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## PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

L 903/27

### A PROCLAMATION.

H. J. STANLEY.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date September 28, 1897, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 5,502 of October 1, 1897, a tract of forest land, as set forth in the schedule to the said Proclamation and within the limits therein specified and set forth, was, under the provisions of section 19 of the Forest Ordinance, No 10 of 1885, declared to be a reserved forest:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient that the said forest so reserved as aforesaid should cease to be reserved:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by sub-section (2) of section 6 of Ordinance No. 16 of 1907, do hereby direct that the said forest land specified and set forth in the schedule hereto shall cease to be reserved as from and after the date hereof.

Colombo, October 14, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

(a) Lot 7611 $\frac{1}{4}$  in preliminary plan No. 294, called Mullaliyadeniyahena, in extent 70 acres, adjoining the bridle path passing through the village on south, situated at Mahabage in Lower Bulatgama of the Kegalla District; and bounded on the north by the village boundary of Kitulgala (lot 4227 in preliminary plan No. 182) and the reservation along the bridle path to Maskeliya; on the east and south by Mullaliyadeniyahena and other chenas (lot 7611 in preliminary plan No. 294) allowed to the villagers for chena cultivation; on the west by Mullaliyadeniyahena and other chenas (lot 7611), Mullaliyadeniya (lot 7613), and Mullaliyadeniyawatta (lot 7612) in preliminary plan No. 294.

(b) Lot 7611 $\frac{1}{2}$  in preliminary plan No. 294, called Mullaliyadeniyahena, in extent 31 acres, adjoining Girankitte-oya on the north, situated at Mahabage in Lower Bulatgama of the Kegalla District; and bounded on the north and east by Mullaliyadeniyahena and other chenas (lot 7611 in preliminary plan No. 294) allowed to the villagers for chena cultivations; on the south by Girankitte-oya; on the west by the village boundary of Kitulgala (lot 4229 in preliminary plan No. 182).

(c) Lot 7626 $\frac{1}{2}$  in preliminary plan No. 294, called Batalandahena, in extent 15 acres and 3 roods, that is the portion between the bridle path and the Mudamana estate, situated at Mahabage in Lower Bulatgama of Kegalla District; bounded on the north by Batalandahena and other chenas (lot 7626 in preliminary plan No. 294) allowed to villagers for chena cultivation; on the east by Mudamana estate described in title plan No. 44,706; on the south by Batalandahena and other chenas (lot 7626 in preliminary plan No. 294) allowed to the villagers for chena cultivation; and on the west by a bridle path.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

L 901/27

### A PROCLAMATION.

H. J. STANLEY.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 14 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1907," do hereby constitute the forest, the limits whereof are specified in the schedule hereto, a village forest for the benefit of the village communities of Kurenpola, Kudumbawa, Mawatta, Kadawara, Attanapitiya, Wariyapola, and Halugama, in Tiragandahaye korale of the Weudawili hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province.

Colombo, October 14, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE.

The land commonly called or known as Sanahenwalemukalana, situate in the village of Kurenpola, in Tiragandahaye korale of the Weudawili hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, containing in extent 34 acres 2 roods and 14 perches, and shown as lot 30 in final village plan No. 1,012; and bounded as follows: on the north by lots 27W, 27AF, 27V, 27R, 27Q1, 27P, and 29 in final village plan No. 1,012; on the east by the village limit of Halugama, final village plan No. 1,464; on the south by the village limit of Halugama, final village plan No. 1,464; and on the west by the boundary limits of Dambadeni hatpattu,

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

L 902/27

## A PROCLAMATION.

H. J. STANLEY.

**K**NOW Ye that We, the Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 14 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1907," do hereby constitute the forest, the limits whereof are specified in the schedule hereto, a village forest for the benefit of the village community of Palle Inguruwatta, in Gannewa korale of the Weudawili hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province.

Colombo, October 14, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

The land commonly called or known as Egodahinna *alias* Manangollemukalana, situate in the village of Palle Inguruwatta, in Gannewa korale of the Weudawili hatpattu of Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province, containing in extent 20 acres 3 roods and 14 perches, and shown as lot 9 in final village plan No. 1,520; and bounded as follows: on the north by lot 9F (T. P. 360,109) in final village plan No. 1,520; on the east by lots 119, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 168, 166, and 222 (Gansabhawa road) in final village plan No. 1,520; on the south by lot 9c (T. P. 359,958) in final village plan No. 1,520; and on the west by lots 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 136, 120, and 121 in final village plan No. 1,520. (Exclusive of the Gansabhawa road, shown as part of lot 222 in final village plan No. 1,520, passing through the forest.)

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

L 927/27

## A PROCLAMATION.

H. J. STANLEY.

**K**NOW Ye that We, the Governor of the Island of Ceylon, in the exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 14 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1907," do hereby constitute the forest, the limits whereof are specified in the schedule hereto a village forest for the benefit of the village community of Madalagama, in the Pannil pattu of Atakalan korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Colombo, October 14, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

## Lot 144 in Final Village Plan No. 19.

Lot 144 in final village plan No. 19, called Hiarakandamukalana, containing in extent 140 acres 2 roods and 10 perches, situated in the village Madalagama in Pannil pattu of Atakalan korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa; and bounded as follows: north by a dola, lots 145, 137B, and 137A in final village plan No. 19, and Anura-dola; east by lots 137A, 137, 140, 79CE, 79CF, and 79CD in final village plan No. 19; south by the village limits of Delwala (block survey preliminary plan No. 159) and lots 146, 146A, and 146B in final village plan No. 19; west by Anura-dola and lot 145 in final village plan No. 19.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

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## A PROCLAMATION.

H. J. STANLEY.

**W**HEREAS the Municipal Council of Colombo has, under the provisions of section 109 (1) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910, made the amendment set out in the schedule hereto to the "By-laws relating to Leave" of the said Council:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor in Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 109 (3), and subject to the provisions of section 109 (4) of the said Ordinance, do hereby confirm and proclaim the said amendment.

Colombo, October 12, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

By-law No. 25 (i.) and (ii.) of the by-laws relating to leave of the Colombo Municipal Council published by Proclamation dated October 26, 1914, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,683 of November 20, 1914, as amended by Proclamation dated December 29, 1915, and published in *Government Gazette* of December 31, 1915, is further amended to read as follows:—

25. (i.) If any office be vacated by the death, removal, or absence on long leave of the holder, the person appointed to perform the duties of such office may receive such allowance not exceeding either half the salary of the holder of such office or half the initial salary of the vacant post as the Chairman may determine having regard to the extra work which the person so appointed is required to perform; provided, however, that no officer shall draw more than one-third of his own full salary as remuneration for the extra work he is so called upon to perform.

Absence on long leave shall mean absence on leave for a period exceeding 60 days.

(ii.) Should an officer be appointed to act temporarily in a class or grade higher than that to which he belongs, he may draw the half pay of the class to which he is appointed to act and half his own pay.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

W 256/26

## A PROCLAMATION.

H. J. STANLEY.

NOW know Ye that We, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 39 of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," as amended by "The Estate Roads (Amendment) Ordinance, 1910," do hereby extend the application of the said Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902, as amended by the said Estate Roads (Amendment) Ordinance, 1910, to the maintenance and improvement of the road described in the schedule hereto as from and after the date hereof.

Colombo, October 12, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

## SCHEDULE.

The road from Bowatta near the 32nd mile on Wariyapola-Chilaw road and extending to Mola Eliya in Kiniyama korale of Katugampola hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province.

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

No. 322 of 1927.

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

Mr. W. T. STACE to be Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of the City of Colombo; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance within the limits of the Colombo Municipality; a Visitor of the Lunatic Asylum at Angoda; and to be, in addition to his own duties, a Member of the Board of Immigration and Quarantine, with effect from October 11, 1927, during the absence on leave of Mr. H. E. NEWNHAM, or until further orders.

Mr. R. N. BOND to be, in addition to his own duties, Assistant-Government Agent, Province of Uva, from October 14 to 22, 1927, inclusive.

Mr. C. B. P. PERERA to be attached to the Anuradhapura Kacheheri and to be Additional Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura, with effect from October 10, 1927, until further orders.

Mr. E. R. DE A. SAMARAKOON to act as Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Province of Uva, with effect from October 10, 1927, until further orders.

Mr. R. R. CROSSETTE-THAMBYAH to act as a Crown Counsel, with effect from October 17, 1927, during the absence of Mr. W. E. BARBER, or until further orders.

Mr. S. C. SANSONI to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Police Magistrate, Negombo; and Superintendent of Prisons, Negombo, during the absence of Mr. G. FURSE ROBERTS, on October 17 and 18, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

The Hon. Mr. A. F. MOLAMURE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, during the absence of Mr. S. D. DHONDY, from October 14 to 17, 1927, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. ST. CLAIR SWAN to act as Commissioner of Requests and Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo,

during the absence of Mr. E. G. P. JAYATILLEKE, on October 20, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. H. W. E. DIAS WANIGASEKERA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matale and Dumbara, during the absence of Mr. C. F. INGLEDOW, on October 12, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. L. WICKRAMASINGHE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle, during the absence of Mr. C. E. DE PINTO, on October 15 and 16, 1927, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. J. KADRAMATAMBY to be Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, from October 16 to 22, 1927, inclusive.

Mr. W. H. D. E. PEREIRA to act as Accountant, Department of Medical and Sanitary Services, with effect from October 10, 1927.

Mr. H. A. S. HAMER, Accountant, Ceylon Savings Bank, to act as Secretary, Ceylon Savings Bank, on October 20, 1927, during the absence on leave of Mr. K. W. Y. ATUKORALA, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 14, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 23 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 365 (1) of the Criminal Procedure Code, to grant Mr. D. J. JAYAWARDENA, Inquirer for Dasiya pattu and Dandugam palata in Ragam pattu, Western Province, authority to order post-mortem examinations when necessary.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 324 of 1927.

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

HIS EXCELLENCY has also been pleased, under section 365 (1) of the Criminal Procedure Code, to grant Mr. NIRELLA authority to order post-mortem examinations when necessary.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 325 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, in terms of section 9 (3) of "The Labour Ordinance, No. 1 of 1923," to reappoint the Hon. Mr. I. X. PEREIRA to be a Member of the Board of Indian Immigrant Labour for a period of three years from October 17, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

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

No. 326 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. VICTOR CARUS PERERA of Nugegoda to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 327 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ARTHUR VERNON FERNANDO of Old road, Kalutara South, to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Kalutara, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 328 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. DON WILLIAM SAMARATUNGA of Negombo to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial

division of Negombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 329 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, to appoint Mr. RICHARD ALEXANDER PERERA of Negombo to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Negombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 330 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. KADIRAVETPILLAI VIJAYARATNAM of Kandy to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Kandy, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 331 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. OSCAR MANUEL LISBOA-PINTO of Ratnapura to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Ratnapura, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

No. 332 of 1927.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. JOHN PERERA WICKRAMATILLEKE SENANAYAKE of Weligampitiya, Ja-ela, to be a Notary Public throughout Tumpane division of Kandy District, with residence and office at Hataraliyadda and an additional office at Weliwita, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

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

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

Mr. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PERERA to act as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Puttalam-Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, with effect from October 5, 1927, until further orders, during the absence of Mr. CATHRAVELU SITTAMPALAM, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Puttalam.

Mr. DON PETER EDMUND HETTIARATCHI to be Additional Registrar of Lands of the Kurunegala District, with effect from October 10, 1927, vice Mr. L. F. E. FERNANDO, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927. Colonial Secretary.

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

Mr. WALTER DANIEL MIGEL PERERA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Kurunegala, on October 1, 1927, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, Mr. L. F. E. FERNANDO, on other duty.

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, September 30, 1927. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed KURUGALA ARACHCHIGE JINADASA APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Erepuruwa division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kolonna korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

for sixty days, with effect from October 5, 1927, *vice* Registrar, KURUGALA ARACHCHIGE GABRIEL APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Talagahalanga Bandara-watta in Ereporuwa.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 3, 1927.

C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Registrar-General.

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

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DON PAULIS DE CUNRAT SAMARATUNGA RANDUNU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gampaha division, and of Marriages (General) of Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale south division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from September 30, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, GARDIYEROLEMALWATTAGE DON WELUN JAYAWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at Bogahawatta in Gampaha Medagama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo District, has appointed EDMUND ARTHUR JAYASEKERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Colombo town division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for seven days from October 3, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, PIYADASA DHARMA SIRI RATNATUNGA, on leave. His office will be at the Registrar-General's Office, Colombo.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DON PODISINGHO EKANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mabodale division, and of Marriages (General) of Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale north division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from October 3, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DAMUNUPOLA APPUHAMILLAGE ARIYAPALA JAYAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Kosgahawatta in Watinapaha.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed RAJAKARUNA MOHOTTAAPPUHAMILLAGE DON RUWITHAN RAJAKARUNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Megodapotha division, and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu of Siyane korale east division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from October 6, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CARTELLIS WANTIGASUNDERA, on leave. His office will be at Nugagahawatta in Urapola.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DR. MANUEL DON CAROLIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Colombo town No. 2A Division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from October 7, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, ADOLPHUS SIMON PETER FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at No. 4/24, Rifle street, Slave Island.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed ASURAMUNI ASANERIS PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waskadu badda division, and of Marriages (General) of Panadure totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for five days from September 30, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, MUNISINHA SIRINERIS DE SILVA. His office will be at Kiripellagahawatta *alias* Bulugahawatta in Pohaddaramulla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed MALAWIGE HENDRICK DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dimbula korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale (excluding the portion in Gravets division), in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for seven days from October 1, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, MADUWAGE ABRAHAM SILVA JAYASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at house No. 2, Holbrook, Agrapatana; and additional office at house No. 178, Gansabhawa building, Talawakele, on Fridays and Saturdays.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed RANCHAGODA ARACHCHIGE DON ARON KARUNARATNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Induruwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentotawalallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the

Southern Province, for eight days from October 10, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, RANCHAGODA ARACHCHIGE DON JOHN KARUNARATNE, on leave. His office will be at Wellawatta at Yalagama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON ALWIS ABEYAGUNAWARDENA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kamburupitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for two days from October 4, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DIAS MARTIN WANIGASEKERA, on leave. His office will be at Godawekandewatta in Kamburupitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed HEWAWALGAMAGE JOHANIS JINADASA SAMARA WICKREMA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Denepitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for eight days from October 4, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, ABRAHAM OBEYASEKERA WEERASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Naigewatta in Denepitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON JOHANIS ABEYAGUNARATNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Telijjawila division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for thirteen days from October 6, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CAROLIS PALIHAWADANA, on leave. His office will be at Kapparagehena in Malimboda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed MENDIS KOTI WIJEWEERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for seven days from October 7, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, PETER PERERA MIHINDUKULASEKERA WIJEYADORU, on leave. His office will be at Mekiliyagahawatta in Gandara.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed HITIGE DON ANDRAYAS JAYAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Katuwana division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, on October 10, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DON TIYADORIS JAYAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Batalakoratuwa *alias* Hitigemahawatta in Horawinna.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, Jaffna, has appointed VAYITTIYANATAR KANAPATIPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Delft division, and of Marriages (General) of Delft division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for four days from October 2, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, MICHAELPILLAI JOSEPH PILLAINAYAGAM, on leave. His office will be at the Village Tribunal Courthouse in Delft.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed ANTONY KAVIRIKETPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Musaly South No. 2 Division, and of Marriages (General) of Nanaddan division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for fifteen days from October 1, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, SAVIRIYAPICHCHAI MARIYANU PEIRIS, on leave. His office will be at the Registrarvalavu in Mullikkulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaitivu, has appointed DR. PONNUSAMY RAMAKRISHNA THIYAGARAJAH to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mullaitivu town division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, for nine days from October 1, 1927, during the absence of the Medical Registrar, DR. RAJENDRAM JEREMIAH, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Mullaitivu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaitivu, has appointed TAMPAYIA PONNAYIA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Naduchcheddikkulam division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, for three days from October 4, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, KARTHIGESU NAGAMANY, on leave. His office will be at Udaiyarvalavu, Rasentirankulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed EDMUND WALTER DAVID SOMANADER to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Manmunai pattu

north division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for eleven days from October 5, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, SAMITHAMBY GEORGE THAMBY RAJAH, on leave. His office will be at the Provincial Registrar's Office, Batticaloa; station: "Field House," Batticaloa.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed RATNAMALALA BANDARALAGE SUDDAHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Magul Oota korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Wannu hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for twelve days from October 4, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, TUMBULLE MUDIANSSELAGE ABEYSINGHE SENEVIRATNE, on leave. His office will be at Tumbulla; and on Thursdays at Nikaweratiya additional office.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed RATNAYAKE MUDIANSSELAGE LOKU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Madure korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for eleven days from October 5, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, SRI NARAYANA RATNAYAKE HERAT MUDIANSSELAGE RAN BANDA MALMIWALA, on leave. His office will be at Malmiwala.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed HERAT MUDIANSSELAGE RANHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hatalispaha korale west division, and of Marriages (General) of Wannu hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, on October 12, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, ERIYAWE RANGE BANDARA SINHAPPRATAPA WANNINAYAKE MUDIANSSELAGE MUDIANSSE, on leave. His office will be at Monnankulama.

The Provincial Registrar has appointed PERUMBULI MUDIANSSELAGE CHARLES APPUHMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meda pattu korale east division, and of Marriages (General) of Katugampola hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from October 15, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, DINGIRI BANDA WEERASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Narangamuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed LEOPOLD FRANCIS EMMANUEL FERNANDO to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for fifteen days from October 1, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, ADRIAN ALWIS HAPUGODA, transferred. His office will be at the Land Registry Office, Chilaw.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed CHANDRASEKARA BANDAPPUHMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Anavilundun pattu north of Sengaloya "B" division, and of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from October 5, 1927, vice Registrar, DISANAYAKE APPUHMY CHANDRASEKARA, dead. His office will be at Anavilundawa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed PUNCHISINGHO DISSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wellawaya division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellawaya division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for seven days from October 1, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, BALASURIYAGE DON SIMON DHARMAPALA, on leave. His office will be at Weliare.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed MUTU BANDA DISSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Passara division, and of Marriages (General) of Yatikinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for fourteen days from October 5, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, HELAWALAUWE DISSANAYAKA MUDIANSSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Ulpenarawegama in Kanahelawasama, with an additional office at Passara town on the 9th and 10th.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed RANHOTI BANDARALAGE KIRIBANDAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nilgala division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for thirty days from October 22, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, RANHOTI BANDARALAGE UKKU BANDAR, on leave. His office will be at Udawela Alutgederawatta in Karandugala, with additional offices at Pailegama and Mullegama on the 7th and 10th, 8th and 9th.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed JAYAWARDANE BANDA SENANAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandupaha pattuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Paranakuru korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for fifteen days from October 7, 1927, during the absence of the Registrar, SENANAYAKARALLAGE CHARLES BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Migahamulahene-watta in Telijjagoda.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, 1889."

L 942/27

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 Agare of the Hiriyala Hatpattu Village Committee of the Divigandahe korale, in the Hiriyala 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. 8,735).

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

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

### SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

The following lot situated in the village of Agare of the Divigandahe korale, in the Hiriyala hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, in the North-Western Province:—

Block survey preliminary plan No. 1,962.

Lot.	Name of Land.	Extent, A. R. P.
26	Warayaya, Paluwattayaya, Wagurewattayaya	80 3 32

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

U 299/27

**BY-LAWS** made by the Panadure Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, approved by the Local Government Board, confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, and published for general information under section 166 (1).

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927.

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

## BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

(1) No person shall allow a motor omnibus to halt or stand on the Colombo-Galle road within a distance of 50 feet on either side of the centre of the junction of the said Colombo-Galle road and the Panadure-Ratnapura road or on the section of the Panadure-Ratnapura road lying between the Main street and the southern end of Gravets road.

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

## "THE COLOMBO GRAVING DOCK AND PATENT SLIP ORDINANCE, 1908."

S 276/27

**RULE** made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 4 of "The Colombo Graving Dock and Patent Slip Ordinance, 1908."

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927.

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

## RULE.

The following paragraph shall be added to rule 3 of the rules relating to the Colombo Patent Slip published by Notification dated September 30, 1922, in *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 7,285 of September 30, 1922, viz. :—

"In cases where the construction of the craft mentioned in this rule necessitates the fixing of special cradle timbers other than the usual sliding blocks, an additional charge of Rs. 75 will be made for each craft each time it is slipped to cover the cost of the preparation of these cradle timbers."

## "THE CEYLON POST OFFICE ORDINANCE, 1908."

P 72/26

**RULE** made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 30 of "The Ceylon Post Office Ordinance, 1908."

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

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

## RULE REFERRED TO.

Rule 73 published by Notification dated November 25, 1926, in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,558 of December 3, 1926, in substitution for rule 73 of the rules published by Notification dated February 26, 1909, in the supplement to the *Government Gazette* of the same date, 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.

## Schedule.

73. Registration .. In paragraph 2 after the last word "addressee" add "or to the sender if the article is opened in the Returned Letter Office."

## "THE CEYLON POST OFFICE ORDINANCE, 1908."

P 28/27

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 7, 1927.

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

## RULE.

Rules 2 and 14 of the rules made under section 83 of the Ceylon Post and Telegraph Ordinance, No. 13 of 1892, and published by Notification dated December 29, 1893, in *Government Gazette* No. 5,264 of the same date, as amended by Notification dated March 25, 1898, in *Government Gazette* No. 5,541 dated March 25, 1898; Notification dated September 26, 1913, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,583 of October 3, 1913; Notification dated December 21, 1915, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,765 of December 23, 1915; and Notification dated April 20, 1927, in *Government Gazette* No. 7,580 of May 6, 1927, together with rule 2A added by Notification dated March 9, 1917, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,860 of March 16, 1917; and rule 14A added by Notification dated May 30, 1917, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,876 of June 1, 1917; and as amended by Notification dated September 10, 1917, in *Government Gazette* No. 6,898 of September 14, 1917, are hereby repealed and the following rules substituted therefor :—

2. *Deposits*.—(1) Deposits of not less than 25 cents will be received from any depositor at any Post Office Savings Bank, provided the total of the deposits made by any such depositor in any year ending December 31, after deducting the amount of withdrawals during the same year, does not exceed Rs. 750, and provided the total amount standing to the credit of such depositor's account in the books of the Post Office Savings Bank does not exceed Rs. 3,000. When the principal and interest together standing to the credit of any one depositor amount to the sum of Rs. 3,000, all interest will cease so long as the same funds continue to amount to the said sum of Rs. 3,000. Depositors when placing moneys to their credit will have to take care that the equivalent of the sum deposited can be expressed in a combination of labels of the following values : 25 cents, 50 cents, Re. 1, Rs. 2, Rs. 3, Rs. 5, Rs. 10, Rs. 30, and Rs. 50.



In the case of Co-operative Societies registered under Ordinance No. 34 of 1921 and Industrial Schools recognized by the Education Department—

(a) The limit of deposits in one year to a total of Rs. 750 shall not apply.

(b) The total amount with interest that may stand in the name of any one such society or school in the Postmaster-General's books shall be extended to, but not exceed, Rs. 5,000.

(c) Deposits in any one day shall not exceed Rs. 600 at any one Post Office to which the mail service is conveyed by runners, and shall not exceed Rs. 1,000 in any one day at other Post Offices.

*Deposits in the Post Office Savings Bank by means of Stamps.*—(2) For the benefit of those unable to save more than a few cents at a time, forms to which unused 5 cents stamps may be affixed can be obtained at any Post Office. When the number of such stamps affixed to any such form has reached 10, the form will be accepted on presentation at any Post Office Savings Bank as a deposit of 50 cents. Stamps perforated with initials or marks or in any way defaced will not be accepted.

14. (1) *Withdrawals.*—Any depositor wishing to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited by him must make application for the same to the Postmaster-General in the following form, a printed copy of which may be obtained at any Post Office Savings Bank :—

Form of Withdrawal.

Depositor's Book.  
Place :  
No.

To the Postmaster-General,  
Colombo.

Date \_\_\_\_\_.

I do hereby give notice that I wish to withdraw the sum of Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ c. — from my deposit account bearing the above number in the books of the Post Office Savings Bank, and I request that a warrant may be issued for the above-named sum, and made payable to me at the \_\_\_\_\_ Post Office.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature  
Address  
Occupation } of Depositor.

In this form the depositor must specify the number of his book, the name of the office at which his first deposit was made, the sum he wishes to withdraw, his occupation and residence, and the Post Office at which he wishes to receive his money.

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, Notary Public, or Government Officer or Pensioner drawing not less than Rs. 1,500 per annum.

When he has properly filled up this form, the depositor must fold and secure it and forward it by post as if it were an ordinary letter.

(2) *Payment Warrant.*—On receipt of this application a warrant in the following form, for the amount required, payable at the office named, will be sent to the depositor by post :—

Form of Warrant.

(To be issued to enable a depositor to receive payment of a sum withdrawn.)

Depositor's Book.  
Place :  
No.

Savings Bank Branch,  
General Post Office,  
Colombo, \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

Warrant No. \_\_\_\_\_  
To the Postmaster of \_\_\_\_\_.

Pay \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ on production of his deposit book, and on his satisfying you that he is the person entitled to the same, and charge the amount to this Department.

Examined \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Controller, S. B.

Depositor's Receipt.

Stamp of  
Paying  
Office.

I acknowledge the receipt of the above-mentioned sum.

\_\_\_\_\_, Signature of Depositor.

By the same post the Postmaster at whose office the warrant is made payable will be advised of the issue of the warrant. This warrant must be presented by the depositor at the Post Office named therein, together with the depositor's book, in which the Postmaster will enter the amount repaid and attest the entry with his signature and the date stamp of his office. The Postmaster will take a receipt from the depositor on the warrant for the amount repaid to him.

(3) *Withdrawal on Demand.*—A depositor wishing to withdraw on demand any sum not exceeding Rs. 10 may do so by presenting his pass book at any Post Office with a special withdrawal-on-demand form duly signed and witnessed. Only one such withdrawal on demand may be made by any one depositor within a period of seven days.

Provided that in the case of Co-operative Societies registered under Ordinance No. 34 of 1921 and Industrial Schools recognized by the Education Department, the maximum which may be withdrawn on demand at any one time shall be Rs. 50 instead of Rs. 10.

In the case of withdrawals on demand the pass book will be detained by the Postmaster for transmission to the Head Office, and will be returned to the depositor by post after entry of the item in the Head Office accounts.

This method of withdrawal does not apply to the accounts of societies other than Co-operative Societies registered under Ordinance No. 34 of 1921, Industrial Schools recognized by the Education Department, or of minors under 15 years of age.

(4) *Withdrawal of Large Sums.*—Notice, not exceeding one week from date of receipt of notice, must be given for withdrawal of sums of Rs. 50 and under Rs. 500, and not exceeding ten days for sums of Rs. 500 or more.

In the case of Co-operative Societies registered under Ordinance No. 34 of 1921 and Industrial Schools recognized by the Education Department, withdrawals in any one day shall not exceed Rs. 600 at a Post Office to which the mail service is conveyed by runners, and shall not exceed Rs. 1,000 in any one day at other Post Offices.

CF 314/27

**A** PPLICATIONS on form General 187 (F 2) for the post of Accountant, Colombo Port Commission, will be considered if forwarded through the Head of the applicant's Department and received in the Secretariat on or before October 29, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

G 711/27

**A** PPLICATIONS on form General 187 (F 2) from officers in Class II. of the Clerical Service for transfer to the post of Second Interpreter, Jaffna Kachcheri, will be considered if forwarded through the Head of the applicant's Department and received in the Secretariat on or before October 24, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

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

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

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

U 41/26

**B**Y-LAW made by the Chilaw Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," approved by the Local Government Board, confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, and published as required by section 166 (1).

By His Excellency's command,

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

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

## BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

1. The by-law No. 9 of the by-laws made by the Chilaw Urban District Council and published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,553 of October 29, 1926, is hereby repealed, and the following by-law shall be substituted therefor:—

9. Any person committing a breach of any regulation for any licensed premises or carrying on, without a licence, any of the trades referred to in by-law No. 2 of the above-mentioned by-laws shall be guilty of an offence and shall on conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 (Rupees Fifty), and in the case of a continuing offence to an additional fine not exceeding Rs. 25 (Rupees Twenty-five) for every day during which the offence was committed after conviction or after written notice from the Chairman of such contravention.

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

U 41/26

**B**Y-LAW made by the Chilaw Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," approved by the Local Government Board, confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, and published as required by section 166 (1).

By His Excellency's command,

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

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
Colonial Secretary.

## BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

1. The by-law No. 1 of the by-laws made by the Chilaw Urban District Council and published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,553 of October 29, 1926, is hereby repealed, and the following by-law shall be substituted therefor:—

1. In these by-laws the following expressions shall have the meanings respectively assigned to them unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context:—

"The Council" means the Urban District Council of Chilaw.

"Chairman" means the Chairman of the Urban District Council of Chilaw.

"Licensee" means the person holding a licence issued by the Chairman authorizing the use of any premises or place for any special purpose mentioned in the licence in pursuance of the Local Government Ordinance or any by-law made thereunder.

"Licensed premises" means the whole of the premises or place in respect of which a licence has been issued by the Chairman.

"Licensed trade" means a trade for which a licence is necessary under the provisions of the Local Government Ordinance or any by-law made thereunder.

"Offensive or dangerous trade" means any one of the following trades:—

Manufacturing of manure, tanning, curing arecanuts, boiling blood or offal, making or extracting fat, making soap, dyeing fibre, manufacturing or storing fibre, keeping a kraal for soaking coconut husks, storing Maldivé fish in quantity over 5 cwt., storing lime, hides, bones, artificial manure, materials for the manufacture of artificial manure in quantity over one gunny bag, manufacturing or storing copra, manufacturing coconut oil by mills or chekkus, manufacturing desiccated coconuts, manufacturing of bricks or tiles, burning lime, keeping a saw pit, curing or storing plumbago.

5. Each tenderer will be required to submit rates for the services (a), (b), (c), and (d) with proper and up-to-date machinery for filling, washing, corking, measuring, &c., to be worked by an engine and for services (e) and (f) without machinery, and shall state clearly in words and in figures the price demanded for bottling a gallon in each of these alternative conditions at all or any of the places mentioned below—

- (1) In 8-dram white bottles.
- (2) In 8-dram black bottles.
- (3) In 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ -dram black bottles.
- (4) In 6-dram black bottles.
- (5) In pint bottles.
- (a) At Kalutara, (b) at Kandy, (c) at Negombo, (d) at Kurunegala, (e) at Batticaloa, and (f) at Trincomalee.

6. The figures of gallonage given above are approximate, and the contractor must bind himself to bottle and deliver each week such quantities and in such sizes of bottles as the Excise Commissioner may fix, during a period of two years commencing on January 1, 1928, provided however, that should the Tender Board accept a tender for bottling by machinery and should the proper machinery be installed and the work of the contract be efficiently performed the contract shall be extended, if the contractor so desires, for a further period of one year.

Bottling includes supplying of empty bottles, measuring, labelling, corking, and sealing. Labels should be of first rate quality and approved by the Excise Commissioner. Water used for washing bottles should be pure and good and supplied by the successful tenderer at his own expense when and where necessary.

7. Tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied on application at the Excise Commissioner's Office, 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.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at the Treasury or at any Kacheheri. Such deposit receipt should be produced at the Excise Commissioner's Office 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 Excise Commissioner, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited, 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 the contract has been signed.

9. 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. An address for the delivery of letters or notices to the tenderer shall be given in each tender.

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

11. The successful tenderer or tenderers shall execute a bond or bonds for the sums specified below in respect of each centre by hypothecation of approved title deeds with two sureties, each in a similar sum as that of the tenderer, or shall deposit with the Hon. the Treasurer in the name of the Excise Commissioner the sums specified below in cash and shall sign a bond binding himself to observe the terms of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained at the Excise Commissioner's Office.

	Security	
	required if by Hypothecation of Title Deeds.	Security required if in Cash.
	Rs.	Rs.
(a) Kalutara or (b) Kandy (c) Negombo or (d) Kurunegala (e) Batticaloa or (f) Trincomalee	1,500	1,000
	1,200	800
	750	500

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

13. 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.

14. 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.

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

16. 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.

17. 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 Government contracts with departments other than the Excise Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

18. 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 an include the officer for the time being holding such office and his successors in office for the time being under the Government of Ceylon.

G. S. WODEMAN,  
Excise Commissioner.

Office of the Excise Commissioner,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the landing and delivery of imported wooden sleepers and crossing timbers to the Ceylon Government Railway from the date of acceptance of the tender to September 30, 1930.

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 landing and delivery of Wooden Sleepers and Crossing Timbers to the Ceylon Government Railway" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on November 1, 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. Alterations must be initialled; otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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 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. The amount of security required will be Rs. 750 cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

9. Every tenderer will be required to show that he has a sufficient number of lighters available for the work.

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

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

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.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

Colombo, October 12, 1927.

#### CONDITIONS.

1. That the contractor shall land and deliver with the utmost despatch all wooden sleepers and crossing timbers arriving at the Port of Colombo for the Ceylon Government Railway and deliver them as required from the date of entering into the contract until September 30, 1930.

2. That the contractor shall be bound to accept in all cases the conditions of the bill of lading or charter party, as regards discharge of the ship; and all demurrage and other charges which may result from failure to comply with such conditions shall be borne by the contractor. It is further agreed that should any wooden sleepers or crossing timbers, the expected arrival of which the contractor has had timely advice of, be landed by any other Landing Company, the contractor shall take delivery of same from such Landing Company and deliver as required without extra expense to Government; but should the Railway Storekeeper deem it advisable to allow such Landing Company to complete delivery, he shall have the right to do so, and to recover from the contractor any excess cost that may have been incurred.

3. That in case the contractor fails to send a sufficient number of lighters on arrival of a steamer or steamers, or other sailing vessels bringing the sleepers and crossing timbers, and should the master of such steamer or other vessel make delivery of any such cargo into lighters other than those belonging to the contractor, whereby he may become a pecuniary loser, Government shall not be responsible for any such loss sustained by the contractor.

4. That the Government shall not be liable to pay any compensation or damages to the contractor in any case where the master or agent of any vessel is empowered by a special clause in the bill of lading to discharge cargo into lighters other than those belonging to the contractor.

5. That the wooden sleepers and crossing timbers shall be landed and loaded into trucks within the Colombo Port Commission premises if so ordered by the Railway Storekeeper (subject to any rules or regulations or restrictions in force with regard to the landing of cargo in these premises, and to any general or special directions given by the Principal Collector of Customs from time to time), or delivered at the Ceylon Government Railway's Lakeside landing quay and ground, or landed, loaded, unloaded, sorted, delivered, and stacked in such manner and at such place or places as may be ordered by the Railway Storekeeper as more fully set forth in the schedule hereto attached.

6. In this contract the expression "Within the Port Commission Premises" shall include (in addition to the area at present under the authority of the Colombo Port Commission) any point on either side of the Harbour-Lake canal up to the lock gates.

7. That the contractor shall hand-shunt all wagons supplied to him within the Port Commission premises.

8. That all expenses and risks in loading and unloading the wooden sleepers and crossing timbers shall be borne by the contractor.

9. That six hours shall be allowed for unloading wooden sleepers and crossing timbers from railway wagons at the

point of destination within the Gravets of Colombo; if wagons are detained beyond six hours, demurrage shall be charged to the contractor at the then existing authorized Railway rates.

10. That should it be arranged to run special trains, 24 hours' notice shall be given to the contractor; and should the running of such trains be cancelled owing to any neglect on the part of the contractor, the contractor shall pay a penalty of Rs. 50 as hire for the engine, and be liable to a further fine not exceeding Rs. 100 or any other expenses incurred owing to such cancellation.

11. That the contractor shall be responsible for all landing and loading tackle, such as slings, &c., and shall see that the same are regularly tested and kept in good working order. Any damage caused to cargo by faulty tackle shall be made good or paid for by the contractor.

12. That the day's work on the part of the contractor shall commence at 6 A.M. and continue until 6 P.M., but the contractor shall perform shore work beyond the hours stated, or on a Sunday, if so requested in writing by the Railway Storekeeper, in which case the contractor shall be entitled to receive for shore work only, an additional 50 per cent. in excess of the contract rate for day work. All applications for permission to work on a Sunday shall be made by the contractor, and all charges incidental to such applications shall be borne by him.

13. That the contractor shall apply to the Principal Collector of Customs for permission to work overtime when the landing, loading, or delivery of wooden sleepers and crossing timbers is intended, and shall pay the overtime charge at the prescribed rate of such officers as the Principal Collector of Customs considers necessary for the supervision of the work.

14. That the services in respect of which the rates specified in the schedule attached to this contract are payable to the contractor shall include the taking of delivery from the ship, landing, loading, delivering, unloading, sorting, and stacking of the cargo at the premises to which delivery has been ordered. The tonnage shall be assessed by measurement as specified in the bill of lading, freight list, invoice, or any other official document connected with the shipment and payment shall be at the rate of 50 cubic feet per ton.

15. That payment shall be made to the contractor for services rendered under this contract upon the contractor producing receipts duly signed by the party to whom the contractor may have been ordered to deliver, and on production of claim vouchers properly prepared on forms to be supplied on application at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper. No claim shall be entertained unless preferred in proper time on or before October 15 of the financial year following that in which the charge was incurred.

16. That fines not exceeding Rs. 250 in each case shall be inflicted for failure to supply a sufficient labour force, for delay in landing, for failure to supply a sufficient number of lighters to receive the wooden sleepers and crossing timbers immediately on arrival of vessels, for delays in loading or unloading Railway wagons, and for delays in delivering, unloading, sorting, or stacking the sleepers and crossing timbers. The decision of the General Manager of the Railway shall be final in the event of any dispute under this clause.

17. That all payments or fines to which the contractor has made himself liable under any clause or clauses of this contract shall be deducted by the Railway Storekeeper from any moneys due, or which may hereafter become due, to the aforesaid contractor, under this or any other contract he may hold, or such sum may be recovered by such means or manner as he may deem fit.

18. That the contractor shall within three days of the departure of a vessel make an accurate report to the Railway Storekeeper of all wooden sleepers and crossing timbers short-landed, "remarked" on board, and/or landed in bad order, from such vessel, under penalty of a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 and full responsibility for the value of such shortage or damage in the event of the agents of such steamer or sailing vessel repudiating claims for same on the ground of undue delay and/or removal from the wharf without survey. Copies of all reports that should be made by the tindals in charge of lighters employed by the contractor to the Master Attendant (in respect of accidents in which Government property falls overboard from ships

or lighters) in terms of Government Notification appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,001 of March 14, 1919, should be forwarded to the Railway Storekeeper under penalty of the full value of the cargo so lost.

19. That the entire responsibility for the safe custody of the wooden sleepers and crossing timbers from the time of receipt at the ship's side until the time of delivery shall rest with the contractor. The full value of all wooden sleepers and crossing timbers lost whilst in the contractor's custody, plus Customs charges thereon, and an additional departmental charge of 25 per cent., shall be charged to the contractor. He shall be liable to pay for any damage caused to the cargo, and shall also be liable to pay the additional charges on all cargo rejected as unserviceable consequent upon such damage.

20. That the Ceylon Government Railway shall not be liable for any personal injuries received by the contractor or his employees in connection with any work performed under this contract.

21. That should the contractor delay to perform any service or services specified in this contract, and should he, even after reasonable notice has been given to him of such delay, neglect to perform such service or services to the satisfaction of the Railway Storekeeper, the Railway Storekeeper shall be at liberty to have such service or services as the contractor may have so neglected to perform performed in such manner as may seem expedient to the Railway Storekeeper at the risk and expense of the contractor.

22. That in the event of repeated default or delay in the landing, loading, delivering, unloading, sorting, or stacking of the wooden sleepers and crossing timbers or other neglect occurring on the part of the contractor, this contract may be cancelled, and the full security deposited or any part of it forfeited.

*Schedule referred to.*

Rate per Ton  
of 50 Cubic Ft.  
Rs. c.

*Sleepers and Crossing Timbers.*

- (1) For landing and loading direct from lighters into railway trucks within the Colombo Port Commission premises
- (2) For landing and loading direct from lighters into railway trucks within the Colombo Port Commission premises, unloading, sorting, and stacking as required at Dematagoda
- (3) For landing within the Port Commission premises, sorting, and stacking on the ground
- (4) For landing within the Port Commission premises, sorting, and stacking on the ground and subsequently loading into railway trucks, unloading, sorting, and stacking as required at Dematagoda
- (5) For landing and loading direct into railway trucks at the Ceylon Government Railway's Lakeside stacking grounds, Norris road
- (6) For landing and loading direct into Railway trucks at the Ceylon Government Railway's Lakeside stacking grounds, Norris road, unloading, sorting, and stacking as required at Dematagoda
- (7) For landing, sorting, and stacking as required at the Ceylon Government Railway's Lakeside stacking grounds, Norris road
- (8) Extra for sorting out crossing timbers according to lengths and sizes at the Ceylon Government Railway's Lakeside stacking grounds, Norris road, or at the Permanent Way Materials Store, Dematagoda

TENDERS and schedules of rates are hereby invited for the soil drainage, surface water drainage, and water supply at the New Customs buildings, Passenger Jetty, Colombo.

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

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

4. Tenders and schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, duly signed and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes addressed to the Construction Engineer, Public Works Department, Colombo, and endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Drainage at New Customs Buildings," so as to reach that officer on or before 12 noon on Wednesday, October 26, 1927. The schedule to include alternative rates in respect of items necessitating the use of imported articles.

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 including 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.

R. G. BARTHOLOMEW,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, October 12, 1927.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the removal of silt and sand at Naragalla Ferry on the 33rd mile, Kalawellawa-Bellapitiya road.

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

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Panadura, 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, Panadura, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province (South), Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Panadura, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Removal of Silt and Sand at Naragalla Ferry," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on October 20, 1927. All materials to be supplied by the contractor.

5. The accepted tenderer will be required to keep the ferry at all times sufficiently clear of silt for the use of the ferry boat during 11 months commencing from November 1, 1927.

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

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

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

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

R. G. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for constructing a Range Forest Officer's quarters, Naula, on 34th mile, Palapatwella-Habarana road, Nalanda district.

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

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Nalanda, 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, Nalanda, in duplicate, duly signed and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Central Province North, Kandy, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Nalanda, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates, Range Forest Officer's Quarters, Naula, Nalanda district," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on November 1, 1927.

All imported articles such as cement, &c., will be supplied free of charge to the contractor by the Department, and the rates submitted should be exclusive of the cost 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. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required before any form of tender is issued, and 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 District Engineer, Nalanda, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown unless the delay is satisfactorily explained, all other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the District Engineer, Nalanda, before any form of tender is issued.

7. 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.

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, Central Province North, Kandy, 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.

R. G. BARTHOLOMEW,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of Tide Surveyor's quarters, Kalpitiya.

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

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, Puttalam, 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 (a specimen of which can be seen in the Office of the District Engineer, Puttalam) in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Puttalam, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Tide Surveyor's Quarters, Kalpitiya," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on October 29, 1927. All imported articles stated in the specification will be supplied free of charge to the contractor by the Department, and the rates submitted should be exclusive of the cost 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, Puttalam, 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, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, 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.

R. G. BARTHOLOMEW,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, October 12, 1927.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for special repairs to roof at Badulla Hospital.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, in duplicate, duly signed and

dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Badulla, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Special Repairs to Roof at Badulla Hospital," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on October 29, 1927. The following imported materials will be supplied by Government:—Calicut tiles and galvanized iron sheets. 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, Badulla, 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.

R. G. BARTHOLOMEW,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of two wards of 12 beds each at Buttala Hospital.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Koslanda, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for the Construction of Two Wards of 12 Beds each at Buttala Hospital," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on October 29, 1927. The following imported materials will be supplied by Government:—Tiles, cement, door and window fittings, zinc sheets for valley gutters, fly-proofing, solignum, steelwork for uprights, runners and trusses, squatting plates, latrine buckets, corrugated iron ventilators, powder, fuze, and steel. The rates quoted by the contractors should be omitting the value of the above-mentioned materials supplied by Government.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Public Works Office, R. G. BARTHOLOMEW,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927. for Director of Public Works.

**T**ENDERS are invited for the supply, during the calendar year, 1928, of about 382,000 planting baskets, more or less, of the different dimensions shown in the subjoined schedule.

2. All tenders should be submitted in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy.

3. Tenders should be deposited in the tender box at the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, or sent by registered post addressed to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the Supply of Planting Baskets to the Forest Department" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, not later than midday on Tuesday, November 8, 1927.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied on application at the Divisional Forest Office, Colombo, or the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy. 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 deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or at any Kachchori, and a receipt in support to be produced before any form of tender is issued. The deposit will be returned on the conclusion of the consideration of tenders. Failure on the part of successful tenderer to sign the agreement within ten days of receiving intimation of acceptance of his tender will entail forfeiture of the deposit of Rs. 20 to the Crown.

7. A rate per 1,000 baskets of each description (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), and (g) detailed in the schedule should be quoted both in words and in figures for delivery loaded into trucks at the nearest Railway Station. A railway warrant will be issued for each consignment of baskets to be loaded into railway trucks.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to enter into an agreement within ten days of receiving intimation of acceptance of the tender depositing 5 per cent. of the value of the work as security for the due fulfilment of the contract. This security will be refunded at the satisfactory termination of the contract.

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

10. The Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, or of accepting any portion of a tender.

*Schedule of Sizes.*

(a) 5 in. by 3 in., (b) 6 in. by 3 in., (c) 8 in. by 3 in., (d) 8 in. by 4 in., (e) 9 in. by 3 in., (f) 9 in. by 4 in., and (g) 12 in. by 4 in.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, October 10, 1927.

**T**ENDERS are invited for the purchase of all timber and firewood standing or fallen within the boundaries of the two demarcated blocks of 16 and 14 acres respectively, described in the annexed schedule.

2. Tenders should be in duplicate, sealed under one cover, and addressed to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, or be sent by registered post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Purchase of Timber and Firewood, Southern Division (East)," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, not later than midday on Thursday, November 3, 1927.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Divisional Forest Office, Matara. 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 tender deposit of Rs. 20 for each block will be required to be made either at the Treasury or any Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for same before any form of the tender issued.

7. Tenderers should satisfy themselves by inspection before tendering as to the acreage and contents of the demarcated blocks referred to in the annexed schedule, as the figures given therein are estimated only and their correctness is in no way guaranteed. The boundaries of the block will be pointed out by the Range Forest Officer, Morawaka.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to execute a purchase agreement, and all tenderers should read and initial a copy of this agreement at the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, Southern Division (East), Matara, at the time of obtaining forms for tendering.

9. Before execution of the agreement the purchaser will be required (a) to pay either the full purchase amount or, if payments by instalments, 40 per cent. thereof, (b) to deposit as security for efficient and punctual fulfilment of the agreement 25 per cent. of the full purchase amount tendered by him or Rs. 150, whichever is greater. If paying by instalments the balance 60 per cent. of the full purchase price shall be paid by the purchaser in two equal instalments in accordance with clauses (2) and (3) of the special conditions set out below in this notice.

10. After payment of the first instalment of the purchase price, deposit of the security, and execution of the agreement, the purchaser will be entitled on application to a refund of the sum of Rs. 20 for each block deposited by him prior to tendering.

11. Tenderers should make an offer, written both in words and figures, for the timber and firewood contained in the block described in the annexed schedule.

12. No tender will be considered unless the procedure laid down above has been strictly complied with. The Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and of accepting any tender not necessarily the highest tender.

13. The special rules for felling, conversion, and removal which the purchaser will be required to observe are specified in the special conditions advertised below. Nothing in these special conditions shall render the purchaser in any way exempt from liability for punishment, under the Forest Ordinance of 1907, should he or any of the workmen in his employ be responsible for the commission of a forest offence outside the boundaries of his purchased block.

#### SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

(1) On payment of the full purchase amount the purchaser shall be entitled to fell and remove on or before June 30, 1928, in the manner specified below, all the timber and firewood contained in the purchased block. No extension of the time limit fixed for felling and removal under any circumstances be granted, and all timber not removed by the date of expiry of agreement, *i.e.*, June 30, 1928, shall *ipso facto* revert to the Crown.

(2) If the purchaser desires to pay by instalments, payment of a first instalment of 40 per cent. of the full purchase price of the block shall entitle him to fell and remove all the trees in an area not exceeding one-third of the total area of the block. Payment of 70 per cent. of the full purchase price, by means of a second instalment of 30 per cent., shall entitle the purchaser to fell and remove all the trees in an area not exceeding two-thirds of the total area of the block.

(3) If paying by instalments, the purchaser shall pay the second instalment or in all 70 per cent. of the full purchase price within three months, and the third and final instalment within five months of the date of execution of the agreement. Should the purchaser fail to pay either instalment when due it shall be within the discretion of the Divisional Forest

Officer to cancel the agreement as from the date of such default and to declare same to be null and void. Any unremoved or unfelled timber and firewood lying or standing in the block shall unconditionally revert to the Crown as from the date of such cancellation, and the purchaser shall have no further claim thereto. On no account shall any postponement of the date of such payment be made.

(4) Should the purchaser fell or remove trees from any area he has not paid for or from any area of forest outside the demarcated boundaries of his block, nothing in the agreement shall exempt him from liability to punishment for illicit felling and removal under the provisions of the Forest Ordinance, No. 16 of 1907, and the rules framed thereunder.

(5) The purchaser shall further agree to compensate the Crown for any damage to produce caused by himself, his employees, his animals, his machinery, or his material in transit over any area of forest not paid for by him at rates to be assessed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Matara.

(6) Daily removal notes must be obtained from the Overseer in charge of timber exploitation, in respect of all forest produce, before removal of any such produce to depôts outside the area of the block, and any removal of any forest produce without the authority of such notes will be considered an infringement of this rule and punished as provided hereunder. All such notes must be retained to be produced before Range Forest Officer concerned before removal permits can be issued for removal of such produce from such depôt to any final destination. For the purpose of this clause the purchaser shall select for his purpose, with the approval of the Range Forest Officer concerned, a plot of ground outside the limits of the block for a depôt. The site of such depôt shall not be changed without permission.

(7) In the depôt selected above the timber and firewood shall be stacked separately, in order to facilitate check.

(8) The purchaser shall agree that for each and every infringement of the above conditions he shall become liable to a fine of an amount not exceeding Rs. 50 to be imposed in writing by and at the discretion of the Divisional Forest Officer, Matara, and that this fine should be paid within 7 days, otherwise the agreement will be cancelled.

(9) The purchaser shall have the right of appeal to the Conservator of Forests in the event of the enforcement of any of the penalties specified in these conditions, and the purchaser shall agree to accept the Conservator's decision as final and binding.

(10) The purchaser will be required to spread the branchwood evenly over the block immediately after conversion so as to leave no bare patches exposed to soil erosion.

#### Schedule.

To purchase all timber and firewood trees standing or felled within the demarcated boundaries of two blocks (marked 1 and 2), 16 and 14 acres, respectively, in Dandeniya F. S. P. P. 25, lot 11, in the Matara District, Southern Province, and bounded as follows:—

Lot 1.—North by cut line.

East by citronella estate.  
South by citronella estate.  
West by cut line.

Lot 2.—North by cut line.

East by cut line.  
South and west by coconut estates.

2. The total number of timber trees and firewood standing in the two blocks is estimated as follows:—

#### Block 1.

Species.	Trees over				Total.
	6 ft. in girth.	Trees from 4 ft. to 6 ft. in girth.	Trees from 3 ft. to 4 ft. in girth.	Trees under 3 ft. in girth.	
Milla	—	14	14	5	33
Del	3	12	5	—	20
Ketakale	—	—	1	—	1
Jak	—	—	1	—	1
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Block 2.				
Del	1	9	1	11
Milla	—	4	8	13
Jak	—	1	—	1
Na	1	—	—	1
Etamba	1	—	—	1
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In block No. 1.—The estimated quantity of firewood is 960 cubic yards in addition to the timber trees.

In block No. 2.—The estimated quantity of firewood is 840 cubic yards in addition to the timber trees.

The distance from forest to Dandeniya District Road Committee road is about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mile. The distance to Matara is 10 miles along gravel path and 2 miles by metal road. The distance by gravel path to Ratmale is about 2 miles and to Kottagoda is about 5 miles.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, October 10, 1927.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for building a married teacher's quarters, kitchen, and store for Tanglegam Government School in Tanglegam pattu, Trincomalee District.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreement to be entered into with the Chairman, Rural Education District Committee, and the contractor on the basis of his accepted tendered schedule of rates.

3. The plan, specification, bill of quantities, form of agreement, &c., can be seen in the Office of the Chairman, Rural Education District Committee, Trincomalee Kachcheri, on any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 2.30 P.M. (Saturday 9.30 A.M. and 2.30 P.M.).

4. Schedule of rates should be forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, so as to reach the undersigned at 2 P.M. on or before October 31, 1927.

5. Any alteration made in the quotation should bear the initial of the tenderer, and all quotations containing alterations not so initialled will be rejected.

6. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the works to the Superintendent of Minor Roads, Trincomalee, on or before a date agreed upon.

7. The Chairman, Rural Education District Committee, does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any of the schedule of rates submitted, nor to give all work included in the whole scheme, or in one item to any one contractor.

8. Timber to be supplied free of royalty to be cut and removed by the tenderer.

The Kachcheri,  
Trincomalee, October 3, 1927.

W. G. VALLIPURAM,  
for Chairman.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the survey of 8 miles of the Lankabarana-Uggalkaltota District Road Committee minor road from the 5th milepost at Bowatta to the 13th milepost in Meda korale, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

2. Tenders must be marked "Tenders for the Survey of Lankabarana-Uggalkaltota Road" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the District Road Committee, Ratnapura, not later than than noon on Wednesday, October 26, 1927.

3. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Chairman, District Road Committee, Ratnapura, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

4. Specifications and form of contract may be seen and further information obtained on application at the Office of the Chairman, District Road Committee, Ratnapura, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9.30 A.M. to 1 P.M.).

5. The work to be completed on or before a date to be agreed upon.

6. 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 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 Chairman, District Road Committee, Ratnapura, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

7. The District Road Committee does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

E. T. MILLINGTON,  
Chairman.

District Road Committee Office,  
Ratnapura, September 28, 1927.

## SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

**T**HE under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at 1.30 P.M. on Thursday, October 13, 1927, at the Postal Stores:—

2 almirahs	22 hinges	2 wooden posts	6 table lamps
1 basin	2 jugs	2 iron frames	16 hanging lamps
1 camp bed	8 tin lamps	1 lot table cloths	2 wall lamps
2 benches	2 pen knives	1 lot camp bed cloths	3 Seth Thomas clocks
8 cash bowls	1 mammoti	18 rat traps	4 alarm timepieces
1 cash box	4 sorting pigeonholes	30 hurricane lanterns	6 watches
2 P. O. letter boxes	1 screen	13 buckets	3 burners
6 R. O. letter boxes	1 stationery rack	6 stoves	4 Bee timepieces
18 travelling letter boxes	3 safe stands	27 letter clips	3 ink rollers
3 type boxes	3 stools	12 rickshaw lamps	2 paint barrels
1 parcel box	2 spring balances	2 telephone call boards	1 lot empty barrels
9 bass brooms	1 instrument table	(wooden)	1 lot empty bottles (gum)
4 banister brushes	3 stamping tables	3 R. O. boards (wooden)	1 lot empty ink bottles
51 armchairs	1 writing table	1 sign board (wooden)	1 lot lead seals used
27 telegraph chairs	17 tarpaulins	1 name board (wooden)	1 lot old uniforms
4 revolving chairs	18 scissors	5 notice boards (wooden)	
3 desk pigeonholes	12 spear with bells	1 rubbish bin	
2 hammers	2 battery stands	41 inkstands	

General Post Office,  
Colombo, October 6, 1927.

ARTHUR E. WIJEYAGUNewardene,  
for Postmaster-General.

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

67 sarongs	3 pairs of trousers	1 yellow metal amulet	2 pencils
27 cloths	3 ties	3 yellow metal studs	5 trouser studs
53 banians	3 collars	8 white metal coin buttons	2 buckles
42 belts	1 hat	2 pairs of shop links	1 tiepin
23 shirts	6 pairs of shoes	7 pairs of shop studs	1 powder box (empty)
28 handkerchiefs	3 pairs of socks	1 white metal stud	1 white metal ring
16 coats	2 pairs of garters	5 white metal coat buttons	1 brass ring
6 towels	1 suspender	1 penknife	3 shop coat buttons

Welikada Prison,  
Colombo, October 7, 1927.

C. C. SCHOKMAN,  
Superintendent.

A SALE by public auction of spares and accessories for motor vehicles, together with a quantity of empty iron drums, wooden barrels, packing cases, &c., will be held at the Railway Stores, Maradana, on Tuesday, October 25, 1927, at 2.30 P.M.

Buyers are kindly requested to note that rent at the rate of 50 cents per diem will be charged for all lots not removed within three days.

Railway Storekeeper's Office,  
Colombo, October 7, 1927.

J. E. HANCOCKS,  
Railway Storekeeper.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

### Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended October 8, 1927.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 146 (1 European, 17 Burghers, 82 Sinhalese, 24 Tamils, 13 Moors, 6 Malays, and 3 Others). The birth rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1927, viz., 261,793) was 29.1, as against 31.5 in the preceding week, 34.0 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.1 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 142 (2 Europeans, 4 Burghers, 79 Sinhalese, 28 Tamils, 16 Moors, 6 Malays, and 7 Others). The death rate per 1,000 per annum was 28.3, as against 24.9 in the previous week, 29.6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28.7 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 142 total deaths, 28 were of infants under one year of age, as in the preceding week and in the corresponding week of the previous year, against 32 the average for last year.

**Stillbirths.**—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 11.

**Principal Causes of Death.**—1. (a) Fourteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 2 in San Sebastian, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, New Bazaar, Slave Island, and Wellawatta South, as against 11 in the previous week and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Four deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 1 each in New Bazaar, Maradana South, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta North, same as in the previous week, and against 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Four deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 1 each in St. Paul's, New Bazaar, Slave Island, and Wellawatta North, as against 1 in the previous week, and 6 the weekly average for last year.

2. (a) Thirteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 7 in Maradana hospitals (including 6 deaths of non-residents), 2 each in New Bazaar and Slave Island, and 1 each in Kotahena North and Maradana South, as against 15 in the previous week, and 11 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Two deaths from *Phthisis* of residents of Colombo town occurred at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Ragama, during the week.

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

4. Nine deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 8 from *Debility*, 7 from *Diarrhoea*, 6 from *Enteritis*, 3 from *Puerperal Septicaemia*, 2 each from *Dysentery* and *Worms*, 1 from *Tetanus*, and 66 from *Other Causes*.

5. Nine cases of *Chickenpox*, 6 of *Measles* and 3 of *Enteric Fever* were reported during the week, as against 13, 4, and 14, respectively, of the preceding week. No case of *Plague* was reported during the week, but 2 were reported during the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 81.4°, against 81.6° in the preceding week, and 81.3° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.910 in., against 29.905 in. in the preceding week, and 29.822 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0.38 in., against 1.41 in. in the preceding week, and 3.65 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

P. D. RATNATUNGA,  
for Registrar-General.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF N. S. FERNANDO &amp; SONS, LIMITED.

1. THE name of the Company is "N. S. FERNANDO & SONS, 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 or otherwise acquire and take over from Nummunidewagey Samsen Fernando Wijesekere, as a going concern the business of printers, stationers, &c., carried on by him at No. 17, Norris road, Colombo, under the name, style, and firm of N. S. Fernando & Sons, together with all the stock-in-trade, assets, effects, book debts, and the good will thereof.
  - (b) To carry on in Ceylon or in any part of the world all or any of the following businesses :—
 

Stationers, booksellers, journalists, literature agents, printers, publishers, bookbinders, engravers, photographers, lithographers, paper makers, cardboard manufacturers, designers, draughtsmen, ink manufacturers, type foundry, die sinkers, envelope manufacturers, machine rulers, block makers, machine letter press, copper plate, lithographic, electrotype, and other printers, and engravers, account book manufacturers, numerical printers, paper bag and account book makers, box makers, railway, tramway, and other ticket manufacturers, dealers in parchment, paper manufacturers, law stationers, type writers, type compositors, dealers in materials used in the manufacture of paper, newspaper proprietors and publishers, press correspondents, news agents, telegraphic and general agents, reporters, magazine proprietors, art journalists, book and print sellers, purchasers and sellers of copyrights, pictures, books, music, and songs, manufacturers and dealers in paper of all kinds and articles made from paper or pulp and materials used in the manufacture or treatment of paper, manufacturers and dealers in paints, varnishes, and printing inks, dealers in pictures, holders of exhibitions of pictures, makers and sellers of picture frames, artists colours, oils, paints, paint brushes, and other instruments, articles, and ingredients relating to any such business, dealers in stamps, contractors for advertisements and advertising, advertising agents, bill posters, manufacturers of posters, dealers in apparatus, plant appliances, and materials used by advertising contractors, dealers in fabrics and materials of all kinds, dealers in school stationery of every description, dealers in school books, dealers in paper decorations of every description, dealers in china, curiosities, articles of vertu, gold, silver, and plated goods, watches, clocks, chronometers, optical and scientific instruments and appliances of every description, surgical appliances, dealers in cotton, silk, woollen, linen, hemp, jute, and other yarns, and all kinds of fabrics and articles manufactured from such yarns, dealers in all kinds of leathers, imitation leathers, rubbers, waterproof goods, and articles manufactured therefrom, cloths of every description, manufacturers and dealers in saddlery, harness, trunks, travelling bags, suit cases, and every description of leather goods, tobacconists, dealers in matches, fireworks, fuses, lights, walking sticks, umbrellas, tins, canisters, cardboard and other boxes, hair and other brushes, combs, razors, scissors, soaps, sponges, and other toilet requisites, playing cards, fancy goods, and articles of every description, promoters of competitions of any description, and business of a character similar or analogous to the foregoing or any of them or connected therewith.
  - (c) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, compositors, binders, machine minders, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any at such rate as shall be thought fit.
  - (d) To act as directors, secretaries, consignees, and commercial agents of any company or companies carrying on business of any kind in Ceylon or elsewhere in the East, or to undertake any or all of these duties concurrently.
  - (e) To act as financial adviser, and to facilitate and encourage the creation, issue, or conversion of debentures, debenture stock, bonds, obligations, shares, stocks, and securities, and to act as trustees in connection with any such securities, and to take part in the conversions of business concerns and undertakings.
  - (f) To acquire the goodwill, property, and assets, and to assume the liabilities of any other company, partnership, or person carrying on business which this Company is authorized to carry on, and undertake the winding up of any such company or partnership.
  - (g) To manufacture, buy, sell, repair, alter, improve, manipulate, treat, and deal in all kinds of goods, wares, and merchandise, plant, machinery, apparatus, appliances, tools, utensils, products, materials, substances, articles, and things necessary or useful in carrying on any of the above businesses or operations or usually dealt in by persons or companies engaged therein.
  - (h) To purchase, take on lease, or otherwise acquire and deal in immovable and movable property of all kinds, and any interests therein, including reversions, mortgages, charges, annuities, patents, licences, policies, book debts, investments, and claims of every kind.
  - (i) To apply for or acquire by purchase or otherwise for the business of the Company in any parts of the world any factories, buildings, mills, plant, engines, machinery, patents, patent rights, secret processes, or other things, British, Colonial, or foreign licences, concessions, and the like conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to benefit the Company, and to use, exercise, develop, or grant licences in respect of, or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, or information so acquired, and to make, assist, or subsidize experiments, researches, investigations, expeditions, or voyages of discovery that may appear to be likely to benefit the Company.
  - (j) To acquire by purchase or otherwise or to establish periodicals, newspapers, magazines, books, journals, and other literary works or the goodwill thereof, and to undertake and carry on the same.

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- (k) To establish competitions in respect of contributions or information suitable for insertion in any publication of the Company, or otherwise for any of the purposes of the Company, and to offer and grant prizes, rewards, and premiums of such character and on such terms as may seem expedient.
- (l) To undertake and transact all kinds of agency which an ordinary individual may legally undertake.
- (m) To provide for, furnish, or secure to any Shareholders of the Company, or customers of, or to any subscribers to, or purchasers or possessors of any publication of the Company, or of any coupon or ticket issued with any publication of the Company any chattels, conveniences, advantages, benefits, or special privileges which may seem expedient, and either gratuitously or otherwise.
- (n) To carry on such other business and processes in connection with the above-mentioned business as are customarily or usually carried on in connection therewith or are naturally inclined thereto.
- (o) To carry on any other business which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the above or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value or render profitable any of the Company's property or rights.
- (p) To purchase or by other means acquire any properties, movable or immovable, or any other freehold, leasehold, or other property for any estate or interest whatever, and any rights, privileges, or easements over or in respect of any property and any buildings, factories, mills, offices, works, roads, machinery, engines, plant, vessels, or things, or rights whatever which may be necessary for or may be conveniently used with or may enhance the value of any other property of the Company.
- (q) To acquire and undertake the whole or any part of the business, goodwill, and assets of any person, firm, or company carrying on or proposing to carry on any of the businesses which this Company is authorized to carry on, and as part of the consideration for such acquisition to undertake all or any of the liabilities of such person, firm, or company, or to acquire an interest in, amalgamate with, or enter into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, co-operation, or joint adventure, or for limiting competition, or for mutual assistance with any such person, firm, or company, and to give or accept by way of consideration for any of the acts or things aforesaid or property acquired, any shares, debentures, or securities that may be agreed upon, and to hold and retain or sell, mortgage, and deal with any shares, debentures, or securities so received.
- (r) To build, construct, maintain, alter, enlarge, pull down, and remove or replace any buildings, factories, mills, offices, works, roads, machinery, engines, walls, fences, or other works, and conveniences or to join with any person, firm, or company in doing any of the aforesaid, and to work, manage, and control the same, or join with others in so doing.
- (s) To improve, manage, cultivate, develop, exchange, let on lease, or otherwise mortgage, sell, dispose of, turn to account, grant rights and privileges, in respect of, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company.
- (t) 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.
- (u) To lend and advance money or give credit to such persons and on such terms as may seem expedient, and in particular to customers and others having dealings with the Company, and to give guarantees or become security for any such persons.
- (v) To borrow or raise money in such manner as the Company shall think fit and in particular by mortgage and by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise, and to secure the repayment of any money borrowed, raised, or owing by mortgage, charge, or lien upon the whole or any part of the Company's property or assets, whether present or future, including its uncalled capital and also by a similar mortgage, charge, or lien to secure and guarantee the performance by the Company of any obligation or liability it may undertake and to purchase, redeem, or pay off any such securities.
- (w) 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.
- (x) To draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute, and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.
- (y) To enter into any arrangement with any Government or authorities (supreme, municipal, local, or otherwise) or any corporations, companies, or persons that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such Government, authority, corporation, company, or person any charters, contracts, decrees, rights, privileges, and concessions which the Company may think desirable, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with any such charters, contracts, decrees, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (z) To subscribe for, take, purchase, or otherwise acquire, and hold shares or other interest in or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company.
- (aa) To act as agents or brokers, and as trustees for any person, firm, or company, and to undertake and perform sub-contracts, and also to act in any of the business of the Company through or by means of agents, brokers, sub-contractors, or others, and either alone or in conjunction with others.
- (bb) To remunerate any person, firm, or company rendering services to this Company, whether by cash payment or by the allotment to him or them of shares or securities of the Company credited as paid up in full or in part or otherwise.
- (cc) To pay all or any expenses incurred in or in connection with or preliminary or incidental to the formation, promotion, and incorporation of the Company, or to contract with any person, firm, or company to pay the same, and to pay commissions to brokers and others for underwriting, placing, selling, or guaranteeing the subscription of any shares, debentures, debenture stock, or securities of the Company.
- (dd) To support and subscribe to any charitable or public object, and any institution, society, or club which may be for the benefit of the Company or its employees or may be connected with any town or place where the Company carries on business, to give pensions, gratuities, or charitable aid to any person or persons who may have served the Company, or to the wives, children, or other relative of such persons; to make payments towards insurance, and to form and contribute to Provident and Benefit Funds for the benefit of any persons employed by the Company.
- (ee) To procure the Company to be registered or recognized in any other country or place.
- (ff) To promote any other company for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property and undertaking and of the liabilities of this Company or of undertaking any business or operations which may appear likely to assist or benefit this Company or to enhance the value of any property or business of this Company, and to place or guarantee the placing or underwrite, subscribe for, or otherwise acquire all or any part of the shares or securities of any such Company as aforesaid.

- (gg) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.
- (hh) To sell or otherwise dispose of the whole or any part of the undertaking of the Company, either together or in portion, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any company purchasing the same.
- (ii) To distribute among the Shareholders of the Company in kind any property of the Company, and in particular any shares, debentures, or securities of other companies belonging to this Company or of which this Company may have the power of disposing.
- (kk) To do all or any of the above things in any parts of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees, or otherwise, and by trustees, sub-contractors, agents, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others.
- (ll) To do all such other things as are incidental to or connected with any of the above objects, or conducive to the attainment thereof, or otherwise likely in any respect to be advantageous to the Company, and in case of doubt as to what shall be so incidental, connected, conducive, or advantageous as aforesaid, the decision of an Extraordinary General Meeting shall be conclusive.

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

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

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

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
H. P. COSMAS, Colombo .. .. .	One
J. CYRIL TENNEKOON, Colombo .. .. .	One
E. V. RATNAM, Colombo .. .. .	One
ARTHUR E. EPHRAUMS, Colombo .. .. .	One
JOSEPH M. ALLES, Colombo .. .. .	One
N. SAM WIJESSEKERE, Colombo .. .. .	One
J. A. VERNON MODDER, Colombo .. .. .	One
Total number of Shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the above signatures, at Colombo, this 10th day of September, 1927:

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

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF N. S. FERNANDO & SONS, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows:—

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

#### INTERPRETATION.

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

*Company.*—"The word Company" means "N. S. Fernando & Sons, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

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

*Special Resolution.*—"Special Resolution" has the meaning assigned thereto by the Ordinance.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

*Dividend.*—“Dividend” includes bonus.

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

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

#### BUSINESS.

5. *Commencement of Business.*—The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established, and to employ and apply its capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and notwithstanding that the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted, they shall do so as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

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

#### CAPITAL.

7. *Nominal Capital.*—The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000) divided into Fifty thousand (50,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10) each.

#### SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

17. *Trusts or any Interest in Share other than that of Registered Holder or of any Person under Article 38 not recognized.*—The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except an absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under Article 38 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

## INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

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

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

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

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

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

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

## SHARE CERTIFICATES.

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

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

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

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

## TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

34. *Registration of Transfer.*—Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transfer, and a fee of Rs. 2.50, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid; and thereupon the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Articles 32, 33, and 35, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

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

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

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

## TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

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

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

40. *Failing such Registration, Shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under Article 39 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if, in the case of the death of any Shareholder, no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell the same either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same; 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(b) *Forfeiture may be remitted.*—The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 43 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

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

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

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



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

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

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

#### CALLS.

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

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

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

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

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

#### BORROWING POWERS.

57. *Power to Borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time in the usual course of business, such temporary advances, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or stocks, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of One hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 100,000). The Directors shall, with the sanction of a General Meeting, be entitled to borrow or raise such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors may, for the purpose of securing the repayment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create, and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property, and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Provided that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures, or create any debenture stock, they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, notice of the intention to obtain such sanction at such meeting having been duly given. Any such securities may be issued either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged, as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article, and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the agent or secretary or agents or secretaries to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof.

in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such documents containing such declaration shall as regards the creditor, be void on the ground of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

#### MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### VOTING AT MEETINGS.

73. *Votes.*—At any meeting every resolution shall in the first instance be decided by a show of hands. In case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder, and unless a poll be immediately demanded in writing by some Shareholder present at the meeting and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the minute book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

“N. S. Fernando and Sons, Limited.”

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

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

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

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

#### DIRECTORS.

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

88. *Their Qualification and Remuneration*.—The qualification of a Director shall be his holding shares in the Company, whether fully paid up or partly paid up, of the total nominal value of at least Two thousand Rupees (Rs. 2,000) and upon which, in the case of partly paid up shares, all calls for the time being shall have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Three thousand Rupees (Rs. 3,000) annually to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration for special or extra services hereinafter referred to nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

89. *Appointment of First Directors and Duration of their Office*.—The first Directors shall be Arthur Edward Ephraums, Joseph Marcus Alles, and N. S. Fernando Wijeyesekere, all of Colombo, who shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

90. *Directors may appoint Managing Director or Directors; his or their Remuneration.*—One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary or Managing Director or Managing Directors, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office; and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors, and the Directors may impose and confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be imposed or conferred on any Manager of the Company. If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money as they shall think fit.

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

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

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

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

95. *Retiring Directors how determined.*—The Director to retire from office at the Second and Third General Meetings shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot, in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

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

97. *Decision of Question as to Retirement.*—In case any question shall arise as to which of the Directors who have been the same time in office shall retire, the same shall be decided by the Directors by ballot.

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

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

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

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

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

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

*Exceptions.*—But the above rule shall be subject to the following exceptions:—That no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company of which he is a Director, or by his being agent, or secretary, or proctor, or by his being a member of a firm who are agents, or secretaries, or proctors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract, work, or business in which he may be personally interested.

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

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

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

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

106. The Directors shall have power to purchase or otherwise acquire the said business of printers, stationers, &c., carried on by N. S. Fernando Wijeyesekera at No. 17, Norris road, Colombo, under the name, style, and firm of N. S. Fernando and Sons, together with all the stock-in-trade, assets, effects, book debts, and the goodwill thereof.

107. *To manage Business of Company and pay Preliminary Expenses, &c.*—The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors, either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors for such period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors may pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in connection with the placing of the shares of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, or acquisition of the said business, and the purchase, lease, or acquisition of any other lands or property, and in or about the working and business of the Company.

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

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

110. *To open Banking Accounts and operate thereon, &c.*—The Directors shall have power to open on behalf of the Company any account or accounts with such bank or banks as they may select or appoint, and also by such signature as they may appoint to draw, accept, make, endorse, sign, and execute cheques, bills of exchange, and promissory notes, bills of lading, receipts, contracts, and agreements, bonds, mortgages, proxies to any proctor or proctors, and other documents on behalf of and to further the interests of the Company.

111. *To sell and dispose of Company's Property, &c.*—It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by a special resolution of the Shareholders in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, property, lands, and effects of the Company or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, or the assignment of the whole or any part or parts of its leasehold interest in any property or properties, land or lands, or the sub-lease of the whole or any part or parts thereof to any company or companies, or person or persons, upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit, and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale, or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

112. *General Powers.*—The Directors shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and in addition to the powers and authorities by the Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, clerks, assistants, artisans, and workers, and generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by the Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company, and are not by the Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of the Ordinance and of these presents and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may from time to time be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting; but no regulation made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made. The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be limited by any clause conferring any special or expressed power.

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

- (1) To institute, conduct, defend, compound, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or legal proceedings by and against the Company, or its officers or otherwise concerning the affairs of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due and of any claims and demands by and against the Company.
- (2) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform the awards.
- (3) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company and for claims and demands of the Company.
- (4) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, inspector, or any similar office.
- (5) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not immediately required for the purposes thereof, upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (6) From time to time to provide for the management of the affairs of the Company abroad in such manner as they think fit, and to establish any local boards or agencies for managing any of the affairs of the Company abroad, and to appoint any persons to be members of such local board or any managers or agents and to fix their remuneration.
- (7) From time to time and at any time to delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers hereby made exercisable by the Directors, except those relating to shares and any others as to which special provisions inconsistent with such delegation are herein contained; and they shall have power to fix the remuneration of and at any time to remove such Director or other person or Company and to annul or vary any such delegation. They shall not however be entitled to delegate any powers of borrowing or charging the property of the Company to any agent of the Company or other person except by instrument in writing, which shall specifically state the extent to which such powers may be used by the person or persons to whom they are so delegated, and compliance therewith shall be a condition precedent to the exercise of these powers.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

114. *Meeting of Directors.*—The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings as they think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business; until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum.

115. *A Director may summon Meetings of Directors.*—A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

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

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

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

119. *Acts of Board of Committee valid notwithstanding Informal Appointment.*—The acts of the Board or of any committee appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or committee, or defect in the appointment of any Director or of any member of the committee, be as valid as if no such vacancy or defect had existed, and as if every person had been duly appointed, provided the same be done before the discovery of the defect.

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

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

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

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

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

#### COMPANY'S SEAL.

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

#### ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

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

#### DIVIDEND, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

130. Where any asset is bought by the Company as from a past date (whether such date be before or after the incorporation of the Company) upon the terms that the Company shall as from that date take the profits and bear the losses thereof, such profits or losses, as the case may be, shall, at the discretion of the Directors, be credited or debited

wholly or in part to revenue account, and in that case the amount so credited or debited shall for the purposes of ascertaining the fund available for dividend be treated as a profit or loss arising from the business of the Company.

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

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

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

133. *Reserve Fund.*—Previously to the Directors paying or recommending any dividend on preference or ordinary shares, they may set aside out of the profits of the Company, such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund, and may invest the same in such securities as they shall think fit, or place the same on fixed deposit in any Bank or Bank of India, or in any other Bank, or in any other security, or in any other manner, and may from time to time apply such portions, as they think fit, of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for the payment of accumulated dividends due on preference shares, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing or maintaining or extending the buildings and premises, or for the repair or renewal or extension of the property or plant connected with the business of the Company, or any part thereof, or for any other purpose of the Company which they may from time to time deem expedient.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### AUDIT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### ARBITRATION.

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

#### EVIDENCE.

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

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

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

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

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

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names, at Colombo, this 10th day of September, 1927:

H. P. COSMAS.

J. CYRIL TENNEKON.

E. V. RATNAM.

ARTHUR E. EPHRAUMS.

JOSEPH M. ALLES.

N. SAM WIJESSEKERE.

J. A. VERNON MODDER.

Witness to the above signatures:

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

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## The Uva Highlands Tea Company, Limited.

WE hereby give notice that the private cart road from the boundary of Uva Highlands estate will be closed on October 22, 1927.

By order of the Directors,

MACKWOODS, LIMITED.

Colombo, October 10, 1927. Agents and Secretaries.

## Auction Sale.

I SHALL sell by public auction on October 26, 1927, at office No. 58, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp, at 11 A.M., the articles of jewellery pawned with H. R. Caldera of Borella, insolvent in case No. 3,579, D. C., Colombo, and unredeemed on the due dates, viz.:

No. 2 098, half sovereign; 2 865, 1 thin silver chain; 2 991 2 strings silver beads; 3,022, 1 small watch said to be gold; 3,044, 4 silver bangles; 3,041, 2 silver bangles.

A. C. KOELMEYER,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

## Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

A House Property at Short's Road, Slave Island, in Colombo, bearing Assessment No. 25 130a, in extent 1 98/100 perches.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in case No. 25,001 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 5, 1927, at 4.30 P.M., at the spot:

For further particulars apply to C. A. B. Wanigesooriya, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or to me—

No. 115, Hulftsdorp,  
Colombo.

A. V. RIVERA,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

## Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 10,096 of the District Court of Kalutara, and the order to sell issued to me, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, November 5, 1927, at 2 P.M., at the respective spots:—

1. Undivided 1357/2952 shares of the soil and of all the remaining trees and plantations (excluding the planter's  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of all the trees) standing thereon of a portion of Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya, in the Talpitiyabadda of the Panadure totamune, in the Kalutara District; and containing in extent about 2 roods.

2. Undivided 7/120 shares of the trees and plantations of the first plantation standing on a portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya aforesaid; and containing in extent about  $\frac{1}{2}$  an acre.

3. Undivided 7/60 shares of the soil and of all the trees and plantations standing thereon of the southern half portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya aforesaid; and containing in extent about 1 rood.

4. Undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the trees and plantations of the first plantation standing on a portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya aforesaid; and containing in extent about 2 acres.

5. Undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the soil and of the trees and plantations of the second plantation standing thereon of the southern half portion of a portion of the land called Hotayawatta, situated at Talpitiya aforesaid; and containing in extent about 1 acre.

6. Undivided 29/42 shares of the soil and of all the trees and plantations standing thereon of the portion of Delgahawatta and the adjoining portion of Kudakurambewela, situated at Talpitiya aforesaid; and containing in extent about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acres.

7. Undivided 445511/1716960 shares of the soil and of the remaining trees and plantations standing thereon of the land called Delgahawatta alias Gulugahawatta alias Kahatagahawatta (exclusive of the planter's  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the trees of the second and third plantations); situated at Talpitiya aforesaid; and containing in extent about 2 acres.

Further particulars from M. H. Jayatilake, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Panadure, or from me—

H. THOMAS FERNANDO,  
Panadure, October 12, 1927.

Auctioneer.

## Auction Sale.

Valuable Properties at Ragama in the District of Colombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 1,754, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Seena Thana Kana Nana Sana Rawanna Mana Ramanadan Chetty of Negombo, against the defendant Norbert Francis Perera Amarasekera Siriwardena of Ragama, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 11,200, with interest on Rs. 5,000 at 20 per cent. per annum from July 17, 1927, and on Rs. 3,000 at 24 per cent. per annum from July 22, 1927, till August 18, 1927, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount, till payment in full, and costs of suit, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged by bonds No. 698 dated September 30, 1921, attested by J. P. Ameratunga, Notary, and No. 2,414 dated March 22, 1924, attested by S. K. Wijayarathnam, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Monday, November 7, 1927, to wit:—

Commencing at 2 P.M.

1. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of all that contiguous allotments of land called and known as Dambuwe and Niyandagala, situated at Ragama in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent about 72 acres, together with the buildings, trees, and plantations standing thereon; as primary mortgage.

2. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of all that contiguous allotments of land called and known as Dambuwe and Niyardagala, situated at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent about 72 acres, together with the buildings, trees, and plantations standing, as secondary mortgage.

3. All that allotment of land marked F out of the land called Delgahawatta alias Ambagahawatta, situated at Ragama aforesaid; and which said lot F is in extent 37.38 perches; as primary mortgage.

4. All that allotment of land marked F out of the land called Delgahawatta alias Ambagahawatta, situated at Ragama aforesaid; and which said lot F is in extent 37.38 perches, as secondary mortgage.

5. All that field called Wetakayagahakumbura, situated at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent about 14 beras of paddy sowing ground, as primary mortgage.

6. All that field called Nuwaragala, situated at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent 8 beras of paddy sowing ground, as secondary mortgage.

7. All that field called Polpitiyekumbura, situated at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 bushels of paddy sowing ground and the buildings thereon, as secondary mortgage.

Further particulars from Messrs. Ranasinghe & Rahiman, Proctors and Notaries, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,  
Negombo, October 11, 1927.

Auctioneers.

## Auction Sale.

Properties at Ragama and Mahahorekanduliyaddapaluwa in the District of Colombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 1,034, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Seena Thana Kana Nana Sana Rawanna Mana Suppiah Palle of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Dionitius de Abrew Abeyasingho and (2) Maria Ejustina Perera Amarasekera Siriwardene, widow of the late James de Abrew Abeyasingho, both of Ragama, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,350 with interest on Rs. 1,000 at 21 per cent. per annum from June 27, 1926, till October 18, 1926, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount, till payment in full, less a sum of Rs. 425, and costs of suit, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged by bond No. 2,476 dated June 27, 1924, and attested by S. K. Wijayarathnam, Notary, by public auction on the first mentioned land on Saturday, November 5, 1927, to wit:—

Commencing at 2 P.M.

1. The undivided  $\frac{1}{5}$  share of the land called Marakayegawatta, situated at Ragama in Ragam pattu of the

Alukkuru korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 79 acres and 24 perches with the buildings thereon, as primary mortgage.

2. All that divided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Ketakellagahawatta, situate at Ragama aforesaid; the said  $\frac{1}{4}$  share is in extent about 3 acres with the buildings standing thereon, excluding therefrom a portion of the land in extent 1 rood, as secondary mortgage.

3. From and out of the land called Talgahawatta, situate at Ragama aforesaid; in extent about 8 acres, excluding therefrom a portion in extent 5 acres towards the north-eastern side and another portion in extent 2 roods, the remaining portion of land with the buildings thereon, as secondary mortgage.

4. The undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of all that land called Talgahawatta *alias* Hapugahadeniyawatukobella, situate at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent about 4 acres with the buildings thereon, as secondary mortgage.

5. All that land called Bogahahena, situate at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent about 6 acres with the buildings thereon, as secondary mortgage.

6. All that allotment of high and low land called Lavulugahakumbura, situate at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acre more or less with the buildings thereon, as secondary mortgage.

7. All that allotment of high and low land called Velipalata, situate at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent 12 acres more or less with the buildings thereon, as secondary mortgage.

8. All that allotment of field called Gorakagahaliyadda, situate at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent 6 boras of paddy sowing ground more or less, as secondary mortgage.

9. All that land called Talgahawatta, situate at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acre with the buildings thereon, excluding the portion required by the Crown, as secondary mortgage.

10. All that allotment of land called Mahalandekotasa, situate at Ragama aforesaid; containing in extent 10 acres more or less with the buildings thereon, excluding the portion acquired by the Crown, as secondary mortgage.

At 5.30 p.m.

11. The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the five contiguous portions of lands called Delgahawatta, Kahatagahawatta, Kajugahawatta, Millagahawatta, and Kalawadugahawatta, now forming one land and known as Nawatta, situate at Mahorekanduliyaddopaluwa in Adikari pattu of the Siyane korale in the District of Colombo aforesaid; in extent about 24 acres with the buildings thereon, as secondary mortgage.

Further particulars from Tudor Ranasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,  
Auctioneers.

Negombo, October 11, 1927.

**Auction Sale.**

UNDER decree in case No. 1,332, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Seena Thana Kana Nana Sana Rawanna Mana Suppiah Pulle of Negombo, against the defendants. (1) Warnakulasuriya William Fernando and surety, (2) Rathugamage Martha Maria Fernando, (3) Kana Muthuperiya Nadar, (4) Kana Perumaiya Nadar, and (5) Warnakulasuriya Elizabeth Fernando, all of Dunakadeniya, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,385, with interest on Rs. 2,000 at 21 per cent. per annum from October 12, 1926, to April 20, 1927, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged as primary mortgage by bond No. 17,384 dated December 12, 1924, and attested by P. W. Marasinghe, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Monday, November 21, 1927, to wit:—

At 2 p.m.

1. The field called Kumbukgahakumbura, situate at Kumbukwana, appertaining to Mahawewa in Yaticalam pattu of Pitigal korale in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province; containing in extent about 16 perches of paddy sowing ground. From the undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of this field the undivided  $\frac{8}{14}$  shares.

At 3.30 p.m.

2. The divided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share on the north-east of the land called Ambalamagawawatta, situate at Dunakadeniya in Katugampola korale or in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province; containing in extent about one parrah of kurakkan sowing ground *alias* 3 acres and 26 perches.

At 4 p.m.

3. The undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Bogahamulawatta, situate at Dunakadeniya aforesaid; containing in extent about 4 acres.

Further particulars from Tudor Ranasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,  
Negombo, October 11, 1927. Auctioneers.

**Auction Sale.**

Properties at Halpanwela and Haththiniya in the District of Chilaw.

UNDER decree in case No. 1,716, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Mena Seena Rawanna Mana Somasundram Chetty, by his attorney Sena Una Nawanna Narayanan Chetty of Negombo, against the defendant, Jayalathpedige Peththa of Halpanwala, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the amount therein stated, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged as primary mortgage by bond No. 2,065 dated April 10, 1923, and attested by G. F. Dissanayaka, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Wednesday, November 9, 1927, to wit:—

At 3.30 p.m.

1. The undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Madanwella or Kajugahawatta, situate at Halpanwela in Yaticalam pattu of Pitigal korale in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province; containing in extent about 1 acre.

At 3.45 p.m.

2. The land called Kajugahawatta, situate at Halpanwela aforesaid; containing in extent about 1 rood.

At 4.15 p.m.

3. The undivided  $\frac{1}{14}$  share of the land called Kahatagahawatta, situate at Haththiniya in Yaticalam pattu aforesaid; containing in extent about 300 coconut trees plantable ground at distances in which they have been planted at present.

At 4.30 p.m.

4. The undivided  $\frac{1}{16}$  share of the land called Kajugahawatta, situate at Haththiniya aforesaid; containing in extent about 5 acres.

Further particulars from Messrs. Ranasinghe and Raheeman, Proctors and Notaries, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,  
Negombo, October 11, 1927. Auctioneers.

**Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.**

I, DON ANTHONY PERERA RANASINGHE of Florinden, Tudella, Ja-ela, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Hon. Justices of the Supreme Court of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said Court.

October 8, 1927.

D. A. P. RANASINGHE.

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

I, JAYAMUNY ARAN DE SILVA VAIDYATILLEKE of Maha Wakkaduwa in Kalutarabadda of Kalutara District, Western Province, do hereby declare, under Schedule B (2) of section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I intend to apply to the Registrar-General to admit me as a Notary, and that I intend to practise in the Sinhalese language in the above District.

September 14, 1927.

J. A. DE S. VAIDYATILLEKE.

## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Government Training College Entrance Examination.

## List of Selected Students.

TWO-YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS OF RS. 360 PER ANNUM  
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## Royal College Scholarship Examinations.

AN examination for Governor's and Lorenz Scholarships will be held at the Royal College on Friday and Saturday, November 25 and 26, 1927, beginning at 9.30 A.M.

2. One Lorenz Scholarship of Rs. 220 per annum in addition to free tuition at the Royal College, will be awarded. Candidates must be under the age of 16 on January 1, 1928. The Scholarship will be tenable for three years.

3. Senior Governor's Scholarships, entitling holders to free tuition at the Royal College for two years, are awarded to candidates under 17 years of age on January 1, 1928.

Junior Governor's Scholarships, entitling holders to free tuition at the Royal College for four years, are awarded to candidates under 15 years of age on January 1, 1928.

4. A proportion of the vacancies is to be filled by candidates whose parents or guardians have an income from all sources not exceeding Rs. 2,500 per annum. The other vacancies are not so restricted. The probable total number of vacancies is eight.

5. Subjects for examination are: (a) English; (b) Latin. (c) Mathematics; (d) Science or Greek.

The Science paper will include alternative questions in Botany. In all papers questions are set up to Senior Cambridge Standard.

6. Application forms (obtainable at Royal College office) should be sent in completed to the Principal, not later than November 18, 1927. Candidates offering Greek should state this on their forms.

H. L. REED,  
October 4, 1927. Principal, Royal College.

## Belagoda Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Lieut.-Col. H. B. Colledge for grant in aid of the above school, which is situated at Belagodapitiya, Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations will be received not later than November 16, 1927.

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

## J/Chiviatheru Nanthanar Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated at Chiviatheru, Jaffna District of the Northern Province, under the management of Hon. Mr. W. Duraiswamy, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school with effect from July, 1926.

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

## Sri Sumangala Girls' English School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. P. de S. Kuleratne for grant in aid of the above school, which is situated in Panadure district of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than November 14, 1927.

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

## Kudattanai Karaiyoor Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school, situated at Kudattanai, in Jaffna District of the Northern Province, under the management of Rev. J. K. Sinnatamby, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from June, 1926.

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

## Bt/Kayankerni Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school, situated at Kayankerni in Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, under the management of Rev. Fr. F. Bonnel, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from August, 1926.

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

**Kandy Vernacular Mixed (Baptist Mission Society) School.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. T. A. de Silva for the conversion of his Kandy Vernacular Mixed School into an Anglo-Vernacular School.

Observations will be received not later than November 14, 1927.

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

**Bt/Palehenai Vernacular Mixed School.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school, situated at Palchenai, in Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, under the management of Rev. Fr. F. Bonnel, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from August, 1926.

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

**Bt/Mankerni Vernacular Mixed School.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school, situated at Mankerni, in Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, under the management of Rev. Fr. F. Bonnel, has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from August, 1926.

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

**Kiribatgalla and Dela division Estate Schools.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Superintendent, Kiribatgalla group, Niwittigala, for grant in aid of his estate schools which are situated in Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations will be received not later than November 7, 1927.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, October 7, 1927. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Miss B. M. M. Thiedmann, Etherington House, Ratnapura, has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. J. B. Radley.

*School referred to.*

Ferguson High School, Ratnapura.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, October 3, 1927. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. A. M. Walmsley, Castle Hill, Kandy, has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, in place of the late Rev. J. H. Wickramanayake.

*Schools referred to.*

Baddegama Church Missionary Society Boys' English.  
Baddegama Church Missionary Society Girls' English.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, October 1, 1927. Director of Education.

**Change of Management.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. S. F. Pearce, Baptist Mission, Matale, has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below in place of Miss J. Uttley.

*School referred to.*

Matale Baptist Mission Society Girls' English School.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, October 8, 1927. Director of Education.

**Suspension of Teacher's Certificate.**

IT is hereby notified for general information that the teacher's certificate, particulars of which are given below, is suspended for six months for the reason stated.

Name of Teacher: Carolis Perera Senanayake.

Particulars of Certificate: First Class (Trained) No. 4 of February 2, 1925.

School in which last employed: C/Nittambuwa Buddhist Anglo-Vernacular School.

Management: Buddhist Theosophical Society.

Date of Suspension: October 6, 1927.

Reason for Suspension: Not marking the Attendance Register on July 28, 1927.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,  
Colombo, October 7, 1927. Director of Education.

**Loss of Firearms.**

**MATARA DISTRICT.**

Description of gun: A single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun bearing No. M242 on stock.

Number of licence: 242/M.K.

Name of owner: Rambukge Heena Appu of Gorakawela in the Morawak korale of the Matara District.

Remarks: Gun said to have been stolen.

Description of gun: A single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun bearing No. M/216 on the stock.

Number of licence: 216/M.K.

Name of owner: Hewa Vitaranage Disanhmy of Molokgamuwa in the Morawak korale of the Matara District.

Remarks: Gun said to have been stolen.

The Kacheheri, J. A. GUNARATNA,  
Matara, October 5, 1927. for Assistant Government Agent.

**HAMBANTOTA DISTRICT.**

Name of owner: A. Carolis.

Name of village: Kudagoda, in East Giruwa pattu.

Description of gun: Single-barrelled cap gun, No. M 652 marked on stock.

Remarks: Stolen from a watch hut.

Number of licence: A 32782/M 652.

The Kacheheri, C. SENARATNE,  
Hambantota, October 4, 1927. for Assistant Government Agent.

**ANURADHAPURA DISTRICT.**

Description of gun: Single-barrelled cap gun, No. 32927 marked on the stock.

Name and address of licensee: K. Senba Duraya of Vihara Palugama in Nuwaragam korale of the Nuwaragam palata.

Number of licence: B3329/F14138.

Remarks: Reported to have been lost.

The Kacheheri, J. A. MULHALL,  
Anuradhapura, October 7, 1927. for Government Agent.

Description of gun: Double-barrelled muzzle-loading gun, No. 90365 marked on the stock.

Name and address of licensee: Appuhamige Mudiyanse of Ranawa in Kiralowa korale of the Kalagam palata.

Number of licence: 70,603/B 01330.

Remarks: Reported to have been lost.

The Kacheheri, J. A. MULHALL,  
Anuradhapura, October 6, 1927. for Government Agent.

#### RATNAPURA DISTRICT.

Description of property: One single-barrelled cap gun, Nos C 773 and 25.

License number: 160/AT.

Licensee: Horepola Mahagamarallaye Ratranhamy of Bibilegama.

Remarks: The gun is reported to be stolen.

Description of firearm: One single-barrelled cap gun, Nos 27 and 490.

License number: 207/NA.

Licensee: Manannalaye Pina of Watupitiya, Nivitigala.

Remarks: The gun is reported to have been lost.

The Kacheheri, J. M. DE SILVA,  
Ratnapura, October 8, 1927. for Government Agent.

#### Appointment of Assessors.

BY virtue of powers vested in me, under section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1921, I have appointed the persons named below to be assessors for the Sanitary Board Towns of Madampe, Marawila, and Nattandiya for the year 1928:—

##### Madampe.

1. The Government Assessor.
2. Mr. Gilbert Gabriel Perera of Mellawagara.
3. Mr. Lionel Justin Senaratne of Thalagama.

##### Marawila.

1. The Government Assessor.
2. Mr. Graham Pandittasekara.
3. Mr. D. B. Perera.

##### Nattandiya.

1. The Government Assessor.
2. Mr. W. A. Marasinghe, Notary Public.
3. Mr. W. M. Baronchi Appuhamy.

C. L. WICKREMESINGHE,  
The Kacheheri, Assistant Government Agent.  
Puttalam, October 8, 1927.

#### Appointment of Assessors.

BY virtue of powers vested in me, under section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1921, I have appointed the persons named below to be assessors for the Local Board Town of Puttalam for the year 1928:—

1. Mr. D. M. R. Jayatunga.
2. Mr. C. M. Mohamedo Ismail.
3. Mr. S. M. Assenkudhoos, Surveyor.

C. L. WICKREMESINGHE,  
The Kacheheri, Assistant Government Agent.  
Puttalam, October 7, 1927.

#### Special Apprentices for Posts in Minor Supervising Grades.

APPLICATIONS are invited for enlistment as special apprentices for training for posts in Minor Supervising grades of the Ceylon Government Railway (Locomotive, Carriage and Wagon, and Paint Shops, and Running Sheds).

Candidates must not be less than 16 or more than 21 years of age on the date of examination, must be of good physique, unmarried, and have previously passed the Cambridge Senior Local or other higher examination.

Further particulars can be obtained from the General Manager.

Applications from intending candidates should be addressed to the General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway, and should reach him not later than November 1, 1927.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, October 10, 1927.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

#### Tender for Lease of Grass Land.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Harbour Engineer, up to 12 noon, on October 26, 1927, for the lease of the right to cut grass and graze cattle on the Port Commission land about 2 acres 2 roods and 21 perches in extent, situated on the side of the Railway between Alutmawata road and Bloemendahl road. The grazing of milch cows is prohibited on the land. The land will be leased on a monthly tenancy. The successful tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 50 immediately after his tender is accepted.

The Harbour Engineer will not be responsible for damage done to cattle straying on the railway.

No buildings will be allowed on the land.

Harbour Engineer's Office,  
Colombo, October 7, 1927.

G. W. DODDS,  
Harbour Engineer.

#### Lease of Suriyagawatta with the Boutiques.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Western Province will receive tenders for the purchase of the lease of the under-mentioned Crown lands, with the boutiques standing thereon, for a period of 5 years from January 1, 1927, subject to the following conditions:—

The tenders which must be in sealed envelopes, will be received at the Colombo Kacheheri until 1 P.M. on Thursday, December 1, 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 agent that the tender is made *bona fide*.

#### Conditions of Sale.

1. Six months' rent shall be deposited in cash as security on the day of sale, and the rent shall be paid by the lessee in equal quarterly instalments in advance.

2. The purchaser shall not cut down any trees or interfere with any existing fence, boundary, or buildings.

3. The purchaser shall keep the land and buildings clean, pay all rates and taxes, and comply with all sanitary regulations. Further, he shall effect all necessary repairs and keep the land and buildings in good order and condition to the satisfaction of the Government Agent, Western Province, or of a deputy acting under his orders.

4. The Government Agent, or any one acting under his authority will be entitled to re-enter into occupation at any time on giving one month's notice to the lessee.

5. The purchaser shall not assign or transfer the lease of the premises without the written permission of the Government Agent, Western Province.

6. The purchaser shall be liable for all damage done by the occupants.

7. If the whole or any portion of the premises is required by Government before the expiry of the lease, such whole or portion thereof shall be surrendered on one month's notice being given, in which case a proportionate reduction in the rental will be made for the unexpired period of the lease.

8. In the event of any breach of the foregoing conditions, the Government Agent shall have the power to resume possession of the premises and eject the purchaser therefrom without compensation.

9. The purchaser shall, at the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, deliver up the leased premises with the buildings thereon, in good condition and repair to the Government Agent, Western Province, or to a deputy appointed by him.

10. The Government Agent reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

The Kachcheri, R. N. THAINE,  
Colombo, September 28, 1927. Government Agent.

*Description of the Land.*

1. All those two contiguous allotments of land with everything thereon called Suriyagahawatta, situated at Main street, in the town of Negombo; bounded on the north and east by the other part of this land of J. de Mel, south by Main street, and on the west by the other part of this land of N. H. R. A. Nagamuttu; containing in extent 11 perches according to the plan No. 172 dated September 28, 1917, made by L. Vanderput, Licensed Surveyor.

2. Two large boutiques bearing assessments Nos. 112 and 113 adjoining each other stand on this land. These boutiques or shops are subsequently built of lime mortar, plastered and whitewashed, and covered with tiled roof.

*Lease of Crown Lands.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent, Western Province, will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the lease of the under-mentioned Crown lands for a period of 5 years from December 1, 1927, subject to the conditions given below:—

2. The tenders which should be put in separately for each land will be received at the Colombo Kachcheri until 1 P.M. on Wednesday, November 2, 1927, when they will be opened.

3. All persons making the tenders will be required to be present or to satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agent that the tender is made *bona fide*.

*Conditions.*

1. Six months' rent shall be deposited in cash as security on the day of sale, and the rent shall be paid by the lessee in equal quarterly instalments in advance.

2. The purchaser or his workmen shall not cut any tree, or interfere with any existing fence, or boundary.

3. The purchaser shall be bound to fence the lands leased to him, if called upon by the Government Agent to do so.

4. The purchaser shall not assign, transfer, or sublet without permission previously obtained in writing from the Government Agent.

5. The Government Agent or any one acting under his authority will be entitled to re-enter into occupation at any time on giving one month's notice to the lessee.

6. The purchaser shall keep the premises clean and in good order.

7. The Government Agent shall have the liberty to cut as many trees as are found to be necessary, for which proportionate refunds will be made to the lessee.

8. If the whole or any portion of the premises is required by Government before the expiry of the lease, such whole or portion thereof shall be surrendered on one month's notice being given, in which case a proportionate refund or deduction in the rental will be made for the unexpired period for which rent has been paid.

9. In the event of any breach of the foregoing conditions, the Government Agent shall have the power to resume possession of the premises, and eject the purchaser and his working therefrom without compensation.

10. The Government Agent reserves the right to reject any or all the tenders.

The Kachcheri, R. N. THAINE,  
Colombo, September 30, 1927. Government Agent.

*Description of the Lands.*

1. All that allotment of land with everything thereon called Kundanwilawatta, situated in the 2nd Division of Udayartoppu, within the Gravets and District of Negombo

aforesaid; bounded on the north by J. Dabrera's land, east by F. de Sosa's and N. R. de Croos' lands, south by road, and on the west by K. K. N. J. V. Velaiden Chetty's J. Fernando's and J. X. Fernando's lands; containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 11 perches according to the plan No. 15 dated July 1, 1916, made by L. Vanderputt, Licensed Surveyor.

This land is planted with coconut. It borders the Kundanwila road, and is situated in a very healthy quarter of the town.

2. All that garden called Pelawatta, situated at Grand street, in that town of Negombo aforesaid; bounded on the north-east by Green's road and the property of Joseph de Croos, south-east by the garden of Joseph de Croos, south-west by Leitan's lane, and on the north-west by the property of Gabriel de Croos; containing in extent 39 43/100 square perches more or less according to the plan dated March 22, 1884, made by W. C. Fernando, Surveyor.

This land is planted with coconut about 30 years old. It has two road frontages, Green's road on one side and Leitan's lane on the other.

*Sale of Timber.*

THE under-mentioned timber lying at the Point Pedro Forest Department Depot will be sold by public auction on the spot by the Divisional Forest Officer, Northern Division, Jaffna, on Saturday, October 29, 1927, at 2 P.M.

100 Palu logs.

2. The lists of timber are available for inspection at the Divisional Forest Office, Jaffna.

3. Further particulars can be obtained from the Divisional Forest Officer, Jaffna.

*Conditions.*

(a) The timber will be put up either singly or in lots to suit buyers at a rate per cubic foot, and no advance of less than 10 cents per cubic foot or Re. 1 per log will be recognized.

(b) The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approved price fixed by the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder on being declared the purchaser, shall sign his name in the register of sale in admission of such purpose, and deposit the necessary amount.

(c) Twenty-five per cent. of the bids to be deposited immediately after acceptance of the bids. The balance should be paid within 15 days of the date of sale when a permit for removal will be issued.

(d) The measurements as recorded by the Divisional Forest Officer must be accepted, but prior to date of auction any prospective bidder is at liberty to check the measurements and to represent any difference promptly.

(e) All timber sold and the full price bid of which has been paid must be removed from the depot within 15 days of date of sale, and will be at the risk of the purchaser until removed. A charge of Re. 1 per log per week or part of a week is liable to be made for any logs not removed within 15 days of sale. Logs not removed from the depot within one month is liable to be forfeited to the Crown.

(f) Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid, and refuse or fail to remove the timber within the time specified in clause (e) above, the lot will again be put up for auction; and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at the resale, which if an enhanced price is realized at such resale, he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.

(g) Agents bidding for others will be required to produce written authority from the firm or person for whom they bid: such authority will be retained by the Divisional Forest Officer, and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, October 5, 1927.

**Sale of Timber.**

**A**N auction sale of the under-mentioned timber will be held at the Central Timber Depot, Kew-road, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, October 29, 1927, at 10.30 A.M. :—

1. The timber will be put up in lots to suit buyers at a rate per cubic foot, and no advance for less than 10 cents per cubic foot will be accepted.
2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.
3. Payment of 25 per cent. of the successful bid to be made at time of sale, if so required.
4. Depot measurements must be accepted, but previous to date of auction any prospective bidder is at liberty to check the measurements recorded in the notice and to represent any differences promptly.
5. No timber shall be removed before payment of the full price bid, and all timber sold must be removed from the depot within ten days of date of notification of acceptance by the Conservator of Forests of such bid and will be at the risk of the purchasers until removed.
6. Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid when so required, or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or balance thereof, as the case may be, and to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 5 above, the lot will again be put up for auction, and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss for Government owing to a lower price being realized at such resale; he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which accrue to Government.
7. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or person for whom they bid, such authority will be retained by the Assistant Conservator of Forests and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.
8. Fraction of a cubic foot less than .5 will be ignored, and anything over will be counted as one cubic foot in calculating of value of each.

J. D. SARGENT,

Office of the Conservator of Forests, Conservator of Forests.  
Kandy, October 10, 1927.

**LIST OF TIMBER REFERRED TO.**

**TEAK LOGS.**

No.	Length. Ft. in.	Girth Ft. in.	Cubic feet.	No.	Length. Ft. in.	Girth Ft. in.	Cubic feet.
1..23	0..2	2..2	7	24..16	9..3	0..	9
2..15	0..2	8..	7	26..18	0..3	2..	11
3..21	0..2	4..	7	27..20	0..2	3..	6
4..22	0..3	5..	16	28..19	3..2	0..	5
5..23	6..3	4..	16	29..20	0..2	10..	10
6..24	0..2	11..	13	30..22	0..2	1..	6
7..23	0..3	4..	16	31..15	0..2	6..	6
8..18	8..2	9..	9	33..20	0..3	0..	11
9..16	2..3	6..	12	34..19	6..3	7..	16
10..23	6..3	0..	13	35..22	0..2	10..	11
11..23	6..2	6..	9	36..23	0..3	4..	16
12..23	0..2	5..	8	37..12	0..2	6..	5
13..19	9..2	5..	7	39..12	9..2	7..	5
14..19	6..3	6..	15	41..15	0..2	4..	5
15..17	0..3	6..	13	42..14	0..2	8..	6
16..23	9..3	0..	13	43..20	0..2	2..	6
17..23	9..2	6..	9	44..19	9..3	0..	11
18..20	9..3	1..	12				
19..11	6..2	3..	4				
20..16	6..2	7..	7				
23..14	6..2	9..	7				
				38			365

1 milla beam 27 ft. x 9 in. x 6 in. = 10 cubic feet.  
51 milla N. G. sleepers.

**Sale of Hora Logs.**

**A**N auction sale of the under-mentioned Hora logs will be held at the Central Timber Depot, Kew road, Slave Island, Colombo, on Saturday, October 29, 1927, at 10 A.M. :—

1. The timber will be put up in lots to suit buyers at a rate per cubic foot, and no advance of less than 10 cents per cubic foot will be accepted.
2. The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approval or disapproval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be required by the officer conducting the sale to sign the sale book kept for the purpose directly a lot has been knocked down to him.
3. Payment of 25 per cent. of the successful bid to be made at time of sale, if so required.
4. Depot measurements must be accepted, but previous to date of auction any prospective bidder is at liberty to check the measurements recorded in the notice and to represent any differences promptly.

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

6. Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid when so required, or refuse or fail to pay the full purchase amount or balance thereof, as the case may be, and to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 5 above, the lot will again be put up for auction, and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss for Government owing to a lower price being realized at such resale; he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which accrue to Government.

7. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or person for whom they bid, such authority will be retained by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.

8. Fraction of a cubic foot less than .5 will be ignored, and anything over will be counted as one cubic foot in calculating of value of each.

J. D. SARGENT,

Office of the Conservator of Forests, Conservator of Forests.  
Kandy, October 10, 1927.

**LIST OF HORA LOGS REFERRED TO.**

No.	Length. Ft. in.	Girth Ft. in.	Cubic feet.	No.	Length. Ft. in.	Girth Ft. in.	Cubic feet.
60..30	0..5	7..	58	169..20	0..6	5..	51
101..25	9..5	5..	47	170..25	3..6	4..	63
105..24	9..5	8..	50	172..24	6..6	5..	63
111..29	9..5	5..	54	173..21	6..7	2..	69
112..29	6..5	3..	51	174..25	9..6	3..	63
113..26	9..5	7..	52	175..25	0..5	6..	47
114..29	7..5	6..	56	178..20	6..6	8..	64
116..26	8..5	6..	50	179..19	0..7	7..	68
117..21	3..6	3..	52	180..20	6..6	8..	57
118..21	0..6	2..	50	181..20	6..7	3..	67
119..26	3..5	11..	57	183..25	0..5	9..	52
121..24	6..5	8..	49	184..25	0..6	2..	59
122..20	9..6	11..	62	185..25	0..6	5..	64
125..26	9..5	10..	57	186..25	0..6	9..	71
109..20	0..4	10..	29	187..20	9..6	11..	62
59..22	9..5	3..	39	188..18	6..7	6..	65
63..27	3..4	2..	30	189..20	6..7	5..	70
69..30	0..4	3..	34	190..25	0..6	1..	58
23..18	0..6	0..	40	191..25	0..7	0..	77
24..19	0..7	4..	64	192..25	3..6	9..	72
107..29	9..4	10..	43	193..26	0..6	10..	76
126..23	0..5	0..	36	161..28	6..6	2..	68
128..23	0..5	3..	40	1..29	3..5	0..	46
130..25	7..6	7..	69	2..30	0..4	1..	31
131..26	2..6	1..	60	3..29	6..4	2..	32
133..26	6..6	0..	60	4..29	9..4	6..	38
134..26	8..5	11..	58	5..30	0..4	3..	34
135..24	2..6	4..	60	6..30	3..4	3..	34
136..26	2..6	3..	63	7..30	0..4	4..	35
137..27	10..5	4..	49	8..30	0..4	5..	37
139..26	8..6	2..	63	9..30	9..4	5..	37
140..26	9..6	4..	67	10..30	0..4	1..	31
141..26	0..5	11..	57	12..29	6..4	7..	39
142..26	0..6	3..	63				
145..25	9..5	2..	43				
167..25	6..6	1..	59	69			3,671

**Sale of Timber.**

**T**HE under-mentioned timber lying at the Jaffna Forest Department Depot will be sold by public auction on the spot by the Divisional Forest Officer, Northern Division, Jaffna, on Thursday, November 3, 1927, at 8.30 A.M. :—

- Lot I.—100 palu logs.
- Lot II.—10 satin logs.
- Lot III.—50 palu scantlings.
- Lot IV.—6 tons satin pieces.

2. The lists of timber are available for inspection at the Divisional Forest Office, Jaffna.

3. Further particulars can be obtained from the Divisional Forest Officer, Jaffna.

**Conditions.**

(a) The timber will be put up either singly or in lots to suit buyers at a rate per cubic foot, and no advance of less than 10 cents per cubic foot or Re. 1 per log will be recognized.

(b) The highest bid will be accepted, subject to the approved price fixed by the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder, on being declared the purchaser, shall sign his name in the register of sale in admission of such purpose, and deposit the necessary amount.

(c) Twenty-five per cent. of the bids to be deposited immediately after acceptance of the bids. The balance should be paid within 15 days of the date of sale when a permit for removal will be issued.

(d) The measurements as recorded by the Divisional Forest Officer must be accepted, but prior to date of auction any prospective bidder is at liberty to check the measurements and to represent any difference promptly.

(e) All timber sold and the full price bid of which has been paid must be removed from the depôt within 15 days of date of sale, and will be at the risk of the purchaser until removed. A charge of Re. 1 per log per week or part of a week is liable to be made for any logs not removed within 15 days of sale. Logs not removed from the depôt within one month is liable to be forfeited to the Crown.

(f) Should any person to whom a lot is knocked down refuse to take it over at the full price bid, or refuse or fail to sign the sale book and pay 25 per cent. of his bid, and refuse or fail to remove the timber within the time specified in clause (e) above, the lot will again be put up for auction; and the original purchaser or bidder will be held liable for any loss to Government owing to a lower price being realized at the re-sale which, if an enhanced price is realized at such re-sale, he shall, however, have no claim to the profit which shall accrue to Government.

(g) Agents bidding for others will be required to produce written authority from the firm or person for whom they bid; such authority will be retained by the Divisional Forest Officer, and will hold good only at the particular sale at which it is produced.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, October 11, 1927.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease at S. P. C. A. Refuge for Animals.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out in the premises known as the S. P. C. A. Refuge for Animals, 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 October 3, 1927.

The Municipal Office, CHAS. W. PATE,  
Colombo, October 5, 1927. Municipal Veterinary Surgeon.

#### Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

WHEREAS foot-and-mouth disease has broken out at Pallegama in Waga Panaha Pallosiya pattu of Matale District of the Central 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 district boundary of Anuradhapura District, south by Mirisgoniya-oya, east by Endarayagala on Trincomalee road, west by Mirisgoniya-oya.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

T. B. ELLEPOLA,  
Monaruwela Walauwa, October 11, 1927. Chief Headman.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Gandahaye krale in Weudawilli hatpattu of the Kurunegala District, of the North-Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in *Gazette* dated August 12, 1927, is free from hoof-and-mouth disease, and is no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, W. ABEYWARDENE,  
Kurunegala, October 7, 1927. for Government Agent.

#### Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at Alawwa, in Alawwa palata, in Udukaha korale south, in Dambadeni hatpattu of the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections 1 and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in *Gazette* dated August 12, 1927, is free from hoof-and-mouth disease, and is no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, W. ABEYWARDENE,  
Kurunegala, October 7, 1927. for Government Agent.

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

#### Local Option Poll regarding Arrack, Toddy, and Foreign Liquor Taverns, Bar Liquor Licences for Hotels, and Licences for places licensed for the Sale of Beer and Porter by Retail.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Government Agent, Western Province, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 6 of the Excise Notification No. 146 of August 14, 1925, as amended by Excise Notification No. 161 of May 13, 1927, has appointed the under-mentioned dates as convenient days, and the places specified as convenient places for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 51 per cent. of the persons who have resided in the under-mentioned wards for six months immediately preceding April 30, and are on the register of voters for any constituency of the Legislative Council or for Colombo Municipal Council, are opposed to the existence of the taverns, &c., specified below:—

Date 1927.	Time.	Place.	Name of Taverns, &c.	Areas.
Nov. 5	7 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Victoria Park	Kollupitiya toddy tavern, Barendeniya and Kollupitiya arrack tavern, Kollupitiya Gale Face Hotel bars (2)	Kollupitiya Ward
Nov. 12	do.	Park in Rifle street	Malay street toddy tavern, Malay street arrack tavern, hotel bars at Hotel de Univers, and Castle Hotel, beer and porter tavern at No. 31, Union place	Slave Island Ward
Nov. 19	do.	Colombo Kachcheri	Toddy taverns in Front street, Fourth Cross street, and Market street; arrack taverns in Front street, Fourth Cross street, and 5th John's road; foreign liquor taverns at No. 68, Main street, No. 31, Kayman's Gate, No. 22, Kayman's Gate, No. 13, Fifth Cross street; hotel bars at Metropolitan Hotel, New Colonial Hotel, and Prince of Wales Hotel; beer and porter licence, at No. 79, Maliban street	Pettah Ward
Nov. 26	do.	do.	Saunders place toddy tavern, Dam street arrack tavern	San Sebastian Ward
Dec. 3	do.	Cathedral Girls School	Toddy taverns at Kortsboam street, Pickerings road, Madampitiya road, Marshall street, and Modera street; arrack taverns at Kotahena Madampitiya road, Mutwal street, and Ferguson's road; foreign liquor taverns at No. 14, Mutwal street and No. 74 (1), St. Joseph street; hotel bar at Dockland Hotel	Kotahena Ward

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, October 11, 1927.

R. N. THAINE,  
Government Agent.

#### Notice regarding Local Option re Taverns and Bars, 1928-29.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Assistant Government Agent of the Kalutara District, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 6 of Excise Notification No. 146, published in the *Government Gazette* dated August 14, 1925, as modified by Excise Notification No. 161, appearing in the *Government Gazette* of May 13, 1927, has appointed the under-mentioned dates, time,



and places for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the inhabitants of the respective areas who are entitled to vote are opposed to the existence of the taverns and "bars" situated in such areas:—

Tavern or Bar.	Date and Time of Polling.	Place.
Desastra Kalutara (arrack tavern)	Saturday, November 19, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Kalutara North Government Girls' Vernacular school
Maha Waskaduwa (arrack tavern)	Saturday, November 26, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Waskaduwa Government Girls' Vernacular School
Maha Paiyagala (arrack tavern)	do.	Anglo-Vernacular School, Paiyagala
Welapura Kalutara (arrack tavern, foreign liquor tavern, and hotel bar)	Saturday, December 10, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Town Hall, Kalutara
Katukurunda (arrack tavern)	do.	Vernacular Buddhist Mixed School, Katukurunda

*Villages comprised in the Areas.*

Desastra Kalutara	Desastra Kalutara, Etanamada, Wiligoda, Jawatta, Dediawala, Duwegama, Uggalboda, Gankandagoda
Maha Waskaduwa	Maha Waskaduwa, Kuda Waskaduwa, Koboduwa
Maha Paiyagala	Maha Paiyagala, Pinidiyamulla, Hettiwidhiya <i>alias</i> Radagoda, Metiyalamulla, Badalgoda, Wadugoda, Madinakanda, Palayangoda, Nagahaduwa, Kachchagoda, Heragala, Mahagammedda, Induruwagoda, Gabadagoda
Welapura Kalutara	Welapura Kalutara, Kuda Heenatiyangala, Palatota
Katukurunda	Katukurunda, Maha Heenatiyangala, Nagoda

The Kachcheri,  
Kalutara, October 12, 1927.

E. T. DVSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.

**Notice regarding Local Option of Arrack and Toddy Taverns in the Nuwara Eliya District for 1928-29.**

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Assistant Government Agent of the Nuwara Eliya District, Central Province, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule No. 6 of the rules specified in Excise Notification No. 146 of August 14, 1925 (as amended by Excise Notification No. 161 of May 13, 1927), in respect of the under-mentioned toddy and arrack taverns, has appointed dates and places for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the inhabitants of the areas are opposed to the existence of the arrack taverns, &c., within such areas:—

No. Tavern.	Date of Poll. 1927.	Place of Poll.	Names of Villages served.
1. Arrack tavern, Ragalla	November 1, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Ragalla resthouse	The town of Ragalla and Brookside, Ragalla wasama, and the following estates:—Silverkandy, Glendevon, Liddesdale, Stafford, Halgranoya, Delmar, Coneygar, Ragalla, Goatfell, Concordia, St. Leonards, and Brookside
2. Toddy tavern, Ambaliyadda	November 2, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Kurupanawela school	Ambaliyadda, Uda Pussellawa, Maliyadda, Rupaha, Kurupanawela, wasamas, and the following estates:—St. Margarets, Tulloes, Blairlmond, Mause, and Rappah-nock
3. Toddy tavern, Maldeniya	November 8, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Metagama school	Metagama, Udagama wasamas, and the following estates:—Pinehill and Doombagastalawa
4. Toddy tavern, Niyangandora	November 9, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Sangilipalama school	Niyangandora and Kalapitiya wasamas, and the following estates:—Eton and Choisy
5. Toddy tavern, Padiyapelella	November 22, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Padiyapelella Gansabhawa	Landupita, Napatawela, Ambagaspitiya, Uduwella, Yatiwella, Ankelipitiya, Uda Padiyapelella, Elgama, and Padiyapelella villages

The Kachcheri,  
Nuwara Eliya, October 5, 1927.

C. C. WOOLLEY,  
Assistant Government Agent.

**Notice regarding Local Option of Arrack, Toddy, Foreign Liquor Taverns, &c., in the Ratnapura District.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 6 of the Excise Notification No. 146, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,478 of August 14, 1925, and amended by the Excise Notification No. 161, published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,581 of May 13, 1927, has fixed the under-mentioned dates and places for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the persons on the final list of voters in the areas assigned to the following taverns are opposed to the existence of such taverns:—

No.	Name of Tavern.	Date and Time for Polling.	Polling Centre.	Area.
1.	Balangoda arrack, toddy taverns, and the Foreign liquor tavern at Messrs. M. P. Gomez & Co.	November 11, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Balangoda Police Court-house	Balangoda wasama, Balangoda Sanitary Board Town, Dehigastalawa village in Kirimetitenna wasama, Ellepola village in Pallekanda wasama, and Massenna village in Massenna wasama
2.	Udawela toddy tavern	November 12, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Morahela Village Committee Bungalow	Morahela wasama and the village of Kirapatdeniya in Udagama wasama
3.	Pinnawala arrack and toddy tavern	November 14, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Udagama Boys' Vernacular School	Udagama wasama, Kanatiriyawala village in Mddegama wasama, villages of Bellankanda, and Boltumbe in Boltumbe wasama, and Ganegoda village in Etawakwela wasama
4.	Alutnuwara arrack and toddy taverns	November 15, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Imbulpe Boys' Vernacular school	Alutnuwara wasama, and the villages of Imbulpe, Amunutenne, Ambagaha-arawa, Denagama, Hatahena, Helawatta, Passaramulle, and Kowulkara in Imbulpe wasama
5.	Rassagala arrack and toddy taverns	November 16, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Rassagala Estate School	Rassagala wasama and Maddekande village in Massenna wasama
6.	Udawela arrack tavern	November 17, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Madola Village Committee Bungalow	Madola and Opanake wasamas, and the village of Horaketiya in Pallekanda wasama
7.	Getahetta arrack and toddy taverns	November 23, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Iddamalgoda Boys' Vernacular School	Walawita wasama and the villages of Welangalla and Madoia in Madola wasama
8.	Talawitiya toddy tavern	November 25, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Talawitiya Ambalama	Talawitiya wasama, Wiyalagoda village in Bulugahapitiya wasama, villages of Bendaluwa, Parakaduwa, and Mahara in Mahara wasama, and Pathberiya village in Pathberiya wasama
9.	Ratnapura arrack taverns Nos. 1 and 2, Mudduwa toddy tavern, Richmond Hotel Bar, foreign liquor taverns at Messrs. Dias & Co., and at Messrs. Motha & Co., Ratnapura	November 29, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Wace Memorial Hall	Weralupe, Muwagama, and Mudduwa ward, Godigomuwa ward, Bazaar ward of the Urban District Council, Ratnapura, and the villages of Etoya, Getangama, Kadawatakanda, Mudduwa, and Muwagama

No.	Name of Tavern	Date and Time for Polling.	Polling Centre.	Area.
10.	Godigomuwa toddy tavern	November 30, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Godigomuwa. Ambalama	The villages of Mahawala, Deiyanagama, Mihi-tiya, Godigomuwa in Godigomuwa wasama, and Angammana and Batugedara in Batugedara wasama
11.	Tiriwanaketiya arrack and toddy taverns	December 1, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Marapona Village Tribunal Court-house	Batugedara ward of the Urban District Council including the village of Tiriwanaketiya, and Marapona village in Marapona wasama
12.	Ittekanda arrack tavern	December 3, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Wijeriya Vernacular Mixed School	Wijeriya wasama
13.	Rakwana arrack tavern.	December 7, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Rakwana Police Court-house	Rakwana wasama including the Sanitary Board town, and the village of Yahalewala in Masimbula wasama
14.	Kamarangapitiya arrack tavern	December 9, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Pelmadulla Village Tribunal Court-house	Denawaka Udakada wasama including the Pelmadulla Sanitary Board Town, and the villages of Dandawa and Kattange in Moratota wasama
15.	Rilhena toddy tavern	December 10, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	do.	The villages of Bulatwelgoda, and Galpottawela in Kuttapitiya wasama, the villages of Bopitiya, Ganagama, Rilhena, Naragoda, and Wellanduregoda in Ganagama wasama, Patakada village in Denawaka Patakada wasama, Pelmadulla village, including the Sanitary Board Town, in Denawaka Udakada wasama
16.	Nivitigala arrack and toddy taverns The Kachcheri, Ratnapura, October 10, 1927.	December 13, 1927, 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Nivitigala Vernacular Mixed school	Nivitigala wasama and Doloswala village in Doloswala wasama

E. T. MILLINGTON,  
Government Agent.

#### Local Option regarding Toddy and Arrack Taverns in the Matale District for 1928-29.

IT is hereby notified for the information of the public that the Assistant Government Agent of Matale in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 6 of Excise Notification No. 146 of August 14, 1925, as amended by Excise Notification No. 161 of May 13, 1927, will record votes on the following dates, time, and places for the purpose of ascertaining whether sixty per cent. of the inhabitants in the areas, served by the following taverns are opposed to the existence of such taverns within the areas specified:—

1. November 8, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Elkaduwa Circuit Bungalow, in respect of Elkaduwa arrack tavern. The area served is Elkaduwa, Kendegollamada, Udangamuwa, Wehigala, and Imbulpitiya villages. Hunugala, Mahatenne, Elkaduwa Group, Kaduwela, Wegala Hunasgiriya Group, and Telingamada estates.

2. November 10, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Yatawatta Circuit Bungalow in respect of Yatawatta arrack tavern. The area served is Yatawatta, Mediapola, Urulawatta, Malhewa, Galagama, Nikagolle Gammulla, Deevilla, Ambanpola, Idangama, Dambarawa, Mottuwela, Ettipallawela, and Kurakolayaya villages; Yatawatte, Kahawatte, Dangan, Maccollussa, and Lakshena estates.

3. November 12, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Alwatta School in respect of Palle-hapuvida toddy tavern. The area served is Deniyekumbura, Godapussa, Godapola, Serugolla, Nanumura, Nawaragoda, Karagahalanda, Muwandeniya, Wetasyaye Udahapuvida, and Alwatta villages; Godapola, Muwandeniya, Kandenera, Watawatta, and Strathisla estates.

4. November 15, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Yatawatta Circuit Bungalow, in respect of Gammulla toddy tavern. The area served is Gammulla, Deevilla Murutawatta, Bogahapitiya, Moragolleyaya, Ihalawela Kotamba, Owitipana, Alutgama, Ettipallawela, Kurakolayaya, Ambanpola, Dambarawa, Mottuwela, Malhewa, and Nikagolla villages; Bohemia, Dangan, Maccollussa, Lakshena, and Kahawatta estates.

5. November 18, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Dullewa School in respect of Dullewa toddy tavern. The area served is Dullewa, Alakola-ange, Waralaggama, Talgahagoda, Etipola, Hiruwela, Daluwela, Moragolleyaya, Bogahapitiya, Owitipane, Kotamba, Ihalawela, Alutgama, Eramudugolla, Pamunuwa, Unaweruwa Naldena, Embitiyawa, Dorakumbura, and Matalapitiya villages; Asgiriya, High Walton, Polwatte, and Ratninda estates.

6. November 23, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Yatawatta Circuit Bungalow, in respect of Udasgiriya toddy tavern. The area served is Ambanpola, Mottuwela, Idangama, Kurakolayaya, Ettipallawela, Udasgiriya, and Dorakumbura, villages; Yatawatte, Dangan, Lakshena, Maccollussa, High Walton, Silver Hill, Polwatte, and Ratninda estates.

7. November 25, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Tenne School in respect of Tenna toddy tavern. The area served is Galaudahena, Latiyehena, Watagoda, Kirimetiya, Makulemada, Pathingolla, Kadawathgama, Dodandeniya, Kandegedera, Padiwitagama, Padiwitawela, Ududeniya, Kaluwalgoda, Wademada, and Owilikande villages; Bulathwatte, Hannaskande, Etipola, Vicarton estates.

8. November 28, 1927 from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Imbulpitiya School, in respect of Imbulpitiya toddy tavern. The area served is Dimbulgoda, Wehigala, Imbulpitiya, and Elkaduwa villages; Elkaduwe, Wegala, Hunnasgiriya, Vyamita, and Mahatenne estates.

9. November 30, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Dambulla Gansabhawa, in respect of Dambulla arrack tavern. The area served is Dambulla, Padeniya, and Ratmalagahaella villages.

10. December 2, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Akuramboda School in respect of Ambokke-Millawana toddy tavern. The area served is Welemulle, Millawana, Dewaranmulla, Ambokka, Maningamuwa, Galahitiyagama, Koswatta, Monaruwela villages; Millric, Kandewatte, Tillbric, and Kent estates.

11. December 6, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Akuramboda School, in respect of Akuramboda toddy tavern. The area served is Welamulla, Kirioruwa, Kandewatta, Nagahapola, Kosgolla, Kotanepela, Yamanumulla, Palkada, Akuramboda, Olganwatta, Alakolaela, Dewaranmulla, Koswatta, Ambokkudena, and Monaruwela villages; Kirigama, Akuramboda, Millric, Mahawatte, Tillbric, and Kandewatte estates.

12. December 8, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Medabomaluwe Banage at Palleweragama, in respect of Weragama toddy tavern. Area served is Kumbure-gammedda, Kaineka, Damba, Udaweragama, Weerakoonkanda, Palleweragama, Koswana, Muwandeniya, Wetayaya, Galekoluwa, Bogambara, Kaikawela, and Owela villages; Wiharagama, Ovella, Crystal Hill, and Suduganga estates.

13. December 12, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at Kaikawela School, in respect of Pallegama toddy tavern. The area served is Pallegama, Kaikawela, Maradurawela, Kuruwawa, Ovella, Udaweragama, Weerakoonkanda, Gurubebila, Rattota Sanitary Board Town, Nikawella, Walatalawa, Galekoluwa, and Bogambara villages; Longville, Gansarapola, Kaikawela, Clodagh, Crystal Hill, and Ovella estates.

14. December 14, 1927, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M. at the Village Tribunal of Ilukkumbura, in respect of Etanwela toddy tavern. The area served is Polanmanna, Mahalakotuwa, Pitawela, Medaella, Ratninda, Walpolamulla, Etanwela, Rambukkoluwa, and Batadanduwela villages; Mausaheriya, Pittawella, Hattanwella, Lauragalla, Managalla, and Lagalla estates.

The Kachcheri,  
Matale, October 10, 1927.

W. J. L. ROGERSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on August 27, 1927, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated August 23, 1927.

Present :—Mr. W. L. Kindersley, Chairman; Mr. J. C. Ratwatte; Mr. G. E. de Silva; Dr. G. P. Hay; Mr. M. S. Ussof Ismail; Mr. S. A. Wijayatilake; Dr. F. Keyt; Mr. E. H. Vander Straaten; and Mr. A. V. Perera.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on July 16, 1927, having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval, and a copy thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted :—

- (a) Statement of receipts and disbursements from close of 1926 to July 31, 1927, on account of the Municipal Fund.
- (b) Progress report of works brought up to the same date.
- (c) Health Officer's report for July, 1927.
- (d) Statement of cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of July, 1927.
- (e) The reservoir readings for July, 1927.

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

3. The following papers were laid on the table :—Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries, bakeries, dairies, standpipes, and house-service taps inspected during July, 1927.

4. Petitions :—(1) Mr. Wijayatilake presented a petition from the residents of Mulgampola, Getambe, and Welata praying for the establishment of a Public Market, Post Office, &c.

Resolved that the petition be referred to the Superintendent of Municipal Works and the Medical Officer of Health for report. It was also decided to inquire from the Postmaster-General and the General Manager of Railways regarding the proposed Post Office and Rail Motors.

(2) Mr. Perera presented two petitions, one signed by O. Abdulla Saibo and another signed by O. Abdulla Saibo and several others, complaining that their bills for electric lighting show an increasing charge from month to month.

Resolved that the petitions be referred to the Municipal Electrical Engineer for inquiry and report.

(3) Mr. Ismail presented a petition signed by Mr. R. D. A. Peiris complaining that the charges made by the Electrical Engineer for lighting perahera booths were excessive.

Resolved to reply that they cannot complain of paying for current consumed by meter.

(4) Mr. de Silva presented a petition concerning the Lambert House garage in Malabar street.

Resolved that the petition be referred to the Medical Officer of Health to state if latrine accommodation is provided and to report on sanitary condition of compound and if necessary to prosecute.

5. Mr. de Silva drew the attention of the Council to the low level of the lake at present.

It was decided to inquire from the District Engineer whether he has completed the inspection of the culvert to the moat for which the Council had authorized him to lower the level of the lake.

6. Correspondence :—(1) Letter No. U 225/27 of July 18, 1927, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary sanctioning the levy of a licence fee of Rs. 10 per annum on a wholesale firewood depot.—Read.

(2) Letter No. M 78/26 of August 4, 1927, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary inquiring what the conservancy of the lake comprises and what plant is employed.—Read.

(3) Letter No. U 257/26 of August 4, 1927, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary sanctioning the purchase of the land shown as lot 1 in preliminary plan 8,114 which is required for providing a halting place for motor cars near the Mahaiyawa cemetery.—Read.

(4) Memo No. U 188/26 of August 5, 1927, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary intimating that Government has voted Rs. 2,000 for surveys and investigations in connection with the Kandy water supply.—Read.

(5) Letter No. R. C. 53 of August 15, 1927, from the Director of Public Works forwarding plan and estimate for paving the Meda-ela, amounting to Rs. 93,184, and stating that the Government moiety of Rs. 46,600 towards this expenditure has been included in the Draft Estimates for 1927-28.—Read.

Resolved to apply for a loan of Rs. 46,600 instead of Rs. 60,000 agreed to at the previous meeting of Council.

(6) Letter of August 19, 1927, from the Municipal Electrical Engineer stating that owing to the discontinuance of house wiring there is no work for some trained men, and asking for Council's sanction to employ these men in preparing the Power Station for the new engine, as it is very difficult to get trained men once they are sent away.

It was agreed to continue the men *pro tem* and to circulate papers with a statement from the Municipal Electrical Engineer giving the number of men, their service, their pay, and the length of time they will be employed in preparing the Power Station for the new engine.

Mr. de Silva remarked that this subject should have been brought up before the Electricity Committee in the first instance.

7. Pursuant to notice Mr. de Silva asked—(1) What steps have been taken to give effect to the motion passed at the meeting of the Municipal Council regarding the demolition of shanties standing on the market premises leased to Mr. Arthur Fernando?

The Chairman replied as follows :—“The Council has passed no resolution on the subject. The papers were before the Law Committee to-day.”

At this stage Mr. de Silva, with the leave of Council, moved that the following recommendation of the Law Committee be adopted by the Council :—That the lessee be informed that unless he removes the booths and adheres strictly to the terms of the lease, the Council will terminate the lease. Mr. Perera seconded.—Carried.

It was also agreed that the Chairman should refuse permission to sell goods other than vegetables in the areas marked A, B, and C if such permission be applied for under section 3 of the lease.

(2) What steps have been taken to widen Lady MacCarthy's road?

The Chairman replied as follows :—“The work cannot be taken in hand as the land required for widening the road has not been acquired yet. There are three owners to the land, two of whom have consented to acquisition, while the third has not. I am in communication with the party, and as soon as I receive a definite reply, steps will be taken to acquire.”

(3) What steps have been taken to give effect to the resolution passed at the Municipal Council allowing retail dealers to sell rice in their boutiques which are not made rat-proof?

The Chairman replied as follows :—The amended regulations to give effect to this resolution were submitted to the Attorney-General for approval in November last. In January the Attorney-General returned the papers with certain comments. These were circulated to the Members of the Law Committee with the report of the Council's lawyer, and a reply was sent to the Attorney-General in April. In May the papers were returned again with further observations which were placed before the Law Committee in June. The Law Committee then decided to call for a specification and design of a rat-proof bin from the Medical Officer of Health. These were placed before the meeting of the Law Committee to-day.”

8. Pursuant to notice Mr. Wijayatilake asked—Will the Chairman be pleased to obtain from the Municipal Electrical Engineer the following information :—(1) To what use is the old 30 H. P. Carels engine at the Municipal Electric Works now put ? (2) If it is not used; can the engine be satisfactorily utilized for the lighting of Peradeniya road up to the Peradeniya bridge ? (3) If the old engine is utilized, will it be possible to supply the lights applied for by the Peradeniya bungalows, in addition to extension of the street lights on Peradeniya road ? (4) From information gathered by the Municipal Electrical Engineer, can he state approximately what income the Council could derive per annum if the bungalows belonging to the Department of Agriculture were supplied with electric lights ? (5) What will be the approximate cost for the removal of the engine to Peradeniya and other work in this connection ?

The Chairman replied as follows :—“(1) This engine is rarely used. During 1926 and 1927 it generated 1,170 units, of which 700 units were generated in the space of 48 hours during the last perahera ; (2) Yes ; (3) Yes, for a night load only ; (4) Gross revenue per annum may be estimated at Rs. 7,460—from 40 street lamps Rs. 3,960, from 240 private lamps Rs. 3,500, Total Rs. 7,460 ; (5) A copy of the estimate dated July 8, 1927, furnished to the Electricity Committee at its last meeting is tabled. The proposal to remove this engine to Peradeniya was submitted to Mr. Sharrock, who did not view it with favour as a sufficient day load cannot be found to justify the running of the engine during the day. Alternative proposals for lighting Peradeniya have already been submitted to the Electricity Committee. Whether Peradeniya should be lit on the D. C. or A. C. system is a matter that requires serious consideration. The Electricity Committee will, in due course, consider the various schemes and submit concrete proposals for lighting Peradeniya for consideration with the Budget for next year.”

9. Pursuant to notice Mr. de Silva was to move—That a full-time Chairman be appointed from January, 1928.

With the leave of Council, Mr. de Silva deferred the motion until the next meeting.

10. Application from Messrs. M. Ismail & Co. to erect a petrol pump at premises Nos. 7-11, King street, with reports thereon from the Superintendent of Municipal Works, Superintendent of Police, Central Province, and Provincial Engineer, Central Province (North).

Resolved that the application be refused.

11. Recommendations of Standing Committees :—

*S. C. (A) of July 16, 1927.*

(1) That “Rubber Curing” be declared a dangerous and offensive trade if carried on elsewhere than on the estate on which the rubber is grown. An “estate” shall mean any land of two or more acres fully planted with rubber.

(2) That the Nuisance Watchers be given authority to prosecute for the following offences under the control of the Sanitary Inspectors who must authorize each prosecution :—

- (i.) Obstruction of streets and pavements by roadside sellers.
- (ii.) Affixing of placards on trees and walls.
- (iii.) Exposing of sweets, &c.
- (iv.) Misuse of public seats.
- (v.) Throwing refuse on roads or pavements.
- (vi.) Keeping refuse in unapproved receptacles.

*S. C. (B) of July 16, 1927.*

(3) That free graves be allowed to pauper patients dying at the Hospital who were residents within Kandy Municipal limits.

*S. C. (C) of July 16, 1927.*

(4) That Murugan, scavenging cooly, be allowed a gratuity of Rs. 195·17 on the footing of 35 years' service under section 21 of the Pension Minute.

(5) That Palani, conservancy cooly, be allowed a gratuity of Rs. 182·50 on the footing of 30 years' service under section 21 of the Pension Minute.

(6) That Viyapuri, conservancy cooly, be allowed a gratuity of Rs. 108·99 on the footing of 25 years' service under section 21 of the Pension Minute.

*S. C. (D) of June 18, 1927.*

(7) That a vote of Rs. 1,000 be allowed to build drains in Ampitiya road.

*S. C. (D) of July 16, 1927.*

(8) That the Council's resolution of April 17, 1874, on the subject of sick pay be amended by providing for payment of half day's wages for each day a cooly is incapacitated for work by accident or sickness.

(9) That a vote of Rs. 72·50 be allowed for repairs to the police wheel ambulance and stretcher.

(10) That a vote of Rs. 10·25 be allowed for repainting the Minimax fire extinguishers.

(11) That the plot of land behind premises No. 96, Colombo street, be leased to Mr. W. M. Fernando on a ticket of occupancy at a rent of Re. 1 per annum.

(12) That the estimate of Rs. 1,840 for extending the cattle gala at the Mahaiyawa model dwellings be passed, the expenditure being met from loan funds.

(13) That the site near Wace park, 60 by 40 feet, shown in Superintendent of Municipal Works' plan dated August 18, 1927, be leased to the Kandy Muslim Association on the same terms as the lease to the Y. M. C. A. to build a hall for the Association.

Resolved that the recommendations be adopted subject to the following amendments in items (1), (2), and (8) :—

As regards item (1) the fee for a “Rubber Curing” licence should be Rs. 10 per annum.

As regards item (2) the Nuisance Watchers should not prosecute but should report offences to Sanitary Inspectors who should initiate prosecution.

As regards item (8) the concession should be limited to one month which might be extended for a further period of two months in the Chairman's discretion.

12. To obtain sanction to put the scavenging and conservancy of the town in the hands of the Medical Officer of Health from September 1, 1927, the Superintendent of Municipal Works to transfer the coolies employed thereon to the supervision and discipline of the Medical Officer of Health.

Dr. Haysaid that it would not be possible for the present Acting Medical Officer of Health, who is a part-time officer to undertake the work without additional staff.

Dr. Keyt suggested that the Council might obtain the services of a Medical Officer of Health temporarily from the Government Sanitation Department until Dr. Tennekoon returns.

It was agreed to obtain the views of the Acting Medical Officer of Health and to consider the subject at the next meeting.

13. The Chairman moved—That this Council do place on record their regret at the death of Mr. A. Vallipuram, who was a Member of the Council for over three years, and that the Secretary do convey to the members of Mr. Vallipuram's family the condolences of the Council. Mr. Ratwatte seconded.

The resolution was passed, the Members all standing.

Confirmed this 29th day of September, 1927 :

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy.

A.—GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT.  
Revenue Account for the Eight Months, January 1 to August 31, 1927.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1927.		Incurred from Jan. 1 to Aug. 31, 1927.		REVENUE.	Estimated for 1927.		Accrued from Jan. 1 to Aug. 31, 1927.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1 Administrative, Personal Emoluments ..	78,681	3	54,131	12	1 Consolidated rate ..	206,000	0	106,387	88
1A Administrative, Other Charges ..	20,460	0	13,448	87	2 Taxes ..	36,432	0	40,659	20
2 Rice allowance to coolies ..	1,800	0	—	—	3 Tolls ..	27,477	0	3,495	0
3 Collectors ..	9,000	0	4,569	85	4 Licence fees and stamp duties—				
4 Infectious diseases, prevention ..	4,000	0	3,320	18	(a) Licence fees ..	4,950	0	4,586	67
5 Scavenging streets and removal of house and trade refuse ..	36,660	0	21,172	67	(b) Stamp duties ..	23,895	0	14,368	25
6 Conservancy of latrines ..	47,600	0	29,471	42	5 Slaughter-house fees ..	10,850	0	8,974	54
7 Minor sanitary services ..	3,045	0	875	5	6 Conservancy fees ..	32,950	0	24,881	46
8 Roads, buildings, parks, &c., maintenance ..	54,895	0	28,233	42	7 Rents ..	72,985	75	52,795	54
9 Public lighting ..	29,000	0	20,559	52	8 Judicial fines ..	6,500	0	6,414	39
10 Water services ..	11,600	0	6,699	13	9 Water service ..	11,250	0	8,270	18
11 Town improvements ..	6,700	0	4,706	78	10 Government grants ..	34,600	0	524	63
12 Markets ..	8,166	40	5,538	51	11 Education account ..	—	—	—	—
13 Slaughter-houses ..	4,771	81	1,687	26	12 Miscellaneous receipts ..	17,800	0	15,672	14
14 Cemetery ..	2,557	0	1,670	9					
15 Municipal court ..	2,372	0	1,367	31					
16 Police ..	30,000	0	15,000	0					
17 Education ..	200	0	240	80					
18 Free library ..	2,400	0	2,400	0					
19 Poor relief and public recreation ..	15,070	0	10,006	91					
20 Pensions ..	3,956	63	2,909	81					
21 Loan repayments and interest ..	60,361	50	22,272	41					
22 Miscellaneous services ..	6,850	0	5,137	45					
	440,146	37	255,418	56					
23 Capital expenditure (provided from revenue) ..	41,179	0	29,426	80					
	481,325	37	284,845	36					
Balance being revenue in excess of expenditure ..	—	—	2,184	52					
			287,029	88		485,689	75	287,029	88

Kandy, September 24, 1927.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

Balance Sheet, August 31, 1927.  
LIABILITIES.

	Amount.		Total.			Amount.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Loans outstanding :—					Capital account, balance in hand	—	—	151,227	60
Government of Ceylon ..	105,402	98			Sundry creditors :—				
Local loans commissioners on December 31, 1926 ..	414,666	66			Police bill account ..	15,000	0		
Less repayment in 1927 ..	11,566	66			Tradesmen ..	8,065	39		
	403,100	0	508,502	98	Outstanding wages ..	4,097	77		
Loans redeemed account on December 31, 1926 ..	385,230	36			Market stall rent securities ..	4,587	50		
Redeemed in 1927 ..	11,566	66	396,797	2	Model tenement securities ..	1,196	0		
					Sundry securities ..	5,045	94		
Revenue contributions to capital outlay on December 31, 1926 ..	—	—	613,159	42	Free Library upkeep account ..	861	56		
Government contributions for capital services on December 31, 1926 ..	—	—	121,953	34	Free Library Members' deposit account ..	404	50		
Private donations for capital services on December 31, 1926 ..	—	—	2,900	0	Miscellaneous deposits ..	2,523	70		
					Municipal court fines awards ..	913	12		
					Tools and stores lost account ..	5	20		
					Lettering vehicles ..	0	50		
					Times book club account ..	—	—		
					Board of improvement deposit account ..	2,407	75		
					Collectors' securities account ..	8,000	0	53,108	93
					Back lane scheme, contributions ..	—	—	18,868	67
					Sinking fund :—				
					Amount to credit invested as per contra ..	—	—	64,418	60
					Revenue account, balance from 1926 ..	284,939	80		
					Add revenue in excess of expenditure from January 1 to August 31, 1927, as per revenue account ..	2,184	52	287,124	32
								574,748	12
			1,643,312	76					

	ASSETS.				
	Expended	Expended	Total	Unexpended	Total
	to Dec.	during	Capital	Balance in	Assets.
	31, 1926.	1927.	Outlay.	Hand.	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<b>Capital outlay :—</b>					
Town Hall and Municipal offices ..	37,469 98	—	37,469 98	—	
Markets ..	77,442 91	—	77,442 91	—	
Rice granaries and depôts ..	60,860 38	—	60,860 38	—	
School buildings ..	10,156 51	—	10,156 51	—	
Model dwellings ..	250,790 61	60 0	250,810 59	24,189 41	
Ayurvedic dispensary ..	2,824 36	—	2,824 36	75 64	
Do. lighting ..	357 56	—	357 56	—	
Other Municipal buildings ..	66,658 53	—	66,658 53	—	
Roads, pavements, &c. ..	116,013 19	—	116,013 19	—	
Drainage ..	156,343 28	—	156,343 28	—	
Public latrines ..	30,083 58	—	30,083 58	—	
Motor, carriage, and rickshaw stands ..	3,361 72	—	3,361 72	—	
Recreation grounds ..	30,649 26	—	30,649 26	—	
Waterworks ..	472,089 79	—	472,089 79	—	
Investigations into water schemes ..	5,476 59	—	5,476 59	—	
Waterworks, new scheme ..	101,188 9	3,878 99	98,531 28	116,333 72	
Steam road roller ..	14,902 36	—	14,902 36	—	
Conservancy hand carts ..	226 0	—	226 0	—	
Incinerator ..	679 1	—	679 1	—	
Fire extinguishing apparatus ..	4,461 34	—	4,461 34	—	
Burial grounds and cemeteries (improvements from 1925) ..	1,334 52	—	1,334 52	—	
Public notice boards ..	106 40	—	106 40	—	
Dredger ..	3,939 2	—	3,939 2	—	
Dhobies' tanks ..	11,560 83	—	11,560 83	—	
Paving Meda-ela ..	15,006 64	20,739 53	35,746 17	10,628 83	
	1,473,982 46				
Less amount recovered by sale of pipes ..	6,535 80				
	1,467,446 66				
Less value of stores returned to Municipal store ..	40 2				
	1,467,406 64	24,678 52	1,492,085 16	151,227 60	1,643,312 76
<b>Loan to Electricity Department ..</b>					
	—	—	—	—	156,622 21
<b>Investments held by Trustees of Sinking Fund ..</b>					
	—	—	—	—	64,418 60
<b>Stocks and stores—</b>					
Stores ..	—	—	—	28,775 24	
Rice ..	—	—	—	342 25	
Stationery stock account ..	—	—	—	—	
					29,117 49
<b>Sundry debtors :—</b>					
Rates, taxes, &c. ..	—	—	—	32,791 5	
Cheques returned by Bank ..	—	—	—	—	
Advance of pay, &c. ..	—	—	—	2,801 57	
Sale of stores ..	—	—	—	—	
Times book club account ..	—	—	—	—	
Board of Improvement ..	—	—	—	512 15	
Loans to Municipal Officers for purchase of cars ..	—	—	—	787 50	
					36,892 27
<b>Cash :—</b>					
In Mercantile Bank, fixed deposit ..	—	—	—	255,500 0	
In National Bank, fixed deposit ..	—	—	—	2,000 0	
In National Bank, current account ..	—	—	—	29,870 16	
Petty cash in hand ..	—	—	—	316 66	
Cash in hand of Secretary, Maternity and Child Welfare Committee ..	—	—	—	10 73	
					287,697 55
					574,748 12

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## B.—ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

## Revenue Account for the Six Months, January 1 to June 30, 1927.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1927.		Expended Jan. to June, 30, 1927.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Generation of electricity :—						
Fuel .. .. .	20,663	28	9,178	32		
Oil, waste, and engine room stores .. .. .	4,809	0	3,437	42		
Salaries and wages at works .. .. .	8,520	0	5,292	89		
Repairs and maintenance :—						
(a) Buildings .. .. .	500	0	1,207	26		
(b) Engines, boilers, machinery, and plant .. .. .	4,500	0	1,568	57		
					20,684	46
Distribution of electricity :—						
Salaries of outdoor staff .. .. .	3,984	0	2,116	8		
Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus .. .. .	950	0	1,405	17		
					3,521	25
Public lamps :—						
Salaries and wages .. .. .	4,400	0	2,851	14		
Repairs and maintenance .. .. .	3,000	0	1,918	88		
					4,770	2
Works executed for customers :—						
Labour .. .. .	8,880	0	7,486	64		
Materials .. .. .	19,600	0	29,004	16		
					36,490	80
Management and general expenses :—						
Salaries .. .. .	17,339	42	8,963	81		
Rent of Engineer's bungalow .. .. .	1,200	0	525	0		
Printing and stationery .. .. .	750	0	1,481	56		
Legal expenses .. .. .	50	0	2	0		
Telephone .. .. .	225	0	216	75		
Audit fees .. .. .	600	0	—	—		
Sundry charges .. .. .	500	0	388	57		
Fee for reporting on Electric Installation .. .. .	—	—	491	45		
Bicycle for Meter Inspector .. .. .	140	0	—	—		
					12,069	14
Total amount of working expenses .. .. .	100,610	70	—	—	77,535	67
Gross profit carried to nett revenue account .. .. .	—	—	—	—	59,352	2
					136,887	69

INCOME.	Estimated for 1927.		Realized Jan. to June, 1927.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Sale of electricity :—						
Private lighting .. .. .	116,000	0	59,816	48		
Power of heating .. .. .	—	—	994	85		
Public lighting .. .. .	36,500	0	16,871	21		
Municipal Department .. .. .	400	0	308	65		
					77,991	19
Public lamps :—						
Attendance and maintenance .. .. .	—	—	—	—		
Works executed for customers and goods sold :—						
From customers .. .. .	43,000	0	55,092	36		
					55,092	36
Rent of meters :—						
Recoveries .. .. .	4,500	0	2,605	15		
					2,605	15
Sundry revenue :—						
Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .	1,000	0	1,198	99		
					1,198	99
	201,400	0			136,887	69

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**Nett Revenue Account, January 1 to June 30, 1927.**

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Interest on loan from Municipal Council .. .. .	—		4,032	0	Balance from 1926 .. .. .	74,869	67
Interest and principal on loan from Local Loan Commissioners .. .. .	—		3,154	89	Refund of Customs duty .. .. .	2,770	99
Nett profit unappropriated on December 31, 1926 .. .. .	74,869	67			Gross profit .. .. .	59,352	2
Nett profit, January to May, 1927 .. .. .							
Rs. c.							
May, 1927 .. .. .	48,520	74					
Nett profit, June, 1927 .. .. .	6,415	38					
			54,936	12			
			129,805	79			
			136,992	68			
						136,992	68

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**Electricity Department.**

**BALANCE SHEET, JUNE 30, 1927.**

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.
Revenue contribution to capital outlay .. .. .		102,523	95
Loan from Local Loan Commissioners .. .. .		82,600	0
Temporary loan from Municipal fund .. .. .		158,810	10
Reserve for depreciation .. .. .		35,244	90
Loan redeemed account .. .. .		5,900	0
Sundry creditors .. .. .		7,272	83
Outstanding wages .. .. .		2,222	30
Customers deposits .. .. .		2,234	32
Nett revenue account—Balance at credit .. .. .		129,805	79
		526,614	19

ASSETS.	Expended up to		During 1927.	Total.		
	Dec. 31, 1926.			Rs.	c.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Capital outlay:—						
Acquisition of undertaking .. .. .	150,000	0	—		150,000	0
Extensions of building .. .. .	26,377	81	2,067	45	28,445	26
New parts for engine .. .. .	7,276	73	—		7,276	73
Storage battery .. .. .	48,955	14	—		48,955	14
Switch board .. .. .	2,012	35	—		2,012	35
Meters .. .. .	4,963	97	1,934	79	6,898	76
Mains provided from revenue contribution .. .. .	69,552	63	20,760	15	90,312	78
Mains provided from loans fund .. .. .	28,500	0	—		28,500	0
Air compressor .. .. .	2,319	21	—		2,319	21
New generating plant .. .. .	72,057	18	—		72,057	18
	412,015	2	24,762	39	436,777	41
Stores on hand .. .. .					6,139	47
Fitting on hire .. .. .					296	4
Sundry debtors .. .. .					81,353	40
Petty cash—Municipal Electrical Engineer .. .. .					34	87
Petty cash—Shroff, Municipal Council, Kandy .. .. .					510	9
Deposit unpaid wages .. .. .					3	75
Lamp post account .. .. .					1,374	8
Tools account .. .. .					125	8
					526,614	19

Kandy, July 24, 1927.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant



## B.—ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

## Revenue Account for the Seven Months, January 1 to July 31, 1927.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1927.		Expended Jan. to July, 1927.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Generation of electricity :—						
Fuel .. .. .	20,663	28	10,977	96		
Oil, waste, and engine room stores ..	4,809	0	4,299	31		
Salaries and wages at works ..	8,520	0	6,177	73		
Repairs and maintenance—						
(a) Buildings .. .. .	500	0	1,376	79		
(b) Engine, boilers, machinery, and plant ..	4,500	0	2,147	29		
					24,979	8
Distribution of electricity :—						
Salaries of outdoor staff .. .. .	3,984	0	2,509	8		
Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus ..	950	0	1,521	27		
					4,030	35
Public lamps :—						
Salaries and wages .. .. .	4,400	0	3,392	41		
Repairs and maintenance .. .. .	3,000	0	2,371	51		
					5,763	92
Works executed for customers :—						
Labour .. .. .	8,880	0	8,345	77		
Materials .. .. .	19,600	0	33,748	85		
					42,094	62
Management and general expenses :—						
Salaries .. .. .	17,339	42	10,484	31		
Rent of Engineer's bungalow .. .. .	1,200	0	775	0		
Printing and stationery .. .. .	750	0	1,729	39		
Legal expenses .. .. .	50	0	2	0		
Telephone .. .. .	225	0	218	15		
Audit fees .. .. .	600	0	—	—		
Sundry charges .. .. .	500	0	395	55		
Fee for reporting on electric installation ..	—	—	491	45		
Bicycle for Meter Inspector .. .. .	140	0	—	—		
					14,095	85
Total amount of working expenses .. .. .	100,610	70	—	—	90,963	82
Gross profit carried to nett revenue account ..	—	—	—	—	67,644	83
					158,608	65

INCOME.	Estimated 1927.		Realized Jan. 1 to July, 1927.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Sale of electricity :—						
Private lighting .. .. .	116,000	0	69,513	33		
Power of heating .. .. .	—	—	1,162	40		
Public lighting .. .. .	36,500	0	19,831	93		
Municipal Department .. .. .	400	0	411	30		
					90,918	96
Public lamps :—						
Attendance and maintenance .. .. .	—	—	—	—		
Works executed for customers and goods sold :—						
From customers .. .. .	43,000	0	63,346	57		
					63,346	57
Rent of meters :—						
Recoveries .. .. .	4,500	0	3,088	38		
					3,088	38
Sundry revenue :—						
Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .	1,000	0	1,254	74	1,254	74
	201,400	0			158,608	65

Kandy, July 26, 1927.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

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**Nett Revenue Account, January 1 to July 31, 1927.**

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Interest on loan from Municipal Council fund ..	—		—		4,706	0
Interest and principal on loan from Local Loan Commissioners ..	—		—		3,154	89
Nett profit unappropriated on December 31, 1926 ..	—		74,869	67	—	—
Nett profit, January to June, 1927 ..	54,936	12	—		—	—
Nett profit, July, 1927 ..	7,618	81	—		—	—
	<u>—</u>		<u>62,554</u>	<u>93</u>	<u>137,424</u>	<u>60</u>
					<u>145,285</u>	<u>49</u>
					Rs.	c.
Balance from 1926 .. ..					74,869	67
Refund of Customs duty .. ..					2,770	99
Gross profit .. ..					67,644	83
					<u>145,285</u>	<u>49</u>

Kandy, July 26, 1927.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

**Electricity Department.**

**BALANCE SHEET, July 31, 1927.**

<b>LIABILITIES.</b>		Rs.	c.	<b>ASSETS.</b>		Expended up to Dec. 31, 1926.	During 1927.	Totals.
						Rs.	c.	Rs.
								Rs.
Revenue contribution to capital outlay ..	102,523	95		Capital outlay :—				
Loan from Local Loan Commissioners ..	82,600	0		Acquisition of un-				
Temporary loan from Municipal fund ..	166,800	33		dertaking ..	150,000	0	—	150,000
Reserve for depreciation ..	35,244	90		Extensions of				
Loans redeemed account ..	5,900	0		building ..	26,377	81	2,067	45
Sundry creditors ..	15,262	57		New parts for				
Outstanding wages ..	2,438	12		engine ..	7,276	73	—	7,276
Customers deposits ..	3,743	72		Storage battery ..	48,955	14	—	48,955
Nett revenue account :—				Switch board ..	2,012	35	—	2,012
Balance at credit ..	137,424	60		Meters ..	4,963	97	1,934	79
				Mains provided				
				from revenue				
				contribution ..	69,552	63	24,071	43
				Mains provided				
				from loans fund	28,500	0	—	28,500
				Air compressor ..	2,319	21	—	2,319
				New generating				
				plant ..	72,057	18	—	72,057
					<u>412,015</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>28,073</u>	<u>67</u>
				Stores on hand ..	—		—	23,281
				Fitting on hire ..	—		—	299
				Sundry debtors ..	—		—	85,942
				Petty cash—Muni-				37
				cipal Electrical				
				Engineer ..	—		—	18
				Petty cash—Shroff,				
				Municipal Council,				
				Kandy ..	—		—	484
				Deposit unpaid				
				wages ..	—		—	3
				Lamp posts account	—		—	1,628
				Tools account ..	—		—	191
					<u>551,938</u>	<u>19</u>		<u>551,938</u>
								<u>19</u>

Kandy, July 28, 1927.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

## Auctioneers and Brokers.

IT is hereby notified for general information that licences have been issued to the following to practise as Auctioneers and Brokers, Brokers, and Auctioneers within limits of the Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya, during the year 1927:—

Eric C. Misso, Auctioneer and Broker.  
C. J. Lallyett, Auctioneer and Broker.  
J. Jackson, Auctioneer and Broker.  
T. K. Beven, Broker.  
F. White, Broker.  
V. C. Perera, Broker.  
J. G. Vandersmaght, Auctioneer.

Board of Improvement Office, C. C. WOOLLEY,  
Nuwara Eliya, October 11, 1927. Chairman.

## Change of Polling Place.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Polling Place for Koddaimunai division for the election of Unofficial Members of the Local Board of Batticaloa for the years

1928 and 1929, fixed for December, 7 1927, shall be "Batticaloa Kachcheri," and not "Arasadi School, Koddaimunai," as appearing in the notice dated September 12, 1927, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,606 of September 16, 1927.

The Kachcheri, C. HARRISON-JONES,  
Batticaloa, September 27, 1927. Government Agent.

## Sale of Rent, Local Board, Anuradhapura.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, November 1, 1927, at 2 P.M., at the Anuradhapura Kachcheri, the following rents of the Local Board for 1928, will be put up for auction by the Chairman, Local Board:—

(1) Gala rent | (2) Pasture rent

Local Board Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,  
Anuradhapura, October 7, 1927. Chairman.

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

## Budget of the Matale Urban District Council for the Year 1928.

		REVENUE.			
		Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<b>A.—General Revenue:—</b>					
(1) Property tax 171 (1) (a)	..	17,000 0			
(2) Acreage tax 171 (1) (b)	..	—			
(3) Vehicles and animals tax 173 (1) (b)	..	200 0			
(4) Licence duties (not included elsewhere) 173 (1) (c)	..	8,250 0			
(5) Other taxes 173 (1) (d)	..	—			
(6) Refund or stamp duties (schedule VI.)	..	1,500 0			
(7) Refund of liquor licences	..	1,250 0			
(8) Refund of Police tax	..	12,000 0			
(9) Compensation for opium revenue	..	2,559 60			
(10) Fines by court (not included elsewhere)	..	10 0			
(11) Auctioneers and brokers	..	100 0			
(12) Fees for registration of mortgages	..	5 0			
(13) Interest from Bank	..	25 0			
(14) Sale of old stores	..	10 0			
			42,909 60		
<b>B.—Thoroughfares:—</b>					
(1) Subsidiary in lieu of labour tax 173 (1) (a)	..	4,782 65			
(2) Other collections, e.g., fines for injuries, &c., 97, cattle seizing fees 103 (4), sale of badges and fare tables, &c.	..	100 0			
(3) Contribution by Government for constructing drains	..	—			
			4,882 65		
<b>C.—Resthouse and Ambalams:—</b>					
(1) Fees (60)	..	1,250 0			
			1,250 0		
<b>D.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere):—</b>					
(1) Rents	..	500 0			
(2) Sale of produce	..	125 0			
			625 0		
<b>E.—Public Health:—</b>					
(1) General Revenue—					
(a) Fines under Part IV., Chapter III.	..	300 0			
			300 0		
(2) Scavenging—					
(a) Fees 168 (10) (b)	..	120 0			
(b) Sale of refuse (130)	..	10 0			
(c) Fines on contractors and coolies	..	10 0			
			440 0		
(3) Conservancy—					
(a) Fees 168 (10) (b)	..	5,500 0			
(b) Sale of refuse (130)	..	10 0			
(c) Fines on contractors and coolies	..	10 0			
(d) Refund of wages and fees	..	—			
			5,520 0		
(4) Slaughter-houses and cattle pound—					
(a) Fees 168 (11) (a)	..	2,000 0			
(b) Sale of refuse	..	—			
			2,000 0		
<b>(5) Water supply—</b>					
(a) Water-rate 141 (b) (146)	..	8,500 0			
(b) Private water service tax	..	2,250 0			
			10,750 0		
<b>(6) Hospitals—</b>					
(a) Contribution from Government	..	—			
(b) Rent of hospital grounds	..	—			
<b>(7) Markets and galas—</b>					
(a) Rents 168 (12)	..	5,000 0			
(b) Boutiques and stalls 168 (12)	..	—			
(c) Fees for private markets 160 (3)	..	300 0			
(d) Licences 168 (1)	..	150 0			
(e) Grain store rents	..	—			
			5,450 0		
<b>F.—Public Recreation 168 (7), (1), (b):—</b>					
(a) Rents	..	100 0			
(b) Cattle grazing fees	..	100 0			
(c) Licences for public performances	..	100 0			
			300 0		
<b>G.—Cemeteries Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899:—</b>					
(1) Burial fees	..	500 0			
(2) Hire of hearse	..	30 0			
(3) Graves for erecting monuments	..	—			
(4) Maintenance of Roman Catholic burial ground	..	36 0			
			566 0		
<b>H.—Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893:—</b>					
(1) Registration fees	..	100 0			
(2) Fines	..	10 0			
(3) Sale of dog collars	..	—			
(4) Seizing fees	..	—			
			110 0		
<b>I.—Weights and Measures Ordinance, No. 8 of 1896:—</b>					
(1) Fines	..	20 0			
(2) Fees for stamping	..	—			
			20 0		
<b>J.—Electricity Department:—</b>					
(1) Sale of current	..	24,000 0			
(2) Rent of meters	..	1,200 0			
(3) Works executed for customers	..	500 0			
(4) Miscellaneous	..	250 0			
			25,950 0		
Total estimated revenue for 1928	..			100,773 25	
Balance brought forward	..			6,000 0	
				Total	106,773 25

		EXPENDITURE.			
		Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<b>A.—General Expenditure :—</b>					
(1) Salaries of officers—					
(a) Secretary ..	2,400 0				
(b) Revenue Inspector ..	—				
(c) Clerks ..	2,580 0				
(d) Peons ..	630 0				
(e) Cost of technical advisers ..	500 0				
(f) Pensions ..	—		6,110 0		
(2) Establishment expenses—					
(a) Allowances ..	600 0				
(b) Travelling ..	1,000 0				
(c) Commission to tax collectors ..	1,000 0				
(d) Assessor's fees ..	300 0				
(e) Legal expenses ..	150 0				
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising, and office expenses, &c. ..	1,000 0				
(g) Registration of voters and elections ..	50 0				
(h) Cost of cart plates ..	150 0				
(i) Cost of audit ..	1,100 0				
(f) Holiday railway tickets ..	500 0		5,850 0		
(3) Refunds—					
<b>B.—Thoroughfares :—</b>					
(1) Salaries and wages ..	924 0				
(2) Maintenance ..	9,605 0				
(3) Plant and tools ..	250 0				
(4) Lighting ..	8,100 0				
(5) Watering of streets ..	400 0				
(6) Cost of badges and fare tables ..	50 0				
(7) Acquisition ..	2,500 0				
(8) Improvements ..	5,570 0				
(9) Loan charges (drainage) ..	717 76				
(10) Refunds ..	—		23,116 76		
<b>C.—Resthouse and Ambalams :—</b>					
(1) Salaries ..	300 0				
(2) Maintenance ..	800 0				
(3) Furniture and equipment ..	250 0				
(4) Improvements ..	200 0		1,550 0		
<b>D.—Council Lands and Buildings (not included elsewhere) :—</b>					
(1) Wages ..	120 0				
(2) Commission to collectors ..	—				
(3) Rent of office ..	480 0				
(4) Maintenance ..	360 0				
(5) Furniture ..	250 0				
(6) Police tax ..	350 0		1,560 0		
<b>E.—Public Health :—</b>					
(1) General expenditure—					
(a) Salaries ..	2,260 0				
(b) Allowances ..	1,200 0				
(c) Uniform ..	120 0				
(d) Printing and stationery ..	—				
(e) Disinfectants ..	500 0				
(f) Maintenance of vagrants at House of Detention ..	400 0		4,480 0		
(2) Scavenging—					
(a) Wages ..	7,440 0				
(b) Cart and bulls ..	—				
(c) Stores ..	150 0				
(d) Incinerator ..	1,404 0		8,994 0		
(3) Conservancy—					
(a) Wages ..	7,800 0				
(b) Carts and bulls ..	—				
(c) Stores ..	500 0				
(d) Rent of night soil depôts ..	—				
(e) Maintenance of latrines ..	500 0				
(f) Acquisition ..	—				
(g) Construction ..	—		8,800 0		
(4) Slaughter-houses and cattle pound—					
(a) Wages ..	234 0				
(b) Maintenance ..	100 0				
(c) Acquisition ..	—				
(d) Construction ..	—				
(e) Cattle disease ..	10 0		344 0		
(5) Water supply—					
(a) Wages ..	744 0				
(b) Stores ..	250 0				
(c) Maintenance ..	2,250 0				
(d) Acquisition ..	—				
(e) Construction ..	—				
(f) Loan charges ..	4,544 0				
(g) Commission to tax collectors ..	500 0		8,288 0		
(6) Hospitals—					
(a) Wages ..	—				
(b) Maintenance ..	600 0				
(c) Paupers ..	—		600 0		
(7) Markets and galas—					
(a) Wages ..	294 0				
(b) Maintenance ..	500 0				
(c) Printing ..	—				
(d) Acquisition ..	—				
(e) Construction ..	—				
(f) Loan charges ..	1,250 0		2,044 0		
<b>F.—Public Recreation 168 (7), (1), (b) :—</b>					
(a) Wages ..	2,000 0				
(b) Maintenance ..	500 0				
(c) Allowance to Band ..	—				
(d) Acquisition ..	—		2,500 0		
<b>G.—Cemeteries Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899 :—</b>					
(1) Wages ..	822 0				
(2) Maintenance ..	250 0		1,072 0		
<b>H.—Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893 :—</b>					
(1) Destruction of stray dogs ..	75 0				
(2) Commission to collector ..	20 0				
(3) Cost of dog collars ..	20 0				
(4) Cost of seizures ..	25 0				
(5) Dog pound maintenance ..	—		140 0		
<b>I.—Weights and Measures Ordinance, No. 8 of 1896 :—</b>					
(1) Fees to Inspectors ..	—				
<b>J.—Electricity Department :—</b>					
(1) Generation of electricity—					
(a) Fuel ..	2,000 0				
(b) Oil waste and engine room stores ..	3,000 0				
(c) Salaries and wages at works ..	1,200 0				
(2) Repairs and maintenance—					
(a) Buildings ..	250 0				
(b) Engines, boilers, machinery, and plant ..	500 0				
(c) Meters, switches, and other apparatus ..	250 0				
(3) Service and house connections—					
(a) Materials ..	3,000 0				
(b) Labour temporary ..	500 0				
(4) Management and general expenses—					
(a) Salaries, &c., electrician and clerk ..	2,790 0				
(b) Salaries, &c., outdoor staff ..	1,200 0				
(c) Printing and stationery ..	250 0				
(d) Sundries ..	100 0				
(5) Loan charges—					
(a) Interest ..	4,262 50				
(b) Capital repayment ..	4,750 0		24,052 50		
Total estimated expenditure ..	—		104,501 26		
Estimated balance, December 31, 1928 ..	—		2,271 99		
Total ..	—		106,773 25		

Settled and adopted by the Council on October 1, 1927 :

Office of the Urban District Council,  
Matala, October 1, 1927.W. GOPALLAWA,  
Vice-Chairman.

**Rates and Taxes, Urban District Council, Matale.**

IT is hereby notified that the Matale Urban District Council has, in terms of the above Ordinance, imposed for the year 1928 the following taxes, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Matale Urban District Council, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance:—

Under section 173 (1) (b), a tax in respect of the following vehicles and animals, payable on or before March 31 at the rates specified:—

	Rs. c.
For every carriage of whatever description, other than a cart, hackery, or jinrickshaw	5 0

	Rs. c.
For every double-bullock cart, hackery of whatever description	4 0
For every single-bullock cart or hackery	2 50
For every jinrickshaw	2 50
For every bicycle or tricycle	1 0
For every horse, pony, or mule	2 0

W. GOPALLAWA,  
Vice-Chairman.

Office of the Urban District Council,  
Matale, October 8, 1927.

**ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.****Talatu-oya-Kirimetiya Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held at Bolwood Factory, on Tuesday, October 18, 1927, at 3.15 P.M.:—

*Business.*

1. Presentation of accounts for 1926-27.
2. Frame and pass estimate for the maintenance of the above road for 1927-28.
3. To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
- (c) The names of proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1928.

E. R. SUDBURY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.  
Kandy, October 3, 1927.

**Barnagala-Penylan Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held at the Penylan Club, on Wednesday, October 26, 1927, at 3 P.M.:—

*Business.*

1. To present accounts for 1926-27.
2. To frame and pass estimate for the maintenance of the above road for 1927-28.
3. To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
- (c) The names of proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1928.

E. R. SUDBURY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.  
Kandy, October 3, 1927.

**Lantern Hill Somerset Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the above road will be held at Somerset Bungalow, on Friday, October 21, 1927, at 4 P.M., for the

purpose of electing a Local Committee, which shall consist of not less than two nor more than five members and which shall hold office for two years.

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

1. Election of Chairman, Local Committee.
2. To frame and pass estimate for the maintenance of the above road for 1927-28.
3. To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
- (c) The names of proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1928.

N.B.—The General Meeting shall consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third acreage.

E. R. SUDBURY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.  
Kandy, October 3, 1927.

**Kadugannawa-Gampola Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the above road will be held at the Wembley Estate Office, on Friday, October 21, 1927, at 8.30 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee, which shall consist of not less than two nor more than five members and which shall hold office for two years.

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

1. Election of Chairman, Local Committee.
2. To frame and pass estimate for the maintenance of the above road for 1927-28.
3. To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
- (c) The names of proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1928.

N.B.—The General Meeting shall consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third acreage.

E. R. SUDBURY,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.  
Kandy, October 3, 1927.

**Pilikade-Handurukkanda Estate Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been elected to act as Members of the Local Committee for the Pilikade-Handurukkanda road under the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, for the term of two years, ending October 6, 1929:—

Mr. O. F. Payne, Chairman.  
Sir T. E. de Sampayo.  
Mr. Frank Markus.  
Mr. D. S. C. Pedris.

W. ABEYAWARDANE,

Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.  
Kurunegala, October 7, 1927.

**Parakaduwa-Hemmingford Branch Road.**

REFERRING to the notice dated August 24, 1927, and published in the *Government Gazette*s Nos. 7,604 and 7,605 of September 2 and 9, 1927, respectively, notice is hereby given that, under section 14 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, the under-mentioned gentlemen have been elected to form the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance, in respect of the above road for two years, namely, from August 8, 1927, to August 8, 1929:—

(1) Messrs. E. C. Villiers (Chairman), (2) Frank Murray, and (3) G. H. Bryant.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, J. M. DE SILVA,  
Ratnapura, September 30, 1927. for Chairman.

**Dehiowita-Deraniyagala Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the erection of a 30-feet span bridge over Halgahawalagawa-oya and deviating the road from peg 43, 8th mile, Dehiowita-Deraniyagala road, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of sections 19 and 23 of the Ordinance No. 14 of 1896, will on Saturday, October 29, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

**DEHIOWITA-DERANIYAGALA ROAD.****Special Warrant No. 20.**

Government moiety	Rs. 10,500.00
Private contributions	Rs. 10,500.00
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates. Total Acreages.
Deraniyagala Group:—218	
Mr. Allan Driberg, Alfred place, Colombo (Mr. Rosslyn Koch, Agent)	Yakgalla .. 82
Mr. F. Foenander, Clifford place, Bambalapitiya, Colombo (Mr. Rosslyn Koch, Agent)	Jacklyn .. 49
Mr. Rosslyn Koch.	Pandeniya .. 57

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Total Acreage.
Mr. M. Perera, Mudaliyar, Kotahena, Colombo	Panawalkanda	30
Mr. L. Archdale, Lassahena, Dehiowita	Lovedale	83
Messrs. Gordon Frazer & Co., Colombo	Panakura	245
Rubber Securities, Ltd. (Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Agents)	Maligatenna	161½
Yatapolla Estate, Ltd. (Messrs. Gordon Frazer & Co., Agents)	Yatapolle	307
Mr. L. Archdale, Agent and Superintendent	Paladeniya	160
Udapola Rubber Company of Ceylon, Ltd. (Messrs. Gordon Frazer & Co., Agents)	Udapola	833
Messrs. Aitken, Spence & Co., Colombo	Maliboda	2,300
New Chatel Estates, Ltd. (Messrs. Aitken, Spence & Co., Colombo, Agents)	Liniyagala	890
Lassahena Rubber Company, Ltd. (Messrs. Aitken, Spence & Co., Agents)	Lassahena	574
Mrs. J. S. Wilson, Mr. B. M. Selwyn, Resident Manager	Kippen	60
Udabage Korala and family	Bopekanda	114
Messrs. Boustead Brothers, Agents	Miyanawita Company	556
Messrs. Aitken, Spence & Co.	Velihinda	364
Messrs. Lee, Hedges & Co., Colombo	Noori	826
Anhitiyagama Syndicate	Anhitiyagama	462
Mr. D. C. Wijewardena, Darley road, Colombo	Kosgahakanda	1,108
Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield, Colombo	Dabar	703
<b>Total Acreage</b>		<b>9,964½</b>

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

Provincial Road Committee's Office, J. M. DE SILVA,  
Ratnapura, October 3, 1927. for Chairman.

**Rassagala-Chetnole Estate Cart Road.**

REFERRING to the notice dated September 14, 1927, and published in the *Government Gazette*s Nos. 7,607 and 7,608 of September 23 and 30, 1927, respectively, notice is hereby given that under section 14 of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," the under-mentioned gentlemen have been elected to form the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance in respect of the above road for two years, namely, from October 21, 1927, to October 21, 1929:—

(1) Messrs. L. F. Watkins Baker (Chairman), (2) H. G. English, and (3) B. N. Wamsely.

J. M. DE SILVA,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.  
Ratnapura, October 11, 1927.

**Bevilla-Digowa Estate Cart Road.**

WHEREAS the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 5 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, by Resolution (111) of October 26, 1926, altered and varied the limits of the district in respect of the Bevilla-Digowa Estate Cart Road, by including the estates called and known as (1) Egodakanda, (2) Labuelligoda, (3) Andapane and (4) Tippolewatta, as being liable to be assessed for repair and upkeep of the said road as proposed in the notice dated September 16, 1926, and published in the *Government Gazette*s Nos. 7,547 and 7,548 of September 24 and October 1, 1926, respectively; and whereas the said estates have become bound and liable, under the provisions of the said Ordinance, for payment of shares of cost of construction amounting to Rs. 100,212.60, which they would have been liable to pay had the said estates been originally included in the district for the construction of the road; and whereas the Local Committee for the said road having assessed and apportioned the shares so payable by the said four estates at Rs. 2,214.52, viz., Egodakanda Rs. 395.45, Labuelligoda Rs. 790.90, Andapane Rs. 553.63, and Tippolewatta Rs. 474.54, as shown under the column total in the schedule hereto annexed marked A, which assesses and apportionment the Provincial Road Committee hereby propose to confirm, and acting under section 6 of the said Ordinance, call upon the proprietors of the said four estates to pay the said amounts, to be divided among the proprietors of the eight estates which have previously paid construction assessment appearing in the schedule hereto annexed marked B, of the Province of Sabaragamuwa will on Saturday, October 29, 1927, at 2.30 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee,  
Ratnapura, October 3, 1927.

J. M. DE SILVA,  
for Chairman.

## Schedule A referred to.

Proportion payable for cost of construction of Bevilla-Digowa Estate Cart Road after the new estates Egodakanda, Labuelligoda, Andapane, and Tippolewatta are added to the district:—

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	General Charges on Sections		A Section.	B Section.	C Section.	Total.
			A and B.	Rs. c.				
agolla(Ceylon)Rubber & Tea Plantation, Ltd. (Messrs. Carson & Co., Agents)	Manikanda	480	2,798 35	8,628 61	6,986 65	12,319 86	30,733 47	
Messrs. L. Bayly and R. G. Talbot, Digowa, Parakaduwa	Digowa	560	3,483 70	10,741 35	8,697 30	14,373 17	37,295 52	
Mr. D. D. Pedris, Vimal Villa, Colombo	Donrill	130	448 23	1,382 15	1,119 13	3,336 62	6,286 13	
The Walkanda Rubber Company, Ltd. (Messrs. Lewis Brown & Co., Agents)	Tatuwalakanda	440	2,176 88	—	5,435 81	11,293 20	18,905 89	
Mr. T. A. de S. Wijeratna, Gaffoor buildings, Fort, Colombo	Pannila	185	—	—	—	2,926 35	2,926 35	
Messrs. D. C. Wijewardena and D. L. Welikala, Proctor, Avissawella	Pathberiya	67	—	—	—	1,059 82	1,059 82	
Mr. C. C. Wijetunga, Rosmund Cottage, Brighton place, Bambalapitiya	Gangaturiya	30	—	—	—	474 54	474 54	
Mr. W. S. Kadigawa, Panawela, Eheliyagoda	Kirigalla	20	—	—	—	316 36	316 36	
Mr. R. S. Ratnayaka, Panadure	Egodakanda	25	—	—	—	395 45	395 45	
Mr. Richard Salgado, Panadure	Labuelligoda	50	—	—	—	790 90	790 90	
Do.	Andapane	35	—	—	—	553 63	553 63	
Mr. Abeysingha Achehige Don Suwaris Appuhamy, Kesbewa	Tippolewatta	30	—	—	—	474 54	474 54	
Total		2052	8,907 16	20,752 11	22,238 89	48,314 44	100,212 60	

## Summary of Construction Assessments.

	1915.		1916.		1919.		1920.		1927.	
	1st Assessment.	2nd Assessment.	3rd Assessment.	4th Assessment.	5th Assessment.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
Manikanda	18,387 40	15,889 43	31,898 75	31,798 3	30,733 47					
Digowa	22,761 87	19,670 69	39,709 36	39,584 2	37,295 52					
Donrill	—	—	5,109 60	5,093 46	6,286 13					
Tatuwalakanda	7,409 2	12,042 23	18,104 56	18,026 8	18,905 89					
Pannila	—	4,051 96	3,502 74	3,461 22	2,926 35					
Pathberiya	—	—	1,303 80	1,288 34	1,059 82					
Gangaturiya	—	—	583 79	576 87	474 54					
Kirigalla	—	—	—	384 58	316 36					
Egodakanda	—	—	—	—	395 45*					
Labuelligoda	—	—	—	—	790 90*					
Andapane	—	—	—	—	553 63*					
Tippolewatta	—	—	—	—	474 54*					
Total	48,558 29	51,654 31	100,212 60	100,212 60	100,212 60					

## Schedule B.

The amount of assessment apportioned to the four new estates now added to the district of this road, viz., Rs. 2,214 52 is to be refunded to the proprietors of the estates who paid originally for the construction of this road as below:—

Estates.	Acreage.	Amounts. Rs. c.
(1) Manikanda	480	555 94
(2) Digowa	560	648 60
(3) Donrill	130	150 57
(4) Tatuwalakanda	440	509 61
(5) Pathberiya	67	77 61
(6) Gangaturiya	30	34 76
(7) Kirigalla	20	23 16
(8) Pannila	185	214 27
		2,214 52

## SPECIFICATIONS UNDER "THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE"

"The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 45 of 1917."  
Order made by the Government Agent of the North-Western Province, in terms of section 9 of the above-named Ordinance, and approved by His Excellency the Governor.

and with the approval of His Excellency the Governor hereby declares that the provisions of Chapter II., except section 5 (1) of the above-named Ordinance, shall not be in operation in the District of Kurunegala.

THE Government Agent of the North-Western Province, in pursuance of section 9 of the above-named Ordinance,

The Kachcheri,  
Kurunegala, October 3, 1927.

T. A. HODSON,  
Government Agent.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

Trade Mark No.	Advertised in Gazette No.	of	Proprietors.	Class.
<b>Trade Marks registered during the Month of September, 1927.</b>				
3,857	7,589	June 17, 1927	Mohamedally Shaikh Hebtulabhoy, Tyebally Shaikh Hebtulabhoy & Abdulhusen Shaikh Hebtulabhoy, trading as "M. S. Hebtulabhoy & Co."	42
3,810	7,592	July 1, 1927	L. O. Dietrich	6
3,873	7,592	July 1, 1927	James Finlay & Co., Ltd.	42
3,875	7,592	July 1, 1927	Nestle and Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Company	42
3,664	7,593	July 8, 1927	Taylor Brothers (Saws), Ltd.	12
3,882	7,593	July 8, 1927	Firestone Footwear Co.	38
3,886	7,593	July 8, 1927	The Mond Staffordshire Refining Company, Limited	2
3,887	7,593	July 8, 1927	Do.	3
B3,773	7,594	July 15, 1927	Vacuum Oil Company	47
3,803	7,594	July 15, 1927	Men Chuen Chan, trading as The Foot Ease Hoisery Mill	38
3,872	7,594	July 15, 1927	James Finlay & Co., Ltd.	42
3,884	7,594	July 15, 1927	I. G. Farbenindustrie Aktiengesellschaft	2
3,888	7,594	July 15, 1927	Nobel Chemical Finishes, Limited	50
3,890	7,594	July 15, 1927	John Perks & Sons (1920), Ltd.	12
3,885	7,595	July 22, 1927	Ignatius Xavier Pereira, Rosario Gaetan Pereira, Joseph Edward Augustine Pereira, Joseph Louis Pereira, Joseph Raphael Timothy Pereira, trading as F. X. Pereira & Sons	42
3,891	7,595	July 22, 1927	Arthur Frederick Jones & Harry William Dainty, trading as A. F. Jones & Co.	42
3,894	7,595	July 22, 1927	National Aniline and Chemical Co., Inc.	1
3,852	7,587	June 10, 1927	T. V. K. Cader Meera Saibo & Co.	42
3,614	7,596	July 29, 1927	Coty Societe Anonyme	48
3,901	7,596	July 29, 1927	Arthur Frederick Jones and Harry William Dainty, trading as A. F. Jones & Co.	42
3,903	7,596	July 29, 1927	Do.	42
<b>Subsequent Proprietors registered during the Month of September, 1927.</b>				
<i>(The name in Italics is that of the former proprietor.)</i>				
1,516	6,599	December 23, 1913	Agampodi Semiel de Silva Indrasekera of Kudawaskaduwa; <i>A. K. Silva Waidyasekera</i>	3
3,168	7,431	November 21, 1924	Fletcher Humphreys and Co., Ltd., Cathedral square, Christchurch, New Zealand, Tea Merchants; <i>Darley, Butler &amp; Co., Ltd.</i>	42
3,393	7,464	May 29, 1925	The British Thomson-Houston Co. (India), Ltd., A3, Clive buildings, Calcutta, India, Manufacturers; <i>The British Thomson-Houston Co., Ltd.</i>	8 & 13
3,812	7,577	April 14, 1927	The New Zealand Co-operative Honey Producers Association, Ltd., Stanley street, Auckland, Dominion of New Zealand; <i>A. J. Mills &amp; Co., Ltd.</i>	42
<b>Trade Marks renewed during the Month of September, 1927.</b>				
279	5,667	December 22, 1899	The Red Hand Compositions, Ltd.	1
1,508	6,591	November 21, 1913	H. N. H. Mohideen	50
1,509	6,591	November 21, 1913	Do.	50
1,533	6,616	March 20, 1914	C. & J. Clark, Ltd.	38
<b>Trade Marks to be removed from the Register for Non-payment of Renewal Fees.</b>				
266	5,651	October 6, 1899	William Secular & Co.	42
267	5,651	October 6, 1899	Do.	42
268	5,651	October 6, 1899	Do.	42
269	5,651	October 6, 1899	Do.	42
1,498	6,587	October 24, 1913	Chow Kit & Company	42
<b>Trade Mark removed from the Register for Non-payment of Renewal Fee.</b>				
1,475	6,572	July 18, 1913	Hodgson & Simpson, Ltd.	47 & 48

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 12, 1927.

C. COOMARASWAMY,  
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 uncancelled 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. 3,848.
- (2) Date of Receipt: May 10, 1927.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): TOOTAL BROADHURST LEE COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company registered under the English Companies' Acts), 56, Oxford street, Manchester, England; Manufacturers and Merchants.

(4) Address for service in the Island: F. J. & G. de Saram, Colombo.

(5) Class: Twenty-four.

(6) Goods: Cotton piece goods of all kinds.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

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This Trade Mark is to be associated with the Trade Mark No. 1,352 under section 24.

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, October 5, 1927. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,946.
- (2) Date of Receipt: August 27, 1927.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): P. L. KATHIRESAN CHETTY and M. SOMASUNDARAM, trading as "The Somagiri Soap Factory," of Atabage, Gampola; Soap Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island, if any: —
- (5) Class: Forty-seven.
- (6) Goods: Washing soap.
- (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, September 28, 1927.

C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Registrar of Trade Marks.

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- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,952.
- (2) Date of Receipt: September 1, 1927.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): MURUGASU NAMASIVAYAMPILLAY, trading as "SIVA CHAMBAVEE AUGHDATHALAYAM," of Karainagar, Jaffna; Ayurvedic Medical Practitioner.

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

(5) Class: Three.

(6) Goods: Medicines for human use.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



The Tamil characters appearing on the label represent the trading name "Siva Chambavee Aughdathalayam, Karainagar."

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, October 5, 1927. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 3,971.

(2) Date of Receipt : September 16, 1927.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): SEGU TAMBY ABDUL RAHMAN, trading as "S. ABDUL RAHMAN," No. 131-B1, Layard's Broadway, Colombo; Soap Maker.

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

(5) Class : Forty-seven.

(6) Goods : Bar Soap.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark



Registrar-General's Office. C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, October 5, 1927. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 3,972.

(2) Date of Receipt : September 16, 1927.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): Segu TAMBY ABDUL RAHMAN, trading as "S. ABDUL RAHMAN," No. 131-B1, Layard's Broadway, Colombo; Soap Maker.

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

(5) Class : Forty-seven.

(6) Goods : Bar Soap.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, October 5, 1927. Registrar of Trade Marks.