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## PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

### A PROCLAMATION.

HUGH CLIFFORD.

WHEREAS by section 12 of "The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, No. 15 of 1921," as amended by "The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 11 of 1922," it is enacted that where the Governor is satisfied that reciprocal provisions have been made by the Legislature of any British Possession or any territory under His Majesty's protection, for the enforcement within such possession or territory, of maintenance orders made by courts in Ceylon, the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*, extend that Ordinance to maintenance orders made by courts within such possession or territory, and thereupon the said Ordinance shall apply to such maintenance orders as if they had been made in England or Ireland:

And whereas We are satisfied that reciprocal provisions as aforesaid have been made by the Legislature of the British Possession appearing in the schedule hereto, for the enforcement within the said possession, of maintenance orders made by courts in Ceylon:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power in Us vested as aforesaid, do hereby extend "The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance, No. 15 of 1921," to maintenance orders made by courts within the said possession.

Colombo, November 9, 1926.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE.

State of Victoria.

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

No. 373 of 1926.

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

Mr. E. H. DAVIES to act, in addition to his own duties, as Assistant Government Agent, Kandy, with effect from November 16, 1926, until the assumption of duties by Mr. R. JONES-BATEMAN.

Mr. N. J. LUDINGTON to be an Assistant Settlement Officer and a Special Officer under the Waste Lands Ordinance, with effect from November 6, 1926, until further orders.

Mr. G. F. ROBERTS to be District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Negombo; Superintendent of the Negombo Prison; Assistant Collector of Customs, Negombo; Additional Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance within the limits of the Urban District Council of Negombo; and Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar for the

District of Colombo under section 5 of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, with effect from November 8, 1926, until further orders.

Mr. L. G. POULIER to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, during the absence of Mr. V. P. REDLICH, from November 12 to 14, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. A. GUNARATNE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, during the absence of Mr. V. P. REDLICH, on November 17, 1926, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. P. WIJEYERATNA to act as Additional District Judge, Kalutara, on November 13, 1926.

Mr. R. Y. DANIEL to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional District Judge, Mannar, on November 13, 1926.

Mr. M. A. PERERA to act as Commissioner of Requests, Police Magistrate, and Municipal Magistrate, Kandy, during the absence of Mr. H. P. KAUFMANN, on November 10, 1926, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. O. G. D'ALWIS to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Kalutara, on November 15, 1926.

Mr. CLEMENT P. WIJEYERATNA to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Kalutara, on November 18, 1926.

Mr. J. KADRATAMBY to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, from November 14 to 20, 1926, inclusive.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 12, 1926.

No. 374 of 1926.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. A. E. CHRISTOFFELSZ resumed duties as an Assistant Settlement Officer and a Special Officer under the Waste Lands Ordinance, with effect from November 6, 1926.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 12, 1926.

No. 375 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Ceylon Medical Corps:—

*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Staff Sergeant LOUIS GERARD BLAZÉ.  
Staff Sergeant FREDRICK GRACE SMITH.  
Sergeant TERRENCE RICHARD JANSEN.  
Sergeant MOHANDIRANGE DON SIMON JAYAWARDENE.  
Acting Sergeant SIDNEY FRANCIS JAYAWARDENE.  
Acting Sergeant HERBERT AUGUSTUS DIRCKZE.  
Corporal OWEN STANLEY SELA.  
Lance-Corporal WYTINGAM BALENDRA.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 2, 1926.

No. 376 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Sir JAMES THOMSON BROOM to be an Unofficial Member of the Colombo Port Commission, *vice* Mr. C. H. FIGG.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

No. 377 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 4 (5) of Ordinance No. 37 of 1921, to appoint Mr. W. COOMBE to be a Member of the Estate Products Committee of the Board of Agriculture, *vice* Mr. H. F. PARFITT, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

No. 378 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 5 of "The Rubber Restriction Ordinance, No. 24 of 1922," to appoint Mr. N. J. G. ROBERTSON to be a Member of the Rubber Restriction Board, *vice* Mr. R. M. MILNE, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

No. 379 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 5 (1) (c) of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, to nominate Mr. J. D. BUSH, District Engineer, Puttalam, to be a Member of the Sanitary Board, Puttalam District, *vice* Mr. A. L. FRETZ.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

No. 380 of 1926.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. L. VAN DER SPOEL having returned to the Island has resumed duties as Consul for the Netherlands at Colombo as from November 2, 1926.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

No. 381 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. THOMAS GUNAWARDENA, Inquirer, Tangalla division of West Giruwa pattu of the Hambantota District, to be, in addition to his own duties, Inquirer for Kahawatta Lower, Beliatta palata, and Galagam palata, in West Giruwa pattu, in the Hambantota District, for a period of one month from November 2, 1926, during the absence of DON NIKULAS WICKREMARATNE, on leave, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 12, 1926.

No. 382 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint the following gentlemen to be, in addition to their own duties, Inquirers for their respective divisions, with effect from November 8, 1926:—

Mr. H. A. DAMBAWINNA, Ratemahatmaya, Kukul Korale.

Mr. G. J. B. KIRIBELLA, President, Village Tribunals, Nawadun korale.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

No. 333 of 1926.

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

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

No. 384 of 1926.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. CHRISTOPHER BENEDICT DIAS of No. 9, Modera street, Colombo, to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Chilaw, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

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

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

Mr. ALBERT SAMARATUNGA to be Additional Registrar of Lands of the Kegalla District, with effect from November 10, 1926, *vice* Mr. C. SENANAYAKA, transferred.

Mr. VELUPPILLAI VISWALINGAM to act as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for three days from November 1, 1926, *vice* Mr. DIONYSIUS BARTHOLOMEW SENEVIRATNE, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Batticaloa.

Mr. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PERERA to act as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, for twelve days from November 1, 1926, *vice* Mr. WILLIAM GEORGE VALLIPURAM, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Trincomalee.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

IT is hereby notified that the acting appointment of DON ANDRAYAS JAYASUNDERA as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kebaliyapola division, and of Marriages (General) of Kandaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,554 of November 5, 1926, has since been cancelled.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 6, 1926.H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed JOSEPH VELUPPILLAI CHINNIAN to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Jaffna division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for seventy-eight days (2 months, 3 weeks, and 1 day), with effect from November 15, 1926, *vice* Registrar, SAMUEL TAMPIPPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Kayilanvalavu in Nallur.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1926.H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed SUBASINGHA MUDIYANSELAGE URKU BANDA MADUKANDE to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandy) of Chinnacheddikulam and Kilakkumulai South division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, for seven days, with effect from November 8, 1926, *vice* SUBASINGHA MUDIYANSELAGE KAPPURUHAMI MADUKANDE, on leave. His office will be at Madukande.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 6, 1926.H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have confirmed KANAPATHY PILLAI THAMBIMUTTU in his appointment as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karavaku pattu north No. 1 division, and of Marriages (General) of Karavaku pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province. His office will be at Periyakallar; station: Thuraineelavanai.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed KARUNARATNA BIBILE to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandy) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for thirty days from November 7, 1926, *vice* JOHN BIBILE, deceased. His office will be at Bibile.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 2, 1926.H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

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

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed PASKUWALGE DON SIMON PETER WICKRAMASINGHE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Andiambalama division, and of Marriages (General) of Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale north division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from October 29, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, PASKUWALGE DON BARTHOLOMEUS JAMES WICKRAMASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Diulgahawatta at Amandoluwa, and additional office at Kekunagahawatta in Andiambalama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DODANGODAGE DON HARMANIS ABEYARATNE, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kulupana division, and of Marriages (General) of Kumbuke pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on October 21, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, DON ROMANIS KOTALAWALA, on leave. His office will be at Karandemdiyelandi in Kahatapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed PALLAGE DON POROLIS APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Welgama division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from November 5, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, GAMMANPILA IMIYAGE DON HERALIS APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Mahawala-panduregodellewatta in Welgama; station: Delpawatta in Mahagama on first and third Thursdays of every month.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kandy, has appointed RATNAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of

Marriages (General) of Udapalata No. 3 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for fourteen days from November 6, 1926, *vice* Registrar, NAWARATNA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA, dismissed. His office will be at Pinnagollewatta in Amunupure.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed MABADAWILAGE PEERIS APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapane korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale (excluding the portion in gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for two days from November 4, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, WARAHENE LIYANAGE SUGATADASA DE ALWIS GUNETILAKA, on leave. His office will be at Hedunawa in Kalapitiya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed WICKRAMASINHA NAVARATNA ABAYAKON PANDITA WAHALA MUDIYANSELAGE SENEVIRATNA BANDARA HAPUGODA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gampahasiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for three days from November 2, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, HAKMANE DASANAYAKA WASALA BANDARA AMUNUGAMA WIJERATNE RAJANAYAKA WALAWWE MUTU BANDA DORAKUMBURA, on leave. His office will be at Disawewalawwewatta in Dorakumbura; station: Ihalagedarawatta in Talagasyaya.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed NANAYAKKARAWASAN PALLIGE LEIRIS WIJISEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hapugala division, and of Marriages (General) of Four Gravets of Galle and Akmimana division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from November 1, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, WELIGAMA PALLIYE GURUGE WILLIAM DE SILVA, on leave. His offices will be at Pelawatta in Kalegama and Tumbapittaniya at Hapugala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed NIKULAS JAYAWARDENA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kottawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on November 4, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, WITANAWASAN JEERIS DE SILVA, on leave. His office will be at Talagahawatta in Tellambure.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed TIKITANTIRI MAHASAMILLAGE DON JOHANIS DE ALWIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pahalaganhaya division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on November 9, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, HORAWALA VITANAGE DON CORNELIS GUNAWARDENA, on leave. His office will be at Vitanagewatta in Horawala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed CORNELIS MENDIS WIRASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bussa division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on November 19, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, SIMON MENDIS WIJAYASEKERA, on leave. His offices will be at Mulgedarawatta in Ratgama and Gurunansegewatta in Bussa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed LIYANAMANAGE DON JUWANIS MUTUCUMARANA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for ten days from October 31, 1926, *vice* Registrar, DON TEDALIS MUTUCUMARANA, deceased. His office will be at Mahapodiliyawatta in Dikwella.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed KANAPATIPILLAI VIRAVAKU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uduppiddi division, and of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for seven days from November 5, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, ALVAPPILLAI AIYAMPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Manatpulo in Uduppiddi Imaiyanan; station: Irasinganmanal in Valluedditturai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed PASCAL JOSEPH RATNAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tellippalai division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam North division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for seven days from November 6, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, KANTAVANAM MUTTUKUMARU, on leave. His office will be at Impilbiddi in Tellippalai East.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed ALFRED MAHANANTH HANDY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koppay division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam East division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for ten days from November 6, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, SINNATTAMPI BENJAMIN MUTTIAH, on leave. His office will be at Adicheheri in Koppay South.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed MARIANO SANTHIA PEERIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mannar Island No. 2 division, and of Marriages (General) of Mannar Island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for five days from November 8, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, CHRISTOGU KAITAN TALIMA, on leave. His office will be at the Talimavalavu in Pesalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaitivu, has appointed SUBASINGHA MUDIYANSELAGE UIKKU BANDA MADUKANDE to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vavuniya South division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, for fourteen days from November 1, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, SUBASINGHA MUDIYANSELAGE KAPPURUHAMI MADUKANDE, on leave. His office will be at Madukande.

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed MUKAMMATUTAMPI MARICAR MUKAIYATIN ABDUL CARIM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Manmunai East (North-Central) division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for fifteen days from November 3, 1926, *vice* Registrar, AKAMATULEVVAI MOHAYADEENLEVVAI, deceased. His office will be at Kattankudy.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed SENEVIRATNE KUDA BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ihalawisideke korale west division, and of Marriages (General) of Hiriyala hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, on November 2, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, HITINAYAKE MUDIANSSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Moragagoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed MUDIANSSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udukaha korale east division, and of Marriages (General) of Dambadeni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for fourteen days from November 9, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, PUNCHI BANDA TILLEKARATNE, on leave. His office will be at Boyawalana.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed PERUMBULI MUDIANSSELAGE CHARLES APPUHAMY 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 four days from November 10, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, DINGIRI BANDA WEERASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Naranganuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed KARUNARATNE BIBILE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wegampattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for thirty days from November 7, 1926, during the absence of the Registrar, JOHN BIBILE, deceased. His office will be at Bibile.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

B 76/26

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of section 9 (1) and (3) of "The Labour Ordinance, No. 1 of 1923," to re-appoint the under-mentioned officers to be members of the Board of Indian Immigrant Labour:—

The Hon. the Colonial Treasurer.  
The Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.  
The Chairman, Board of Immigration and Quarantine.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

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

## Notification under Land Sale Regulations.

L 204/26

IN pursuance of Land Sale Regulation 60, notice is hereby given that application has been made by the Hon. Mr. M. M. Subramaniam, President, Board of Directors of the Hindu School, Trincomalee, for the lease of a road 25.86 perches of Crown land known as Pallikudatharai, shown as lots 2 and 3 in preliminary plan No. 5,924 and lot 1 in preliminary plan No. 6,127, situated in Trincomalee town division No. 5, within the Local Board limits in the District of Trincomalee, Eastern Province, for the purpose of using same as a site for a Hindu school:

It is hereby notified that the said land will be leased for the purpose aforesaid to the Hon. Mr. M. M. Subramaniam, President; Mr. Murugapper Somanathapillai, Secretary, Board of Directors of the Hindu School; and Swami Vipulananda (of Siri Ramakrishna Mission, India), Manager of the Hindu School, Trincomalee, without public competition, for a period of 999 years at a rental of 50 cents per acre per annum, unless valid reasons to the contrary are adduced to the satisfaction of His Excellency the Governor within six weeks from the date hereof.

These lots have been occupied by the Hindu school authorities for a long period on a temporary lease, and a large and modern building has been erected thereon. It is considered desirable to allow a long term lease in order to safeguard their tenure of the land, and to enable them to effect improvements and additions to meet growing requirements.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

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

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

U 273/26

IT is hereby notified that the Jaffna Urban District Council, has, in terms of the above Ordinance, imposed, with the sanction of the Governor in Executive Council, for the year 1927, the following tax within the administrative limits of the Jaffna 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 February 28, at the rates specified:—

	Rs.	c.
For every carriage of whatever description, other than a cart, hackery, or jinrickshaw	5	0
For every double bullock cart or 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	50

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

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

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

W 303/26

BY-LAWS made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by virtue of the powers vested in him under section 18 of "The Vehicles Ordinance, No. 4 of 1916," for the district of Dandagamuwa.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

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

## BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. No person shall use a motor vehicle exceeding two tons in weight when fully loaded and equipped on any wooden platform bridge on the roads named in the schedule hereto.
2. No person shall drive a motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 4 miles per hour over any wooden platform bridge on the roads named in the schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

Pannala-Kuliyapitiya road. | Kuliyapitiya-Hettipola road.

## "THE PILGRIMAGES ORDINANCE, No. 13 OF 1896."

K 234/26

THE following rules and orders made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under Ordinance No 13 of 1896, entitled "An Ordinance relating to Pilgrimages," as amended by Ordinance No. 7 of 1897, for the conduct of the Kataragama pilgrimage and festival, where special precautions have been and are necessary, are published for general information, in lieu of the rules promulgated annually for several years.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## RULES.

1. For sanitary reasons the duration of the Kataragama Ilmaha Kachchi festival and of the stay of pilgrims at Kataragama shall be and it is hereby limited to three days, namely, November 18 to 20, 1926. Pilgrims arriving before the day first named or staying beyond the period here prescribed shall be guilty of an offence.

2. In the event of an epidemic breaking out at Kataragama during the festival, it shall be lawful for the officers appointed to enforce the observance of orders to declare the festival at an end, and to direct pilgrims at once to leave the village and proceed to their homes, and to prescribe the roads they have to travel.

3. The officers appointed to enforce the observance of orders shall have power on the line of march to and from Kataragama and at Kataragama—

- (a) To appoint particular places to be exclusively used by the pilgrims for washing and bathing, for drawing water and drinking, and for natural offices;
- (b) To appoint places for the occupation of each class of pilgrims;
- (c) To prescribe routes for the journey of any body of pilgrims;
- (d) To regulate the distribution of all food given to pilgrims;
- (e) To fix separate places of abode for pilgrims who fall ill, to prohibit communication with them, and to detain them if unfit to travel.

Any person disobeying an order given by the appointed officers shall be guilty of an offence.

4. The Police are empowered and required to seize and destroy all food condemned as unwholesome on the march or in camp by the Medical Officer, or, if there be none, by the Chief Officer of Police; and any person resisting or obstructing the Police in the discharge of this or of any other duty prescribed by these rules shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

5. Any person bringing any cattle or cart bulls within one quarter of a mile of the camp without a permit from the Supervising Officer or any person authorized by him to issue such permits shall be deemed guilty of an offence. The issue of such permit shall be subject to compliance by the permit-holder with such conditions as may be imposed by the Supervising Officer for the purpose of enforcing sanitation and maintaining the health of the camp.

6. Any person selling meat in camp in any other place than that assigned for the purpose by the officer in charge of the camp, and any other person selling food condemned as unwholesome by the Medical Officer, or in his absence by the Chief Officer of Police, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

7. Any person who shall, during the occupation of the camp, use any other place for offices of nature than that provided for the purpose by Government, or failing to cover the deposit with earth or sand, and any person who shall during the same period bathe in or enter the river above the spot appointed by the officer in charge of the camp, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

8. Any person suffering from an infectious or a contagious disease, and not reporting the same to the Medical Officer, or in his absence to the Chief Officer of Police, and any person abetting or assisting in the concealment of such disease, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

9. All persons shall take up the quarters assigned to them by the Chief Officer of Police at the halting places and in the camp, and any person declining or neglecting to do so shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

## "THE DEFENCE FORCE ORDINANCE, 1910."

N 47/26

RULE made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 42 (1) of "The Defence Force Ordinance, 1910."

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 29, 1926.

E. B. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

## RULE.

The Notifications under section 42 (1) of the Defence Force Ordinance, dated January 26, 1917; March 2, 1917; and July 4, 1917, published respectively in the *Government Gazettes* No. 6,850 of January 26, 1917; No. 6,857 of March 2, 1917; and No. 6,886 of July 6, 1917, are hereby revoked.

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### NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for supplying Transport, &c., to the Ceylon Defence Force to be delivered at the Camp of Exercise, Diyatalawa, from time to time, as required, between January 1, 1927, and September 30, 1928, also coolly labour, cleaning of latrines, scavenging of camp, and for the erection of cadjan buildings in Colombo, if required.

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 Transport, &c., Ceylon Defence Force Camps, 1927-28," 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 30, 1926.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Ceylon Defence Force Headquarters, Slave Island, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 150. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

11. The contractor's obligations and rights under this contract shall not be assigned or otherwise transferred or sublet without the consent and authority of the Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force, previously obtained in writing. The contractor shall not be a person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, nor shall he issue a power of attorney to any person whose name is on such list for carrying on work under the contract. Any breach of this article of agreement shall render the agreement liable to cancellation without any compensation to the contractor.

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 Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

Tenderers who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property, and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Ceylon Defence Force Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Ceylon Defence Force Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

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.

J. R. ROBERTSON, Major,  
Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force.

Colombo, November 3, 1926.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for washing blankets, mattresses, kit bags, haversacks, hospital linen, &c., at Diyatalawa and Colombo, from January 1, 1927, to September 30, 1928.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Washing Bedding, &c., of the Ceylon Defence Force, 1927/28," 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 30, 1926.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Ceylon Defence Force Headquarters, Slave Island, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 only 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. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 150. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.



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

10. The contractor's obligations and rights under this contract shall not be assigned or otherwise transferred or sublet without the consent and authority of the Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force, previously obtained in writing. The contractor shall not be a person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, nor shall he issue a power of attorney to any person whose name is on such list for carrying on work under the contract. Any breach of this article of agreement shall render the agreement liable to cancellation without any compensation to the contractor.

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 Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

Tenderers who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Ceylon Defence Force Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Ceylon Defence Force Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

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

J. R. ROBERTSON, Major,  
Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force.

Colombo, November 3, 1926.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for supplying the Ceylon Cadet Battalion with uniform, boots, &c., from the date of entering the contract to September 30, 1928. Samples can be seen at the Ceylon Defence Force Headquarters, Slave Island, Colombo.

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 "No. 1, Tenders for Supply of Uniform, Boots, &c., Ceylon Cadet Battalion; for making up Uniform from Materials supplied from Government Stock, and, or No. 2, for making up Uniforms supplied by the Contractors' own Materials" 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 30, 1926.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Ceylon Defence Force Headquarters, Slave Island, Colombo, and no

tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract, the amount of security required for each bond will be Rs. 200, and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application to the office referred to in section 5.

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

11. The contractor's obligations and rights under this contract shall not be assigned or otherwise transferred or sublet without the consent and authority of the Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force, previously obtained in writing. The contractor shall not be a person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, nor shall he issue a power of attorney to any person whose name is on such list for carrying on work under the contract. Any breach of this article of agreement shall render the agreement liable to cancellation without any compensation to the contractor.

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 Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

Tenderers who have not previously held Government contracts, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving their full names and permanent addresses, stating in which district or districts they own landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property, and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Ceylon Defence Force Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders they should state in which division or district, or divisions or districts they held contracts. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Ceylon Defence Force Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

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.

J. R. ROBERTSON, Major,  
Staff Officer, Ceylon Defence Force.

Colombo, November 3, 1926.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for all works in connection with widening 7th mile, Jaffna-Karativu road.

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

3. The drawings, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Jaffna, 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. Schedule of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Jaffna, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Jaffna, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for widening 7th mile, Jaffna-Karativu Road," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on November 30, 1926. All imported articles such as cement, tar, steel powder, and fuse 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 work to the District Engineer, Jaffna, 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, Northern Province, Jaffna, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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

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

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the erection of the Polonnaruwa Hospital.

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

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, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 2 P.M.).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, in duplicate, duly signed, and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Maradankadawala, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Polonnaruwa Hospital," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on November 23, 1926. All imported articles, such as cement tiles, door and window fittings, &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. Government reserves to itself the right to supply the contractor with any materials which may be necessary in the execution of the work included in any agreement.

7. The accepted tenderer in each instance will be required to complete and hand over the works to the District Engineer, Maradankadawala, 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-Central Province, Anuradhapura, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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

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

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for New Library at Peradeniya Gardens.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Kandy, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Central Province North, Kandy, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Kandy, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates, Library, Peradeniya," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on December 6, 1926. Each schedule to give rates excluding the value of imported materials as may be necessary in the execution of the work.

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

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

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

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

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of Wards, &c., at the Anti-Tuberculosis Hospital, Ragama.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Anti-Tuberculosis Hospital, Ragama," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on November 22, 1926. All imported articles such as cement, G. I. for valley guttering and eaves guttering, and down pipes, and fittings for same, paint, furniture for doors and windows including screws, perforated zinc, mosquito and fly-proof netting, iron and steel in beams and trusses, and reinforcement for concrete, squatting plates, E. C. seats and buckets 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. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Colombo, on or before a date to be specified by him in his tender.

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

person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, 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.

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for erecting quarters for Range Forest Officer, Deniyaya.

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

3. The plans, specifications, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Matara, 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, Matara, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes—the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Matara, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Quarters for Range Forest Officer at Deniyaya," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on Tuesday, November 30, 1926. All imported articles, such as cement, Calicut tiles, fittings for doors, &c., will be supplied free of charge to the contractor by the Department, and the rates submitted should be exclusive of the costs of these materials for the items which necessitate their use.

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

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

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

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

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

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

**TENDERS** will be received by the Government Agent, Central Province, for the purchase of the privilege to sell at the Village Committee market at Yatiwawala in Harispattu, for a period of one year from January 1, 1927.

1. Tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tenders for the V. C. Market" should reach the Kachcheri not later than 12 noon on December 7, 1926.

2. No tender will be accepted unless it is made on a form issued from the Kachcheri.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Kachcheri or sent through post.

4. The Government Agent does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

5. Conditions can be seen, and further information obtained at the Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri, E. H. DAVIES,  
Kandy, November 5, 1926. for Government Agent.

**TENDERS** will be received by the Government Agent, Central Province, for the purchase of the privilege to sell at the Village Committee market at Urugala in Uda Dumbara, for a period of one year from January 1, 1927.

1. Tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tenders for the V. C. Market" should reach the Kachcheri not later than 12 noon on December 7, 1926.

2. No tender will be accepted unless it is made on a form issued from the Kachcheri.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Kachcheri or sent through post.

4. The Government Agent does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

5. Conditions can be seen, and further information obtained at the Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri, E. H. DAVIES,  
Kandy, November 5, 1926. for Government Agent.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for services described in the schedule annexed. The area to be exploited for the purpose and further details are given in the schedule hereto.

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 Sleeper and Timber Supplies, Eastern Division South, 1926-27 and 1927-28," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, November 30, 1926.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Batticaloa. No tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form, alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tender will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 for each service will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative

that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond, and all other necessary information can be ascertained, and the draft contract inspected, upon application at the office referred to in section 5. A further security in cash of Rs. 1,000 for service A and 5 per cent. of the value of the contract for service B will be required of the contractor when entering into a bond.

9. Separate rates per sleeper, broad gauge and narrow gauge, and per cubic foot of timber in the log must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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

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

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

13. The contractor must not issue a power of attorney to a person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors authorizing him to carry on the contract.

14. Tenderers should read and note a draft contract which is available in the Forest Office, Batticaloa, before they obtained their forms and certify that they have inspected the area to be exploited. They should also initial and date the list of trees enumerated.

15. For any further information, application should be made to the Divisional Forest Officer, Eastern Division (South), Batticaloa.

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

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

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

#### GENERAL CONDITIONS.

(1) Trees are to be felled within 18 inches from the ground by saw, or axe and saw combined.

(2) Only such trees as are marked and stamped by the Forest Officer are to be felled.

(3) All suitable dead and hollow trees and branch-wood within the forest such as are marked by the

Forest Officer, should, in addition to all matured sound trees marked by him, be utilized for conversion into sleepers.

(4) Part of logs attacked by fungus or defective parts of logs are not to be sawn into sleepers. The sleepers should be sawn from sound matured wood free from shakes, cracks, sapwood, and large or loose knots.

(5) Broad gauge sleepers are to be 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., and narrow gauge sleepers 5 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. or 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in..

(6) Sleepers should be rectangular in form and sawn perfectly parallel on all sides. On no account will squaring of logs, sleepers with an adze or axe be allowed.

(7) Sleepers should be covered with saw dust or immersed in water and be invariably placed under shade immediately they are sawn until they can be transported to delivery depôts, where they should be stacked and kept under shade in the manner to be pointed out by the Range Forest Officer.

(8) Rejected logs or sleepers will not be paid for, and they will lapse to Government as well as all refuse wood in the sleeper operations. The contractor shall have no claim in respect of any materials sold as rejections.

(9) All trees pointed out for conversion into logs should be logged to the longest available lengths after felling, barked and transported to a way-side depôt which will be selected by the Divisional Forest Officer, or an officer of the Department deputed for the purpose, where they will be inspected by a Forest Officer, and finally passed for transport to the delivery depôt. Sleepers will also be required to be brought to the way-side depôt for inspection. Logs which are rejected as unsuitable for delivery in the log will be marked at the inspection depôt for conversion into sleepers by the inspecting officer.

(10) The contractor may be paid a proportionate rate for timber in the log and sleepers transported to a wayside depôt, but not removed to delivery depôt, in cases when it shall be deemed expedient to do so by the Divisional Forest Officer.

(11) Payment may be made for sleepers accepted by the Divisional Forest Officer at delivery depôt.

(12) The work should commence as soon as possible after the tenders are settled and completed as follows:—

*Service A.*—500 logs should be delivered at the Batticaloa Bar by August 15, 1927, and the balance 405 logs (more or less) by the end of June, 1928. All the sleepers should be sawn and stacked at the Forest Depôt by September 30, 1927, and transported to the Batticaloa Bar before May 31, 1928.

*Service B.*—All logs should be supplied at the Batticaloa Bar before June 30, 1927, and the sleepers before August 31, 1927.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### *Service A.*

To fell, log, bark, and trim 905 satin, halmilla, milla, ranai, and palu trees (more or less) standing in the enumerated area of square mile blocks numbered 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 in strip No. 1 fully demarcated in the forest known as the Omanagala Proposed Reserve in the Maha-oya Range, Eastern Division (South), and to transport and deliver the logs stacked at the Batticaloa Bar Depôt.

To fell and convert 787 satin, milla, ranai, and palu trees (more or less) enumerated in the above-mentioned area into 1,900 broad gauge sleepers (more or less) and 500 narrow gauge sleepers (more or less), and to transport and deliver stacked at the Batticaloa

Bar Depôt. Distance of transport from the forest to the cart road about 16 to 24 miles, along the cart road about 20 miles, and along the lake about 12 miles.

##### *Service B.*

To fell, log bark, and trim 86 satin, milla, ranai, and makil trees (more or less) enumerated in the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd square mile blocks in strip No. 1 and in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th square mile blocks in strip No. 2, fully demarcated in the forest known as Nuwaragala Proposed Reserve in the Devilane Range, Eastern Division (South), and to transport and deliver the logs stacked at the Batticaloa Bar Depôt.

To fell and convert 545 satin, milla, and ranai trees (more or less) enumerated in the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd square mile blocks in strip No. 1, fully demarcated in the above-mentioned forest into 2,000 broad gauge sleepers (more or less) and 500 narrow gauge sleepers (more or less), and to transport and deliver stacked at the Batticaloa Bar Depôt. Any of the 545 trees on this area pointed out for conversion into logs only should be logged to the longest available lengths and transported and delivered at the Batticaloa Bar Depôt. Distance of transport from the forest to the lake about 18 miles and along the lake to the Batticaloa Bar about 10 miles.

J. D. SARGENT,

Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,

Kandy, November 4, 1926.

SEALED tenders marked on the envelopes "Tender for Transporting, Weighing, and Delivering Salt, Puttalam," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 12 noon on December 4, 1926, from persons willing to contract.

For the service of transporting salt collected at the Maha Manufacture, 1926, from the salt pans at Western and Eastern Salterns, to the storage platform at the Eastern Saltern, Puttalam, weighing and delivering same into trolleys.

Tenderers will note the following requirements:—

(1) They should specify rate per 1,000 cwt. for transporting the salt in sacks with mouths tied, and delivering the same into trolleys at the platform gates.

(2) The tenderer must bring in, weigh, and deliver at the storage platform 1,450 cwt. per diem. The tenderer will be liable in case of failure to a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for each day of failure to be imposed at the discretion of the Assistant Government Agent.

(3) Work to commence as early as possible.

(4) Each tenderer must deposit a sum of Rs. 200, either at the Treasury or at any Kachcheri before tendering, and the receipt must be attached to his tender. No tender will receive any consideration where no such deposit has been made. This deposit will be forfeited to Government if the tenderer is not prepared to enter into contract, or is unable to furnish certified security in Rs. 1,000 for the due fulfilment of the contract. Unforfeited deposits will be returned to the tenderers.

(5) Each tenderer must name an address in Puttalam, where all letters or notices may be served on or left for him.

(6) A letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract, should accompany the tender.

(7) Every alteration in the rates of tender should be initialled by the tenderer.

(8) A duplicate of the tender should be forwarded by the tenderer by post to the Hon. the Controller of



Revenue, Colombo, at the same time that he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent of Puttalam.

(9) The tenderers should be present at the Kachcheri on the day of the opening of tenders.

(10) Crown Counsel's fees for settling bond and contract should be paid by the successful tenderer.

(11) The mouths of the salt bags should be tied up at the kottus before loading into carts.

(12) The tender of any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, will not be accepted. The tenderer shall neither issue a power of attorney to any person, nor employ him, if the name of such person is on the list of defaulting contractors, nor any other person to whom the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

(13) Further information as to the details of procedure may be obtained by intending tenderers on application to the Salt Superintendent, Puttalam.

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

(15) Contracts may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.

(16) 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.

C. SITTAMPALAM,

for Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Puttalam, November 10, 1926.

**S**EALD tenders for the under-mentioned works will be received by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Puttalam and Chilaw Districts, up to 2 P.M. on Monday, November 22, 1926, at the Puttalam Kachcheri:—

(1) Scavenging contract, Madampe (contractor supplying 2 pairs of bulls, 2 carters for Sanitary Board carts, 10 adult coolies and a kangany). The contractor besides scavenging the streets will have to keep the irrigation channel clean and free of refuse.

(2) Scavenging contract, Marawila (contractor to supply 2 double carts, 2 pairs bulls, and 2 carters. Rubbish to be removed every alternate day).

(3) Scavenging contract, Nattandiya. } Contractor to supply 1

(4) Scavenging contract, Udappu. } double bullock cart with  
carter and bulls in each  
of these towns.

(5) Scavenging contract, Kalpitiya (contractor to supply 2 double bullock carts, bulls, and carters).

(6) Contract for the purchase of rubbish and sweepings, Madampe.

(7) Contract for the purchase of rubbish and sweepings, Marawila.

(8) Contract for the purchase of rubbish and sweepings, Udappu.

(9) Contract for the purchase of rubbish and sweepings, Kalpitiya.

(10) Conservancy contract, Marawila.

(11) Conservancy contract, Nattandiya.

2. In the case of tenders for scavenging, the tenderers should state separately in their tenders the rates at which they are prepared to work the scavenging cart or carts per mensem—

(a) Taking over the rubbish and sweepings themselves and depositing them outside Sanitary Board limits.

(b) Making over the rubbish and sweepings to the Board at a dumping ground to be fixed by it within half a mile of the outer limits of the Sanitary Board.

3. In the case of the conservancy contract the contractor will be required to conserve the public latrines within the Sanitary Board limits.

(a) At Marawila } The contractor to supply a  
(b) At Nattandiya } double-bullock cart, bulls,  
and a carter for each town.

4. Further particulars can be obtained on application at the Kachcheri.

5. Each tenderer is required to deposit Rs. 5 before tendering for the work, and the Kachcheri receipt or money order in support of the deposit should be attached to the tender, in failure whereof his tender will be rejected. In the event of the tender being rejected the money deposited will be refunded.

6. Within a week of the date of the acceptance of the tender the successful tenderer or tenderers will be required to deposit one-tenth of the amount tendered as security and to enter into a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract in failure whereof the Chairman, Sanitary Board, reserves the right to confiscate the money deposited by the tenderer in terms of paragraph 5.

7. The Chairman reserves to himself the right to accept or reject any tender.

C. L. WICKREMESINGHE,  
Chairman.

The Kachcheri,  
Puttalam, November 5, 1926.

**S**CHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the conversion of the present Provincial Engineer's bungalow at Ratnapura to Post Office and quarters, Ratnapura.

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

3. The Public Works Department specifications, drawings, bill of quantities, and form of monthly agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Ratnapura, any week day between the hours of 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. (Saturdays 9.30 A.M. and 12 noon).

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted, in duplicate, on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Ratnapura. Both copies of schedules shall be duly signed and dated and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Ratnapura, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for the Conversion of the present Provincial Engineer's Bungalow to Post Office and Quarters, Ratnapura," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on Monday, November 22, 1926.

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. Each schedule of rates must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging, if called upon, to

become security for the due fulfilment of the contract. Any address for the delivery of letters or notices shall be given in each schedule.

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

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

9. 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, Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

10. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the schedules of rates submitted, not to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

S. J. KIRBY,

for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 2, 1926.

## SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

**A** SALE of unserviceable articles, including empty iron drums, empty wooden tar barrels, 5-gallon drums, packing cases, &c., will be held by public auction at the Railway Stores, Maradana, on Thursday, November 25, 1926, at 3 P.M. :—

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,  
Railway Storekeeper.

Railway Storekeeper's Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

**T**HE under-mentioned unclaimed and confiscated articles will be sold by public auction at the Police Court of Colombo, on November 20, 1926, at 10 A.M. :—

43,717	... Cigarette case and pencil.
28,836	... Two pieces of silver necklace.
—	... Silver bangle and brooch.
P193	... Chain (silver).
47,753	... One small necklace, brass chain, hairpin, and pair of earrings.
P2,666	... Watch.
P1,245	... Pair links.
P169	... Wristlet watch.
P969	... Watch.
P172	... Silver chain with pendant.
P222	... Chain.
P171	... Three brass bangles, one string beads.
34,286	... Wristlet.
P1,236	... Metal handbag.
12,672	... One sarada (neck band).
P249	... Gilted chain.
—	... Rosary, hairpin, brass brooch.
P46	... Silver sarada (neck band).
40,050	... Silver chain.
A107	... Ring set with three red stones.
P1,281	... Silver bangles.
1,074	... Pair earrings.
12,685	... Fountain pen.
44,632	... Silver gilted thali.
P187	... Black small sweater, silver cigarette case, brass watch chain.
P14	... Wristlet watch.
P33	... Wristlet watch.
P26	... Wristlet watch.
P257	... Bangle.
P255	... Crooked comb.
P256	... Crooked comb.
P1,127	... Four rings, moonstones, and red stones.
13,464	... Pair gold earrings.
—	... Wristlet watch.
—	... Silver chain and brooch.
33,321	... Four brass rings.
P1,128	... Silver brooch.

P1,214	... Bunch of keys, wristlet watch with band.
9,741	... Silver hairpin.
P253	... Pair silver bangles, rings, and pair of earrings.
P20	... Wristlet watch.
P174	... Three earrings.
P270	... Wristlet watch.
46,270	... Wristlet watch.
—	... Watch.
—	... Silver bangle.
—	... Silver hairpin.
39,551	... Two brass rings.
258	... Spanner.
—	... Four bicycles.

W. O. STEVENS,  
Police Magistrate.  
Police Court,  
Colombo, November 4, 1926.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the European Police Sergeants' Married quarters at San Sebastian, on Thursday, November 18, 1926, at 2.15 P.M. :—

Beds, iron, single	... 1
Bins, dust	... 4
Basins, enamel, wash	... 1
Buckets, galvanized, iron	... 2
Cues, billiard	... 6
Cruets, breakfast	... 2
Chairs, ordinary	... 5
Chairs, arm	... 7
Chairs, lounge	... 2
Caddy, sugar	... 1
Dishes, roasting, tin	... 3
Jugs, water, enamel	... 1
Mattresses, coir	... 10
Matting, coir, pieces	... 4
Mats, door, coir	... 2
Pans, frying	... 3
Scales	... 1
Stands, wash-hand	... 1
Spittoons	... 4
Saucepans, iron	... 10
Taps, beer, brass	... 4
Brooms, bass	... 3
Cups, breakfast	... 25
Covers, lounge, cushion	... 4
Covers, lounge, head	... 7
Cloths, kitchen	... 17
Cloths, glass	... 10
Cloths, table, white	... 6
Curtains, mosquito	... 10
Curtains, window	... 6
Dishes, meat	... 1
Pillow-cases	... 36
Serviettes	... 30



Sheets, bed	...	...	35
Towels, bath	...	...	25
Towels, hand	...	...	10
Towels, plate	...	...	20
Jugs, milk	...	...	5
Table cloth, billiard	...	...	1

J. D. AITKEN,

Superintendent of Police.

Office of the Superintendent of Police,  
Colombo, November 4, 1926.**Sale of Productions in Criminal Cases.**

THE under-mentioned productions in criminal cases will be sold at this Office by public auction on Thursday, December 9, 1926, at 10 A.M. Any person who may have a claim to any of the articles is required to appear before the Deputy Fiscal, Colombo, before the said date and establish his claim.

Name of Court.	No. of Case.	Description of Articles.
P. C., Colombo..	44720/6558	Two khaki coats and white shirt
Do.	43154/6483	Cigarette case, spectacles, fountain pen, watch, and handkerchief
Do.	40976/6383	Bottle lamp and cloth
Do.	44256/6522	Handkerchief and betel purse
Do.	39876/6300	Handkerchief and 3 buttons
Do.	39461/6290	Tin cigarettes
Do.	43667/6553	Handkerchief
Do.	45134/6570	Rickshaw bell
Do.	44060/6561	4 bed quilts, silk handkerchief, and white cloth
Itg. P. C., Gam-paha	24674/6368	2 boxes
P. C., Colombo..	46847/6741	1 old bucket, small quantity salt, buffalo horn, pillow case containing clothes, horn, sample of cloth

Name of Court.	No. of Case.	Description of Articles.
P. C., Colombo..	46355/6640	Bottle with cigars
Do.	47520/6738	Two packets sunlight soap
Do.	49422/6839	Baniam and blue cloth
Do.	341/342/6898	Coat, pair of spectacles, 3 balls cotton, 3 reels of cotton, white coat
Do.	48/6842	Sarong, cloth, banian, and handkerchief
Do.	48124/6730	2 tins of cigarettes and box of thread
Do.	691/6897	Hairpin, 2 buttons, and scissors
Do.	47042/6672	Mat bag with 2 buttons
Do.	47115/6733	Two clothes
Itg. P. C., Gam-paha	28307/6606	1 gown
P. C., Colombo..	45980/6612	1 showel
Do.	828/6967	1 cloth
Do.	48796/6788	Handkerchief
Do.	883/6912	Shirt and padlock
Do.	3437/7158	4 new banians, empty box piece of candle, and sample banian
Do.	5979/7245	Coat and shirt
Do.	4300/7193	Candle, box of matches, and 7 mouth organs
Do.	2012/7122	Handkerchief
Do.	3806/7147	Blue handkerchief
Do.	6022/7259	Belt
Do.	6901/7292	Umbrella
Do.	5071/7228	2 lamps and copper plate
Do.	7080/7293	3 sets of plate
Do.	7983/7346	Pingo with 2 baskets and cloth
Do.	1585/7211	Beam
Do.	2267/2268	Baniam
Itg. P. C., Gam-paha	36723/7405	Box and lamp
P. C., Colombo..	5791/7258	3 boxes

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, November 6, 1926.R. O. DE SARAM,  
for Fiscal, W. P.**VITAL STATISTICS.****Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended November 6, 1926.**

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 204 (3 Europeans, 11 Burghers, 116 Sinhalese, 26 Tamils, 38 Moors, 7 Malays, and 3 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1926, viz., 258,905) was 41.1, as against 32.0 in the preceding week, 24.2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 29.9 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 148 (3 Burghers, 86 Sinhalese, 21 Tamils, 26 Moors, 9 Malays, and 3 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 29.8, as against 32.8 in the previous week, 21.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 30.3 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 148 total deaths, 37 were of infants under one year of age, as against 43 in the preceding week, 21 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 33 the average for last year.

**Stillbirths.**—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 10.

**Principal Causes of Death.**—1. (a) Thirteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 5 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 3 each in Maradana South and Slave Island, and 1 each in Kollupitiya and Wellawatta South, as against 17 in the previous week, and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Two deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 1 each in Kotahena South and Maradana North, as against 5 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

(c) One death from *Bronchitis* was registered in Maradana hospital (of a non-resident), as against 3 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

2. Nine deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 7 in Maradana hospitals (including 5 deaths of non-residents), and 1 each in St. Paul's and New Bazaar, as against 16 in the previous week, and 14 the weekly average for last year.

3. Four deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 3 in Maradana hospitals (of non-residents), and 1 in Maradana South, as against 3 in the previous week, and 6 the weekly average for last year.

4. One death from *Plague* was registered in Pettah, as against nil in the previous week, and 1 the weekly average for last year.

5. Sixteen deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 10 from *Debility*, 4 from *Tetanus*, 3 each from *Diarrhoea*, *Worms*, and *Puerperal Septicaemia*, 2 each from *Dysentery* and *Enteritis*, and 75 from *Other Causes*.

6. Fourteen cases of *Chickenpox*, 7 of *Measles*, 2 of *Enteric Fever*, and 1 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 11, 3, 3, and nil, respectively, of the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 79.7°, against 80.7° in the preceding week, and—in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.895 in., against 29.898 in. in the preceding week and—in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 3.28 in., against 0.10 in. in the preceding week and 9.74 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.P. D. RATNATUNGA,  
for Registrar-General.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE NAKKALA RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE NAKKALA RUBBER COMPANY, 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 the leasehold interest in Nakkala estate in the Moneragala District, Ceylon.
  - (b) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and manufacturers of and dealers in rubber, tea, and other Ceylon produce.
  - (c) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable of any kind, and any contracts, rights, easements, patents, licences, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret) which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business, and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
  - (d) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
  - (e) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop the said property or any portion thereof, and any other land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof as a tea and rubber estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops, that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce, tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
  - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work tea and rubber factories, cacao, coconut, and coffee curing mills, and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects or to contribute to or subsidize such.
  - (g) To enter into any arrangement or agreements with Government or any authorities, and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
  - (h) To hire, lease, or purchase land, either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon, or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
  - (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory, erected or leased as provided in (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
  - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market, tea, rubber, cacao, coconut, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, cacao, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
  - (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconut, cacao, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
  - (l) To work mines or quarries, and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of tea, rubber, cacao, chocolate, coconuts, and other products or any such business on behalf of the Company or as agents for others and on commission or otherwise.
  - (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
  - (n) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cacao, chocolate, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world, agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
  - (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates, and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvements, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
  - (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings, or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
  - (q) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purpose of the Company upon the security of cash credit bonds, or of hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof, or otherwise as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital), or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
  - (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights, or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.

- (s) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits or union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise, and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any share, stock, or other interest in any such Company, and to promote the formation of any such Company.
- (u) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (v) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company.
- (w) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable elsewhere.
- (x) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all.
- (y) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required, upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (z) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever, and to subscribe to and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (z1) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate, or property, or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever with power to issue any shares either fully or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (z2) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable and movable, estate, property, and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company or in discharged of any other consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares, the shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any Company or person or partly one and partly the other.
- (z3) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (z4) To do all such other things as shall be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects above mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "person" any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Fifty-thousand (50,000) shares of Ten Rupees (Rs. 10.00) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

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

Name and Address of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
R. J. HARTLEY, Colombo .. .. .	One
LIONEL BRAY, Colombo .. .. .	One
LEWIS B. GOURLAY, Moneragalla .	One
E. C. MARSH SMITH, Badulla .. .. .	One
F. F. ROE, Colombo .. .. .	One
J. G. MOORE, Colombo .. .. .	One
A. W. HARRISON, Colombo .. .. .	One
Total Shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to all the above signatures this Thirteenth day of October, 1926 :

SYDNEY JULIUS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

## ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE NAKKALA RUBBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

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

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

## INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

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

## BUSINESS.

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

3. The business of the Company shall be carried on by or under the management or direction of the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents. The Company being established on the basis that it shall acquire the leasehold interest in Nakkala estate, it shall be no objection that the vendors are in a fiduciary position to the Company, or that there is no independent Board of Directors, nor shall any claim be made on any of the vendors on any such ground. Every member of the Company present or future shall be deemed to have joined the Company on this basis.

## CAPITAL.

4. 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.

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

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

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

## SHARES.

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

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

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

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares, such new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof or any other General Meeting of the Company shall direct, and, if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends, and in the distribution of the assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

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

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

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

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

16. 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. The Company shall not be bound to recognize (event though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right there to in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 35 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

18. Every Shareholder be entitled to one certificate under the Common Seal of the Company specifying the share or shares registered in his name and the amount paid thereon or if the Directors so approve (upon paying such fee as the Directors may from time to time determine to several certificates each for one or more of such shares provided that in the case of shares registered in the names of two or more persons the delivery of such certificate to any one of them shall be delivery to all.

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

#### CALLS.

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

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

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

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

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

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

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

27. 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.

28. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise; or transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

29. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Two Rupees and Fifty cents or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer; upon payment thereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 28, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder, and retain the instrument of transfer.

30. 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.

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

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

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

33. The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares of such Shareholder.

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

35. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 34 shall not, from any cause whatever, within 12 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 12 calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the share of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money, and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such shares, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

39. 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.

40. 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.

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

42. The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof, upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares; and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than nine per centum per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 39 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

43. The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint-holders or in respect of any other debt, liability, or engagement whatsoever, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls,



which the Directors shall have resolved to make, although the times appointed for the payment thereof, shall not have arrived, and where any share is held by more persons than one, the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons. And the Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

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

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

46. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that the power of sale given by clause 50 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

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

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

50. Any meeting for the purpose of the last preceding clause shall be convened and conducted in all respects as nearly as possible in the same way as an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, provided that no member, not being a Director, shall be entitled to notice thereof or to attend thereat, unless he be a holder of shares of the class intended to be effected 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 member personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

#### BORROWING POWERS.

51. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, provided that the moneys so borrowed or raised, and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting exceed Rupees Fifty thousand (Rs. 50,000).

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

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

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

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

#### GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

60. 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 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 such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

61. Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than five days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting.
62. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.
63. 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 the business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* or in such other manner, if any, as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convened the second meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.
64. Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors in place of those retiring by rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatsoever of which special mention shall have been given in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.
65. 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, except resolutions submitted under Article 67.
66. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting, except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present or represented at the commencement of the business three or more Shareholders entitled to vote.
67. If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting, the required number of Shareholders shall not be present at the meeting, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of Shareholders, shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week, at the same time and place; and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.
68. The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; or if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present at the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the Chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman, and if no Director be present or if all the Directors present decline to take the Chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.
69. No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the Chair is vacant.
70. The Chairman may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn any meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place, unless due notice thereof shall be given.
71. 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.

72. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some Shareholder, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, present and entitled to vote a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution. The power of demanding a poll conferred by this clause may be exercised by the proxy or attorney of any Shareholder duly appointed in that behalf.
73. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder present, his proxy or attorney, or in the case of a special resolution by five Shareholders, their proxies or attorneys at the meeting and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and place and in such manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided; and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder or proxy or attorney, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.
74. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.
75. No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.
76. On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote. Where the Shareholder is present by an attorney who is not a Shareholder, such attorney shall be entitled to vote for such Shareholder on a show of hands. In case of a poll every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.
77. The parent or guardian or curator of an infant Shareholder, the Committee or other legal guardian or curator of any lunatic Shareholder, the husband of any female Shareholder, not entitled to her shares as separate estate, and the executor or administrator of any deceased Shareholder, or any one of such persons as aforesaid, if more than one, shall not be entitled to vote in the place of such infant, lunatic, female, or deceased Shareholder, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.
78. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney.

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

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

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

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

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

*The Nakkala Rubber Company, Limited.*

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

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

83. No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote, whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney, except at the meeting or poll at which such vote shall be tendered, and every vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) to which no objections shall be made at such meeting or poll shall be deemed valid for all purposes of such meeting or poll whatsoever.

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

**DIRECTORS.**

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

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

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

87. The first Directors shall be Messrs. E. C. Marsh-Smith of Badulla, Edgar P. Andrews of Gampola, L. B. Gourlay of Moneragalla, and J. G. Moore of Colombo, who will join the board after allotment. The first Directors shall hold office till the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

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

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

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

**ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

96. If at any meeting at which an election of a Director ought to take place the place of 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.

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

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

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

100. No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

#### DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

101. The office of Director shall be vacated—

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

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

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

102. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the said Nakkala estate, and the lease, purchase, or acquisition of any other lands, estates, or property they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

103. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors, either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an agent or agents, and secretary or secretaries of the Company, to be appointed by the Directors subject to the provisions of Article No. 121 for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses, as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation and purchase, lease or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof, and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

104. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, 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, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons, as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause for so doing.

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

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

106. 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.

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

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

109. It shall be lawful for the Directors, if authorized so to do by an extraordinary resolution of the Shareholders of the Company in General Meeting, to arrange terms for the amalgamation of the Company with any other company or companies, or individual or individuals, or for the sale or disposal of the business, estates, and effects of the Company, or any part or parts, share or shares thereof, respectively, to any company or companies, or person or persons,

upon such terms and in such manner as the Directors shall think fit, and the Directors shall have power to do all such things as may be necessary for carrying such amalgamation, sale or other disposition into effect so far as a resolution or special resolution of the Company is not by law necessary for such purpose; and in case any terms so arranged by the Directors include or make necessary the dissolution of the Company, the Company shall be dissolved to that end.

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

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

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

114. 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.

115. 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.

116. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

#### AGENTS AND SECRETARIES.

121. The firm of Gordon Frazer & Company, Limited, shall be the first Agents and Secretaries of the Company.

## ACCOUNTS.

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

123. 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 if any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholder shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by Ordinance or authorized by the Directors or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

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

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

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

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

128. 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.

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

## AUDIT.

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

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

132. 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.

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

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

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

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

## DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

137. 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.

138. The Directors may from time to time pay to the members such interim dividends as in their judgment the position of the Company justifies.

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

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

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



142. 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.

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

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

145. 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.

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

#### NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

152. Any Shareholder who fails to give and register an address in Ceylon as provided in Article No. 148, shall not be entitled to be given any notices.

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

#### EVIDENCE.

153. 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.

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

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

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

R. J. HARTLEY, Colombo.  
LIONEL BRAY, Colombo.  
LEWIS B. GOURLAY, Monaragalla.  
E. C. MARSH SMITH, Badulla.  
F. F. ROE, Colombo.  
J. G. MOORE, Colombo.  
A. W. HARRISON, Colombo.

Witness to all the above signatures this Thirteenth day of October, 1926:

[Third Publication.]

SYDNEY JULIUS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE ASSOCIATED NEWSPAPERS OF CEYLON, LIMITED.

1. THE name of the Company is "THE ASSOCIATED NEWSPAPERS OF CEYLON, 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 Tudugalage Don Richard Wijewardene as a going concern the business of newspaper publishers and printers at present carried on by him.
  - (b) To carry on in Great Britain and in the Island of Ceylon and in any other part of the world all or any of the following business: newspaper proprietors, publishers, press correspondents, news agents, telegraphic and general agents, journalists, reporters, stationers, printers, engravers, type-founders, die-sinkers, photographers, block makers, and generally to act as agents, contractors, manufacturers, or retailers.
  - (c) To carry on the business of manufacturers of, dealers in, hirers, repairers, cleaners, storers and warehousemen, of motor cars, motor cycles, cycles, cars, motors, scooters, cycles, bicycles and carriages, launches, boats, vans, aeroplanes, hydroplanes, and other conveyances of all descriptions (all hereinafter comprised in the term "motors and other things") whether propelled or assisted by means of petrol, spirit, steam, gas, electrical, aerial, or other power, and of engines, chassis bodies and other things used for, or in connection with motors and other things. To buy, sell, let or hire, repair, alter, and deal in machinery, component parts, accessories and fittings of all kinds for motors and other things, and all articles and things used in, or capable of being used in, connection with the manufacture, maintenance, and working thereof.
  - (d) To carry on the business of garage keepers and suppliers of, and dealers in, petrol, electricity, and other, motive power to motors and other things.
  - (e) To carry on the business of mechanical engineers, machinists, fitters, millwrights, founders, wire drawers, tube makers, metallurgists, saddlers, galvanizers, japanners, annealers, enamellers, electroplaters, painters, and packing, case makers.
  - (f) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties, and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable of any kind, and any contracts, rights, easements, patents, licences, or privileges, in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret) which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business; and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
  - (g) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere; and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
  - (h) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop any land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof, as a tea and rubber estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company; and to plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, and plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
  - (i) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work produce mills and factories, work shops, engineering shops and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
  - (j) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any other authorities, and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
  - (k) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
  - (l) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (k), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
  - (m) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, cocoa, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship and dispose of such tea, rubber, cocoa, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
  - (n) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in tea, rubber, coconuts, cocoa, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
  - (o) To work mines or quarries, and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of tea, rubber, cocoa, chocolate, coconuts, and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company or as agents for others, and on commission or otherwise.
  - (p) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
  - (q) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and dealers in tea, rubber, and other Ceylon produce.
  - (r) 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.



- (s) To undertake and transact all kinds of agency which an ordinary individual may legally undertake.
- (t) To provide for, furnish, or secure to any shareholders of the Company or customers of or to any subscriber to or purchasers or possessors of any publication of the Company any chattels, conveniences, advantages, benefits, or special privileges which may seem expedient and either gratuitously or otherwise.
- (u) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom, or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cocoa, chocolate, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
- (v) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estates agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
- (w) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings, or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
- (x) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purposes of the Company upon the security of cash credit bonds, or of hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof, or otherwise, as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital), or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
- (y) 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 re-borrow the moneys secured thereby, or any part or parts thereof.
- (z 1) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (z 2) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits of union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon, either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (z 3) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (z 4) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company.
- (z 5) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (z 6) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all.
- (z 7) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (z 8) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever and to subscribe to and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (z 9) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate, or property, or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company, or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever with power to issue any shares either fully or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (z 10) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable and movable, estate, property, and assets of the Company, of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company, or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares, the shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person or partly one and partly other.
- (z 11) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (z 12) To do all such other things as shall be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects above-mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "person," any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Rupees One Million (Rs. 1,000,000), divided into 10,000 shares of Hundred Rupees (Rs. 100) each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original,

increased, or reduced) of the Company may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

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

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
D. R. WIJewardene, Colombo .. .. .	One
H. WIJewardene, Colombo .. .. .	One
R. WIJewardene, Colombo .. .. .	One
D. E. WIJewardene, Colombo .. .. .	One
D. A. T. WIJewardene, Colombo .. .. .	One
D. C. WIJewardene, Colombo .. .. .	One
D. WALTER WIJewardene, Colombo .. .. .	One
Total Shares taken .. .. .	Seven

Witness to all the above signatures, this Sixth day of September, 1926 :

SYDNEY JULIUS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE ASSOCIATED NEWSPAPERS OF CEYLON, LIMITED.

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

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

#### INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Directors" means the Directors for the time being of the Company or (as the case may be) the Directors assembled at a board.

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

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

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

"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

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

#### BUSINESS.

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

3. The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings, in accordance with these presents. The Company being established on the basis that it shall acquire the business of newspaper publishers and printers at present carried on by Tudugalage Don Richard Wijewardene it shall be no objection that the vendor is in a fiduciary position to the Company or that there is no independent Board of Directors nor shall any claim be made on any of the vendors on any such ground. Every member of the Company present or future shall be deemed to have joined the Company on this basis.

#### CAPITAL.

4. The nominal capital of the Company is Rupees One Million (Rs. 1,000,000) divided into 10,000 shares of Hundred Rupees (Rs. 100) each.

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

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

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

#### SHARES.

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

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

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

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares, such new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof, or any other General Meeting of the Company, shall direct, and if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends, and in the distribution of the assets of the Company, and with a special or without any right of voting.

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

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

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

14. Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons jointly; 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. In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

16. 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. The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 34 to become a shareholder in respect of any share.

18. Every shareholder shall be entitled to one certificate under the common seal of the Company, specifying the share or shares registered in his name, and the amount paid thereon, or if the Directors so approve (upon paying such fee as the Directors may from time to time determine) to several certificates each for one or more of such shares provided that in case of shares registered in the names of two or more persons the delivery of such certificate to any one of them shall be delivery to all.

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

#### CALLS.

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

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

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

23. 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 term as the Director may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension except as a matter of grace or favour.

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

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

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

(1) A share may be transferred by a member or other person entitled to transfer to any member selected by the transferor; but save as aforesaid, and save as provided by clause 6 or 8 hereof, no share shall be transferred to a person who is not a member so long as any member or any person selected by the Directors as one whom it is desirable in the interest of the Company to admit to membership is willing to purchase the same at the fair value.

(2) Except where the transfer is made pursuant to clause (1), (6) or (8) hereof the person proposing to transfer any share (hereinafter called the "proposing transferor") shall give notice in writing (hereinafter called a "transfer notice") to the Company that he desires to transfer the same.

Such notice shall either specify the sum he fixes as the price or if no price is specified the fair value shall be fixed by the auditor in accordance with these articles and such notice shall constitute the Company his agent for the sale of the share to any member of the Company at the price or fair value so fixed. A transfer notice may include several shares, and in such case shall operate as if it were a separate notice in respect of each. A transfer notice shall not be revocable except with the sanction of the Directors.

(3) If the Company shall, within the space of twenty-eight days after being served with a transfer notice, find a member or person selected as aforesaid willing to purchase the share (hereinafter called the purchasing member), and shall give notice thereof to the proposing transferor, he shall be bound, upon payment of his price or the fair value, to transfer the share to the purchasing member.

(4) Whenever occasion arises to fix the fair value of a share the auditor shall on the application of the Directors certify in writing the sum which in his opinion is the fair value and such sum shall be deemed to be the fair value and in so certifying the auditor shall be considered to be acting as an expert.

(5) If in any case the proposing transferor, after having become bound as aforesaid, makes default in transferring the share, the Company may receive the purchase money, and shall thereupon cause the name of the purchasing member to be entered in the register as the holder of the share, and shall hold the purchase-money in trust for the proposing transferor. The receipt of the Company for the purchase-money shall be a good discharge to the purchasing member, and after his name has been entered in the register in purported exercise of the aforesaid power, the validity of the proceedings shall not be questioned by any person.

(6) If the Company shall not, within the space of twenty-eight days after being served with a transfer notice, find a member or person selected as aforesaid willing to purchase the shares, and give notice in manner aforesaid, the proposing transferor shall at any time within three calendar months afterwards be at liberty, subject to clause 28 hereof, to sell and transfer the shares (or those not placed) to any person and at any price.

(7) The Company in General Meeting may make and from time to time vary rules as to the mode in which any shares specified in any transfer notice shall be offered to the members, and as to their rights in regard to the purchase thereof, and in particular may give any member or class of members a preferential right to purchase the same. Until otherwise determined, every such share shall be offered to the members in such order as shall be determined by lots drawn in regard thereto, and the lots shall be drawn in such manner as the Directors think fit.

(8) Any share may be transferred by a member to any child or other issue, son-in-law, father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, wife, or husband of member, and any share of a deceased may be transferred by his executors or administrators to any child, or other issue, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, widow or widower of such deceased member to whom such deceased member may have specifically bequeathed the same; and shares standing in the name of the trustees of the will of any deceased member may be transferred upon any change of trustees to the trustees for the time being of such will, and the restrictions in clause 1 hereof shall not apply to any transfer authorized by this clause.

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

27. 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.

28. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company or upon whose shares the Company have a lien, or otherwise, or in case of shares not fully paid up, to any person not approved of by them; and in no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

29. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by the certificate for the shares to be transferred and by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of Two Rupees and Fifty cents or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer; upon payment thereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 28, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder and retain the instrument of transfer.

30. 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.

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

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

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

33. The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares of such Shareholder.

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

35. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 34, 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 nor person shall within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money; and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such shares, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

39. 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.

40. 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.

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

42. The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per centum per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 39, hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

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

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

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

46. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that the power of sale given by clause 44 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

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

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

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



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

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

#### BORROWING POWERS.

51. The Directors may from time to time at their discretion borrow or secure the payment of any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company provided that the Directors shall not without the sanction of a General Meeting of the Company so borrow any sum of money which will make the amount borrowed or secured by the Company and then outstanding exceed the sum of Rs. 25,000. Nevertheless no lender or other person dealing with the Company shall be concerned to see or inquire whether this limit is observed. And the Directors shall have power without the sanction of a General Meeting to borrow up to Rupees Three hundred and Fifty thousand (Rs. 350,000) carrying interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum on the formation of the Company provided such loan is secured by debentures issued before the December 31, 1926, and for the purpose of securing the repayment of such money so borrowed the Directors may exercise the powers given them in the 53rd Article.

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

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

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

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

#### GENERAL MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

60. 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.

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

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

63. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the objects and business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting. Where it is proposed to pass a special resolution the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice, and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently upon the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

64. 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 account presented thereto by the Directors, and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors in place of those retiring by rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors; and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatsoever of which special mention shall have been given in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

65. 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 except resolutions submitted under Article 61.

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

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

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

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

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

71. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

*The Associated Newspapers of Ceylon, Limited.*

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

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

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

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

#### DIRECTORS.

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



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

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

87. The first Directors shall be Messrs. Tudugalage Don Richard Wijewardene, Tudugalage Don Albert Tarrant Wijewardene and Tudugalage Don Edmund Wijewardene. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall retire, but they shall be eligible for re-election, save and except the said Tudugalage Don Richard Wijewardene who shall, subject to Article 102, be entitled to continue in office as such Director and shall be Chairman of Directors as long as he holds Five hundred fully paid up shares in the Capital of the Company.

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

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

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

89. The Chairman shall be at liberty to appoint one or two Directors from the Editorial or the Administrative Staffs and to remove from the Office of Director any person so appointed, and upon the removal or retirement of any such person to appoint any other person in his place. The Directors so appointed shall be *ex officio* Directors within the meaning of these presents. The Board shall have the power to enter into an agreement with any *ex officio* Director appointed under this article awarding to him a commission on the nett profits of the Company or of any department thereof, and such commission can be awarded in addition to any salary earned by such Director by reason of his editorial or administrative appointment and to his fees as Director.

#### ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

90. Subject to the provisions of Article 87 at the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office and at the first Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in Clause 91.

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

92. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

101. No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager, exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

#### DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

102. The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Manager, Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, Agent or Secretary of the Company or Trustee for Debenture Holders.

- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he resigns his office under the provisions of Clause 98.
- (f) If he ceases to ordinarily reside in Ceylon or is absent from Ceylon for a period of three consecutive months without leave from the Board.

And in the case of an *ex officio* Director he shall cease to be a Director if and as soon as he ceases to hold an appointment on the Editorial or the Administrative Staffs.

No Director shall be disqualified from holding office by reason of entering into any contract with or doing any work for the Company, or by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for the Company, or by reason of his being agent or secretary, or solicitor or broker or being a member of a firm who are agents or secretaries, solicitors or brokers of the Company; nevertheless he shall disclose to the Directors his interest in any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested, and shall not vote in respect of any matter connected with any such contract, work, or business.

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

103. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the aforesaid business of newspaper publishers and printers and the lease, purchase, or acquisition of any lands, estates, or property they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

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

105. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and, in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers superintendents, assistants, clerks, 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, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause for so doing.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration, and observe and perform or enforce the awards.

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

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

128. 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.

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

#### AUDIT.

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

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

132. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

138. The Directors may from time to time pay to the members such interim dividends as in their judgment the position of the Company justifies.

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

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

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

142. 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.

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

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

145. 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.

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

## NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

## EVIDENCE.

153. 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.

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

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

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

D. R. WIJEWARDENE, Colombo.

H. WIJEWARDENE, Colombo.

R. WIJEWARDENE, Colombo.

D. E. WIJEWARDENE, Colombo.

D. A. T. WIJEWARDENE, Colombo.

D. C. WIJEWARDENE, Colombo.

D. WALTER WIJEWARDENE, Colombo.

Witness to all the above signatures, this Sixth day of September, 1926 :

**THE COUNCIL OF THE CEYLON TRAINING COLONY SOCIETY, LIMITED.**

**Balance Sheet (Capital Funds), August 31, 1926.**

<i>Capital and Liabilities.</i>	Rs. o.	Rs. c.	<i>Property and Assets.</i>	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<b>Capital Account—</b>			<b>Land, Building, and Furniture—</b>		
Church Missionary Society Federator ..	65,000	0	As per last Balance Sheet, August 31, 1925 ..	155,597	12
Wesleyan Missionary Society Federator ..	30,000	0	<b>Add Expenditure, 1925-26—</b>	Rs. c.	
	95,000	0	Land ..	1,087	75
<b>Land, Building, and Furniture Fund—</b>			Furnishing ..	311	88
As per last Balance Sheet—August 31, 1925 ..	23,182	39	New Garage ..	77	0
Add B. M. S. Entrance Fees, 1925-26 ..	150	0		1,476	63
	23,332	39	<b>Less Recovered on sale of old Practising School ..</b>	800	0
<b>Colony General Purposes Fund—</b>				676	63
As per last Balance Sheet, August 31, 1925 ..	39,564	73	<b>Other Investments of Colony General Purposes Fund—</b>		
Add Funds for Capital Expenditure in 1925-26 ..	676	63	On fixed deposit on account Reserve Fund ..	4,075	0
Add to Reserve Fund in 1925-26 ..	2,000	0	Loan on mortgage ..	200	0
Interest on Reserve Fund Investment ..	75	0		4,275	0
Added to loan on mortgage ..	50	0	<b>Investments of Special Funds—</b>		
	42,366	36	<b>Chapel Fund—</b>		
Less B. M. S. Fees in 1925-26 ..	150	0	Building, as per last Balance Sheet, August 31, 1925 ..	25,988	13
	42,216	36	Add Expenditure in 1925-26 ..	10,681	33
<b>Chapel Fund—</b>				36,619	46
As per last Balance Sheet, August 31, 1925 ..	32,691	15	On fixed deposit ..	6,432	63
	£ s. d.		Cash on hand ..	625	79
Add Balances included in General Account at August 31, 1925, and in England ..	27	16	£ s. d.		
	27	16	Cash at Bank in England ..	0	14
	32,869	38		43,727	88
<b>Add during 1925-26—</b>			<b>Sabbatical Year Fund—</b>		
Donations Sundry ..	132	6	National War Bonds (1928) ..	£200	—
Donations Federators ..	2,710	0		2,800	0
Remittances from Funds in England ..	159	9		207,076	63
Sundry Receipts ..	1,233	72			
Interest on fixed deposits ..	292	95			
	4,509	76			
	43,727	88			
<b>Sabbatical Year Fund—</b>					
As per last Balance Sheet, August 31, 1925 ..	—	2,800			
	207,076	63			

J. PAUL S. R. GIBSON,  
Treasurer.

We have audited the books kept by the Council of the Ceylon Training Colony Society, Limited, relating to the Colony Receipts and Payments on Capital Account from September 1, 1925, to August 31, 1926, and we certify the above Balance Sheet dated August 31, 1926, to be correct, duly vouched, and in accordance with law.

Colombo, October 26, 1926.

DUNCUM, WATKINS, FORD & Co.,  
Chartered Accountants,  
Public Auditors appointed under Ordinance No. 16 of 1891.

**Account of Receipts and Payments for the Year ended August 31, 1926.**

**Sterling Account.**

<i>Receipts.</i>	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	<i>Payments.</i>	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
<b>To Balance at Bank on August 31, 1925—</b>			<b>By Special C. M. S.—</b>		
Special, C. M. S. ..	46	17	Part Draft in 1924-25 as per contra ..	—	46
Sabbatical Year ..	15	0		46	17
Chapel Fund ..	27	16	<b>Remittances to Colombo—</b>		
	89	14	Chapel Fund ..	206	6
<b>Less Due by General Fund ..</b>	5	16	Principal—Maternity Scheme ..	25	0
	83	17	Sabbatical Year ..	15	0
<b>Chapel Fund—</b>			Special, C. M. S. ..	13	3
Part Draft to Colombo in 1924-25 charged originally to Chapel Fund and now transferred to Special C. M. S. ..	—	46	General ..	1	0
	—	46	<b>General Expenses—</b>		
<b>Donations Received—</b>			Furnishing ..	—	5
Chapel Fund ..	132	6		5	0
Principal ..	25	0	<b>Balance at Bank on August 31, 1926—</b>		
Special, C. M. S. ..	24	19	Special, C. M. S. ..	11	16
Maternity Scheme ..	1	1	Sabbatical Year ..	10	0
General ..	1	0	Chapel Fund ..	0	14
	184	7	Maternity Scheme ..	1	1
<b>Sabbatical Year—</b>				23	11
Interest on National War Bonds ..	—	10	<b>Less Due by General Fund ..</b>	10	17
	325	2		12	14
	325	2		325	2

J. PAUL S. R. GIBSON,  
Treasurer.

Colombo, October 26, 1926.

DUNCUM, WATKINS, FORD & Co.,  
Chartered Accountants,  
Public Auditors appointed under Ordinance No. 16 of 1891.



Local Funds.

Receipts.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Payments.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
To Balance at August 31, 1925—				By Salaries and Wages—			
In Bank on Current Account		6,712 4		Salaries		9,679 50	
Cash on Hand		551 73		Wages		1,578 14	
			7,263 77				11,257 64
Representing—				Commissariat		844 41	7,182 47
Field Money		1,076 35		Travel		828 0	
Chapel Fund		178 23		Evangelist Students' Pocket Money		802 95	
Sabbatical Year		117 93		Repairs, cleaning, &c.		728 77	
General		5,891 26		Books and stationery		363 17	
		7,263 77		Medical		335 77	
„ Government Grants		—	10,939 0	Prizes		306 10	
„ Federator's Contributions—				Equipment		274 17	
C. M. S.	Rs. c.	W. M. S.	Rs. c.	Dhoby		183 74	
Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Practising school		83 70	
Grants	3,563 36	3,939 19	150 0	Sports and excursions		77 43	
Fees	2,502 50	2,087 50	6,002 50	Boyangama school		75 50	
	6,065 86	6,036 69	2,442 50	Entrance examination		52 44	
				Industrial work (Less Receipts, Rs. 44)		37 26	
				Needlework (Less Receipts, Rs. 38 40)		11 40	
				Agriculture			5,004 71
„ Students' Contributions—				Estate Expenditure—			
Entrance Year Fees		1,095 0		Wages		2,566 55	
Extras		1,090 0	2,185 0	Manufacture of rubber		1,532 47	
„ Receipts from Sale of Estate Produce—				Salaries		384 0	
Rubber, 4,926 lbs.		7,884 38		Firewood		377 95	
Tea, 29,095 lbs. Green Leaf		3,937 77		Manure		167 51	
Wood		638 29		Tea seeds, plants, &c.		140 0	
Coconuts		273 34		Store extension		117 46	
Minor Products and Sundries		85 66	12,819 44	Green manure		27 50	
„ Remittances from Sterling Funds—				Uprooting tea		24 24	
Special, C. M. S.	£ s. d.			Sundries		15 10	5,352 78
General		47 18 1	796 31	Printing, postages, and stationery		717 67	
		1 0 0	13 43	House rent (Rev. H. J. Charter)		375 0	
		48 18 1	809 74	Audit fee		300 0	
„ Donations—				Renovation of tennis court		223 7	
Special, C. M. S.			240 95	Telephone		193 70	
Prizes			142 0	House renovation		193 20	
General			31 15	Fire Insurance		99 45	
			414 10	Donations and subscriptions		138 89	
„ Sundry Receipts—				Fares, freights, and coolies		70 18	
Interest			228 89	Marriage bonus (Mr. J. M. Jayasundera)		50 0	
Rent			240 0	Gun and motor tax		37 53	
Practising School Fees, &c.			70 75	Old students' play		30 0	
Boyangama School Collection Box			13 10	Lighting, carbide, lamp, &c.		29 78	
Miscellaneous			3 70	Pictures, photos, &c.		17 0	
			556 44	Cheque book		15 0	
„ Insurance—				Rev. W. J. T. Small's farewell		8 50	
Contributions from teachers			160 84	Well		8 0	
„ Capital and Property—				Bonus to Peons, &c.		6 50	
Sale of old practising school			800 0	Education Gazette		6 0	
„ Chapel Fund Receipts—				Council expenses		5 0	
Fixed deposits uplifted	Rs. c.			Typewriter repairs		5 0	
Interest on same	6,753 2			Swimming bath		3 81	
	292 95			Sundries		35 21	
			7,045 87	Capital and Property—			
Donations			4,509 78	Land acquired	Rs. 1,025 00		
Donations from Federators' unexpended balance, 1924-25			2,710 0	Legal expenses on same	62 75	1,087 75	
Proceeds of remittances from Sterling Fund	£ s. d.			Furnishing		311 88	
	159 9 8		2,112 7	New garage		77 0	
Proceeds of sales, plays, &c.	Rs. c.			Added to loan on mortgage		50 0	
Proceeds of Talent Money	599 58			Teachers' Insurance Premiums paid—			1,526 63
Collections	402 70			Mr. Jayasundera		68 83	
	231 44		1,233 72	Mr. Gamalatte		43 89	
			17,611 52	Mr. Edirisooriya		38 67	
„ Maternity Scheme—				Miss Fernando		36 7	
Remittance from Sterling Funds, £25		385 75		Special Payments—			187 46
Donation		100 0	495 75	C. M. S.		1,422 51	
„ Reserve Fund—				W. M. S.		1,334 28	
Interest on fixed deposit reinvested per contra			75 0	B. M. S. (Travel)		2 31	
„ Sabbatical Year Fund—				Settlement of Unexpended Balance on 1924-25—			2,750 10
Remittance from Sterling Funds, £15			198 85	C. M. S.	Rs. c.	W. M. S.	Rs. c.
			68,824 50	Rs. c.	855 70	Rs. c.	
				Donated to Chapel as per contra	1,854 30	855 70	
				Paid to Federator	497 17		
					2,351 47	855 70	3,207 17
				„ Chapel Fund—			
				Expenditure—	Rs. c.		
				Timber	3,984 33		
				Wages	3,006 10		
				Carving pillars	2,386 25		
				Bricks, tiles, &c.	579 84		
				Iron work	438 82		
				Transport of timber, &c.	89 41		
				Tools, sheds, &c.	79 88		
				Talent money (recoverable)	39 0		
				Travel	13 40		
				Sundries	64 30		
					10,681 33		
				Funds placed on fixed deposit	6,482 63		
				„ Reserve Fund—			17,163 96
				Added during year and placed on fixed deposit	2,000 0		
				Interest re-invested as per contra	75 0		
				Balance at August 31, 1926—			2,075 0
				At Bank on Current Account	5,641 22		
				At Bank on Fixed Deposit	4,591 36		
				On hand	306 53		
				Representing—			10,539 11
				Field Money	1,076 35		
				Chapel Fund	625 79		
				Maternity Scheme	435 75		
				Sabbatical Year	316 78		
				Special C. M. S.	159 66		
				General	7,924 78		
							10,539 11
							68,824 50

J. PAUL S. R. GIBSON, Treasurer.

We have examined the foregoing accounts (two) of the Council of the Ceylon Training Colony Society Limited, relative to the Receipts and Payments in Ceylon and England for the year ended August 31, 1926, and we certify these to be correct, duly vouched, and in accordance with law.

Colombo, October 26, 1926.

DUNOUM, WATKINS, FORD & Co.,  
Chartered Accountants,  
Public Auditors appointed under Ordinance No. 16 of 1891.

**The Lunugala Tea and Rubber Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the 21st Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the shareholders of this company will be held at the registered office of the company, No. 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, November 20, 1926, at noon.

- M 15311 Business.*
1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts to September 30, 1926.
  2. To declare a dividend.
  3. To elect a Director.
  4. To appoint an auditor for the current year.
  5. To transact such other business as may be duly brought before the meeting.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from November 6 to 23, both days inclusive.

By orders of the Directors,  
J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, November 5, 1926.

**The Raigam Korale Motor Touring Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at 2.30 P.M., on Saturday, the 20th instant, at its registered office at Horana for the following purposes:—

- M 15409*
1. To consider and if thought necessary to confirm the subjoined resolution which was duly passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on the 1st instant:—

It is expedient to have the Company wound up and go into liquidation.

2. To appoint a Liquidator.

By order of the Board,  
K. A. GUNASIRI RA,  
Secretary.

Horana, November 9, 1926.

**C. Sab Senaratna & Co., Ltd.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First (Statutory) Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office, the Chamber of Commerce Buildings, Colombo, on Wednesday, November 24, 1926, at 12 noon.

- M 15433 Business.*
1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the eight months ended June 30, 1926.
  2. To declare a dividend.
  3. To elect Directors.
  4. To appoint Auditors.
  5. To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from November 12 to 26, 1926, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,  
HENRY VAN LANGENBERG,  
Secretary.

Colombo, November 10, 1926.

**The Choisy Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, the National Mutual Building, 54, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, November 20, 1926, at 11.30 A.M.

- M 15392 Business.*
- (1) To receive the accounts of the Company for the nine months ended September 30, 1926.
  - (2) To elect Directors.

(3) To appoint Auditors until the next Ordinary General Meeting of the Company.

(4) To transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

LEECHMAN & Co.,  
Colombo, November 8, 1926. Agents and Secretaries.

**The Hotel Suisse (Kandy), Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company at the Hotel Suisse, Kandy, on Friday, November 26, 1926, at 3 P.M.

*M 15513 Business.*

(a) To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts of the Company for the year ending August 31, 1926.

- (b) To declare a dividend.
- (c) To elect a Director.
- (d) To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year.
- (e) To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from November 22 to 30, 1926, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,  
D. WANIGASEKERA,  
Secretary.

Kandy, November 9, 1926.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*30/10/26*  
Special In the Matter of British Fertilisers No. 4,375 Limited, and in the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, 1861 to 1919.

NOTICE is hereby given that the order of the District Court of Colombo dated October 28, 1926, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named company from Rs. 1,500,000 divided into 150,000 shares of Rs. 10 each to Rs. 300,000 divided into 100,000 shares of Rs. 3 each, and the minute approved by the court showing (with respect to the capital of the company as altered) the general particulars required by the above Ordinances were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on November 5, 1926.

The said minute is in the words and figures following:—

“The capital of British Fertilisers, Limited, was by an order of the District Court dated October 28, 1926, reduced from the former issued capital of Rs. 1,000,000 divided into 100,000 shares of Rs. 10 each to Rs. 300,000 divided into 100,000 shares of Rs. 3 each, of which at the date of registration of this minute 100,000 had been issued and the full amount of Rs. 3 each paid up and was deemed to be paid up thereon.”

JULIUS & CREASY,  
Proctors for British Fertilisers,  
Limited.

November 9, 1926.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Case No. 18,757.**

*35/10/26*  
UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Monday, December 6, 1926, at 5 P.M., at the spot the following property, to wit:—

1. All that the divided lot No. 16 together with the buildings and plantations thereon known as Dhana-

pala Nivasa, bearing assessment No. 26/49, situated at Frances road, Wellawatta, within the Municipality of Colombo, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by lot allotted to E. M. Gauder, on the east by lot No. 17, on the south by Frances road 22 links wide, and on the west by lot No. 15; containing in extent 1 rood and 11.21 perches, as per plan dated January 26, 1901, made by T. H. Krickenbeck, Licensed Surveyor.

2. All that divided and defined allotment of land called Kudawellawatta marked lot 15 C, being a divided portion of lot A, which is itself a divided portion of lot 374A in registration plan No. 2, bearing assessment No. 40/14, situated at Alexandra road, Wellawatta, known as Dhanapala Nivasa; and bounded on the north by a reservation for a road, now known as Alexandra road, on the east by lot D, on the south by lot 17, and on the west by lot 15 B; containing in extent 1 rood and 11.60 square perches, as per plan No. 73, dated May 5, 1912, made by C. C. Wijetunge, Licensed Surveyor.

For further particulars apply to P. Cassius Jansz, Proctor, S. C., Courts, Colombo.

R. G. KOELMAN,  
of JENSEN & Co.,

Auctioneers and Brokers.

'Phone: 733.

In the District Court of Colombo.

UNDER and by virtue of commission issued to me in case No. 19,436 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell the following lands on Friday, December 3, 1926, commencing at 4 p.m., at the respective spots:—(1) All those defined two allotments of lands adjoining each other and forming one property called Bulugahakanatta and Kahatagahawatta *alias* Bulugahakanatta with the buildings thereon, situated at Kalubowila in extent 3 perches, 1 rood and 2 perches. (2) All that defined strip of land called Bulugahawatta, marked letter A in the plan, situated at Kalubowila, in extent 6 40/100 perches. (3) All that defined strip of land called Delgahawatta marked letter B in the plan, situated at Kalubowila, in extent 3 61/100 perches.

131, Hulftsdorp.

C. P. AMERASINGHE,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale.

A Residential House bearing No. 1321/42, Old Moor Street, Pettah, Colombo.

UNDER commission issued to me in case No. 21,140 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction the above premises, on Friday, December 3, 1926, at 4.30 p.m., for the recovery of the amount due on the decree in the above case.

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

86, Dam street, Colombo.

B. D. AMIT,  
Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in case No. 11,898, D. C., Kalutara I shall sell by public auction on Friday, November 19, 1926, commencing at 3 p.m. at the respective spots, the following properties, to wit:

1. The undivided 24,263/95,526 shares of the soil and of all the trees of the western defined portion of Netagodacumbura *alias* Godaowita, situated at Nalluruwa in Panadure; in extent 5 acres and 5 26/100 perches.

2. The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the soil and of all the trees of the eastern portion of the high and low land called Watupaulakitulgodakumbura, situated at Nalluruwa aforesaid; in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 23 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches.

Further particulars from C. E. A. Perera, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Kalutara, or—

Panadure, October 28, 1926.

H. D. S. PERERA,  
Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

Re Insolvency case of G. A. Fonseka in Case No. 188  
D. C., Kalutara.

UNDER instructions from the assignee in the above case I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, December 7, 1926, commencing at 2 p.m., at my office, No. 8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, the following properties, to wit:—

- (1)  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Ketawalahena situated at Arukgammana, in Beligal korale, Negala District; containing in extent about 2 pels of paddy sowing.
- (2) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of Bogalawarantennehena, situated at Arukgammana aforesaid; containing in extent 3 roods and 7 perches.
- (3) The book-debts belonging to the insolvent estate of Gampolage Arnolis Fonseka of Walaria, Panadure.

H. D. JOHN PERIS,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale.

Property at Boragodawatta in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 1,070, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Kaluthanthirige Ranhamy Appu of Boragodawatta against the defendant Wanigasinghe Weebaddelekamalage Don Thomis Appu of Boragodawatta, 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 property together with the primary mortgage by bond No. 2,941 dated December 1921, and executed by D. K. S. Samarawera, Notary, public auction at the spot at 4 p.m., on Monday, December 6, 1926, to wit:—

The land called Kosgahawatta situate at Boragodawatta, in Dasiya pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province; containing in extent about 3 roods, of which an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  shares together with the plantations, fruit trees, and the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from E. H. de Zoysa, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,  
Negombo, November 9, 1926. Auctioneers.

#### Auction Sale of a Valuable Property in Negombo Town.

The under-mentioned contiguous Allotments of Land will be put up for sale in one Block with all the Buildings and Plantations thereon under orders received from the Court.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Kana Nana Kana Runa Kana Kannappa Chetty of Negombo ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 16,685. Vs.

Jayasuriyakuranga Michael Perera of Werrapuwu ..... Defendant.

UNDER decree in the above case and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 8,995, with interest on Rs. 7,000 at 18 per cent. per annum from May 8, 1924, till February 2, 1925, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit, less a sum of Rs. 2,415 recovered on February 15, 1926, I shall sell by public auction at the spot at 4 p.m., on Friday, December 3, 1926, the under-mentioned contiguous allotments of land mortgaged

by mortgage bond No. 191 dated December 31, 1921, attested by F. W. Goonaratna, Notary Public, as a primary mortgage, to wit:—

1. All that portion of land called Suriyagahawatta, situate at Grand street, within the gravets of Negombo, in the District of Negombo, Western Province; in extent  $5\frac{1}{2}$  perches more or less, and the buildings thereon;
  2. All that portion of land called Masangahawatta, situate at Grand street aforesaid; in extent  $4\frac{66}{100}$  perches more or less, with the buildings thereon;
  3. The land called Suriyagahawatta, situate at Grand street aforesaid; in extent  $4\frac{1}{2}$  perches more or less, with the buildings thereon;
  4. All that land comprised of the four contiguous allotments, to wit, portions of Masangahawatta,  $\frac{1}{3}$  share of the portion of Suriyagahawatta, the portion of the land called Illandamaraththadi-totam, and half share of the eastern half share of the land Dombagahawatta, situate at Grand street aforesaid; in extent one rood more or less, with the buildings thereon;
  5. All that land called Suriyagahawatta, situate at Grand street aforesaid; in extent  $5\frac{17}{100}$  perches more or less, with the buildings thereon;
  6. The land called Illandamaraththadi-totam, situate at Grand street aforesaid; in extent about 8 perches, with the buildings standing thereon;
  7. An allotment of land called Suriyagahawatta *alias* Nelligahawatta, situate at Grand street aforesaid; in extent  $3\frac{1}{4}$  perches, with the plantations thereon; and
  8. A portion of land called Suriyagahawatta *alias* Nelligahawatta, situate at Grand street aforesaid; in extent  $2\frac{42}{100}$  perches, with the buildings standing thereon.
- For further particulars please apply to P. J. Loos, Esq., Proctor of the Supreme Court and Notary Public, Negombo, or to—

K. L. PEREIRA,  
of K. L. PEREIRA & SON,  
Auctioneers.

Negombo, November 3, 1926.

#### Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, case No. 34,256, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Kana Marimuttu Tever's son, Ponniah, of Makulgahapalle of Udugama in Matale, against the defendant, K. M. Udahawalauwe Kiri Banda of Ellepola in Gamahasiya pattu, Matale South, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots commencing at 12 noon on Friday, December 3, 1926 an undivided half share of the following properties, all situate at Ellapola aforesaid:

1. Varaykumbura of 3 pelas and 5 lahas paddy sowing extent in the whole.
2. Dalukpatekumbura of 12 lahas.
3. Katugalewatta of about 12 nellies kurakkan sowing extent, with the house and everything thereon.
4. Heratgederawatta of about 1 seer kurakkan sowing extent.
5. Willagasgodahena of about 5 lahas kurakkan sowing extent.
6. Udahena of about 8 seers kurakkan sowing extent, with everything thereon.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Saravanamuttu & Balasingam, Proctors, Kandy, or to—

A. R. WICKREMESAHERE,  
117, Trincomalee street, Kandy. Auctioneer.

In the District Court of Colombo.

between Ana Oona Muttaiiah Chetty of Sea street in Colombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 16,255. Vs.

Metta Lebbe Marikar Abdul Azeez of No. 6, Wolfendahl street in Colombo.....Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the mortgage decree and the commission issued to me in the above case I shall sell by public auction on December 3 and 4,

1926, commencing from the under mentioned hours at the respective places the following properties and buildings, to wit:—

On December 3, AT 3 P.M.

1. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or shares of and in all that lot No. 20 of the land called and known as Kurunduwatta with the tiled house of nine cubits made of bricks and of the soil and plantations standing thereon situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera, within the Four Gravets of Galle; containing in extent about 1 acre.

2. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or shares of and from all that land called and known as Wellewatta *alias* Bandiyalagewatta (and of all the plantations soil and trees standing thereon) situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent 2 acres and 2 roods.

3. All that land called and known as Pinnakola Duwewatta *alias* Nonalayewatta situated in the village Mahahapugala in Four Gravets of Galle; containing in extent about  $3\frac{1}{2}$  acres.

4. The remaining trees and plantations and of the soil thereof from and out of all that portion of land towards the south of the high road of Kurunduwatta in which Babaiya resides, situated at Piyadigama; containing in extent  $1\frac{1}{4}$  acres (excluding therefrom one-third of the planter's share).

5. All those undivided  $106/120$  parts or shares from and out of all that land called and known as Niyara Kebellewatta and of the trees and plantations and soil thereof situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent about half an acre.

6. All those following four contiguous portions of land called and known as Ambagahawatta *alias* Kahatagahawatta in extent about two acres, Gonnagahawatta in extent about 2 acres, Jambugahawatta in extent one and half acres, Jambugahawatta Addera kumbura in extent sufficient to sow fifteen kurunies of paddy sowing, adjoining each other and now forming one property situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera, excluding therefrom the planter's share of the new plantation of Ambagahawatta *alias* Kahatagahawatta and from the remaining plantation and of the soil an undivided one-fourth part or share from Gonnagahawatta and of the plantations and soil and undivided one-ninth part of share excluding the planter's share and from the remaining plantations and Jambugaha and undivided one-eighth part or share of Jambugahawatta Adderakumbura.

7. All that land called and known as Ganketiya Adderawatta *alias* Ehetugahawatta together with all the plantation and soil thereof situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent about one acre.

8. All that defined  $\frac{1}{3}$  portion of land marked Lr A, in which Kana resides, of and in all those  $106/120$  share of the land called and known as Maradana Kurunduwatta, situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent 3 roods and 34 perches and decimal  $36.82$ .

9. All that divided  $\frac{1}{3}$  portion of the field, in extent one amunam of paddy sowing, of and in all those  $106/120$  shares of the field called and known as Mananwilakumbura, situated at Gintota Welipitimodera; containing in extent 1 rood 14 perches and decimal 456.

On December 4, AT 10.30 A.M.

10. All that portion of land called and known as Gintota, Maradana, Kurunduwatta, with all the plantations and soil thereon, situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 14 perches.

11. An undivided half part or share of all that divided portion marked lot 4 with the plantations and the buildings standing thereon bearing Nos. 3 and 4, of and from all that land called and known as Mee-gahawatta situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent 36 perches.

12. All those undivided planter's share of the 2nd and 3rd plantations of the land called Welabodawatta of the extent of one and a half acres, an undivided  $11/36$  parts or shares of and in all those remaining trees and plantations and of the soil thereof from and out of all that land called Wellbodawatta situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera.

13. All those undivided  $15/32$  parts or share from and out of all that portion of land (Binkebella) called Weligamgoda Mahawatta appearing in plan No. 1,753, and of all the plantations standing thereon, situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent about one acre.

14. An undivided  $1/24$  parts or shares with 22 coconut of the 2nd plantation and 8 coconut trees of the 3rd plantation of and in all that land called and known as Datchagederawatta Kebella, situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent about one acre.

15. An undivided  $1/4$  part or shares of and in all that portion of land called and known as Kurumduwatta in which Kana resides, and of the plantations trees and soil thereon, situated at Gintota, Welipitimodera; containing in extent 4 acres 1 rood and fifteen decimal 6,128 perches.

For further particulars please apply J. G. de S. Wijeratne, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public of Colombo or to me—

M. I. M. ZAIN.

Galle, November 9, 1926. Licensed Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Matara. 35/10/26

Adalbert Henry Ernst by his attorney, Charles Henry Ernst of Fort, Matara..... Plaintiff.  
No. 2,324. Vs.  
Don James Abeysingha Gunawardana Appuhamy of Weragampita..... Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in the above case and the commission issued to me,

I shall sell by public auction at the office of G. E. Ernst, Esq., Proctor, in the Fort of Matara, commencing at 10 A.M., on Saturday, December 11, 1926, the following properties, to wit:—

1. The planters undivided  $1/4$  share of the plantation and an undivided  $5/6$  parts of the entire soil and of the remaining trees of the paraveni share, and all the buildings thereon of the land called Alahapperumage-watta; in extent about 2 acres, situated at Weragampita in the Four Gravets of Matara, Matara District, Southern Province.

2. An undivided  $1/4$  part of the divided lot "D"; in extent 1 rood and 23.51 perches of the land Nugagahakoratuwa alias Kanaralagewatta, situated at Weragampita aforesaid.

3. An undivided  $1/4$  of an undivided half of the field Mandaperumakumbura of about 1 amunam of paddy sowing extent, and bearing assessment No. 1,858, situated at Weragampita aforesaid.

4. An undivided  $8/45$  part of the field called Galagawaketiya and bearing assessment No. 1,866, situated at Weragampita aforesaid.

For further particulars please apply to G. E. Ernst, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Matara, or to me—

A. P. KARUNARATNE,

Matara, November 8, 1926. Commissioner.

#### Application for Enrolment as an Advocate.

I, DAVID JAYAWARDENA, of the Middle Temple, Barrister-at-law, and presently of 140, Padukka, do hereby give notice that six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled an Advocate of the said court.

D. JAYAWARDENA.

140, Padukka, November 9, 1926.

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

18/10/26  
I hereby give notice that I have on October 25, 1926, applied to the Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara, for the licences shown in the schedule hereto annexed for the licensing period ending September 30, 1927, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 75 of June 15, 1918:—

##### Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant: S. T. Corera, Kalutara South.

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

Description of the licence of licences applied for: (1) Retail off and tavern and refreshment room; (2) retail off and tavern.

Situation of premises to be licensed: (1) No. 15, Main street, Kalutara South; (2) No. 1, Junction of Main street and Hill street, Kalutara South.

November 5, 1926.

S. T. CORERA.

We hereby give notice that we have on August 28, 1926, applied to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, for the licences shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1927:—

##### Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant: Messrs. A. B. Methias de Silva & Co., Batticaloa.

Description of licence or licences applied for: Foreign liquor licences, both wholesale and retail.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Building bearing assessment No. 46A, Main street, Puliantivu, Batticaloa.

A. B. METHIAS DE SILVA & Co.

November 6, 1926.

We hereby give notice that we have on August 28, 1926, applied to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, for the licences shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1927:—

##### Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicant: Messrs. A. B. Methias de Silva & Co., Batticaloa.

Description of licences applied for: Foreign liquor licences both wholesale and retail.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Building bearing assessment No. 46A, Main street, Puliantivu, Batticaloa.

A. B. METHIAS DE SILVA & Co.

November 6, 1926.

I hereby give notice that I have on September 3, 1926, applied to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1927.

*Schedule referred to.*

Name and address of applicant: J. M. Santiapillai, St. Michael's street, Batticaloa.  
Description of licence applied for: Foreign liquor, retail.  
Application for a new licence.  
Situation of premises to be licensed: No. 48 B, Main street, Batticaloa.

November 5, 1926.

J. M. SANTIAPILLAI.

I hereby give notice that I have on September 4, 1926, applied to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1927.

*Schedule referred to.*

Name and address of applicant: E. Sebasty, Central road, Batticaloa.  
Description of licence applied for: Foreign liquor, retail.  
Application for a new licence.  
Situation of premises to be licensed: No. 4, Central road, Batticaloa.

November 5, 1926.

E. SEBASTY.

## SPECIFICATIONS UNDER "THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE."

### SPECIFICATION.—Irrigation Works, Province of Uva.

SUPPLEMENTARY specification showing land found to be capable of irrigation by Medagan-oya Anicut, in addition to the specifications which appeared in *Government Gazette* Nos. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, and 7,531 of June 18, 1926, the name of proprietor, and the contribution payable in respect of the land. Construction rate of Rs. 3 per acre per annum, for eight years from 1925 to 1932, inclusive in repayment of the cost of the construction of the anicut, in 1933, a specification must be published to recover the cost of the channel cutting.

No.	Name of Allotment of Land or Field.	Name of Owner.	Extent.		Charge for Construction.	Total Amount due.	
			A.	R.	P.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
56	Pahalagodakumbura	Ena Majidu of Medagama	1	0	0	3 0	3 0
Area paying rate in specifications published in <i>Government Gazette</i> Nos. 7,418 of September 19, 1924, and 7,531 of June 18, 1926			63	0	7	189 14	
Area now added			1	0	0	3 0	
Total			64	0	7	192 14	

The Kachcheri,  
Badulla, August 10, 1926.

H. A. BURDEN,  
Government Agent.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 16 of 1926.

CEYLON.

*West Coast—Colombo Approaches.*

THE position of the Victory Monument is incorrectly shown on Admiralty Chart 3,686; the correct bearing and distance from the Clock Tower Lighthouse is  $166\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ , 4005 feet 6.62 cables.

2. The dome of the New Town Hall should be inserted on Admiralty Chart 3,686, in the list of objects conspicuous to the Navigator; bearing and distance from the Clock Tower Light house is  $132\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ , 17 cables.

3. The above two objects in transit bear  $114^{\circ}$ ; their respective heights above H. W. O.S. are (1) 176 ft., (2) 177 ft.

Admiralty Chart affected:—

No. 3,686 Approaches to Colombo Harbour.

Publications: Bay of Bengal Pilot, Fifth Edition, 1921, page 100.

West Coast of Indian Pilot, Sixth Edition, 1919, pages 92 and 93.

Master Attendant's Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1926.

J. G. FRASER, Captain, R.N.,  
Master Attendant.

No. 17 of 1926.

CEYLON.

*East Coast—Trincomalee Harbour.*

A HAULING off buoy has been laid in a position  $036$  degrees, 585 feet from the Eastern Extremity of the Eastern Dolphin in China Bay.

Latitude  $8^{\circ} 33\frac{1}{4}'$  N.

Longitude  $81^{\circ} 12\frac{3}{4}'$  E.

Admiralty Charts affected:—

No. 816, Trincomalee Harbour.

No. 815, Harbour and Bays of Trincomalee.

Publications: Bay of Bengal Pilot, Fifth Edition, 1921, page 169.

Master Attendant's Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1926.

J. G. FRASER, Captain, R.N.,  
Master Attendant.



## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-noted packages, which have been lying in No. 8 and Parcel Warehouse, beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, November 30, 1926, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods sold must be cleared on or before Friday, December 3, 1926 :—

Date 1926.	Steamer.	From	Marks and Numbers.	Number and Description of Packages.
March 19 ..	ss. Dongola.	London	.. C M S //5	.. 1 case provision
July 9 ..	ss. Clan Macwhirter	Liverpool	.. C P C	.. 1 keg
Do. ..	do.	do.	.. 15 upon 0250 in a circle	.. 1 bag
August 6 ..	ss. Clan Manroe	do.	.. Nil	.. 3 cart bushes (broken)
August 11 ..	ss. Warwickshire	do.	.. Nil	.. 1 bag soda

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

C. H. COLLINS,  
for Principal Collector.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-noted packages, which have been lying at No. 3 Bonded Warehouse beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, December 7, 1926, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods sold must be cleared on or before Friday, December 10, 1926 :—

No. and Date of Entry.	Ship.	Importer.	Marks and Number.	Number and Description of Packages.
251 of November 2, 1923 ..	ss. Franenfels	.. A. Vithlingam	.. 545 in a square and A V -546- outside	.. 2 cases Eau-de-Cologne
270 of April 4, 1924 ..	ss. Ville de Metze	.. F. E. Salvador	.. S & Co.	.. 7 cases 7 doz. qts. 3 cross R Brandy
Do. ..	do.	.. do.	.. do.	.. 7 cases 7 doz. qts. 3 stars R Brandy
1596 of May 15, 1924 ..	ss. Chantilly	.. do.	.. do.	.. 4 cases 4 doz. qts. 3 cross R Brandy
Do. ..	do.	.. do.	.. do.	.. 8 cases 8 doz. qts. 3 stars R Brandy
1167 of October 10, 1924 ..	ss. Clan Mackinnon	.. A. P. C. Chitty	.. C upon 31858 in a square and A P outside	.. 15 cases 14 7/12 doz. qts. S Whisky

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

C. H. COLLINS,  
for Principal Collector.

## Rahmaniya Muslim Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. M. L. M. Habeeb, for a grant in aid of the Rahmaniya Muslim Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in the Gampola Local Board area of the Central Province.

Observations will be received not later than December 12, 1926.

L. McD. ROBISON,  
Acting Director of Education.

Education Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1926.

## C/Vivekananda Vidyalayam Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Hon. Mr. A. Mahadeva for a grant in aid of the above school, which is situated in the Colombo District of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than December 12, 1926.

L. McD. ROBISON,  
Acting Director of Education.

Education Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1926.

## Change of Management.

THE notice appearing in *Gazette* No. 7,553 of Friday, October 29, 1926, regarding the appointment of Rev. Fr. S. Asirvatham as Manager of the Jaffna Convent, in place of Rev. Fr. F. M. Bizien, O.M.I., is hereby cancelled.

L. McD. ROBISON,  
Acting Director of Education.  
Education Office,  
Colombo, November 5, 1926.

## Sale of Rejected Timber.

AN auction sale of the under-mentioned timber will be held at the Matara Railway Station Depot, on Saturday, November 27, 1926, at 2.30 P.M.

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.

3. Twenty-five per cent. of the bid is to be deposited immediately on conclusion of the sale pending the approval of the Conservator of Forests. Balance to be paid within fourteen days of the approval of sale by the Conservator of Forests.

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

5. Agents bidding for others will be required to produce a written authority from the firm or persons for whom they bid, such authority will be retained by the Divisional Forest Officer.

List referred to.

Railway Station Depôt.

27 broad gauge palu sleepers.  
10 broad gauge na sleepers.  
410 narrow gauge palu sleepers.  
13 narrow gauge na sleepers.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Kandy, November 4, 1926.

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

THE following produce of the Experiment Station, Peradeniya, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, November 23, 1926, at 9 A.M. on the spot:—

Dry coffee		
Cacao refuse		
Seed cotton	...	123 lbs.
Old rubber	...	100 lbs.
Coconut firewood		
Acacia bark	...	79 lbs.
Wooden drawers	...	8
Smoking tobacco	...	8 lbs.
Paddy	...	30 bushels.

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

Payment must be made before delivery.

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

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

F. A. STOCKDALE,  
Director of Agriculture.  
Peradeniya, November 3, 1926.

#### Tenders for Lease of Right to Gem.

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

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tender for Gemming Lease," will be received at the Ratnapura Kacheheri until 2 P.M. on Wednesday, December 15, 1926, when they will be opened, and all persons making tenders will be required to be present or satisfy the Government Agent by some duly accredited agents that the tender is *bona fide*.

3. The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to His Excellency the Governor will be required to deposit the full

amount of the tender at once in cash, and, should the tender be accepted, to enter into a lease bond for the fulfilment of the conditions on which the tender is accepted.

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

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

6. Tenders must be made for each land separately.

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

8. Lessees of lands Nos. 2, 6, and 10 mentioned in the following list of lands should notify to the Government Mineralogist, Colombo, when they begin to gem, and stop work, and give him access to the workings at any time for inspection.

(1) The bed of the stream called Deiyigala-ela, about half a mile in length from its confluence with the Gamaya-dola, to the boundary of Marambekanda estate, situated at Deiyagala in the Palle pattu of Kuruwiti korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

(2) Elabodawatta, part of lot 58 in F. V. P. 39, including the bed of the Giniboku-dola and Ketapola-dola. It is a strip of land 10 chains in length and 5 chains in breadth extending to the north-west from the confluence of the Ketapola-dola with the Giniboku-dola, situated at Karawita in Nawadun korale, and bounded as follows:—

North-east by lot 11½ in F. V. P. 39.

South-east, south-west, and north-west by the remaining portion of lot 58 in F. V. P. 39.

(3) The bed of the stream called Ellawala-ganga, situated at Ellawala, in the Uda pattu of Kuruwiti korale, a length of approximately 220 fathoms, bounded as follows:—

North by Potteowita.

East and south by Meddeowita.

West by Porueleowita.

(4) The bed of the stream called Deiyagal-ela, a length of about half a mile, situated at Deiyagala in Kuruwiti korale, and bounded as follows:—

North by Getahetiela Modera.

East by Pallehena, Galamunehena, Puwakowita-watta, and Baiyayewatta.

South by Gamayaye-dola.

West by Bogodakandewatta, Galamunegodahena, Rubber estate, Ellotamullewatta, Hellambagahaowita, and Pissigewatta *alias* Medawatta.

(5) The bed of the stream called Kalatuwa-ela, about half a mile in length, situated at Kalatuwawa in the Palle pattu of Kuruwiti korale, and bounded as follows:—

North by lot 66 in P. P. 7,650.

East by Mapotalage-dola.

South by Labugama village.

West by Labugama road.

(6) The unlotted 55 link reservation along the left bank of the Demuwatta-ganga and a part of cancelled lot 79 in P. P. 7,808, situated at Madampe in the Meda pattu of Atakalan korale, approximately one-fourth mile in length, and bounded as follows:—

North by Demuwata-ganga.

East by the bridge leading to Obodakanda tea factory.

South by Madampe rubber estate.

West by the confluence of a stream with the Demuwata-ganga.

(7) The bed of the stream called Hunuwala-ganga, a length of approximately half a mile, which forms part of lot 33 in B. S. P. P. 186, situated at Hunuwala south in the Helapalle palata of Meda korale, and bounded as follows:—

North by Koratuwawatta, Asigederawatta, Dambagaswatta, Kankanigeowita, Banduawatta (lot 19), footpath (lot 20), Pahalawelawatta (lot 21). East by Hunugala railway bridge.

South by Walakada-adaraowita (lot 48), Kotagahaliyadda (lot 44), Tennekumbura, Mullakumbura, Ittakumbura, Uduwila, Hirikumumbura, Walakada (lot 43), Pansalawatta (lot 39), Vidana Mut-tettuwaowita (lot 37), Patteraliyadda (lot 36).

West by the portion of land running parallel from the 72½ milepost on Ratnapura-Balangoda road to Hunuwala-ganga.

(8) The bed of the stream called Induru-ganga, approximately 1 mile and 14 chains in length, situated at Gilimale in Kuruwiti korale, and bounded as follows:—

North by Ketakade.

East by Gampolatennekumukalana, Kunugodehena, and Kanatirianowita.

South by the confluence of the Induru-ganga with the Kalu-ganga.

West by Godamunehena and mukalana and Gampolatennekumukalana.

(9) The bed of the stream called Delwala-ganga, a length of about 48 chains, situated at Delwala in the Meda pattu of Nawadun korale, and bounded as follows:—

North by Bandarahenyaya (lot 355) and Lapitawattehenyaya (lot 357 in V. P. 159).

East by the confluence of the Beliatele-dola *alias* Galkande-dola with the Delwala-ganga.

South by Walankandemukalana (lots 368 and 365 in V. P. 159).

West by Ketigana-dola and Kukulwel-dola (lot 354).

(10) The land called Galamunemukalana and deniya, in extent about 3 acres, which forms part of lot 31 in B. S. P. P. 255, situated in the village of Kuruwita Patagama in the Uda pattu south of Kuruwiti korale, and bounded as follows:—

North by Galamunemukalana and Gonapitiya Patagama footpath.

East by Tiriwanagalodemukalana and Peddimalahena.

South by Godamadittemukalana.

West by Galamunemukalana.

P. O. FERNANDO,  
for Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Ratnapura, November 2, 1926.

#### 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 of the Sanitary Board towns of Dambulla, Madawala, Kawdupelella, Palapatwela, Aluwihara, and Rattota, for the year 1927:—

#### Dambulla.

1. P. B. Lenadore, Korala, Wagapanaha Pallesiya pattu.
2. M. G. Dharamadasa, trader, Dambulla.
3. E. Mudiyanse, Peace Officer, Dambulla.

#### Madawala.

1. K. V. Hinñi Appuhamy of Madawala.
2. Aluthgedera Appuhamy of Madawala.
3. B. M. Punchi Banda, Arachchi of Narangamuwa.

#### Kawdupelella.

1. The Government Assessor.
2. C. S. Jayawaradane, Peace Officer, Kawdupelella.
3. Kiri Banda, Arachchi of Galwadukumbura.

#### Palapatwela.

1. The Government Assessor.
2. Heratmudiyansele Dingiri Banda of Ellepola.
3. Tikiri Banda, Arachchi of Udugama.

#### Aluwihara.

1. The Government Assessor.
2. Francis Dabre of Aluwihara.
3. Sahul Hamidu, trader, Aluwihara.

#### Rattota.

1. The Government Assessor.
2. M. D. S. Jayawaradane, Town Arachchi of Rattota.
3. M. Ponniah of Rattota.

W. J. L. ROGERSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Matale, November 4, 1926.

#### Loss of Firearms.

##### GALLE DISTRICT.

A single-barrelled muzzle-loading gun by Walker's, Colombo, and bearing Nos. 9524 and 118-17G on stock.

Name of the owner: C. L. M. Abdul Cader, Talgasyaya estate, Akmeemana, Four Gravets, Galle District.

Remarks: Said to have been lost on July 13, 1926.

The Kachcheri, P. H. DE LA HARPE,  
Galle, November 2, 1926. for Government Agent.

##### MATARA DISTRICT.

Description of property: One single-barrelled cap gun, No. 2541 on stock.

Number of licence: 209 W. B. P./B25388.

Owner: Amarasin Kankanange Don Allis of Urugamuwa.

Remarks: The gun is reported to have been stolen.

Description of property: One single-barrelled breech-loading gun, A/157164 and M/83 on stock.

Number of licence: 83/W. B. P./B25278.

Owner: Padili Ismail Lebbe Mohammadu Hassan of Dikwella.

Remarks: Reported to have been stolen.

The Kachcheri, A. N. STRONG,  
Matara, November 5, 1926. Assistant Government Agent.

**Junior Mechanical Assistant, Colombo Observatory.**

**A** JUNIOR Technical Assistant is required at the Colombo Observatory. His work will include the use of instruments of precision (optical and electrical), and his hours will not be those of the Clerical Services, but will include a certain amount of night work.

2. Salary Rs. 2,880 per annum rising by annual increments of Rs. 120 to Rs. 4,440, and then, subject to satisfactory progress, from Rs. 4,600 by annual increments of Rs. 200 to Rs. 6,000.

3. Junior Technical Assistants of sufficient experience will be eligible for promotion to a senior post, provided they show the necessary reliability as well as technical knowledge.

4. Intending candidates should apply to the Director of Education, with certificates testifying to their good moral character and general education, not later than November 30, 1926. A good basic knowledge of Mathematics, English, and General Elementary Science (especially physics) is essential. The possession of a B.Sc. degree though not essential, would be a distinct recommendation.

5. Candidates should be of not more than 25 years of age, and in addition to possessing normal physical health, it is absolutely essential that their eyesight should be good enough for precise instrumental work. There is no objection to the use of spectacles.

6. The selection will be made by a Board, and the selected candidate will attend a three months' course on the use of instruments, after which he will be on probation for two years. If the selected candidate is confirmed after the period of probation, the post will carry pension rights.

A. J. WICKWAR,  
Surveyor-General.

Colombo, November 9, 1926.

**Purchase of Land.**

**I**T is hereby notified that an application has been received for the purchase of a block of land described as lot 1,915 in preliminary plan No. 4,278 called Kallavillu Kadu; containing in extent 919 acres 2 roods and 15 perches, situated in the village of Karaitivu in the Pomparippu pattu of Kalpitiya Division in the District of Puttalam, North-Western Province.

R. H. WHITEHORN,  
Assistant Government Agent.

Puttalam, November 1, 1926.

**Motor Traffic on Kotugoda and Idalawella Bridges.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to prohibit the use of motor omnibuses and motor cars and other vehicles exceeding 1½ tons in weight when fully loaded and equipped, on the bridges named in the schedule hereto, and to limit the speed of motor vehicles while passing on the said bridges to 4 miles per hour:—

**Schedule.**

Kotugoda bridge—17th mile, Jaela-Kotadeniya road.  
Idalawella bridge—26th mile, Minuwangoda-Henaratgoda road.

Any representations against the proposal will be received by me up to December 10, 1926.

F. BARTLETT,  
Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, November 11, 1926.

**Ceylon Government Railway.**

**A** PPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Sub-Manager (Foreman) for the Paint Shop of the Locomotive, Carriage and Wagon Workshops of the Ceylon Government Railway.

2. Salary: £400 per annum rising to £525 per annum by annual increments of £25.

3. Allowances, &c., overtime pay, Sunday pay, and subsistence allowance will be paid according to regulations in force. Provision of quarters by Government cannot be guaranteed, but, where such are available, rent is recovered at 10 per cent. of salary. Where no quarters are provided a rent allowance at the rate of 15 per cent. of salary (if married), or 7½ per cent. (if unmarried) is paid.

4. The appointment will be on agreement for a period of three years in the first instance, and the officer will be required to pass a colloquial examination in the Sinhalese language before the completion of two years' service, and, in the event of failure, his second and subsequent increments will be with-held until such examination is passed. If the officer's work and conduct have been satisfactory and provided he has passed the vernacular examination, he may be taken on to the Fixed Establishment, in which case he will contribute to the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund at 4 per cent. of his salary.

5. Applicants should be between 25 and 35 years of age and have served an apprenticeship and received their training with a Railway Company or recognized firm of Railway Rolling Stock Builders, be fully qualified craftsmen, specialists in railway rolling stock painting and varnishing, with experience of mixing paints, &c., and capable of supervising labour and stores.

6. The selected candidate will be required to pass a medical examination and to enter into an agreement in the usual form.

7. Applications for the post should be addressed by letter to the General Manager, Ceylon Government Railway, Colombo, to reach him not later than December 20, 1926, and should contain particulars of age, qualifications, and experience.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

**Closing of Footpaths, &c.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned railway footpaths and footbridges will be closed to the public from 6 A.M. on December 6, 1926, to 6 A.M. on December 7, 1926:—

**Colombo.**

- (a) Floor's lane footbridge and the road on the north of the railway therefrom as far as School lane.
- (b) All railway roads at Mount Mary.
- (c) The road on the north side of the railway from Maligawatta road to Baseline road.

**Main Line.**

- (d) Footpath over Kelani-ganga bridge.
- (e) Road from level crossing to Commercial Company's Mills between sidings at Hunupitiya.
- (f) Footbridge over the railway at Gampaha Station.
- (g) Footbridge over the railway at Kadugannawa Station, between Alagalla road and Platform stairway.
- (h) Footbridge at south end of Nawalapitiya Station.
- (i) Footbridge at the south end of Hatton Station.
- (j) The two short cuts to Talawakele Station from near the Police Station and near the Engineering Works road.
- (k) Path from Ragala Railway Station to Bazaar.

**Coast Line.**

- (l) Footpath over Panadure bridge.
- (m) Footpath from Sea road, Panadure to Panadure Railway Station.
- (n) Footpath at south end of Balapitiya Station.

**Northern Line.**

- (o) All Railway roads at Anuradhapura.
- (p) Footpath from Jaffna Station to Point Pedro road.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

**Rinderpest.**

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

R. M. WORSLEY,  
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, November 6, 1926.

**Rinderpest.**

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

R. M. WORSLEY,  
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, November 8, 1926.

**Rinderpest.**

IN terms of section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, I do hereby proclaim that the Wiraketiya-Walasmulla road and Wiraketiya-Dammulla road are closed to all cattle traffic for a further period of ten days from the date hereof.

R. M. WORSLEY,  
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, November 8, 1926.

**Rinderpest.**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, I, Edward Turner Millington, Esq., Government Agent of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, do hereby proclaim that the road from Embilipitiya to Liyangahatota shall be closed to all cattle traffic for a further period of ten days from the date hereof.

E. T. MILLINGTON,  
Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Ratnapura, November 13, 1926.

**Foot-and-Mouth Disease.**

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

The area is bounded on the north by village boundary of Henegama, south by boundary of Talakolayawa estate, east by village boundary of Kanhadawa, and west by tract of paddy fields.

This declaration shall take effect from the date hereof.

L. A. DASSANAIKE,  
Chief Headman.

November 4, 1926.

**NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."****Notice under the Excise Notification No. 146 of August 14, 1925.**

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Government Agent of the Southern Province, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 6 of the rules specified in Excise Notification No. 146 of August 14, 1925, has appointed dates and places marked against each of the under-mentioned taverns for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the road tax-paying inhabitants of the area served by those taverns are opposed to their existence within such area:—

Taverns.	Date and Time. 1926.	Place.	Area served.
Madawalamulla toddy tavern	December 8, from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M.	The Kitulampitiya Anglican Vernacular Girl's school-room	Madawalamulla, Don Siman, Mestrigoda, Tanipolgahamulla, Bataganvila, Talgahahena, Kahaduawatta, portion of Minuwangoda lying to the east of Wackwella road, Akarawela, Blackmanhena, Alapalawa, Dangedara, Bazaar, Madapatala, Kanatta, Massalawatta, Pokunewatta, Malwatta, Weliwatta, Sarentukade, Walawwewatta, Kapuwatta, Deddugoda, Hirimbura, Andigama, Kitulampitiya, Hakurugoda, Bope, Umagiliya, Kawaiwala, Kumbalwella, Osanagoda, Heependela, Galketiya, Gampalmulla, Godakanda, Holuwagoda, Milidduwa, Galwadugoda, portion of Minuwangoda lying to the west of Wackwella road, Badahelagoda, Piyadigama, Kandewatta, Uluwitike, Navinna, Bokaragoda, and Kalegana.
Akurala tavern	December 11, from 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.	The Government Girls' school building at Akurala	Wellaboda, Madampe, Usmudulawa, Madama, Kuligoda, Ronnaduwa, Appalladuwa, Godawana, Kullitota, Wenamulla, Andurangoda, Dimbulduwa, Maharuppe, Medaduwa, Wellamadda, Veligoda, Aukrala, Akuraladuwa, Uduwaragoda, Kahawa, Keraliyagoda, Hettigoda, Godagama, Bendigoda, Telwatta, Weragoda, Galduwa, Harannagala, Nungala, Meetiya-goda, Wekada, Magawela, Udakerewa.

The Kachcheri,  
Galle, November 8, 1926.

K. VAITHIANATHAN,  
for Government Agent.

**Local Option.**

IT is hereby notified for public information that in the notice dated September 30, 1926, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,459 of October 8, 1926,

the Udakumbalwela toddy tavern has been erroneously included.

The Kachcheri,  
Badulla, November 2, 1926.

H. A. BURDEN,  
Government Agent.

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

## Election of Councillors.

NOTICE is hereby given in terms of Rule 10 of Schedule B of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, that the election of Councillors for the following divisions of the Municipality of Colombo, for the 3 years next-succeeding from January 1, 1927, will be held at the Price park, San Sebastian Ward, Colombo, on the following dates:—

Slave Island division	..	..	Friday, December 3, 1926
Kotahena Division	..	..	Monday, December 6, 1926
St. Paul's division	..	..	Thursday, December 9, 1926
Maradana division	..	..	Tuesday, December 14, 1926

The Poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and will be closed at 5 o'clock the afternoon on the dates aforesaid.

Municipal Council Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.

By order, E. H. JOSEPH,  
Secretary.

## MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy, held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on September 18, 1926, at 8.30 a.m., in accordance with Notice dated September 14, 1926.

*Present*:—Hon. Mr. R. A. G. Festing; Chairman; Mr. J. C. Ratwatte; Mr. L. H. S. Pieris; Mr. G. E. de Silva; Dr. G. P. Hay; Mr. Haji M. S. Usoof Ismail; Mr. S. A. Wijayatilake; Mr. H. L. Grocock; and Dr. F. Keyt.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on August 21, 1926, having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval and a copy thereof furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted:—

- Statement of receipts and disbursements from close of 1925, to August 31, 1926, on account of the Municipal Fund.
- Progress report of works brought up to the same date.
- Health Officer's report for August, 1926.
- Statements of cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of August, 1926.
- The reservoir readings for August, 1926.

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 August, 1926.

4. Correspondence:—(1) Letter No. U-68 of September 6, 1926, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, stating that Government has approved the payment of the sum of Rs. 3,295.62 as Customs Duty on account of articles imported from October 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.—Read.

(2) Letter No. J-38 of September 7, 1926, from the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, regarding the regulation of traffic.—Read.

(3) Letter No. 757 of August 27, 1926, from the Provincial Engineer, Central Province (North) forwarding copy of Director of Public Works' letter No. 94 of August 25, 1926, on the Kandy Water Supply to his address for early consideration of Council.

Resolved that the Council agrees to instal a meter as suggested but that the Director of Public Works be informed that the Council is of the firm opinion that there is a shortage of water even allowing for the wastage and that it would be waste of time to delay the scheme until the meter is installed.

The Council therefore respectfully requests that Mr. Grocock's Scheme be reported on and that Mr. Grocock's services be retained until the scheme is started.

5. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Pieris asked:—(1) Will the Chairman be pleased to ascertain from the Provincial Engineer whether the consumption of 750,000 gallons of water is continuous throughout the year? (2) What was the run off from the catchment area during the dry season of 1922? (3) Would the duplication of the main result in more consumption of water? (4) Could not the extent of the leakage be ascertained without the installation of a meter? (5) From the investigations he has made is the Provincial Engineer convinced that there is a shortage of water for the needs of the town?

Mr. Grocock being called upon by the Chairman to answer the questions, replied as follows:—(1) The consumption of 750,000 gallons a day was not continuous throughout the year. 750,000 gallons was the average for February and March when 22½ millions was the consumption for the month. In May the consumption was 15 millions, and in June 17½ millions, so that the consumption of 750,000 gallons a day was not continuous throughout the year. (2) The run off from the catchment area in the dry season of 1922, was 14 million gallons in January, 11 millions in February, 10 millions in March, 6 millions in April, 4 millions in May, and 6 millions in June. (3) If the main was duplicated there would be a



100 feet head and if Queen's Hotel cannot get water to their second floor now, with the duplication of the main, they would be able to draw water to the roof of the Hotel. As regards more consumption of water, people cannot consume more water than they would be allowed. All that had to be done to restrict the consumption was to close the pipe. (4) Investigations had been made during the two previous nights and the results were not satisfactory. He was of opinion that the leakage was about 100,000 gallons. It was necessary to instal a meter to ascertain the leakage. (5) Yes.

6. Pursuant to notice, Mr. de Silva asked—(1) Is it not a fact that Government contributes Rs. 3,000 a year for the dredging of the Kandy Lake? (2) How much of this money has been spent last year? (3) How much has been spent up to date this year? (4) Will the Council table a detailed statement of expenditure supported by vouchers, of the money spent on dredging this year? (5) Can the Council explain the presence of such large quantities of silt and refuse if proper dredging has been carried on?

The Chairman replied as follows:—(1) Yes. (2) Rs. 2,995.50. (3) Rs. 2,599.04 up to August 31, 1926. (4) 440 cubes dredging silt from lake and transporting to dumping ground, Rs. 1,318.26; 438 cubes removing silt from silt traps round the lake and Ampitiya road and transporting to dumping ground and cost of materials, Rs. 1,170.26; dismantling sunken dredger, Rs. 110.52; Total, Rs. 2,599.04. Work was done on Check Rolls. (5) The Superintendent of Municipal Works reports "In 1914, I recommended that the usual vote of Rs. 3,000 per annum for the conservancy of the lake be doubled for two or three years with a view to remove the silt which was coming into the lake in increasing quantities owing to the opening of Dorwin estate in Gregory road and clearing of other lands in Ampitiya. This recommendation was not adopted and instead of an increased vote the amount allowed for 1915, was only half the usual sum owing to the war. Since November, 1914, I was urging the necessity of having another barge in place of one that had become unserviceable but owing to the conditions due to the war I was not able to get the barge. Later the one barge I had also became unserviceable and in 1923; and 1924, no dredging could have been done. It was only last year I was able to get one barge, and another is badly required. The removal of silt was, however, regularly done with the available plant as far as the money voted permitted."

7. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Wijayatilake asked—(1) Will the Chairman be pleased to ascertain what the strength of the present Police Force in Kandy is? (2) What was the strength of the Kandy Police Force in 1920? (3) How many Police Constables are put on beat duty at one time, for what length of time, and in what parts of the town, daily? (4) How many motor accidents resulting in injury to person or damage to property have been reported to the Police during the period January 1, 1920, to September 10, 1926?

The Chairman agreed to write to the Superintendent of Police, C. P., for the information asked for.

8. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Wijayatilake moved—As the natural features of Kandy are such as will not permit 25 per cent. of the land owners of Kandy to build on their lands, in view of rule 20 of the schedule to Housing Ordinance, No. 19 of 1915, which requires a 20-foot road frontage for every new building, I move that steps be taken to get this rule amended so as to enable the Council to exercise its discretion in these cases. Mr. de Silva seconded.

It was agreed to refer the resolution to the Law Committee for consideration.

9. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Wijayatilake moved—With a view to avoiding motor accidents in the town, in the neighbourhood of schools in particular, I move that this Council do erect notice boards within a suitable distance of every school, as a warning to motorists, and that the Superintendent of Works be asked to furnish an estimate for the purpose to be included in the next Budget. Mr. de Silva seconded.

It was agreed that the Superintendent of Municipal Works be asked to furnish a sketch showing where boards are wanted and furnish an estimate.

Point Constables to be asked to keep people to pavements.

Managers of Schools to be asked to co-operate.

10. Papers *re* the appointment of Mr. James Oorloff as Executive Engineer, Board of Improvement Commissioners, Kandy.

Mr. de Silva proposed that Mr. Oorloff be paid an additional monthly sum of Rs. 150, with effect from April 15, 1926. Mr. Wijayatilake seconded.—Carried.

11. Papers relative to the proposal to levy a Conservancy Rate based on the annual value of premises instead of a fee based on the number of buckets.

Resolved that the matter lie over.

12. Recommendations of Standing Committees:—

*S. C. (A).*

(1) That Messrs. Jonklaas & Wambeek, Proctors, be paid Rs. 42 for work done for the Council.

(2) That the Municipal Free Library be open for only 6 hours on Government Holidays and Sundays (7 to 11 A.M. and 4 to 6 P.M.).

*S. C. (C).*

(3) That application be made to Government to obtain authority for the collection of licence fees in cash as provided under Ordinance No. 14 of 1925.

(4) That a gratuity of Rs. 83.65 be paid to the widow and children of the late Wace Park Gardener, Pusumba.

*S. C. (D).*

(5) That water service be allowed to premises No. 1019, Peradeniya road.

(6) That the estimate of Rs. 200 for lamp standard for Old Garrison Cemetery road junction be approved.

Resolved that the recommendations be adopted with the exception of (2) which was amended by restricting the hours to 7 A.M. to 11 A.M.

Confirmed this 16th day of October, 1926:

R. A. G. FESTING,  
Chairman.

**A.—GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT.**  
**Revenue Account for the Nine Months, January 1 to September 30, 1926.**

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1926:		Incurred from Jan. 1 to Sept. 30, 1926.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1 Administrative, personal emoluments ..	74,170	42	56,790	45
1A Administrative, other charges ..	19,915	0	14,486	31
2 Rice allowance to coolies ..	1,800	0	1,243	87
3 Collectors ..	10,600	0	8,749	78
4 Infectious diseases, prevention ..	4,000	0	3,009	68
5 Scavenging streets and removal of house and trade refuse ..	31,493	75	21,729	33
6 Conservancy of latrines ..	44,520	0	34,093	2
7 Minor sanitary services ..	3,345	0	1,349	88
8 Roads, buildings, parks, &c., maintenance ..	62,601	0	43,881	90
9 Public lighting ..	29,000	0	21,130	80
10 Water services ..	15,100	0	11,274	33
11 Town improvements ..	7,500	0	4,684	23
12 Markets ..	7,900	0	6,084	48
13 Slaughter-houses ..	4,591	54	1,651	58
14 Cemetery ..	2,491	6	1,850	2
15 Municipal court ..	2,355	0	1,630	33
16 Police ..	30,000	0	15,000	0
17 Education ..	200	0	200	0
18 Free library ..	2,400	0	2,400	0
19 Poor relief and public recreation ..	10,680	0	7,435	22
20 Pensions ..	3,956	63	3,622	62
21 Loan repayments and interest ..	59,194	83	20,030	75
22 Miscellaneous services ..	7,280	0	4,916	67
	<u>435,094</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>287,245</u>	<u>25</u>
23 Capital expenditure (provided from revenue) ..	18,800	0	23,876	34
	<u>453,894</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>311,121</u>	<u>59</u>
Balance being Revenue in excess of Expenditure ..	—	—	33,222	91
			<u>344,344</u>	<u>50</u>

Kandy, October 15, 1926.

REVENUE.	Estimated for 1926:		Accrued from Jan. 1 to Sept. 30, 1926.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1 Consolidated rate ..	200,000	0	153,781	10
2 Taxes ..	32,005	0	38,754	10
3 Tolls ..	27,068	0	3,752	28
4 Licence fees and stamp duties—				
(a) Licence fees ..	4,800	0	3,743	50
(b) Stamp duties ..	17,280	0	21,789	50
5 Slaughter-house fees ..	10,750	0	8,789	30
6 Conservancy fees ..	29,350	0	26,690	27
7 Rents ..	72,085	75	55,202	78
8 Judicial fines ..	6,500	0	6,048	74
9 Water service ..	11,150	0	10,536	48
10 Government grants ..	34,618	0	518	60
11 Education account ..	—	—	—	—
12 Miscellaneous receipts ..	17,500	0	14,737	85
Balance being excess of Expenditure over Revenue ..	—	—	—	—
	<u>463,106</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>344,344</u>	<u>50</u>

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

**Balance Sheet, September 30, 1926.**

	Amount.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Loans outstanding:—				
Government of Ceylon ..	105,402	98		
Local loans commis- sioners on Decem- ber 31, 1925 ..	422,666	66		
Less repayment in 1926 ..	10,000	0		
	<u>412,666</u>	<u>66</u>		
Add loans received in 1926 ..	23,500	0		
	<u>436,166</u>	<u>66</u>	541,569	64
Loans redeemed account on De- cember 31, 1925 ..	353,730	36		
Redeemed in 1926 ..	10,000	0		
	<u>363,730</u>	<u>36</u>		
Revenue contributions to capital outlay on December 31, 1925 ..	—	—	581,664	10
Government contributions for capital services on December 31, 1925 ..	99,078	34		
Contributions received in 1926 for paving Meda-ela ..	22,875	0		
	<u>121,953</u>	<u>34</u>		
Donations for capital services:—				
Donation from Mr. K. B. Wara- kulle for building an Ayur- vedic dispensary (received in 1925) ..	—	—	2,900	0
			<u>1,611,817</u>	<u>44</u>

	Amount.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Capital account, balance in hand ..	—	—	180,762	43
Sundry creditors:—				
Police bill account ..	15,000	0		
Tradesmen ..	8,608	39		
Outstanding wages ..	3,767	47		
Market stall rent securities ..	4,507	50		
Model tenement securities ..	1,181	0		
Sundry securities ..	2,810	76		
Free library upkeep account ..	1,227	77		
Free library Members' deposit account ..	393	0		
Miscellaneous deposits ..	2,249	71		
Municipal court fines awards ..	963	75		
Tools and stores lost account ..	4	10		
Lettering vehicles ..	—	—		
Times book club account ..	—	—		
Board of Improvement deposit account ..	1,998	45		
Maternity and Child Welfare Committee ..	336	18		
Sale of stores account ..	30	86		
	<u>43,078</u>	<u>94</u>		
Back lane scheme, contributions ..	—	—	16,299	55
Sinking fund:—				
Amount to credit invested as per contra ..	—	—	61,546	20
Revenue account, balance from 1925 ..	238,643	76		
Add revenue in excess of expen- diture from January 1 to September 30, 1926, as per revenue account ..	33,222	91		
	<u>271,866</u>	<u>67</u>		
			<u>573,553</u>	<u>79</u>

ASSETS.								
	Expended to Dec. 31, 1925.		Expended during 1926.		Total Capital Outlay.	Unexpended Balance in Hand.	Total Assets.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	Rs.	Rc.	
<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 ..	241,675	83	8,994	95	250,670 78	24,329 22	—	
Ayurvedic dispensary ..	2,824	36	—	—	2,824 36	75 64	—	
Other Municipal buildings ..	59,771	91	—	—	59,771 91	—	—	
Roads, pavements, &c. ..	112,245	16	—	—	112,245 16	—	—	
Drainage ..	146,939	75	—	—	146,939 75	—	—	
Public latrines ..	25,287	98	—	—	25,287 98	—	—	
Motor Carriage and rickshaw stands ..	2,506	55	—	—	2,506 55	—	—	
Recreation grounds ..	30,874	26	—	—	30,874 26	—	—	
Waterworks ..	470,486	81	—	—	470,486 81	—	—	
Investigations into water schemes ..	5,476	59	—	—	5,476 59	—	—	
Waterworks, new scheme ..	74,791	6	24,209	68	99,000 74	115,864 26	—	
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 in 1925) ..	1,334	52	—	—	1,334 52	—	—	
Public notice boards ..	106	40	—	—	106 40	—	—	
Dredger ..	3,939	2	—	—	3,939 2	—	—	
Dhobies' tanks ..	7,510	0	—	—	7,510 0	—	—	
Paving Meda-ela ..	—	—	5,881	69	5,881 69	40,493 31	—	
	<u>1,391,968</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>39,086</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1,431,055</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>180,762</u>	<u>43</u>
							<u>1,611,817</u>	<u>44</u>
Loan to Electricity Department ..	—	—	—	—	—	189,258 20	—	
Less Electricity Department Loan Funds temporarily held in General Account ..	—	—	—	—	—	28,500 0	—	
							<u>160,758</u>	<u>20</u>
Investments held by trustees of Sinking Fund ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	61,546 20	
<b>Stocks and stores :—</b>								
Stores ..	—	—	—	—	—	10,982 56	—	
Rice ..	—	—	—	—	—	233 76	—	
Stationery stock account ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	11,216 32	
<b>Sundry debtors :—</b>								
Rates, taxes, &c. ..	—	—	—	—	—	69,766 56	—	
Lettering vehicles ..	—	—	—	—	—	0 50	—	
Advance of pay, &c. ..	—	—	—	—	—	246 51	—	
Sale of stores ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Times book club account ..	—	—	—	—	—	577 78	—	
Education District Committee ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Board of Improvement ..	—	—	—	—	—	387 41	—	
Loans to Municipal Officers for purchase of cars ..	—	—	—	—	—	2,512 50	—	
							<u>73,491</u>	<u>26</u>
<b>Cash :—</b>								
In Mercantile Bank, fixed deposit ..	—	—	—	—	—	235,000 0	—	
In Mercantile Bank, current account ..	—	—	—	—	—	31,365 65	—	
Petty cash in hand ..	—	—	—	—	—	176 16	—	
							<u>266,541</u>	<u>81</u>
							<u>573,553</u>	<u>79</u>

Kandy, October 14, 1926.

E. B. PEIRIS,  
Accountant.

## B.—ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

## Revenue Account for the Seven Months, January 1 to July 31, 1926.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1926.		Expended Jan. 1 to July 31, 1926.		Total.  Rs. c.
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Generation of electricity :—					
Fuel .. .. .	14,479	20	11,455	85	
Oil, waste, and engine room stores .. .. .	3,418	0	2,720	73	
Salaries and wages at works .. .. .	8,130	0	5,923	93	
Repairs and maintenance :—					
(a) Buildings .. .. .	250	0	638	88	
(b) Engines, boilers, machinery, and plant .. .. .	1,000	0	800	58	
					21,539 97
Distribution of electricity :—					
Salaries of outdoor staff .. .. .	3,834	0	3,531	75	
Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus .. .. .	2,000	0	571	36	
					4,103 11
Public lamps :—					
Salaries and wages .. .. .	3,020	0	2,230	41	
Repairs and maintenance .. .. .	3,000	0	1,864	45	
					4,094 86
Works executed for customers :—					
Labour .. .. .	2,230	0	3,852	66	
Materials .. .. .	10,000	0	14,453	73	
					18,306 39
Management and general expenses :—					
Salaries .. .. .	17,590	0	9,010	53	
Rent of Engineer's bungalow .. .. .	1,200	0	600	0	
Printing and stationery .. .. .	750	0	308	65	
Legal expenses .. .. .	50	0	—	—	
Telephone .. .. .	225	0	—	—	
Audit fees .. .. .	250	0	125	0	
Sundry charges .. .. .	250	0	346	8	
Gratuities .. .. .	—	—	2,850	0	
Passage to Mrs. Chick .. .. .	—	—	701	24	
					13,941 50
Total amount of working expenses .. .. .	71,676	20	—	—	61,985 83
Gross profit carried to nett revenue account .. .. .	—	—	—	—	38,076 40
					100,062 23

INCOME.	Estimated for 1926.		Realized Jan. 1 to July, 31, 1926.		Total.  Rs. c.
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Sale of electricity :—					
Private lighting .. .. .	110,000	0	62,322	4	
Power of heating .. .. .	—	—	—	—	
Public lighting .. .. .	35,000	0	18,012	80	
Municipal Department .. .. .	500	0	173	5	
					80,507 89
Public lamps :—					
Attendance and maintenance .. .. .	—	—	—	—	
Works executed for customers and goods sold :—					
From customers .. .. .	17,000	0	16,978	37	
					16,978 37
Rent of meters :—					
Recoveries .. .. .	4,300	0	2,260	50	
					2,260 50
Sundry revenue :—					
Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .	500	0	315	47	
					315 47
	167,300	0	—	—	100,062 23

## Nett Revenue Account for the Seven Months, January 1 to July 31, 1926.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Interest .. .. .	—		5,454	34	Balance from 1925 .. .. .	12,261	39
Profits unappropriated on December 31, 1925 .. .. .	12,261	39			Refund of Customs duty .. .. .	2,145	95
Nett profit from January to June, 1926 .. .. .	34,303	10			Gross profit for January to July, as per revenue account .. .. .	38,076	40
Nett profit for July, 1926 .. .. .	464	91					
	<u>34,768</u>		<u>1</u>				
			47,029	40			
			<u>52,483</u>				<u>52,483</u>

Kandy, October 14, 1926.

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

## Balance Sheet, July 31, 1926.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	ASSETS.		Expended up to Dec. 31, 1925.		During 1926.		Total.			
						Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
Revenue contribution to capital outlay ..	102,523	95		Capital outlay:—									
Loan from Local Loan commissioners ..	88,500	0		Acquisition of undertaking ..	150,000	0	—	—	—	150,000	0		
Temporary loan from Municipal fund ..	185,227	8		Extensions of building ..	18,926	64	4,223	12		23,149	76		
Less Loan Funds temporarily held in General Account ..	28,500	0		New parts for engine ..	7,276	73	—	—		7,276	73		
			156,727	8	Storage battery ..	48,928	21	38	93	48,967	14		
Reserve for depreciation ..	22,959	17		Switch board ..	1,945	94	66	41		2,012	35		
Sundry creditors ..	12,706	56		Meters ..	2,886	36	1,151	38		4,037	74		
Outstanding wages ..	2,483	25		Mains ..	55,361	45	15,024	86		70,386	31		
Customers deposits ..	3,764	0		Air compressor ..	2,319	21	—	—		2,319	21		
Nett revenue account:—				New generating plant ..	63,893	71	6,102	49		69,996	20		
Balance at credit ..							351,538	25	26,607	19	378,145	44	
				Stores on hand ..	—							24,829	97
				Fitting on hire ..	—							85	48
				Sundry debtors ..	—							33,159	8
				Petty cash, Electrical Engineer ..	—							55	2
				Petty cash, Shroff ..	—							427	42
												<u>436,693</u>	<u>41</u>

Kandy, October 14, 1926

E. B. PEIRIS, Accountant.

## Auctioneers' and Brokers' Licences.

**M**R. K. R. DURAISAMY has been licensed in October, 1926, by the Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy, under the Surveyors, Auctioneers, and Brokers Ordinance, No. 15 of 1889, to practise as a Broker during 1926.

Municipal Office, JAS. JAYETILEKE,  
Kandy, November 3, 1926. Secretary.

## Triennial Elections.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the *triennial elections* for Wards or Divisions Nos. 2, 3, 4, and 5 of the Kandy Municipality will be held on the under-mentioned dates. The *Polling* will be at the *Town*

*Hall, Kandy.* The poll will open at 9 A.M., and close at 5 P.M. each day.

For Ward or Division No. 2 on Monday, December 6, 1926.

For Ward or Division No. 3 on Tuesday, December 7, 1926.

For Ward or Division No. 4 on Thursday, December 9, 1926.

For Ward or Division No. 5 on Friday, December 10, 1926.

Municipal Office, R. A. G. FESTING,  
Kandy, November 8, 1926. Chairman.

## MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

## Election of Councillors.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in terms of rule 10 Schedule B, framed under section 21 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, that the election of Councillors for the Kaluwella Division and the Kumbalwella Division of the Municipality of Galle, for the three years next succeeding from January 1, 1927, will be held at the Municipal Office, Galle, on the under-mentioned dates:—

For the Kaluwella Division, or Ward No. 2 on Saturday, December 4, 1926.

For the Kumbalwella Division, or Ward No. 5 on Monday, December 13, 1926.

The poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and will be closed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon on the dates aforesaid.

L. W. C. SCHRADER,  
Chairman.

Municipal Office,  
Galle, November 8, 1926.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

## Trade Marks registered during the Month of October, 1926.

Trade Mark No.	Advertised in <i>Gazette</i> of	Proprietors.	Class.
3,599	7,534 .. July 2, 1926	Askit, Limited	3
3,494	7,539 .. July 30, 1926	Ford Motor Company of Canada	1, 5, 6, 8, 12, 13, 15, 22, 25, 28, 36, 40, 47, and 50
3,615	7,539 .. July 30, 1926	Coty Societe Anonyme	48
3,612	7,539 .. July 30, 1926	Societe Generale de Produits Specialises	3
3,617	7,540 .. August 6, 1926	T. V. K. Cader Meera Saibo & Co.	42
3,511	7,540 .. August 6, 1926	The Gramophone Co., Ltd.	8
3,555	7,541 .. August 13, 1926	Lehn & Fink Inc.	3
3,593	7,542 .. August 20, 1926	The Morgan Crucible Co., Ltd.	50
3,625	7,542 .. August 20, 1926	Arnold Holste Wwe	1, 4, 42, 43, 47, and 48
3,626	7,542 .. August 20, 1926	Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd.	42

## Subsequent Proprietors registered during the Month of October, 1926.

(The name in *Italics* is that of the former Proprietor.)

863	6,220 .. December 13, 1907	Thermos (1925), Limited, 45, Aldermanbury, City of London, England; <i>Thermos Limited</i>	15
897	6,223 .. January 3, 1908	Do.	14, 15, 16, and 50
1,750	6,848 .. January 19, 1917	General Motors Corporation, General Motors Building, West Grand Boulevard and Cass Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, U. S. A.; <i>Chevrolet Motor Company</i>	22
1,908	6,944 .. May 24, 1918	C & T Harris (Calne), Limited, Wiltshire, England, Manufacturers; <i>Chas. &amp; Thos. Harris &amp; Co., Ltd.</i>	42
3,539	7,525 .. May 14, 1926	Robert Oscar Mennell, trading as R. O. Mennell & Co., 5, St. Dunstan's Hill, London, England, Tea Merchants; <i>Brooke Bond, Ceylon, Ltd.</i>	42
3,541	7,525 .. May 14, 1926	Do.	42

## Trade Marks renewed during the Month of October, 1926.

1,372	6,527 .. October 18, 1912	M. Ganga Prasad	3
1,380	6,534 .. November 29, 1912	Ardath Tobacco Co., Ltd.	45
1,381	6,534 .. November 29, 1912	Do.	45
1,393	6,558 .. December 28, 1912	Peter Mulhens, trading as Die Eau de Cologne & Parfumerie Fabrik Clockengasse No. 4,711 gegenuber Pferdepost von Ferd Mulhens	3 and 48
1,395	6,541 .. January 17, 1913	British-American Tobacco Co., Ltd.	45
1,397	6,544 .. January 24, 1913	Do.	45
1,418	6,555 .. April 4, 1913	Do.	45
1,419	6,555 .. April 4, 1913	Do.	45
1,421	6,555 .. April 4, 1913	Do.	45
1,425	6,556 .. April 11, 1913	Do.	45
1,429	6,557 .. April 18, 1913	Do.	45
1,404	6,544 .. January 24, 1913	Western Clock Company	10

## Trade Marks removed from the Register for Non-Payment of Renewal Fees.

1,350	6,514 .. July 26, 1912	The Custodian of Enemy Property	6
1,351	6,514 .. July 26, 1912	Tarrant & Co.	47
1,365	6,514 .. July 26, 1912	Cader Mohideen Yooseof	48
1,354	6,515 .. August 2, 1912	Wissotzky & Co., Ltd.	42

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

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

(1) Trade Mark No. 3,600.

(2) Date of Receipt: June 26, 1926.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION (a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America), General Motors Building, West Grand Boulevard and Cass Avenue, Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, United States of America; Manufacturers.

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

(5) Class: Twenty-two.

(6) Goods: Automobiles, their structural parts, and accessories.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

OAKLAND

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.



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

- No 12/1
- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,672.
  - (2) Date of Receipt: October 9, 1926.
  - (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): WEERASINGHEARACHIGE JAMES RICHARD PERERA, carrying on business under the name and style of "THE JAMES' MANUFACTURING WORKS," No. 1, Price Place, Pettah, Colombo; Dealer in Vinegar and manufacturer of Eau-de-Cologne, &c.
  - (4) Address for service in the Island, if any: —
  - (5) Class: Forty-two.
  - (6) Goods: Vinegar for food purposes.
  - (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the distinctive label with the word "LION" and no claim is made to the exclusive use of the added matter.

H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 3, 1926.

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

- No 6/1
- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,681.
  - (2) Date of Receipt: October 16, 1926.
  - (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): N. P. L. S. P. PALANIYAPPA CHETTY and M. A. MANUEL PALANI, trading as "THE BRITISH TILE COMPANY," No. 90, Wolfendahl street, Colombo; Dealers in Tiles.
  - (4) Address for service in the Island, if any: —
  - (5) Class: Sixteen.
  - (6) Goods: Tiles.
  - (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

**SREE RAM**

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the words "SREE RAM."

H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 3, 1926.

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

- No 12/1
- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,682.
  - (2) Date of Receipt: October 16, 1926.
  - (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): WINFRIED FREUDENBERG, SIEGMUND FREUDENBERG, HEINRICH GAUGER, and ERNST ALBERT OTTO WILD, carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of "FREUDENBERG BOEHRINGER & COMPANY," No. 22/25, Domshof, Bremen, Germany; Merchants.
  - (4) Address for service in the Island: Freudenberg Boehringer & Company, C/o. Messrs. F. J. & G. de Saram, Proctors, P. O. Box No. 121, Colombo.
  - (5) Class: Forty-eight.
  - (6) Goods: Perfumery including toilet soap, glycerine, honey jelly, complexion powder, shaving sticks, shaving soap, shaving cream, and shaving powder.
  - (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 3, 1926.

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

- No 4/1
- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,696.
  - (2) Date of Receipt: October 25, 1926.
  - (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): REGINALD JOHN HOOTON HOPE, trading as HOPE, HARTOPE & COMPANY, 43, Gower street, London W. C. 1, England; Merchant.
  - (4) Address for service in the Island: Julius & Creasy, No. 22, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.
  - (5) Class: Fifty.
  - (6) Goods: Cleaning and polishing preparations included in Class 50.
  - (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

**KOMPOSILL**

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1926.

H. E. BEVEN,  
Registrar-General.

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

## Budget of the Negombo Urban District Council for the Year 1927.

REVENUE.			
	Amount.	Total.	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
			Total.
			Rs. c.
<b>A.—General Revenue :—</b>			
(1) Property tax 171 (1) (a)	24,000 0		
(2) Acreage tax 171 (b)	—		
(3) Vehicles and animals tax 173 (1) (b)	9,000 0		
(4) Licence duties 173 (1) (c) (not included elsewhere)	1,400 0		
(5) Other taxes 173 (d)	—		
(6) Refund of stamp duties (schedule VI.)	11,600 0		
(7) Refund of liquor licences	3,000 0		
(8) Refund of Police tax	11,300 0		
(9) Compensation for opium revenue	6,208 0		
(10) Fines by court (not included elsewhere)	1,700 0		
(11) Fees under the Housing Ordinance	100 0		
(12) Assessment arrears recovery, surplus costs	—		
(13) Registration of mortgages	—		
(14) Interest on deposit in Bank	400 0		
(15) Refund of overpayments	10 0		
		68,718 0	
<b>B.—Thoroughfares :—</b>			
(1) Labour tax 173 (1) (a)	12,000 0		
(2) Fines on defaulters (Schedule VIII., 27 (2))	50 0		
(3) Other collections, e.g., fines for injuries, &c., 67, cattle seizing fees 103 (4), sale of badges and fare tables, grants, &c.	400 0		
		12,450 0	
<b>C.—Resthouses :—</b>			
Fees	14,000 0		
		14,000 0	
<b>D.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere) :—</b>			
(1) Rents	1,200 0		
(2) Sale of produce	2,200 0		
		3,400 0	
<b>E.—Public Health :—</b>			
(1) General Revenue—			
(a) Fines under Part IV., Chapter III.	—		
(2) Scavenging—			
(a) Fees 168 (10) (b)	850 0		
(b) Sale of refuse 130	—		
(c) Fines on contractors	—		
		850 0	
(3) Conservancy—			
(a) Fees 168 (10) (b)	6,900 0		
(b) Sale of refuse 130	—		
(c) Fines on contractors	15 0		
		6,915 0	
<b>(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—</b>			
(a) Fees 168 (11) (a)	2,800 0		
(b) Sale of refuse and manure	—		
		2,800 0	
<b>(5) Water supply—</b>			
(a) Water rate 141 (b) 146	—		
<b>(6) Hospitals—</b>			
(a) Contribution from Government	—		
(b) Rent of hospital grounds	18 0		
		18 0	
<b>(7) Markets and galas—</b>			
(a) Rents 168 (12)	1,000 0		
(b) Boutiques and stalls 168 (12)	1,500 0		
(c) Fees for private markets (150) (3)	1,900 0		
(d) Licences 163 (1)	—		
		4,400 0	
<b>F.—Public Recreation :—</b>			
(1) Rents and cattle grazing fees	35 0		
(2) Public performances	50 0		
		85 0	
<b>G.—Cemeteries Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899 :—</b>			
(1) Fees	350 0		
(2) Hire of hearse	120 0		
		470 0	
<b>H.—Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901; Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893 :—</b>			
(1) Registration fees	490 0		
(2) Fines	—		
(3) Sale of dog collars	35 0		
(4) Seizing fees	—		
		525 0	
<b>I.—Weights and Measures Ordinance, No. 8 of 1876 :—</b>			
(1) Fees for stamping	5 0		
(2) Fines	—		
		5 0	
<b>J.—Electricity Department :—</b>			
(1) Sale of current	—		
(2) Rent of meters	—		
(3) Works executed for customers	—		
(4) Miscellaneous	—		
		—	
<b>Total estimated revenue</b> .. 114,636 0			
<b>Estimated balance on December 31, 1926</b> .. 17,738 14			
<b>Total</b> .. 132,374 14			

EXPENDITURE.			
	Amount.	Total.	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
			Total.
			Rs. c.
<b>A.—General Expenditure—</b>			
(1) Salaries of officers (not otherwise charged)—			
(a) Secretary	2,580 0		
(b) Clerks	2,137 95		
(c) Peons	600 0		
(d) Superintendent of Works	2,760 0		
(e) Pensions	—		
(f) Revenue Inspectors	617 66		
		8,695 61	
(2) Establishment expenses—			
(a) Allowances (not otherwise charged)	1,500 0		
(b) Travelling	300 0		
(c) Commission to tax collectors (not otherwise charged)	2,500 0		
(d) Assessors' fees	500 0		
(e) Legal expenses	200 0		
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising, and office expenses (not otherwise charged)	2,000 0		
(g) Registration of voters and elections	50 0		
		9,310 0	
<b>(h) Cost of cart plates</b> .. 510 0			
<b>(i) Cost of audit</b> .. 1,150 0			
<b>(j) Refunds</b> .. 300 0			
<b>(k) Holiday railway tickets</b> .. 300 0			
<b>B.—Thoroughfares :—</b>			
(1) Salaries and wages	600 0		
(2) Maintenance	20,000 0		
(3) Plant and tools	300 0		
(4) Lighting	7,000 0		
(5) Watering streets	200 0		
(6) Commission to tax collectors	200 0		
(7) Other badges and faretables, cattle seizers	60 0		
(8) Acquisition	23,000 0		
(9) Improvements	750 0		
(10) Loan charges—			
Principal	2,500 0		
Interest	625 0		
(11) New works	14,700 0		
(12) Cost of fire extinguishers	50 0		
		69,885 0	

	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
<b>C.—Resthouses :—</b>			<b>(7) Market and galas—</b>		
(1) Salaries .. .. .	1,000 0		(a) Wages .. .. .	100 0	
(2) Maintenance .. .. .	500 0		(b) Maintenance .. .. .	200 0	
(3) Furniture and equipment .. .. .	1,500 0		(c) Printing, &c. .. .. .	—	
(4) Improvements .. .. .	—	3,000 0	(d) Acquisition .. .. .	—	
			(e) Construction .. .. .	2,000 0	
<b>D.—Council lands and buildings (not charged elsewhere) :—</b>			(f) Loan charges—		
(1) Wages .. .. .	710 0		Principal .. .. .	—	
(2) Commission to collectors .. .. .	—		Interest .. .. .	—	2,300 0
(3) Rent of office .. .. .	—		<b>F.—Public Recreation :—</b>		
(4) Maintenance .. .. .	500 0		(a) Wages .. .. .	120 0	
(5) Furniture .. .. .	—		(b) Maintenance .. .. .	2,000 0	
(6) Police tax .. .. .	630 0		(c) Allowances to band, contribution to gala day or King's Birthday celebrations—visit of Governor, &c. . . . .	—	
(7) Loan charges—			(d) Acquisition .. .. .	—	2,120 0
Principal .. .. .	—		<b>G.—Cemeteries Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899 :—</b>		
Interest .. .. .	—		(1) Wages .. .. .	1,860 0	
(8) Construction—			(2) Maintenance .. .. .	250 0	2,110 0
(a) Landing jetty .. .. .	—		<b>H.—Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901; Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893 :—</b>		
(b) Office .. .. .	3,000 0		(1) Destruction of dogs .. .. .	100 0	
(c) Town Hall .. .. .	—		(2) Commission to collectors .. .. .	25 0	
(9) Acquisition .. .. .	—	4,840 0	(3) Cost of dog collars .. .. .	50 0	
<b>E.—Public health :—</b>			(4) Cost of seizures .. .. .	200 0	375 0
(1) General Expenditure—			<b>I.—Weights and Measures Ordinance, No. 8 of 1876 :—</b>		
(a) Salaries .. .. .	2,653 32		Fees to Inspectors .. .. .	—	
(b) Allowances .. .. .	1,726 0		<b>J.—Electricity Department :—</b>		
(c) Uniforms .. .. .	200 0		(1) Generation of electricity—		
(d) Printing and stationery .. .. .	200 0		(a) Fuel .. .. .	—	
(e) Disinfectants .. .. .	400 0	5,179 32	(b) Oil, waste and engine room stores .. .. .	—	
(2) Scavenging—			(c) Salaries and wages at works .. .. .	—	
(a) Wages .. .. .	8,093 0		(2) Repairs and maintenance—		
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorry .. .. .	2,500 0		(a) Buildings .. .. .	—	
(c) Stores .. .. .	200 0		(b) Engine, boilers, machinery, and plant .. .. .	—	
(d) Refunds .. .. .	—	10,793 0	(c) Meters, switches, and other apparatus .. .. .	—	
(3) Conservancy—			(3) Service and house connection—		
(a) Wages .. .. .	5,710 0		(a) Materials .. .. .	—	
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorry .. .. .	1,000 0		(b) Labour (temporary) .. .. .	—	
(c) Stores, stationery, &c. .. .. .	500 0		(4) Management and general expenses—		
(d) Rent of night soil depôt .. .. .	—		(a) Salaries, &c., electrician and clerk .. .. .	—	
(e) Maintenance of latrines .. .. .	300 0		(b) Salaries, &c., outdoor staff .. .. .	—	
(f) Acquisition .. .. .	1,000 0		(c) Printing and stationery .. .. .	—	
(g) Construction .. .. .	2,000 0	10,510 0	(d) Sundries .. .. .	—	
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—			(5) Loan charges—		
(a) Wages .. .. .	324 0		(a) Interest .. .. .	—	
(b) Maintenance .. .. .	50 0		(b) Capital repayment .. .. .	—	
(c) Acquisition .. .. .	—				
(d) Construction .. .. .	—	374 0	Total estimated expenditure .. .. .	—	130,202 1
(5) Water supply—			Estimated balance on December 31, 1927 .. .. .	—	2,172 13
(a) Wages .. .. .	—		Total .. .. .	132,374 14	
(b) Stores .. .. .	—				
(c) Maintenance .. .. .	—				
(d) Acquisition .. .. .	—				
(e) Construction .. .. .	—				
(f) Loan charges—					
Principal .. .. .	—				
Interest .. .. .	—				
(6) Hospitals—					
(a) Wages .. .. .	160 8				
(b) Maintenance .. .. .	500 0				
(c) Paupers, maintenance, and burial .. .. .	50 0				
(d) Plague account .. .. .	—	710 8			

Settled and adopted by the Council on October 12, 1926 :

District Council Office,  
Negombo, November 2, 1926.ALEN ED. RAJAPAKSE,  
Chairman.**Negombo Urban District Council.****R**ULES made by the Negombo Urban District Council, under section 60 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, and approved by the Local Government Board.The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, November 9, 1926.F. BARTLETT,  
President, Local Government Board.**RULES REFERRED TO.**

1. The resthouse is intended for the use of travellers, and is not to be used as an office, or place of business. Resthouse fees are payable by all persons using the resthouse.

2. Every person, other than infants, is separately chargeable for accommodation, as well as every visitor's servant occupying the resthouse for over three days.

3. Each visitor must sign his or her correct name in the resthouse book on entering the resthouse, and the resthouse-keeper is forbidden to allow the use of the resthouse or to supply refreshments until this is done.

4. No one shall occupy any portion of the resthouse for more than three consecutive days without the special authority of the Chairman of the Urban District Council.

5. Visitors shall note in the resthouse book only those resthouse charges which are payable to the Urban District Council, and shall obtain from the resthouse-keeper receipts for all amounts paid by them.

6. The resthouse fees and charges shall be in accordance with the tariff appended hereto and shall be paid in cash. In default, further supplies will be refused. The attention of visitors is invited to Ordinance No. 33 of 1908, a copy of which shall be exhibited, together with these rules, in some conspicuous place in the resthouse.

7. A room may be engaged a day in advance, but when so engaged must be paid for whether occupied or not, provided that until the arrival of the person or persons engaging accommodation, the accommodation shall be at the disposal of any other person requiring it.

8. The resthouse-keeper is authorized to take no notice of telegrams asking him to prepare meals when the name and address of the sender are not given.

9. Beds, sofas, or couches in the resthouse shall not be used for the purpose of sleeping without sheets. A breach of this rule will involve a charge of Rs. 5 for each occasion on which a bed, sofa, or couch is so used.

10. The value of all articles damaged or broken by visitors is to be paid in accordance with the scale of charges appearing on the resthouse notice board.

11. Any complaint which visitors may have to make about the resthouse or the resthouse-keeper should be noted in the complaint book, which the resthouse-keeper is bound to produce when asked for, or should be communicated to the Chairman, Urban District Council, Negombo, by letter.

12. Visitors are not permitted to take dogs upstairs.

13. A breach of any of the above rules will render the offender liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 25, unless a lesser penalty is provided by the particular rule, and such penalty shall be recoverable as a fine as provided by section 11 (1) (b) of Ordinance No. 21 of 1901.

#### Tariff.

#### FEES PAYABLE TO THE URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

##### Occupation.

	Rs. c.
Each person occupying any portion of the resthouse—	
(1) For less than one hour .. .. .	0 25
(2) For a period exceeding one hour, but not exceeding six hours .. .. .	0 50
(3) For a period exceeding six hours, but not exceeding twenty-four hours .. .. .	0 75
(4) For the two large corner rooms for each person per diem, a surtax of .. .. .	0 50
(5) For the exclusive use of the private dining room for a day or part of a day, a surtax of .. .. .	1 0
Each bed or sofa used as a bed, for twelve hours or under (exclusive of the charge for linen)	0 25

##### Linen.

For table cloth, napkin, and two towels for each person .. .. .	{	For every period of twenty-	0 20
For mosquito curtain, sheets, and pillow cases for each person .. .. .		four hours or part	0 25
For sheets and pillow cases for each person .. .. .		thereof	0 20

##### Lights.

For use of lights for each person occupying the resthouse for twenty-four hours and under .. .. .	0 15
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##### Vehicles (other than Motor Vehicles).

For each vehicle kept in the open within the resthouse premises—	
For less than six hours .. .. .	0 10
For six hours and under twenty-four hours .. .. .	0 25
For each bicycle for six hours and under twenty-four hours (under six hours no charge) .. .. .	0 10

##### Motor Vehicles.

Each motor car (not garaged)—	
For less than twelve hours .. .. .	0 25
For twelve hours and under twenty-four hours .. .. .	0 50
Each motor car (garaged)—	
For less than twelve hours .. .. .	0 50
For twelve hours and under twenty-four hours .. .. .	1 0
Each motor bicycle (not garaged)—	
For less than twelve hours .. .. .	0 10
For twelve hours and under twenty-four hours .. .. .	0 25
Each motor bicycle (garaged)—	
For less than twelve hours .. .. .	0 25
For twelve hours and under twenty-four hours .. .. .	0 50

##### Horses.

Each horse stabled for less than twelve hours .. .. .	0 25
For twelve hours and under twenty-four hours .. .. .	0 50

#### CHARGES PAYABLE TO THE RESTHOUSE-KEEPER.

##### Early Tea.

(a) Tea or coffee, with milk and sugar, per cup, and fruit .. .. .	0 30
(b) Tea or coffee, with milk and sugar, bread or biscuits, butter, jam, and fruit .. .. .	0 60
(c) Tea or coffee, with milk and sugar, bread or biscuits, butter, jam, and fruit with two eggs .. .. .	0 75
(d) Tea or coffee with milk and sugar, bread or biscuits, butter, jam, and fruit, with bacon and eggs .. .. .	1 0

##### Early Breakfast.

Tea or coffee, with milk and sugar, bread or biscuits, butter, jam, and fruit, with bacon and eggs and fish .. .. .	1 50
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##### Breakfast.

Tea or coffee, with milk and sugar, bread or biscuits, soup, fish, and two courses, beef and mutton or chicken, with vegetables, rice and curry .. .. .	2 0
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##### Afternoon Tea.

Afternoon tea, including toast or bread and butter .. .. .	0 50
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Full Afternoon Tea. (On order) Re. 1.

## Dinner.

	Rs. c.
(a) Soup, fish, two courses, with vegetables and pudding, bread or biscuits and butter ..	2 0
(b) Soup, two courses, with vegetables, bread or biscuits, and butter and rice and curry ..	1 75

Special Dinner. (On order) Rs. 2 to Rs. 3.

## Sunday Lunches. (On order).

Special lunches available on Sundays at Rs. 3.

## Liquor.

	Rs.		Rs. c.
Beer, a quart bottle ..	1 25	Gin, a quart bottle ..	6 50
Beer, a pint bottle ..	0 75	Gin, a wine glassfull ..	0 70
Porter, a quart bottle ..	1 30	Soda water, a bottle ..	0 15
Porter, a pint bottle ..	1 0	Other aerated waters, a bottle ..	0 20
Brandy, a wine glassfull ..	0 75	Cool aerated waters, a bottle ..	0 25
Whisky, a quart bottle ..	8 0	Split soda ..	0 12
Whisky, a wine glassfull ..	0 75		

## Sundries.

	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
For a hot bath ..	0 25	Paddy, country, per measure ..	0 15
For a cold bath ..	0 15	Paddy, coast, per measure ..	0 20
Grass, per one horse per day ..	0 25	Straw, per one horse, each supply ..	0 30
Gram, per measure ..	0 25		

## Budget of the Ratnapura Urban District Council for the Year 1927.

		REVENUE.			
		Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total..
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<b>A.—General Revenue :—</b>					
(1) Property tax 171 (1) (a)—				(5) Water supply—	
Tax for current year ..	9,600 0			(a) Water rate 141 (b) (146) ..	7,900 0
Arrears of previous year ..	3,000 0			(6) Hospitals—	
(2) Acreage tax (171) (b) ..	—			(a) Contribution from Government ..	—
(3) Vehicles and animals tax 173 (1) (b) ..	3,900 0			(b) Rent of hospital grounds ..	—
(4) Licence duties (not included elsewhere 173) (1) (c) ..	567 0			(7) Markets and galas—	
(5) Other taxes 173 (1) (d) ..	—			(a) Rents 168 (12) ..	3,200 0
(6) Refund of stamp duties (Schedule VI.) ..	4,138 0			(b) Boutiques and stalls 168 (12) ..	—
(7) Refund of liquor licences ..	1,000 0			(c) Fees for private market 150 (3) ..	—
(8) Refund of Police tax ..	5,000 0			(d) Licences 163 (1) ..	60 0
(9) Compensation for opium revenue ..	3,409 23			(F) Public Recreation 168 (7) (170)	
(10) Fines by court (not included elsewhere) ..	150 0			(1) (b) :—	
(11) Pension contribution ..	—			(a) Rents ..	123 0
(12) Assessment costs, surplus ..	—			(b) Cattle grazing fees ..	101 50
(13) Interest from Bank ..	1,200 0			(c) Licences for public performances ..	25 0
	31,964 23			(d) Grant for upkeep of Fort grounds ..	90 0
<b>B.—Throughfares :—</b>					
(1) Labour tax 173 (1) (a) ..	4,700 0			G.—Cemeteries Ordinance No. 9 of 1899 :—	
(2) Fines on defaulters (Schedule VIII.) (27) (2) ..	100 0			(1) Burial fees ..	450 0
(3) Other collections, e.g., fines for injuries, &c. (97), cattle seizing fees (103) (4), sale of badges and fare tables, &c. ..	535 0			(2) Hire of hearse ..	50 0
	5,335 0			(3) Graves sold for erecting monuments ..	—
<b>C.—Resthouse and Ambalams :—</b>					
(1) Fees 60 ..	3,500 0			(4) Fees for maintenance of Church of England burial ground ..	24 0
(2) Other ..	100 0				524 0
	3,600 0			<b>H.—Dog Registration Ordinance No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893 :—</b>	
<b>D.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere) :—</b>					
(1) Rents ..	139 0			(1) Registration fees ..	130 0
(2) Sale of produce ..	30 0			(2) Fines ..	5 0
	169 0			(3) Sale of dog collars ..	15 0
<b>E.—Public Health :—</b>					
(1) Fines under part IV., Chapter III. ..	250 0			(4) Seizing fees ..	—
(2) Scavenging—					150 0
(a) Fees 168 (10) (b) ..	—			<b>I.—Weights and Measures Ordinance, No. 8 of 1876 :—</b>	
(b) Sale of refuse ..	30 0			(1) Fees for stamping ..	60 0
(c) Fines on contractors and coolies ..	5 0			(2) Fines ..	10 0
(d) Refunds ..	—				70 0
	35 0			<b>J.—Electricity Department :—</b>	
(3) Conservancy—				(1) Sale of current ..	—
(a) Fees 168 (10) (b) ..	5,600 0			(2) Rent of meters ..	—
(b) Sale of refuse (130) ..	—			(3) Works executed for customers ..	—
(c) Fines on contractors and coolies ..	5 0			(4) Miscellaneous ..	—
(d) Refunds ..	—				
	5,605 0			Total estimated current revenue ..	60,406 73
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—				Estimated balance on December 31, 1926 ..	30,000 0
(a) Fees 168 (11) (a) ..	1,205 0				
(b) Sale of refuse ..	—			Total ..	90,406 75
	1,205 0				

		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 ..	480 0				
(c) Clerk ..	1,200 0				
(d) Peon ..	258 0				
(e) Cost of technical advisers ..	—				
(f) Pensions ..	238 0				
(g) Process Server ..	180 0				
(h) Messenger ..	240 0				
(2) Establishment expenses—					
(a) Allowances ..	969 90				
(b) Travelling ..	—				
(c) Commission to tax collectors ..	660 0				
(d) Assessors fees ..	90 0				
(e) Legal expenses ..	—				
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising, and office expenses, &c. ..	928 0				
(g) Registration of voters ..	60 0				
(h) Cost of cart plates ..	75 0				
(i) Cost of audit ..	600 0				
(j) Holiday Railway tickets ..	140 0				
			8,518 90		
<b>B.—Thoroughfares :—</b>					
(1) Salaries and wages ..	990 0				
(2) Maintenance ..	17,932 66				
(3) Plant and tools ..	535 0				
(4) Lighting ..	4,792 0				
(5) Watering of streets ..	—				
(6) Commission to tax collectors ..	430 0				
(7) Cost of badges and fare tables ..	—				
(8) Acquisition ..	—				
(9) Improvements ..	652 50				
(10) Loan charges ..	—				
(11) Refunds ..	—				
			25,332 16		
<b>C.—Resthouse and ambalams :—</b>					
(1) Salaries ..	555 0				
(2) Maintenance ..	2,400 0				
(3) Furniture and equipment ..	1,150 0				
(4) Improvements ..	—				
			4,105 0		
<b>D.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere) :—</b>					
(1) Wages ..	—				
(2) Commission to collectors ..	—				
(3) Rent of office ..	480 0				
(4) Maintenance ..	1,753 0				
(5) Furniture ..	250 0				
(6) Police tax ..	150 16				
(7) Loan charges ..	—				
(8) New buildings ..	—				
			2,633 16		
<b>E.—Public Health :—</b>					
(a) Salaries ..	1,460 0				
(b) Allowances ..	745 0				
(c) Uniforms ..	240 0				
(d) Printing and stationery ..	—				
(e) Disinfectants ..	250 0				
(f) Maintenance of vagrants at house of detention ..	500 0				
			3,195 0		
(2) Scavenging—					
(a) Wages ..	4,384 20				
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorries ..	1,545 0				
(c) Stores ..	350 0				
			6,279 20		
(3) Conservancy—					
(a) Wages ..	4,026 0				
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorries ..	825 0				
(c) Stores ..	550 0				
(d) Rent of night soil depôts, &c. ..	43 0				
(e) Maintenance of latrines ..	300 0				
(f) Acquisition ..	—				
(g) Construction ..	—				
			6,344 0		
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—					
(a) Wages ..	294 0				
(b) Maintenance ..	275 0				
(c) Acquisition ..	—				
(d) Construction ..	—				
(e) Cattle disease ..	25 0				
			594 0		
(5) Water supply—					
(a) Wages ..	—				
(b) Stores ..	100 0				
(c) Maintenance ..	300 0				
(d) Acquisition ..	—				
(e) Construction ..	—				
(f) Loan charges ..	—				
(g) Commission to collector ..	150 0				
			550 0		
(6) Hospitals—					
(a) Wages ..	—				
(b) Maintenance ..	950 0				
(c) Paupers ..	—				
			950 0		
(7) Markets and galas—					
(a) Wages ..	—				
(b) Maintenance ..	200 0				
(c) Printing ..	25 0				
(d) Acquisition ..	—				
(e) Construction ..	—				
(f) Loan charges ..	—				
			225 0		
<b>F.—Public Recreation :—</b>					
(a) Wages ..	—				
(b) Maintenance ..	510 0				
(c) Other ..	—				
(d) Acquisition ..	—				
			510 0		
<b>G.—Cemeteries Ordinance No. 9 of 1899 :—</b>					
(1) Wages ..	813 0				
(2) Maintenance ..	200 0				
			1,013 0		
<b>H.—Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance No. 7 of 1893 :—</b>					
(1) Destruction of dogs ..	42 50				
(2) Commission to Collector ..	7 50				
(3) Cost of dog collars ..	15 0				
(4) Cost of seizures ..	—				
(5) Dog pound maintenance ..	10 0				
			75 0		
<b>I.—Weights and Measures Ordinance, No. 8 of 1876 :—</b>					
(1) Fees to examiner ..	—				
(2) Stores ..	10 0				
			10 0		
<b>J.—Electricity Department :—</b>					
(1) Generation of electricity, &c. ..	—				
(2) Repairs and maintenance, &c. ..	—				
(3) Service and house connections, &c. ..	—				
(4) Management and general expenses, &c. ..	—				
(5) Loan charges ..	—				
Total estimated expenditure ..	—		60,334 42		
Estimated balance on December 31, 1927 ..	—		30,072 31		
Total ..	—		90,406 73		

Settled and adopted by the Council on October 12, 1926 :

November 9, 1926.

T. WALLOOFFILLAI,  
Chairman, Ratnapura Urban District Council.



**Rates and Taxes, Ratnapura Urban District Council.**

IT is hereby notified that the Ratnapura Urban District Council has, in terms of the above Ordinance, imposed for the year 1927, the following rates and taxes, being the same as were in force during the preceding year within the administrative limits of the Ratnapura Urban District Council, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance:—

Under section 171 (1) (a): A rate of five per centum, payable on March 31, on June 30, on September 30, and on December 31, for the quarter ending on the said days, respectively, on the annual value of all immovable property;

Under section 173 (1) (b): A tax in respect of the following vehicles and animals, payable on or before January 31, at the rates specified:—

	Rs.	c.
For every carriage of whatever description other than a cart, hackery, or jinrickshaw	5	0
For every double-bullock cart or hackery of whatever description	3	0
For every single bullock cart or hackery	2	0
For every jinrickshaw	2	0
For every bicycle or tricycle	1	0
For every horse, pony, or mule	2	50

Urban District Council's Office, T. WALLOPPILLAI,  
Ratnapura, November 9, 1926. Chairman.

**LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.****Assessment Rate, Local Board, Batticaloa.**

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of Batticaloa, has, in terms of section 30 of "The Local Boards Ordinances, 1898, 1901, and 1905," made and assessed for the year 1927, over and above the sum necessary for the maintenance of the Police for the said town, a rate of 5 per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description, and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the limits of the Local Board of Batticaloa, subject to the provisions of the above said section.

Local Board Office, B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
Batticaloa, November 1, 1926. Chairman.

**Water Rate, Local Board, Batticaloa.**

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Batticaloa, has, in terms of section 44 of "The Local Boards Ordinances, 1898, 1901, and 1905," made and assessed for the year 1927, a water rate of 6 per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description, and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the limits of the Local Board of Batticaloa with the exception of the premises within the following villages—

Amirthakali, Urani, Thandavanveli, Kulavadi, Veddukkadu, and part of Maddikkali, bounded as follows:—

North-west: Boundary road.  
North-east: Maddikkali-aru.  
South-west: Mari Amman Koil lane.  
South-east: Village of Amirthakali.

Local Board Office, B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
Batticaloa, November 1, 1926. Chairman.

**Animals and Vehicles Taxes, 1927, Local Board, Batticaloa.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Batticaloa, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 36 of "The Local Boards Ordinances, 1898, 1901, and 1905," has resolved that an annual tax be imposed for the year 1927, on all carriages, carts, hackeries, horses, ponies, mules, bullocks, and asses kept or used within

the town for which such Board is constituted at the rate specified in the schedule hereunto annexed:—

	Rs.	c.
For every carriage	2	50
For every cart or hackery	1	0
For every horse, pony, or mule	1	25
For every bullock or ass	0	25

provided, however, that such tax shall not be payable in respect of carts and carriages licensed under Ordinance No. 4 of 1916, or in respect of the animals used in such vehicles.

The tax is payable half-yearly in advance on or before April 1 and September 1, 1927.

Local Board Office, B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
Batticaloa, November 1, 1926. Chairman.

**Tax on Bicycles, 1927, Local Board, Batticaloa.**

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Batticaloa, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 36 of "The Local Boards Ordinances, 1898, 1901, and 1905," has resolved that an annual tax be imposed for the year 1927, on all bicycles kept or used within the town for which such Board is constituted at the rate of Re. 1 each.

The said tax is payable half-yearly in advance on or before April 1 and September 1, 1927.

Local Board Office, B. G. DE GLANVILLE,  
Batticaloa, November 1, 1926. Chairman.

**Development of Land South-east of Railway Premises.**

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Improvement Scheme consisting of the laying down of street lines upon part of the area south-east of the Railway premises, approved by the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Puttalam, in terms of section 51 (1) of Ordinance 19 of 1915, has been submitted for the sanction of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council as required by section 53 (3) of the said Ordinance.

R. H. WHITEHORN,  
Chairman, Local Board, Puttalam.  
Local Board Office,  
Puttalam, November 2, 1926.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

## Motor Bus Traffic on Minor Roads.

I HEREBY give notice that it is proposed to prohibit the use of Motor Omnibuses on the undernoted roads and any representations against the proposal will be received by me up to December 4, 1926.

Provincial Road Committee,  
Colombo, November 8, 1926.

F. BARTLETT,  
Chairman.

## Roads referred to.

*Hewagam korale.*  
Battaramulla-Pannipitiya.  
Kotte-Talangama and Padukka.  
Talangama-Kaduwela.  
Bope-Dambora.  
Arangala-Kottawa.  
Aturugiriya-Kottawa  
Panagoda-Henpita.  
Walgama-Homagama and  
Diyagama.  
Talawatugoda-Hokandara.  
Tummodera-Bellair estate.

*Salpiti korale.*  
Hiripitiya-Siyambalagoda.  
Boralesgamuwa-Pannipitiya  
Dehiwala-Mirihana  
Mampe-Wewala ferry-Galle  
road.  
Mirihana-Kottawa.  
Mampe-Diggala ferry.  
Ratmalana-Attidiya.  
Pitakotte-Talawatugoda.  
Kesbewa-Jambureliya.  
Hiripitiya-Kiriwattuduwa.  
Nikape-Boralesgamuwa.

*Siyane Korale West.*  
Wattala through Hunu-  
pitiya to Mahara  
Dalupitiya-Karagahamuna.  
Gampaha-Yakwala and  
Radawana.

Pattalagedera-Kalagedihena  
Biyagama-Mudungoda.  
Pattalagedera-Kaleliya.  
Talawatuhempita-Udupilla.

*Siyane Korale East.*  
Weliweriya-Weke.  
Urupola-Weke and Han-  
wela.

*Alutkuru Korale South.*  
Hunupitiya-Hendala.  
Tudella-Pamunugama.  
Seeduwa-Kotugoda.

*Alutkuru Korale North.*  
Kochehikade-Halpe.  
Kotugoda-Naiwala.  
Naiwala-Divulapitiya.  
Sayakkaramulla-Badala-  
gama.  
Dunagaha-Nilpanagoda.  
Kandawala-Seeduwa.  
Negombo-Kimbulapitiya  
and Alutepola.  
Weliwena-Kaluairippuwa.  
Weediawatta-Kirindiwita.  
Udugampola-Dewalapola.  
Kimbulapitiya-Andi-  
ambalama.  
Kurana road.  
Katunayaka-Kadirana.  
Palangatura road.  
Ewariwatta-Madawala.  
Minuwangoda-Dagonna.

## Rambadagalla-Keptigalla Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been elected to act as members of the Local Committee for the Rambadagalla-Keptigalla road under the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, for the term of 2 years, ending November 6, 1928.

Mr. M. R. Harris (Chairman).

Mr. D. B. Suraweera.

W. ABEYWARDANE,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kurunegala, November 8, 1926.

## Yattattawala-Yattogoda Estate Cart Road.

IT is hereby notified that under section 17 (1) of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," the under-mentioned gentlemen have been appointed 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 26, 1926, to October 26, 1928:—

Messrs. H. J. H. Dhanapala, A. Nathanielsz, and  
W. Nugawela (Chairman).

Provincial Road Committee, P. O. FERNANDO,  
Ratnapura, November 4, 1926. for Chairman.

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

THE following Specifications have been accepted:—

No. 2,207 of September 2, 1926 (Date applied for under Section 50 of the Ordinance, September 11, 1925).

Jean Gailhat.

Improvements relating to the feeding of boilers.

*Abstract.*—A device is described for feeding boilers adapted for the complete vapourisation of fluids above their critical temperatures for actuating heat engines. It consists of a combination of three elements: an expanding device operated by gas from the boiler, a mixing device for mixing the expanded gas with liquid injected by a pump from a condenser maintained below the critical temperature, so that the mixture is near the critical temperature, and thirdly a compressor for this mixture.

The claims are:—

1. A method of feeding boilers operating at temperatures above the critical point of the gaseous fluids adapted for the production of motive power; said process being characterized by the fact that the work necessary for this feeding is furnished by taking gas directly from the boiler and causing it to actuate an expanding device, this gas being then returned to the boiler, without external dissipation of heat, after being intimately mixed with a quantity of condensed liquid adjusted in such a manner that this mixture will be brought to the immediate vicinity of the critical state.

2. A feeding system for carrying out the method according to claim 1, comprising in combination a suitable expanding device, cylinder machine or turbine, actuated by the gas derived from the boiler and of which the exhaust, after expansion, is conducted into a separate tank, a pump drawing the liquid into the condenser fed by the exhaust of the main driving machine and maintained substantially at a temperature slightly below the critical temperature of the fluid used which condenses in a form entirely liquid, this liquid being charged by the pump, into the separate tank where it is mixed with the exhaust gases from the expanding device, the mixture thus obtained reaching a state as near as possible the critical state of the liquid in question, and a compressor adapted to draw in the mixture formed in the separate tank and to compress it adiabatically so as to inject it into the boiler without dissipation of the heat to the outside.

3. A feeding system according to claim 2, wherein the three elements are actuated directly by the driving shaft of the main driving machine of which the exhaust passes into the condenser.

4. A method of feeding boilers operating at temperatures above the critical point of the gaseous fluid adapted to produce the motive power, substantially as described.

5. Feeding systems for feeding boilers operating at temperatures above the critical point of the gaseous fluids adapted to produce power, substantially as described in connection with the accompanying drawings.

One sheet of drawings.

No. 2,218 of October 13, 1926 (Date applied for under Section 50 of the Ordinance, June 8, 1926).

Alfred Elmer Jury and Omar Harrison Smith.

Improvements in or relating to method of preserving latex and product obtained thereby.

*Abstract.*—An Alkali phosphate and an organic antiseptic are used.

The claims are :—

1. The method of preserving latex which comprises treating the latex with an organic antiseptic and an alkaline phosphate.

2. The method claimed in claim 1, in which the alkaline phosphate employed is trisodium phosphate.

3. The method claimed in claim 1 or 2, in which the organic antiseptic employed is formaldehyde.

4. The method claimed in claim 1, 2, or 3, in which a sufficient quantity of the organic antiseptic is employed to prevent bacterial action and in which the alkaline phosphate is used in quantity sufficient to reduce the hydrogen ion concentration below  $1 \times 10^{-7}$ .

5. The method claimed in any of claims 1-4, which comprises treating the latex with the organic antiseptic not substantially in excess of 5 per cent., and adding the alkaline phosphate not substantially in excess of 1.5 per cent.

6. Preserved rubber latex when produced by the special method of manufacture herein claimed and described.

7. The method of preserving rubber latex as herein described.

No drawings.

NORMN RAE,  
Registrar of Patents.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

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“THE CEYLON TELEGRAPH ORDINANCE, 1908.”

**R**ULES made by the Governor in Executive Council under section 7 of “The Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908,” and declared to be in force as from November 15, 1926.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1926.

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

### WIRELESS TELEGRAPH RULES.

#### *Revocation.*

1. The rules published by Notification dated January 31, 1924, in *Government Gazette* No. 7,372 of February 1, 1924, as amended by Notifications dated April 15, 1925, and June 18, 1925, in *Government Gazettes* No. 7,456 of April 17, 1925, and No. 7,470 of June 26, 1925, are hereby revoked.

#### *Installation, &c., of Wireless Telegraphs.*

2. (1) No person shall import for private use, instal, establish, maintain, possess, or work any wireless telegraph station or apparatus in any place in Ceylon, or on board any British ship registered in Ceylon, or shall instal, establish, or work any wireless telegraph station or apparatus on board any aircraft in Ceylon, unless such person has applied for and obtained a licence in that behalf from the Postmaster-General; provided that, where wireless telegraph apparatus forms part of the personal baggage of a person arriving in Ceylon, it shall be lawful for the Customs Authorities at the port of importation to grant a licence to import such apparatus in the Form G in the annexed schedule, subject to a declaration being made by the importer in the Form F in the annexed schedule.

(2) Any person desirous of obtaining a licence for experimental purposes or for broadcast listening-in, shall make application on the appropriate Form A or A 1 to be obtained from any of the principal Post Offices in Ceylon, and every such application shall have affixed to it a stamp of the value indicated in rule 4 (2); provided that the Postmaster-General may at his discretion grant wireless telegraphy licences free of stamp duty to any officer of the Post and Telegraph Department who is required to perform duties connected with wireless telegraphy.

(3) Every such licence shall be in the Form B or B 1 in the schedule hereto, and shall be subject to the conditions mentioned in the said licence.

*Importation for Trade Purposes and Sale of Apparatus for Wireless Telegraphy.*

3. (1) No person shall import for trade purposes or sell any apparatus for wireless telegraphy, unless such person has applied for and obtained a licence in that behalf from the Postmaster-General.

(2) Any person desirous of obtaining a licence for such importation or sale shall apply to the Postmaster-General in the Form C in the schedule hereto, and every such application shall have affixed to it a stamp of the value indicated in rule 4 (2).

(3) Every such licence shall be in the Form D in the schedule hereto, and shall be subject to the conditions mentioned in the said licence.

*Duration of all Licences issued under these Rules and their Renewal.*

4. (1) All licences issued under these rules shall be for a period of 12 months only, dating from the date of issue. Applications for renewal shall be forwarded on Form E in the case of experimenters' and traders' licences to the Postmaster-General. In the case of broadcast listeners' licences, application for renewal shall be made on Form A 1 and handed to the Postmaster of the office from which the original licence was issued. Applications for renewal shall be made in all cases within fourteen days of the expiration of the licence, and shall be accompanied by the original licence forms.

(2) The fee for and in respect of all licences chargeable with stamp duty for experimenting or broadcast listening-in shall be Rs. 10 per annum in respect of each station licence, and in the case of traders' licences Rs. 30 per annum. The fees shall be paid by postage stamps affixed to the application form.

*Licences for Importation, Installation, &c., of Wireless Telegraphs for Experimental Purposes and for Broadcast Listening-in.*

5. (1) Licences for the importation, installation, establishment, maintenance, possession, or working of wireless telegraph stations, or apparatus for experimental purposes shall be granted subject to the following conditions:—

- (a) The applicant shall be not less than twenty-one years of age, and he shall furnish satisfactory evidence as to character and the objects for which he requires the licence.
- (b) The applicant shall satisfy the Postmaster-General that he has in view some definite object of scientific value or of public utility. If scientific research is intended, he must be certified as a competent investigator by a Government Department or some recognized scientific body.
- (c) The applicant shall satisfy the Postmaster-General that he is competent to work the apparatus according to the terms of his licence, or that he is a *bona fide* student of wireless telegraphy under a person holding a licence to work a wireless telegraph under these rules; and shall undertake not to allow any person other than a person holding a licence under these rules to work the said apparatus.
- (d) The maximum height and dimension of the aerial wire permitted shall be as follows:—

The extreme height of aerial above ground shall be one hundred feet.

The total length of wire, including leading-in wire, shall be one hundred and fifty feet of single wire, or total length of two hundred feet of wire where two or more wires are used.

(2) Licences for transmitting stations shall be subject to the following further conditions:—

- (i.) Licences for transmitting stations capable of radiating energy will be issued only to British subjects. In all other cases transmitting licences will be issued for use with an artificial non-radiating aerial only at the discretion of the Postmaster-General.
- (ii.) The power used shall not exceed twenty watts.
- (iii.) The wavelength shall be limited to a range of 180–220 or 400–450 metres. Applicants shall specify the range they desire to use.
- (iv.) Transmission shall be restricted to a period not exceeding an aggregate of two hours per day. The actual time desired shall be specified in the application.

(3) Licences for the importation, installation, establishment, maintenance, possession, or working of apparatus for broadcast listening-in purposes only shall be granted subject to the following conditions:—

- (a) The apparatus to be used shall consist of a standard cabinet or box type approved by the Postmaster-General. If the applicant desires to use any other type of apparatus, full particulars with diagrams must be furnished, and the set after construction must be submitted for test by a duly authorized officer of the Post Office before being brought into use. A charge of Rs. 5 will be made for this test and credited to revenue. The arrangement of the apparatus and wiring in an approved listening-in set shall not be altered or modified without the prior approval of the Postmaster-General.
- (b) The maximum height and dimensions of aerial wire permitted shall be as follows:—

The extreme height of the aerial above ground shall be one hundred feet.

The total length of wire, including leading-in wire, shall be one hundred and fifty feet of single wire, or total length of two hundred feet of wire where two or more wires are used.

(4) The use of reaction on receiving sets shall be permitted within a radius of 15 miles from the Colombo transmitting station only when broadcasting is not taking place in Colombo, and then only in such a manner as not to interfere with neighbouring receivers. Any licensee using reaction in such a manner as to cause interference to reception at any other station will be guilty of an offence against these regulations punishable with a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

(5) Any person to whom a licence to instal, establish, maintain, possess, or work any wireless telegraph station or apparatus is granted, shall not divulge the purport of any message, other than those intended for him which may be received on the apparatus. The licensee or any other person either on behalf of or by permission of the licensee, shall not reproduce or publish in the press or disseminate by other similar means messages transmitted for general reception, except the British Official News Service received through the medium of the station.

(6) Every person to whom a licence has been issued shall on application to the Postmaster-General be permitted to import any portion of a wireless telegraph apparatus, without any further licence, provided that it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General, or any officer authorized by him, that such portion is *bona fide* required to replace a damaged portion of the wireless telegraph apparatus used by such person, or for the purpose of making extensions to such existing apparatus or to obtain the benefit of later and more up-to-date appliances within the limitations of his licence.

*Licences for Importation for Trade Purposes and Sale of Apparatus for Wireless Telegraphy.*

6. (1) Licences for the importation for trade purposes or sale of apparatus for wireless telegraphic purposes shall be granted, subject to the following conditions:—

- (a) The applicant shall be a recognized and established dealer in electric apparatus.
- (b) The licence shall in all respects be subject to all the provisions of the Telegraph Ordinance and to the rules made thereunder which may be in force during the period of the licence.
- (c) No wireless telegraphic apparatus for transmitting purposes shall be imported or sold of greater power than is laid down in rule 5 (2).

(2) The licensee shall keep a book record of all licensed apparatus which he imports and of all disposals of the same in such form as the Postmaster-General may direct, and shall produce his stock and book record on demand of the Postmaster-General or of any officer authorized in that behalf in writing by him.

*Wireless Telegraphs on Board Ships.*

7. Except with the general or special permission in writing of the Postmaster-General no person shall work or use a wireless telegraph in any merchant ship, whether British or foreign, while such ship is in any harbour in Ceylon.

8. No person shall send any message by means of the wireless telegraph in any merchant ship, whether British or foreign, while such ship is within the territorial waters of Ceylon, when and where such messages can be forwarded by a Government telegraph.

9. No person shall work or use the wireless telegraph in any ship, while such ship is within the territorial waters of Ceylon, in such a way as to interrupt or interfere with service signalling or the transmission of messages between other wireless stations.

10. When communications are made by wireless telegraph between any ship within the territorial waters of Ceylon and a land station, the regulations made from time to time by the International Radio Telegraph Convention shall be observed.

11. Nothing in these rules shall apply to the use of wireless telegraphs within the territorial waters of Ceylon for the purpose of making or answering signals of distress.

*Wireless Telegraphs on Board Aircraft.*

12. No person shall, without the general or special permission in writing of the Postmaster-General, work or use a wireless telegraph in any aircraft (other than an aircraft belonging to the Royal Air Force) while such aircraft is over Ceylon or the territorial waters thereof, except in accordance with the following restrictions:—

- (1) The wireless apparatus shall not be used except during actual flight or in case of forced landing.
- (2) The wireless apparatus may be used for receiving messages on any subject, but shall be used for sending messages only on the following subjects:—
  - (a) Distress signals.
  - (b) Meteorological information.
  - (c) Forced landings and landing instructions.
  - (d) Ascertaining or indicating position.
  - (e) Supply of fuel and spare parts.
  - (f) Origin, destination, or course of flight.
- (3) The aircraft normal wave (900 metres continuous wave), and no other wave, shall be employed for the sending and receipt of messages to and from—
  - (a) Other aircraft.
  - (b) Aviation stations.
- (4) The aircraft ship wave (600 metres interrupted continuous wave), and no other wave, shall be employed for the sending and receipt of—
  - (a) Messages to and from all merchant ships.
  - (b) Such messages as are rendered necessary by reason of exceptional emergency, and which do not come within the scope of the above-mentioned provisions for the use of the aircraft normal wave.
- (5) The rules made from time to time by the International Radio Telegraph Convention shall be observed.
- (6) Service signalling or the transmission of messages between other wireless telegraph stations shall not be interfered with.

Provided that nothing in these restrictions shall apply to the use of wireless telegraphs for the purpose of making or answering signals of distress.

*Certificates of Competency.*

13. (1) No person shall work the transmitting apparatus of a wireless telegraph in Ceylon or in any ship or aircraft registered in Ceylon, unless such person is a British subject and holds a certificate of competency.

(2) Such certificate of competency shall be issued by such officers as the Postmaster-General may depute, and after such examination as the Postmaster-General may prescribe.

*Miscellaneous.*

14. For the purpose of any proceedings under these rules, the master or person, being or appearing to be in command or charge of any ship or aircraft, shall be deemed to have authorized and to be responsible for the use of working of any apparatus on board such ship or aircraft.

15. Any summons or other document in any proceedings under these rules shall be deemed to have been duly served on the person to whom the same is addressed by being left on board the ship or aircraft on which the offence is charged to have been committed with the person being or appearing to be in command or charge of the ship or aircraft.

16. The Postmaster-General may refer any matter relating to these rules, on which he requires advice, to a Committee composed of the President of the Radio Society of Ceylon and the Chief Engineer of the General Post Office, for their opinion.

17. Any person aggrieved by any order of the Postmaster-General shall have the right of appeal to His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, provided the appeal is lodged within one month of the receipt of notice of the order of the Postmaster-General.

*Transitory Provision.*

18. All licences which shall have been issued on and after July 1, 1926, up to the date on which these rules shall come into operation, and which under the rules hereby repealed shall cease to be in force after December 31, 1926, shall notwithstanding the rules hereby repealed, continue to be in force and be deemed valid in law until twelve months have expired from the date of issue of such licence.

SCHEDULE.

Form A.

CEYLON.

(See Rule 2 (2).)

Application for Licence to Import for Private Use, Instal, Maintain, Possess, and/or Work a Wireless Telegraph Station or Apparatus for Experimental Purposes.

1. Name of applicant (with Christian names in full) : \_\_\_\_\_  
Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
Age : \_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation : \_\_\_\_\_
2. Is the applicant a British subject ? \_\_\_\_\_  
(Evidence of nationality and two written references as to character should be enclosed.)
3. Scientific qualifications (if any) of applicant : \_\_\_\_\_  
Particulars of any experience in working wireless telegraph transmitting apparatus. Particulars of any certificates of competency held by applicant. Speed at which applicant can send and receive in the Morse code.
4. Location of proposed station \* : \_\_\_\_\_
5. Purpose for which a licence is required : \_\_\_\_\_
6. Particulars of apparatus to be used : \_\_\_\_\_

(Diagrams to be furnished and attached to this form) :—

- (a) Transmitting : \_\_\_\_\_
- (b) Receiving : \_\_\_\_\_
- (c) Antenna : \_\_\_\_\_

7. Power to be used for transmission (A) :—
  - (a) Source (B) : \_\_\_\_\_
  - (b) Point where measured : \_\_\_\_\_
  - (c) Volts : \_\_\_\_\_ Amperes : \_\_\_\_\_
  - (d) D. C. or A. C. : \_\_\_\_\_
  - (e) Cycles per second (A. C.) : \_\_\_\_\_
  - (f) Maximum watts to be taken by transmitting instruments : \_\_\_\_\_

\* If portable station, state normal location and area over which it is desired to move.

(A) Power is defined in the case of valve transmission as the power in the anode circuit of the valve, in other cases as the power taken from the terminals of the main generators or equivalent point.

(B) If batteries are used, state kind ; if secondary cells, state capacity and maximum discharge rate ; if dynamo, state maximum power available ; and if supply mains, state voltage whether direct or alternating and periodicity.

8. Wave length it is desired to use. Transmitting \_\_\_\_\_ Metres.
9. Range of waves over which apparatus is capable of being adjusted (Transmitting \_\_\_\_\_ Metres.  
Receiving \_\_\_\_\_ Metres.)
10. Stations with which it is desired to communicate : \_\_\_\_\_
11. Hours of working desired. Transmitting : \_\_\_\_\_
12. If the station is intended to transmit, state names, addresses, and qualifications of operators.  
If more than one station is desired a separate application must be made for each station.

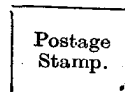
*Declaration.*

I undertake to observe the conditions of the licence, and hereby certify that the apparatus herein described can and will be worked in accordance with the provisions of the licence. I declare that if the apparatus is licensed for the transmission of messages, no persons other than those authorized by the Postmaster-General shall be permitted to work the transmitting apparatus.

Signature of applicant : \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_, 192—.

*N.B.*—This form when completed should be forwarded to the Postmaster-General, Colombo, and if it is sent by post with stamps affixed, it should be sent registered.



*N.B.*—If the application is only for receiving wireless messages, all references to transmitting should be struck off.



## Form A 1.

## CEYLON.

(See Rules 2 (2) and 4 (1).)

Application for Licence or for Renewal of Licence to Import for Private Use, Instal, Maintain, Possess, and/or Work a Wireless Telegraph Station or Apparatus for Broadcast Listening-in.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (name in full), of \_\_\_\_\_ (address in full).

Occupation : \_\_\_\_\_.

Nationality : \_\_\_\_\_.

apply for a Broadcast Receiving Licence, at \_\_\_\_\_ (address at which receiving set is to be used).

Note.—The annual fee for a receiving licence is Rs. 10.

## Declaration.

I undertake to observe all the conditions of the licence and to forward particulars of my apparatus to the Chief Engineer of Telegraphs, Colombo, on the attached form within fourteen days of the granting of the licence.

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

Signed : \_\_\_\_\_.

Stamp Rs. 10
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Licence No. \_\_\_\_\_.

To the Chief Engineer of Telegraphs and Telephones, Colombo.

Following are particulars of the apparatus to be used under the licence issued to me :—

Purchased from : \_\_\_\_\_.

Name of Licensee : \_\_\_\_\_.

Address : \_\_\_\_\_.

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

## Form B.

## CEYLON.

(See Rule 2 (3).)

Licence to Import for Private Use, Instal, Maintain, Possess, and/or Work a Wireless Telegraph Station (or Apparatus) for Experimental Purposes.

The Postmaster-General acting on behalf of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council and in virtue of the powers conferred on him by the Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908, the Ceylon Telegraph (Amendment) Ordinances, No. 15 of 1914 and No. 10 of 1923, hereby grants licence and authority to \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter called the licensee) to import, erect, maintain, and work apparatus for the reception and transmission of signals by wireless telegraphy at \_\_\_\_\_ subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth :—

- (1) The apparatus shall be of the character specified in the annexed schedule.
- (2) The apparatus shall be used exclusively for experimental purposes or research in the art of wireless telegraphy.
- (3) If thermionic valves are used in the receiving circuit, they shall be so connected as not to interfere with any other station.
- (4) Where transmitting apparatus is authorized, the licensee will take steps to ensure that no waves outside the range allotted to him are radiated from his apparatus.
- (5) The licensee shall not operate his transmitting apparatus for longer periods than ten minutes at any time.
- (6) The apparatus shall be open to inspection at all reasonable times by properly authorized officers of the Post Office.
- (7) If at any time the apparatus of the licensee interferes with the erection, working, or use of any of the Postmaster-General's telegraphs, the licensee shall at his own cost make any alteration to his apparatus which the Postmaster-General may require.
- (8) There shall be no divulgence to any person (other than properly authorized officials of His Majesty's Government or a competent legal tribunal) or any other use whatever made of any messages, excepting those addressed to the licensee, which may be received by means of the apparatus licensed herein, and the licensee shall be subjected in this respect to the penalties specified in the Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance. The licensee or any other person either on behalf of or by permission of the licensee shall not reproduce or publish in the press or disseminate by other similar means messages transmitted for general reception, except the British Official News Service, and received through the medium of the station.
- (9) The licensee shall be bound by the rules made to regulate the use of wireless telegraphs, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,555 of November 12, 1926, and any other rules made subsequently while this licence is in force. He shall also observe all the rules made from time to time by the International Radio Telegraphic Convention which are applicable to the licensed station.
- (10) If and whenever an emergency shall have arisen in which it is expedient in the Public Service that the Governor shall have control over the transmission or reception of messages by the licensed apparatus it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General or any officer specially authorized by him to take possession of the said apparatus in the name and on behalf of the Governor and to remove or use the same in any way that he may deem fit.
- (11) The licensee shall be entitled to reasonable compensation (to be fixed by a sole arbitrator nominated by the Governor whose decision shall be final) for any damage to the licensed apparatus arising in consequence of the exercise of the powers conferred by clause (10).
- (12) The Postmaster-General may at any time by notice in writing, but without assigning any reason, revoke and determine this licence, whereupon the licensee shall at once cease to work the apparatus and dismantle it to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General. The licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation through such revocation or determination of the licence.

This licence terminates on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

Signed by the Postmaster-General on behalf of the Governor in Executive Council.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Postmaster-General.

In the presence of \_\_\_\_\_.

The \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

Signed by the licensee \_\_\_\_\_  
 In the presence of \_\_\_\_\_  
 The \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_  
 Licence renewed to \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postmaster-General.  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_

Licence renewed to \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postmaster-General.  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_

Licence renewed to \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Postmaster-General.  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_

SCHEDULE ANNEXURE TO FORM B.

*Details of Apparatus.*

*Transmitting :—*

Authorized wave length \_\_\_\_\_ metres.  
 Call sign : \_\_\_\_\_

*Note.*—The power authorized must not exceed 20 watts measured in the case of a valve transmitter in the anode circuit and in other cases at the equivalent point.

*Receiving :—*

*Antenna :—*

- (a) Description : \_\_\_\_\_  
 (b) Height : \_\_\_\_\_ ft.  
 (c) Horizontal length : \_\_\_\_\_ ft.  
 (d) Method of support : \_\_\_\_\_

Hours during which station may transmit \_\_\_\_\_ (Indian Standard Time).

The station is licensed to communicate with the following stations only : \_\_\_\_\_

*N.B.*—If the licence is only for receiving wireless messages all references to transmitting should be struck off.

Form B 1.

Licence No. \_\_\_\_\_

CEYLON.

Rule 2 (3).

*Broadcast Receiving Licence.*

Licence to Import for Private Use, Instal, Maintain, Possess, and/or Work a Wireless Telegraph Receiving Set for Broadcast Listening only.

Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ (name in full) of \_\_\_\_\_ (address in full) is hereby authorized (subject in all respects to the conditions set forth below) to import, erect, maintain, possess, and/or work apparatus for the reception of public broadcasting only at \_\_\_\_\_ (address of station) for a period of one year ending on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_.

The payment of the fee of Rs. 10 is hereby acknowledged.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_.

Issued on behalf of the Postmaster-General.

Stamp  
 of  
 Issuing  
 Office

Postmaster.

If it is desired to continue to maintain the station after the date of expiration, a fresh licence must be taken out within fourteen days. Heavy penalties are prescribed by the Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance on conviction of the offence of establishing a wireless station without the Postmaster-General's licence.

*Conditions.*

- (1) The apparatus shall consist of a standard set of a type approved by the Postmaster-General.
- (2) It shall be used exclusively for the reception of public broadcasting services.
- (3) The station shall not be used in such a manner as to cause interference with the working of other stations. In particular, reaction must not be used to such an extent as to energize any neighbouring aerial.
- (4) The licence and apparatus shall at all reasonable times be available at the address given therein for inspection by a properly authorized officer of the Postal Department.
- (5) The holder of the licence shall notify the Postmaster-General of any change of address within two weeks of the change.
- (6) The use of any apparatus at a place other than that specified in the licence is not permissible excepting with the consent of the Postmaster-General.
- (7) If at any time the apparatus of the licensee interferes with the erection, working, or use of any of the Postmaster-General's telegraphs, the licensee shall at his own cost make any alteration to his apparatus which the Postmaster-General may require.

(8) There shall be no divulgence to any person (other than properly authorized officials of His Majesty's Government or a competent legal tribunal) or any other use whatever made of any messages, excepting those addressed to the licensee, which may be received by means of the apparatus licensed herein, and the licensee shall be subjected in this respect to the penalties specified in the Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance. The licensee or any other person either on behalf of or by permission of the licensee shall not reproduce or publish in the press or disseminate by other similar means messages transmitted for general reception except the British Official News Service and received through the medium of the station.

(9) The licensee shall be bound by the rules made to regulate the use of wireless telegraphs, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,555 of November 12, 1926, and any other rules made subsequently while this licence is in force. He shall also observe all the rules made from time to time by the International Radio Telegraphic Convention which are applicable to the licensed station.

(10) If, and whenever an emergency shall have arisen in which it is expedient in the Public Service that the Governor shall have control over the transmission or reception of messages by the licensed apparatus it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General or any officer specially authorized by him to take possession of the said apparatus in the name and on behalf of the Governor and to remove or use the same in any way that he may deem fit.

(11) The licensee shall be entitled to reasonable compensation (to be fixed by a sole arbitrator nominated by the Governor whose decision shall be final) for any damage to the licensed apparatus arising in consequence by the exercise of the powers conferred by clause (10).

(12) The Postmaster-General may at any time by notice in writing, but without assigning any reason, revoke and determine this licence, whereupon the licensee shall at once cease to work the apparatus and dismantle it to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General. The licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation through such revocation or determination of the licence.

Form C.

CEYLON.

(See Rule 3 (2).)

Application for Licence to Import for Trade Purposes and/or sell Wireless Telegraphic Apparatus.

- (1) Name of applicant (with Christian names in full) : \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) Address : \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) Age : \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) Occupation : \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) Qualifications : \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) Is the applicant a British subject ? \_\_\_\_\_  
(Evidence of nationality and two written references as to character should be enclosed.)
- (7) Premises at which licensed apparatus will be kept until disposed of : \_\_\_\_\_

Declaration.

I undertake to observe all provisions of the licence, and to be bound by all rules and regulations now in force or which may be subsequently promulgated for the control of wireless telegraphic apparatus.

Signature of applicant : \_\_\_\_\_

Date : \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

*N.B.*—This application, when completed, should be forwarded to the Postmaster-General, Colombo, and if it is sent by post with stamps affixed, it should be registered.

Postage  
Stamp  
Rs. 30.

Form D.

CEYLON.

(See Rule 3 (3).)

Licence No. \_\_\_\_\_

Licence to Import for Trade Purposes and/or sell Apparatus for Wireless Telegraphs.

The Postmaster-General, acting on behalf of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in virtue of the powers conferred by the Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908, the Ceylon Telegraph (Amendment) Ordinances, No. 15 of 1914 and No. 10 of 1923, hereby grants licence and authority to \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (hereby called the licensee), to import and sell apparatus for wireless telegraphs, subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth :—

(1) The said licensee is in all respects to be subject to the rules published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,555 of November 12, 1926, and to all the provisions of the Telegraph Ordinances which are for the time being in force.

(2) The licensed apparatus unless and until disposed of in accordance with the provisions hereinafter mentioned shall be kept at \_\_\_\_\_, and in no other place without the written permission of the Postmaster-General, and shall not be used for or by the licensee or by any person either on behalf or by permission of the licensee for the purpose of establishing, maintaining, or working a wireless telegraph, except under and in accordance with a licence granted in that behalf by the Postmaster-General.

(3) The licensee shall not assign, sell, or otherwise dispose of the licence or the licensed apparatus to any person for use in the Island of Ceylon unless such a person produces a valid licence granted by the Postmaster-General authorizing such person to establish, maintain, or work a wireless telegraph, or to import apparatus for wireless telegraph.

(4) At the time of every transaction covered by the terms of section 3, hereof, the licensee shall endorse upon the licence of the person with or on behalf of whom the transaction is made :—

- (a) The name, description, and residence of the said person ;
- (b) The nature of the transaction, and the character and quantity of licensed apparatus involved ;
- (c) The date of transaction ;

and shall sign the endorsement, and shall himself keep a copy of every such endorsement and produce it on demand to the Postmaster-General or his authorized agent.

(5) The licensee shall immediately give information of all transactions in licensed apparatus to the Postmaster-General in such manner as the Postmaster-General may direct.

(6) The licensee shall maintain registers of all licensed apparatus which he imports and of all disposal of the same, in such form as the Postmaster-General may direct. He shall exhibit his stock and his registers on the demand of the Postmaster-General or any agent authorized in that behalf in writing by him.

(7) The licensee shall forthwith give information to the nearest police station and to the Postmaster-General of the loss or theft of any licensed apparatus.

(8) If and whenever an emergency shall have arisen in which it is expedient for the Public Service that the Governor, shall have control over the licensed apparatus, it shall be lawful for the Postmaster-General or any other officer specially authorized by him to cause the licensed apparatus, or any premises, gear, or plant connected therewith, or any part thereof to be taken possession of in the name and on behalf of the Governor, and to be used for the service of the Government, and subject thereto for such ordinary services as to the said officer may seem fit, and in that event may enter any premises in which any such apparatus is kept and take possession of the said apparatus and use the same as aforesaid.

(9) Any such officer may in such event as aforesaid, instead of taking possession of the licensed apparatus as aforesaid direct and authorize such person as he may think fit to assume control of the licensed apparatus either wholly or partly and in such manner as he may direct, and such persons may accordingly enter any premises in which such licensed apparatus is kept.

(10) The licensee shall be entitled to reasonable compensation (to be fixed by a sole arbitrator nominated by the Governor, whose decision shall be final) for any damage to the licensed apparatus arising in consequence of the exercise of the powers conferred by clause (9).

(11) The Postmaster-General may, at any time by notice in writing and without assigning any reason, revoke and determine this licence, and it shall absolutely cease, determine, and become void without the licensee being entitled to any compensation. Apparatus already imported may be disposed of as laid down in sections 4, 5, and 6 of this licence.

(12) This licence terminates on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

Signed by the Postmaster-General on behalf of the Governor in Executive Council.

In the presence of \_\_\_\_\_.

The \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

Postmaster-General.

Signed by the licensee \_\_\_\_\_.

In the presence of \_\_\_\_\_.

The \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

Licence renewed to \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_.

Postmaster-General.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_.

Postmaster-General.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_.

Postmaster-General.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

Licence renewed to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

Licence renewed to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

Form E.

CEYLON.

(See Rule 4 (1).)

Application for Renewal of Experimenter's or Trader's Licence granted under the Rules for regulating the Use of Wireless Telegraphs.

I, the undersigned, at present holding an Experimenter's/Trader's\* Licence No. \_\_\_\_\_ granted under the above rules, hereby make application for its renewal, and agree to be bound as heretofore by all rules and regulations made from time to time in respect of such licence.

† I desire that the schedule of apparatus annexed to the licence shall be amended in accordance with particulars and diagram on the back of this form.

(Signed): \_\_\_\_\_.

(Address): \_\_\_\_\_.

(Date): \_\_\_\_\_.

Witness:—

Name: \_\_\_\_\_.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_.

Postage Stamp: Rs. 10 Experimenters, Rs. 30 Traders.
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This form when completed should be forwarded to the Postmaster-General, Colombo, and if it is sent by post, with stamps affixed, it should be sent registered.

\* Strike out word not required.

† Strike out if no alterations required.

Form F.

CEYLON.

(See Rule 2 (1).)

Declaration to be made by Person Importing Wireless Telegraph Apparatus as part of his Personal Baggage.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, and presently of \_\_\_\_\_, having brought a \* \_\_\_\_\_ wireless set manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ (maker's name, in my personal baggage from \_\_\_\_\_ in the steamship \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby undertake to apply for a licence for the set above described from the Postmaster-General, Colombo, within ten days from this date.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.

\* Say whether crystal or valve. If valve, state number of valves. Also say whether receiving, transmitting, or both.

Form G.

CEYLON.

(See Rule 2 (1).)

Licence to remove Wireless Telegraph Apparatus from the Customs Premises.

Permission is granted in the terms of the above declaration to remove from the Customs premises at \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ the wireless set described on the conditions stated in the declaration.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_.

Collector of Customs.

Issued the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_.