7 of 1893 ..	110 0	G.—Dog Registration Ordinances No. 25 of 1901 and No. 7 of 1893 ..	48 82
H.—Weights and Measures Ordinance No. 8 of 1876 ..	—	H.—Weights and Measures Ordinance No. 3 of 1876 ..	—
I.—Education ..	—	I.—Education ..	30 0
Deposits ..	—	Deposits ..	—
J.—Miscellaneous ..	4,325 16	J.—Miscellaneous ..	5,387 2
	43,146 86		82,162 90
Balance on January 1, 1926 ..	73,328 70	Balance on December 31, 1926 ..	34,312 66
Total ..	116,475 56	Total ..	116,475 56

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board of Hatton-Dikoya on December 31, 1926.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Rs. c.
Payment orders outstanding ..	2,255 75	Cash in Kachcheri ..	5,257 69
Balance surplus ..	34,312 66	Cash in Bank ..	10,693 47
	36,568 41	Cash in fixed deposit at Hatton Bank ..	20,000 0
	36,568 41	Interest on fixed deposit ..	525 0
	36,568 41	Cash in hand ..	92 25
Total ..	36,568 41	Total ..	36,568 41

Budget of the Hatton-Dikoya Local Board for the Year 1927.

REVENUE.		Amount.	Total.	EXPENDITURE.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
A.—General revenue :—							
(1) Local taxation :—							
(a) Property tax (including Govern- ment contribution)	..	9,548 77		(a) Secretary	..	2,319 96	
(b) Vehicles and animals tax	..	125 0		(b) Clerks	..	456 0	
(c) Other local taxes and licences (not included elsewhere)	..	4,000 0	13,673 77	(c) Peons	..	353 4	3,129 0
(2) Refunds and grants :—							
(a) Stamp duties	..	2,000 0		(2) Establishment expenses :—			
(b) Liquor licences	..	2,666 0		(a) Allowances (not otherwise charged)	..	744 96	
(c) Police tax	..	9,554 9		(b) Travelling	..	200 0	
(d) Opium	..	1,195 46		(c) Commission to tax collectors (not otherwise charged)	..	700 0	
(e) Auctioneers' and brokers' fees	..	20 0		(d) Assessors fees	..	180 0	
(f) Compensation for road tax	..	2,552 85	17,988 40	(e) Legal expenses	..	—	
(3) Other :—							
(a) Fines by Court (not included elsewhere)	..	150 0		(f) Stationery, printing, advertising and office expenses (not otherwise charged)	..	500 0	
(b) Miscellaneous	..	5 0	155 0	(g) Registration of voters and elections	..	—	
C.—Board lands and buildings (not in- cluded elsewhere) :—							
(a) Rents	..	—	288 0	(h) Cost of cart plates	..	65 0	
D.—Public Health :—							
(3) Conservancy—							
(a) Fees	..	—	2,500 0	(i) Cost of Audit	..	400 0	2,789 96
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pounds :—							
(a) Fees	..	—	800 0	B.—Thoroughfares :—			
(5) Water supply—							
(a) Water-rate	..	—	5,893 88	(1) Maintenance, &c.—			
(7) Market and galas—							
(a) Rents	..	—	1,620 0	(a) Salaries and wages	..	—	
(b) Boutiques and stalls	..	—	—	(b) Repairs	..	500 0	
(c) Fees for private markets	..	—	—	(c) Plant and tools	..	10 0	
(d) Licences	..	—	20 0	(d) Watering	..	400 0	910 0
E.—Parks and public recreation :—							
Rents and cattle gazing fees	..	—	50 0	(2) Lighting :—			
F.—Cemeteries (Ordinance No. 9 of 1899) :—							
(a) Fees	..	50 0		(a) Lighting contract	..	2,040 0	
(b) Hire of hearse	..	10 0	60 0	(b) Other	..	50 0	2,090 0
G.—Dogs (Ordinance No. 25 of 1901 and Ordinance No. 7 of 1893) :—							
(a) Registration fees	..	—	125 0	C.—Board lands and buildings (not charged elsewhere) :—			
I.—Education (Ordinance No. 1 of 1920) :—							
Other Receipts—							
(a) Deposits	..	—	100 0	(a) Police tax	..	—	44 72
J.—Miscellaneous :—							
Sundries	..	—	300 0	D.—Public health :—			
Balance brought forward	..	—	34,312 66	(1) General expenditure—			
Total .. 77,886 71				(a) Salaries	..	980 0	
				(b) Allowances	..	480 0	
				(c) Uniform	..	225 0	
				(d) Printing and Stationery	..	—	
				(e) Disinfectants	..	684 0	
				(f) Infectious diseases	..	300 0	
				(g) Plague precautions	..	10 0	
				(h) Construction of an incinerator and exposure shed	..	3,600 0	6,279 0
				(2) Scavenging—			
				(a) Scavenging contract	..	—	3,540 0
				(3) Latrine Conservancy :—			
				(a) Conservancy contract	..	4,860 0	
				(b) Stores	..	150 0	
				(c) Maintenance of latrines	..	300 0	5,310 0
				(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pounds—			
				(a) Wages	..	—	
				(b) Maintenance	..	—	100 0
				(5) Water supply—			
				(a) Wages	..	—	300 0
				(b) Stores	..	—	—
				(c) Maintenance	..	—	200 0
				(d) Acquisition	..	—	—
				(e) Construction	..	—	—
				(f) Loan charges—			
				Principal	..	2,500 0	
				Interest	..	2,375 0	4,875 0
				(6) Hospitals :—			
				(a) Pauper, maintenance and burial	..	—	25 0
				(7) Market and galas—			
				(a) Rent of market and slaughter- house	..	340 0	
				(b) Maintenance	..	500 0	840 0
				E.—Parks and Public Recreation—			
				(a) Maintenance	..	—	50 0
				F.—Cemeteries Ordinance No. 9 of 1899) :—			
				(a) Wages	..	450 0	
				(b) Maintenance	..	10 0	460 0
				G.—Dogs (Ordinance No. 25 of 1901 and Ordinance No. 7 of 1893) :—			
				(a) Destruction of dogs	..	—	50 0
				Other Payments—			
				(b) Advances	..	—	100 0
				J.—Miscellaneous—			
				(a) Sundries	..	—	1,334
				Estimated balance	..	—	45,660
Total .. 77,886 71				Total .. 77,886 71			

April 25, 1927.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

SANITARY BOARD, MATARA DISTRICT.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Sanitary Board Towns of Matara District for 1926.

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REVENUE.		Amount.	Total.	EXPENDITURE.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>							
Property rates ..		2,496 94		Establishment ..		1,001 70	
Thoroughfare Ordinance collections ..		3,700 80		Office contingencies ..		310 89	
Dogs ..		25 0		Cost of audit ..		85 0	
Tax on motor vehicles ..		30 0		<i>Revenue Services.</i>			
<i>Licences.</i>							
Liquor ..		35 0		Commission to assessors ..		120 0	
Carts and carriages ..		225 0		Commission to commutation tax collectors ..		155 5	
Guns ..		16 50		Commission to assessment tax collectors ..		115 86	
Notaries and proctors ..		20 0		Cost of cart plates ..		37 15	
Trade ..		195 0		<i>Sanitation.</i>			
Explosives ..		1 50		Scavenging ..		1,163 47	
Public performance ..		24 0		Conservancy latrines ..		772 58	
<i>Rents.</i>							
Fish and vegetable markets ..		1,343 61		<i>Police Charges.</i>			
Other ..		4 50		Destruction of dogs ..		60 25	
<i>Fines.</i>							
Police Court ..		127 25		<i>Public Works (Maintenance).</i>			
Village Tribunal fines ..		101 25		Roads ..		866 8	
Other ..		61 0		Market and well ..		241 0	
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>							
Conservancy fees ..		38 25		Tools and stores ..		41 57	
Sundries ..		8 96		<i>Public Works (New).</i>			
Refund of cost of cycle ..		30 0		New latrines (2 sets) ..		1,200 0	
Government grant ..		1,200 0		Fish boards for markets ..		127 20	
Total revenue ..			9,684 56	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>			
<i>Other Receipts.</i>							
Deposits ..		—	79 17	Assessment number plates ..		185 27	
Refund of advances ..		—	—	Petty expenses ..		44 47	
Balance on December 31, 1925 ..		—	3,092 57	Bicycle for W. I. $\frac{1}{4}$ cost of Rs. 180 ..		45 0	
				Refunds ..		0 60	
				Allowances ..		30 0	
				Sea beach patrol ..		75 0	
				Town limit boards ..		42 90	
				Total expenditure ..			6,721 4
				<i>Other Payments.</i>			
				Refund of deposits ..		—	68 66
				Advances ..		—	—
				Balance on December 31, 1926 ..		—	6,066 60
Total ..			12,856 30				Total .. 12,856 30

LIABILITIES.		Amount.	ASSETS.		Amount.
		Rs. c.			Rs. c.
Deposits ..		14 81	Cash in Kachcheri ..		6,066 60
Surplus ..		6,051 79	Advances unsettled ..		—
Total ..		6,066 60	Total ..		6,066 60

WELIGAMA.

REVENUE.

REVENUE.		Amount.	Total.	Fines.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>							
Property rates ..		5,567 49		Police Court ..		363 50	
Thoroughfare Ordinance collections ..		6,064 62		Village Tribunal fines ..		382 35	
Tax on motor vehicles ..		517 50		Other ..		37 90	
Dogs ..		89 59		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>			
<i>Licences.</i>							
Liquor ..		40 0		Conservancy fees ..		366 50	
Carts and carriages ..		246 0		Sundries ..		49 13	
Petroleum ..		7 71		Cemetery collections ..		248 0	
Guns ..		88 0		Cattle pound and stray cattle ..		284 70	
Butchers ..		16 25		Refund of cost of cycle ..		90 0	
Poisons ..		5 0		Total revenue ..			20,453 56
Proctors and notaries ..		50 0		<i>Other Receipts.</i>			
Other ..		6 50		Deposits ..		701 23	
Trade ..		296 0		Refund of advances ..		—	
Explosives ..		12 50		Balance on December 31, 1925 ..		5,133 39	
<i>Rents.</i>							
Fish and vegetable markets ..		2,088 39					5,834 62
Fish rent ..		3,436 41					
Galbokka market ..		69 52					
Other ..		30 0					
							Total .. 26,288 18

		EXPENDITURE.			
		Amount.	Total.	Public Works (Maintenance).	
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Amount.	Total.
				Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Interest and Sinking Fund on Loans.</i>					
Loans	1,200	0		Roads	2,739 63
<i>Cost of Administration.</i>					
Establishment	3,255	28		Recreation ground	348 26
Office contingencies	602	18		Buildings	221 50
Cost of audit	159	87		Market	183 0
<i>Revenue Services.</i>					
Commission to assessors	150	0		Tools and stores	46 90
Commission to commutation tax collectors	349	3		Cattle pound	240 5
Commission to assessment tax collectors	297	49		<i>Public Works (New).</i>	
Cost of cart plates	49	47		Addition to fish auction room	817 60
Commission for collecting conservancy fees	19	52		Acquisition of lands	100 0
<i>Sanitation.</i>					
Scavenging	2,208	16		Culvert at 4th Cross road	90 0
Conservancy latrines	3,561	60		Shelter for cemetery	162 0
Cemetery-keeper and cooly	387	25		Electric lighting	15 50
<i>Police Charges.</i>					
Destruction of dogs	283	91		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>	
<i>Lighting.</i>					
Pay of contractor, &c.	811	55		Assessment number plates	288 40
<i>LIABILITIES.</i>					
Deposits			Amount.		Amount.
Surplus			Rs. c.	Cash in kachcheri	6,869 84
			619 13	Advance unsettled	
			6,250 71		
			Total		Total
			6,869 84		6,869 84
<i>ASSETS.</i>					
<i>Other Payments.</i>					
				Refund of deposits	126 58
				Advances	
				Balance on December 31, 1926	6,869 84
					6,996 42
				Total	26,288 18

The Kachcheri,
Matara, April 11, 1927.

A. N. STRONG,
Chairman.

Auctioneers' Licences.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned has been granted a license to practise as an Auctioneer within the Local Board limits of Badulla during the year 1927, under section 13 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1889.

K. P. D. Seneveratne.

Local Board Office,
Badulla, April 22, 1927.

C. B. P. PERERA
for Chairman.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Glenlyon-Preston Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 159, sanctioned on November 11, 1926.)

Government moiety Rs. 1,700·00
Private contributions Rs. 1,717·00

1st to 4th section, 88·70 lines.

Total acreage, 2,491—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,127·60—
Sectional rate, ·45267c.—Total rate, ·45267c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co. Ltd. (Arthur L. Lee) ..	Glenlyon ..	627 ..	283 82
G. T. & Mrs. R. S. Pieris (H. V. Cooke) ..	Agra Elbedde ..	276 ..	124 94

1st to 5th section, 115·10 lines.

Total acreage, 1,588—Moiety of cost, Rs. 335·60—
Sectional rate, ·21133c.—Total rate, ·66400c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Torrington Tea Estate Co. Ltd. (E. E. Lee) ..	Helbeck, Mossend, and Torrington ..	528 ..	350 60

1st to 6th section, 134·60 lines.

Total acreage, 1,060—Moiety of cost, Rs. 247·88—
Sectional rate, ·23385c.—Total rate, ·89785c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
A. R. Ashton (E. E. Lee) ..	Iona ..	113 ..	101 46
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co. Ltd. (Arthur L. Lee) ..	Polmont ..	45 ..	40 40
P. B. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding) ..	New Preston ..	167 ..	149 94
A. G. & C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding) ..	Preston ..	250 ..	224 46

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
The Albion Tea Estate Co., Ltd. (A. V. Rayall, acting G. M. Smith) ..	Albion	289	259 48
A. G. & C. A. Seton (A. Hamilton Harding) ..	St. Margaret's	196	175 98
Total			1,711 8

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before May 14, 1927.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions ..	1,717 0
Unexpended balance on September 30, 1926 ..	5 92
Amount to be recovered on account 1926-27 ..	1,711 8

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, April 12, 1927.

High Forest-Bramley Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D. 140. sanctioned on October 30, 1926.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 1,750 00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 1,767 50

1st to 3rd section, 1.50 mile.

Total acreage, 3,054—Moiety of cost Rs. 1,374 77—
Sectional rate, 45015c.—Total rate, 45015c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Bois Bros., Agents (R. R. Jaques) ..	Kurunduoya	683	307 45
J. M. Robertson & Co., (J.H. Cardew) ..	Rillamulla	230	103 54

1st to 4th section, 1.92 mile.

Total acreage 2,141—Moiety of cost, Rs. 384 94—
Sectional rate, 17980c.—Total rate, 62995c.

Carson & Co. (R. R. Jaques) ..	Bramley	297	187 9
Boustead Bros. (R. R. Jaques) ..	Lauriston	235	148 4
Whittall & Co. (W. Polson)	High forest	1,609	1,013 59
Total			1,759 71

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before May 21, 1927.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contributions ..	1,767 50
Unexpended balance, 1925-26 ..	7 79
Amount to be recovered on account 1926-27 ..	1,769 71

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, April 22, 1927.

St. Margarets-Kirklees Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district to make up the private contributions, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D. 141, sanctioned on October 30, 1926.)

Government moiety ..	Rs. 4,000 00
Private contributions ..	Rs. 4,040 00

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 3,480—Moiety of cost Rs. 2,933 97—
Sectional rate, 84309c.—Total rate, 84309c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Lanka Plantation Company, Ltd. (K. L. Gordon) ..	Rappahan-nock	481	405 53

1st to 6th section, 5.50 miles.

Total acreage, 2,999—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,100 23—
Sectional rate, 36687c.—Total rate, 1 20996c.

Estates Company of Uva, Ltd. J. Slingsby (Whittall & Co., Agents) ..	Gampaha	866	1,047 83
Kirklees Estates Co., Ltd. F. E. B. Gourlay, (George Steuart & Co., Agents) ..	Kirklees	1,137	1,375 72
Mrs. Fanning Patterson (C. J. Patterson) ..	Alagolla	462	559 0
The Luckyland Tea Estates Co., Ltd., F. C. Charnaud (George Steuart & Co., Agents) ..	Luckyland	534	646 12
Total			4,034 20

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before May 21, 1927.

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contribution ..	4,040 0
Unexpended balance, 1926-27 ..	5 80
Amount to be recovered on account 1926-27 ..	4,034 20

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, April 22, 1927.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1927, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have

assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the repair of the said road to make up the private contributions, as follows:—

(Estimate No. D 176, sanctioned on November 11, 1926.)

Government moiety	Rs. 2,350.00
Private contributions	Rs. 2,373.50

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 4,595—Moiety of cost, Rs. 527.23.
Sectional rate, .11474c.—Total rate, .11474c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Wanarajah Tea Company of Ceylon, Ltd.	Wanarajah	345	39 59

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 4,250—Moiety of cost, Rs. 527.23—
Sectional rate, .12405c.—Total rate, .23879c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
South Wanarajah Tea Estates Company	South Wanarajah	255	60 90

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 3,995—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,054.46—
Sectional rate, .26394c.—Total rate, .50273c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Ceylon Proprietary Company	Summerville	242	121 66
J. M. Robertson & Co. (Agents)	Blair Athol	306	153 84
Executors of M. V. Arunasalam Retty Cangany	Carfax	299	150 32
K. Rollo and Mrs. Mercer	Gorthie	308	154 84
Whittall & Co.	Dunkeld	237	119 15
Castlereagh Estate Company	Castlereagh	526	264 44
Whittall & Co.	Banff	192	96 53
Do.	Elstree	167	83 96
Lethenty Tea Estate Association	Lethenty and Essex	320	160 87
Do.	Marlborough	258	129 70
Do.	Blairgowrie	114	57 31

1st to 5th section, 4.50 miles.

Total acreage, 1,026—Moiety of cost, Rs. 263.62—
Sectional rate, .25694c.—Total rate, .75967c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Lethenty Tea Estates Association	Claverton	198	150 42
Uplands Tea Estates of Ceylon	Osbourne	522	396 55
Lethenty Tea Estates Association	Broad Oak	306	232 46
	Total		2,372 54

N.B.—Private contributions	Rs. c.
Unexpended balance, 1925-26	2,373 50
	0 96

Amount to be recovered on account 1926-27 .. 2,372 54

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before May 28, 1927.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, April 25, 1927.

Deniyaya-Hayes Branch Road, 1926-1927.

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 Deniyaya-Hayes Branch Road, during 1926-1927, the Provincial Road Committee of the Southern Province, acting under the provisions of section 19 of "The Branch Roads Ordinance No. 14 of 1896," as amended by Ordinance No. 9 of 1907, will on Tuesday, May 10, 1927, at the Galle Kachcheri, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Estimate D 200 of 1926-1927.

Maintenance of Deniyaya-Hayes Road.

Government moiety	Rs. 6,250.00
Private contributions	Rs. 6,343.75
Less unexpended balance of 1925-1926	Rs. 6.83

To be recovered .. Rs. 12,586.92

1st section, 1 mile:

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
D. M. Rajapakse	Deniyaya	609
	1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.	
D. K. Dias Appu and others	Kekunahena	80
D. Asirvathan	Tenipitiya	49
	1st to 3rd sections, 3 miles.	
D. M. Rajapakse	Downside	202

1st to 4th sections, 4 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Hanford Estates Company, (George Steuart & Company)	Hanford	765

1st to 6th sections, 6 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
E. C. Anderson	Anningkande	775
	1st to 7th sections, 7 miles.	
W. A. Elias Appu	Marahena No. 1	52
W. Denoris Silva	Marahena No. 2	35
A. D. S. Weerasingha	Marahena No. 3	40
W. Denoris Silva	Iluktenna	36
Do.	Puhulhenekanda	30

1st to 8th sections, 8 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Lipton, Limited	Panilkanda	844

1st to 10.1 sections, 10.1 miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Haydella Tea & Rubber Company, Limited, (Whittall & Company)	Hayes	1,653
Do.	Lessee:—	
	V. M. Nagalingam	Gonagalla 574
E. C. Goonatilleke	Longford	257
M. S. Furlong	Dambahena	117

Total acreage .. 6,118

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

L. W. C. SCHRADER,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Galle, April 21, 1927.

Bevilla-Digowa Estate Cart Road.

A Meeting of the Local Committee of the Bevilla-Digowa estate cart road will be held at the Avissawella Resthouse, on Thursday, May 12, 1927, at 9 A.M.

Business.

To apportion the expenditure for the year 1926 for the different estates concerned.

Provincial Road Committee, Ratnapura, April 12, 1927.
J. M. DE SILVA,
for Chairman

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

Notice of Sale, Urban District Council, Negombo.

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

District Council Office,
Negombo, April 21, 1927.

ALEX. E. DE RAJAPAKSE,
Chairman, Urban District Council.

May 2, 1927.			Street : 3, Bolawalana.			May 6, 1927.		
Assessment No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Assessment No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Assessment No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
Street : 4, Kurana.			Street : 2, Bolawalana.			Street : 3, Udayartoppu.		
19	4th quarter, 1926..	8 A.M.	82	4th quarter, 1926..	8.45 A.M.	13	4th quarter, 1926..	8 A.M.
88	Do.	8.5 "	92	Do.	8.50 "	12	Do.	8.5 "
116	Do.	8.10 "	98	Do.	8.55 "	22	Do.	8.10 "
Street : 3, Kurana.			May 4, 1927.			Street : 4, Udayartoppu.		
13A	4th quarter, 1926..	8.15 A.M.	Street : 1, Bolawalana.			4	4th quarter, 1926..	8.55 A.M.
78	Do.	8.20 "	4A	4th quarter, 1926..	8.30 A.M.	6	Do.	9 "
90	Do.	8.25 "	May 5, 1927.			16	Do.	9.5 "
91	Do.	8.30 "	Street : 3, Tammitta.			17	Do.	9.10 "
97	Do.	8.35 "	5	4th quarter, 1926..	8 A.M.	53	Do.	9.15 "
154	Do.	8.40 "	38	Do.	8.5 "	67	Do.	9.20 "
168	Do.	8.45 "	39	Do.	8.10 "	May 7, 1927.		
257	Do.	8.50 "	Street : 4, Tammitta.			Street : 4, Hunupitiya.		
258	Do.	8.55 "	10	4th quarter, 1926..	8.15A.M.	47	4th quarter, 1926..	8 A.M.
302	Do.	9 "	29	Do.	8.20 "	95	Do.	8.5 "
318	Do.	9.5 "	30	Do.	8.25 "	111	Do.	8.10 "
328	Do.	9.10 "	31	Do.	8.30 "	156	Do.	8.15 "
339	Do.	9.15 "	32	Do.	8.35 "	116	Do.	8.20 "
340	Do.	9.20 "	33	Do.	8.40 "	172	Do.	8.25 "
Street : 2, Kurana.			38	Do.	8.45 "	186	Do.	8.30 "
77	4th quarter, 1926..	9.25 A.M.	40	Do.	8.50 "	187	Do.	8.35 "
86a	Do.	9.30 "	48	Do.	8.55 "	May 9, 1927.		
110	Do.	9.35 "	49	Do.	9 "	Street : Mahahunupitiya.		
May 3, 1927.			50	Do.	9.5 "	2	4th quarter, 1926..	8 A.M.
Street : 4, Bolawalana.			76/77	Do.	9.10 "	11	Do.	8.5 "
26	4th quarter, 1926..	8 A.M.	79A	Do.	9.15 "	15	Do.	8.10 "
32	Do.	8.5 "	91	Do.	9.20 "			
Street : 3, Bolawalana.			94	Do.	9.25 "			
15	4th quarter, 1926..	8.10A.M.						
16	Do.	8.15 "						
29	Do.	8.20 "						
36	Do.	8.25 "						
55	Do.	8.30 "						
56	Do.	8.35 "						
76	Do.	8.40 "						

Licensed Auctioneer.

THE under-mentioned person was licensed during the month of March, 1927, to carry on the trade or business of an auctioneer within the limits of the Jaffna Urban District Council area for the year 1927, and his name is published in terms of section 17 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1889, as amended by Ordinance No. 25 of 1922.

Joseph Albert Sethupathy, Auctioneer, Bankshall street, Jaffna.

Office of the Urban District Council,
Jaffna, April 20, 1927.

A. CANAGARATNAM,
Chairman.