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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

IN the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HUGH CLIFFORD, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HUGH CLIFFORD.

WHEREAS by section 4 (3) of "The Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924," it is enacted that any Chief Headman's division or part thereof, which at the commencement of the said Ordinance is within the provisions of any Ordinance repealed by the said Ordinance, shall be deemed to be within the operation of the said Ordinance, and the provisions of the said Ordinance shall apply to such division or part as if the same had been brought within the operation thereof by a Proclamation under the said section :

And whereas by section 6 (2) of the said Ordinance it is enacted that any subdivision of a Chief Headman's division or part thereof made under the provisions of any Ordinance repealed by the said Ordinance shall, as from the commencement of the said Ordinance, be deemed to be within the operation of the said Ordinance, and the provisions of the said Ordinance shall apply to such subdivision as if the same had been made by a Proclamation under the said section :

And whereas the Chief Headmen's divisions of Udukinda, Yatikinda, Wiyaluwa, Wellassa, Buttala, Bintenna, and Wellawaya of the Badulla District, Province of Uva, were brought within the operation of "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1871," and "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," and subdivided into villages or convenient groups of villages under the provisions thereof :

And whereas by section 53 of "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," it was enacted that nothing in that Ordinance shall prejudicially affect any Chief Headman's division or part thereof brought within the operation of "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1871" :

And whereas "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," has been repealed by section 100 of the said Ordinance, and the aforesaid Chief Headmen's divisions and subdivisions thereof are deemed to be within the operation of the said Ordinance :

And whereas it is expedient to vary the said subdivisions of the aforesaid Chief Headmen's divisions :

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 6 (1) of the said Ordinance and by virtue of the provisions of section 11 A of "The Interpretation Ordinance, 1901," do hereby appoint that the aforesaid Chief Headmen's divisions shall be subdivided into the villages or groups of villages as set forth in the schedule hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Fifteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Chief Headmen's Division.

Division.	Subdivision.	Court-house at	Comprising the Arachchies' Wasamas of
1. Udukinda	Welimada	Welimada	Paranagama and Uduhawara in Medapalata korale; Kumara-pattiya, Perawella, and Uma-ela in Yatipalata korale; Dehipola, Vidurupola, Pelliwinna <i>alias</i> Palugama, Tennekumbura, Kelangamuwa, and Welimada town in Udapalata korale; Kotawera in Dehiwinipalata korale; and Dikkapitiya, Keta-kele, Mirahawatta, Gurutalawa, Rathkarawwa, and Ohiya town in Dambawinipalata korale.
	Tuppitiya	Tuppitiya	Maspenna, Wawegama, Bambarapone, and Tuppitiya in Gampaha korale; Hapugolla, Kirawanagama, and Uda Pussellawa in Medapalata korale; and Udaperuwa in Dehiwinipalata korale.
	Bandarawela	Bandarawela	Ettampitiya, Ettampitiya town, Dehiwinna, and Malitta in Dehiwinipalata korale; and Kadurugamuwa, Haputale, Haputale town, Kahagolla, Kabillewela, Kinigama, and Gorandiya-kumbura in Mahapalata korale.
2. Yatikinda	Dowa	Dowa	Halpe, Udu Kumbalwela, Bambaragama, Illukpelessa, Gawarawela, and Nawela in Kumbalwela korale.
	Badulla	Badulla	Uduwara, Dikwella, Dikwella town, Hetakme, Bogoda, and Lunugalla in Bogoda korale; Badulla town, Hingurugamuwa, Rambukpota, Kendagolla, Imbulgoda, Mailagastenna, Medagama, Beddegama, and Kandane in Rilpola korale.
	Passara	Passara	Kanawerella, Maussagalla, Kanahela, Passara town, Udagama East, Udagama West, Werellapatana, and Tolabowatta in Passara korale.
	Lunugala	Lunugala	Yapamme town, Pallekiruwa, Attanagalla, Udapanguwa, Lunugala town, and Wediwela in Pattipola korale.
3. Wiyaluwa	Taldena	Taldena	Kalugahakandura, Ekiriya, Metigahatenna, Madugastalawa, Demodera, Morahela, and Migahakiwula in Oyapalata korale; Nagolla, Egodawela, Angoda, Kohowila, Kirioruwa, Kande-gedera town, and Soranatota in Soranatota korale; Moragolla, Tennepanguwa, Pallewela, Godunna, Kumbukwela, Idamepanguwa, and Galauda in Wiyaluwa korale.
4. Wellassa	Bibile	Bibile	Khelattawela, Kotagama, Yalkumbura, Dodangolla, Bibile, Bibile town, Rokagonna, Wegama in Wegam pattu korale; Nilgala, Potuliyadda, and Katuhampola in Nilgala korale.
	Medagama	Medagama	Nannapurawa, Senapatiya, Kongolla, Kohukumbura, Bakini-gahawela, Pitadeniya, Kendawinna, Medagama town, and Pubbare in Medagam pattu korale.
	Makulla	Makulla	Makulla, Galbokka, Ihawa, Polgahagama, Deliwa, and Dambagalla in Dambagalla korale; Baduluwela, Nikawetiya, Nape in Nikawetiya korale; Waragama, Barawaya, and Siyambala-anduwa in Maha Wedirata korale.
5. Buttala	Moneragala	Moneragala	Wattegama, Kahambane, Etimole, Kolonwinna, Kimbulawela, Muppane, Muppane town, and Batugammana in Buttala-Wedirata korale; Yakurawa, Karawila, Alupota town, Wasipone, Wekumbura, Kotamuduna, Miyanakandura, Hingurukaduwa, Bogahapelessa, and Atale in Kandukara korale; Buttala, Udagama, Alutwela, Medagama, Pelwatta, Horabokka, Mahawela, Okkampitiya, Kumbukkan town, and Kataragama in Buttala korale.
6. Bintenna	Alutnuwara	Alutnuwara	Alutterama, Wewgampaha, Alutnuwara town, Pangaragammana, Kotatalawa, Aluketiyawa, Beligalla, Padukumbura in Bintenna korale; Ekiriyanakumbura, Maha Lunuke, Ridimaliyadda in Aralupitiya korale; and Ritigaha-arawa, Mahagama, Pinna-golla, and Arawa in Palwatta korale.
7. Wellawaya	Haldummulla	Haldummulla	Gampaha, Nikapota, Koslanda town, Kirawanagama, Horagune, Haldummulla town, and Kalupahana in Kandapalla korale; Hambegamuwa in Kongala-Bintenna korale.
	Wellawaya	Wellawaya	Tanamalwila, Sittarama, Suiya-aar, and Sinuggala in Sittarampalata korale, Telulla, Wellawaya town, Kotikanbokka, and Kurugama in Wellawaya korale.

In the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HUGH CLIFFORD, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HUGH CLIFFORD.

WHEREAS by Proclamation dated March 30, 1925, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,454 dated April 3, 1925, the Chief Headman's division of Wellaboda pattu of the Galle District, Southern Province, was under the provisions of section 6 (1) of "The Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924," subdivided into the villages or groups of villages, as set forth in section 5 of the schedule attached to the said Proclamation:

And whereas it is expedient to amend the said subdivisions of the said Chief Headman's division of Wellaboda pattu:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in Executive Council, do hereby, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 11 A of "The Interpretation Ordinance, 1901," and section 6 (1) of "The Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924," amend the said Proclamation dated March 30, 1925, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,454 dated April 3, 1925, by appointing the subdivisions of the said Chief Headman's division of Wellaboda pattu appearing in the schedule hereto in substitution for the subdivisions of the said Chief Headman's division referred to in the schedule to the said Proclamation.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Fifteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

5.—*Wellabodā Pattu.*

Subdivision.	Court-house at	Comprising the Police Officers' Divisions of
1. Ambalangoda ..	Ambalangoda ..	Randombe, Balapitiya, Wandaduwa, Maha Ambalangoda, Nambimulla, Wilegoda, Patabendimulla, Kaluwadumulla and Polwatta, Paragahatota, Karadeniya, Borakanda, Kurudugahahetakma, Magala South, Akurala, Wenamulla, Kuligoda, Wellaboda, Urawatta.
2. Veragoda ..	Veragoda ..	Alutwala, Telwatta, Metiwala, Kahawe, Godagama, Uduwaragoda, Veragoda, Mitiyagoda, Nindana, Batapola West, Batapola East, Godahena.
3. Hikkaduwa ..	Hikkaduwa ..	Wewala, Wawlagoda, Hikkaduwa West, Hikkaduwa East, Gonapinuwala East, Tiranagama, Narigama, Totagamuwa, Kalupe, Werallana, Seerigatira, Mala wenna, Polgahawila, Ambana, Pimikahana, Gonapinuwala West.
4. Bussa ..	Bussa ..	Bussa, Ratgama-Hegoda, Gammeddegoda, Katudampe, Imbulamawadawila, Karawegoda, Pitiwella, Kendala, Kadurupe, Mahahegoda, Dodanduwa, Moderapatuwata, Patuwata, Katukoliha.

In the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HUGH CLIFFORD, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HUGH CLIFFORD.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated January 1, 1889, this Island was divided for revenue and administration purposes into nine Provinces, including among others the Central Province:

And whereas it is expedient to alter and subdivide for revenue and administration purposes the Udapalata korale of Tumpane, in the Kandy District of the said Central Province:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby proclaim and appoint that from and after October 1, 1925, the Udapalata korale of the revenue division of Tumpane shall be altered and subdivided into two korales as set out and defined in the Schedule A hereto, and the wasamas comprised shall be those set out in the Schedule B hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Seventeenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-five.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE A.

Udapalata East Korale.

North by Province boundary of North-Western Province and Central Province.
East by Harispattu division.
South by korale boundary of Ganatapalata.
West by wasama boundaries of Uduwa, Gunadaha, Kannadeniya, and Galabawa.

Udawalata West Korale.

North by Province boundary of North-Western Province.
 West by Province boundary of North-Western Province.
 South by korale boundary of Pallepallata korale.
 East by wasama boundaries of Kobbegala, Galagedara, and Wettewa.

SCHEDULE B.

1. Udawalata east korale to include Dehideniya, Poholiyadda, Kuragama, Wettewa, Minigomuwa, Haddapitiya, Galagedara Madige, Kebbegala, and Galagedara.
2. Udawalata west korale to include Gunadaha, Uduwa, Galdola, Kinigama, Aludeniya, Kannadeniya, Galabawa, and Migahahena.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 503 of 1925.

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

Mr. L. D. C. HUGHES to be, in addition to his other duties, Special Officer under the Waste Lands Ordinances, with effect from November 30, 1925, until further orders.

Mr. P. SARAVANAMUTTU to be Additional Assistant Director of Education, with effect from December 15, 1925, until further orders.

Mr. R. S. V. POULIER to be Additional Assistant Government Agent, Colombo, with effect from December 12, 1925, until further orders.

Mr. S. F. JOHNPULE to act as Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Northern Province, from December 9 to 12 and from December 18 to 23, 1925, inclusive.

Mr. S. KANAGASABAI to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Jaffna, during the absence of Mr. E. T. MILLINGTON, on December 23, 1925.

Mr. E. W. KANNANGARA, Police Magistrate, Jaffna, to be, in addition to his own duties, District Judge, Jaffna, from December 24, 1925, to January 6, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. N. DANIELS to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, during the absence of Mr. G. FURSE ROBERTS, from December 23, 1925, to January 6, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. S. D. KRISNARATNE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura, during the absence of Mr. R. Y. DANIEL, from December 24, 1925, to January 2, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

The Hon. Mr. A. H. E. MOLAMURE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, during the absence of Mr. H. E. JANSZ, from December 18, 1925, to January 3, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. AELIAN PEREIRA to act as Police Magistrate and Additional District Judge, Colombo, during the absence of Mr. W. O. STEVENS, from December 23 to 31, 1925, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. M. H. JAYATILLEKE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadure, and Additional District Judge, Kalutara, during the absence of

Mr. R. ALUWIHARE, from December 22, 1925, to January 4, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. M. A. PERERA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kandy; Municipal Magistrate, Kandy; and Additional District Judge, Kandy, during the absence of Mr. H. P. KAUFMANN, on December 11 and 12, 1925, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. A. DIAS ABEYESINGHE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle, and Municipal Magistrate and Additional District Judge, Galle, during the absence of Mr. N. E. ERNST, on December 12 and 13, 1925, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Puttalam, and Additional District Judge, Puttalam, during the absence of Mr. J. LIGHT, from December 18 to 31, 1925, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

The Hon. Mr. N. J. MARTIN to act as Commissioner of Requests, Police Magistrate, and Additional District Judge, Chilaw, from December 24, 1925, to January 4, 1926, during the absence of Mr. H. L. HOPPER, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. N. DE ALWIS to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, during the absence of Mr. A. G. RANASINHA, on December 18, 1925, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. A. G. SIRIMANE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, during the absence of Mr. A. G. RANASINHA, from December 23, 1925, to January 3, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. F. MARKUS to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, during the absence of Mr. A. E. CHRISTOFFELSZ, from December 23, 1925, to January 3, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. A. V. VAN LANGENBERG to act as Additional Police Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Gampola, on December 19, 1925.

Mr. N. DE ALWIS to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, on December 23, 1925.

Mr. J. KADRAMATAMBY to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa, from December 14 to 19, 1925, inclusive.

Mr. W. S. STRONG to be Additional Police Magistrate, Puttalam, on December 12, 1925.

Mr. AELIAN W. PEREIRA to act as Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, during the absence of Mr. E. M. C. JOSEPH, from January 2 to 9, 1926, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. G. W. J. PRAAT, Assistant Postmaster-General, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colombo District.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 17, 1925.

No. 504 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Justices of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrates for the city of Colombo :—

Mr. P. T. ADAMS.	Mr. R. W. FOWKE.
Mr. C. S. BURNS.	Mr. H. N. COLYER.
Mr. G. L. LYON.	Mr. C. H. VINCE.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 14, 1925.

No. 505 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 11 (2) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, to nominate the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Members of the Matara Urban District Council for three years as from January 1, 1926 :—

Mr. GEORGE WEERATUNGA.
Mr. E. J. BUULTJENS.
Mr. A. S. CROW.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 15, 1925.

No. 506 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 13 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint the following gentlemen to be Members of the Provincial Road Committee, North-Central Province, for the year 1926 :—

Mr. L. P. EMERSON.
Mr. S. D. KRISNARATNE.
Mr. D. S. ARUMUKKAM.
The Hon. Mr. H. R. FREEMAN.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 17, 1925.

No. 507 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. PATTAGE JAOB

ALOYSIUS FERNANDO JAYAWARDENA, of Kimbulapitiya to be an Inquirer for the Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale north, *vice* Mr. D. A. JAYASINGHE.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary
Colombo, December 12, 1925.

No. 508 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint PUNCHI APPUHAMY DISSANAYAKE, Korala, to be an Inquirer for Diyatilaka korale in the division of Uda Hewaheta, Central Province.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary
Colombo, December 16, 1925.

No. 509 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. MULUTENGE EKANAYAKE MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY to be an Inquirer for the Chief Headman's division of Udapalata, in the District of Kandy, *vice* Mr. A. H. SAMARASUNDARA.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 10, 1925.

No. 510 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint Mr. MARIAMPILLAI SANTIAPPILLAI, Kachcheri Mudaliyar, Batticaloa, to be an Inquirer for the judicial district of Batticaloa.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 16, 1925.

No. 511 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint DISANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE SUDU BANDA, Korala, to be an Inquirer for Yatipalata korale in Wewgam pattu of Batticaloa District.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 16, 1925.

No. 512 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps to fill existing vacancies :—

To be Major

(Subject to his passing for promotion at the next examination).

Captain SAMUEL PERCY BLACKMORE.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant HUGH WYMIATT LITTLETON-GEACH.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 11, 1925.

No. 513 of 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Ceylon Supply and Transport Corps to fill existing vacancies :—

To be Captains.

Lieutenant WILLIAM CARVER.

Lieutenant ROBERT MURDOCH.

Lieutenant ERIC STEPHEN PAUL CARRAD.

By His Excellency's command,

E. B. ALEXANDER,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 14, 1925.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. CARTHIGESU CANAPATHIPPELAI to act as Registrar of Lands, Mullaattivu, for seven days from December 17, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. R. K. ARULAMPALAM, on leave.

Registrar-General's Office, A. W. SEYMOUR,
Colombo, December 15, 1925. Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed DON CHARLES RANASINGHA (provisionally) as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Palle pattu division, and of Marriages (Kandy and General) of Kukulukorale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from December 15, 1925; *vice* Registrar, NUGAMUNNE GAMAEETIGE PODIAPPUHAM; dismissed. His office will be at Polkotuwewatta in Galatura.

Registrar-General's Office, A. W. SEYMOUR,
Colombo, December 11, 1925. 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 PATIRANNEHELAGE ALLIS SINNO to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Weke and Dangalla division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu of Siyane korale east division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for ten days from December 14, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON SIMON WIJAYARATNE JAYASUNDARA, on leave. His office will be at Makulugahawatta in Meddegama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DON ELIAS WIJEMANNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Etul Kotte division, and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on December 17, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, CHARLES PETER DE PINTO, on leave. His office will be at Maragahawatta in Nugegoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed MATOTA ARACHCHIGE DON PEDRICK WAIDYARATNA SAMARAWEERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pelpola division, and of Marriages (General) of Munwattebage pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for fourteen days from December 3, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, LIYANAGE DON AWUNERIS, on sick leave. His offices will be at Mahawatta in Pelpola and Pelawatta in Panagoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed WEERASURIYA JAYAWARDANE SEMBUKUTTI PATABENDIGE HENRY FRANCIS DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Alutgam and Malawanbadda division, and of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamunedi division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for seven days from December 10, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, WEERASURIYA JAYAWARDANA SEMBUKUTTI PATABENDIGE BASTIAN DE SILVA, on sick leave. His office will be at Palliyawatta in Alutgama East.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed UKKU BANDA DISANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tispane korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale (excluding the portion in Gravets) division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for fifteen days from December 10, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, TIKIRI BANDA DISANAYAKA, on sick leave. His office will be at Haragala, Tispane.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed CORNELIS MENDIS WIRASINGHA 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, for ten days from December 7, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, SIMON MENDIS WIJAYASEKERA, on leave. His offices will be at Mulgedarawatta in Ratgama and Gurunnansewatta in Bussa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ELGIN DE SILVA WEERASURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kataluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for seven days from December 12, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, WILLIAM WERNASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at Nala-arambewatta in Kataluwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed LELWALAGURUGEI CHARLES WILLIAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Lelwala division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division.

in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on December 12, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CORNELIS ABEYWICKRAMA JAYATILAKA, on leave. His office will be at Amukanattewatta *alias* Batadombagahawattta at Lelwala Pahala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed ABRAHAM HETTIARACHCHI GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hikkaduwa division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for sixteen days from December 16, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, HETTIARACHCHI BAPTIST WICKRAMARATNA, on leave. His office will be at Hettiachchidiwelwatta in Hikkaduwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DAYANOLIS WILLIAM SEPALA RATNAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for three days from December 8, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, ROBERT WILLIAM SEPALA RATNAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Bengamuwa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed GANGODAGAMAGE DAVID DIAS GUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Midigama division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for ten days from December 10, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, GANGODAGAMAGE DON ANDRIS DE SILVA, on leave. His offices will be at Dammalagegahalawewatta in Midigama and Bandaranyakawalawwewatta at Hettiwidia in Weligama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON ALLIS RANAWEERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, on December 11, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON ABRAHAM DE SILVA JAYASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Talgahawatta in Balukawala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed JAMES GOONARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meda Viyangoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from December 15, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, NICHOLAS RASAPUTARAM, on leave. His offices will be at Bisopattuweghenewatta in Yatiyana and Moragahahewatta in Komangoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed JOHN WILFRED JUSTIN GUNASEKERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for six days from December 7, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON JAMES JAYASUNDARA, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Tangalla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON MARTIN DEWA RAJA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ranna division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from December 9, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DON DAVIT MATANGAWIRA, on sick leave. His office will be at Mahadombewatta in Welleode; additional office: Siyambalagahawatta in Ranna.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed AFNEAS ABRAHAM DISSANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kirama division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for eleven days from December 9, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, PROLIS JOHN DISANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Medakoratuwa in Walgammulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Batticaloa District, has appointed EDMUND WALTER DAVID SOMANADER to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Manmunai pattu north division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for two days from December 11, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, SWAMIPILLAI

THEVASAGAYAM, on leave. His office will be at Provincial Registrar's Office, Batticaloa; station: "Field House," Batticaloa.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed WIJESINGHA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tiragandahe korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Tiragawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, on December 5, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, LOKU BANDA HUNUKUMBURA, on leave. His office will be at Wanduragala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed ANUHAS MUDIYANSELAGE SENEVI-RATNE BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Madure korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for seven days from December 11, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, RATNAYAKE MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA RATNAYAKE, interdicted from duty. His office will be at Rambodagalla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed LIYANAGE GABRIEL MANUEL PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam pattu south division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from November 30, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, VINASITAMBY RAMALINGAM, on leave. His office will be at Madurankuly.

The Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed YAPABANDARALAGE APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Aralupitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Bintenna division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for thirty days from December 12, 1925, *vice* Registrar, YAPABANDARALAGE TISSAHAMY, resigned. His office will be at Aralupitiya.

The Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed WEERATUNGA MUDIYANSELAGE KARUNADASA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehiwinipalata East division, and of Marriages (General) of Udukinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for twenty-six days from December 14, 1925, *vice* Registrar, SAUKENDA MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY, dismissed. His office will be at Diyabolatenna.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed WIKRAMAPATIRAGE RATRANAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meda pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Kukulu korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for four days from December 16, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, CHARLES PETER DELGODA, on leave. His office will be at Pinnagodawatta in Kukulegama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed HENADIRIKANKANAMALAGE DON PETER APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panawal korale east division, and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for two days from December 14, 1925, during the absence of the Registrar, DISANAYAKA RANASINGHE ATAPATTU MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDARA, on leave. His office will be at Pahalawalawwewatta in Panawala.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, December 15, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that BAMUNUSINHA ARACHCHILLAGE MOHOTTIHAMI BAMUNUSINHA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panawal korale west division, and of Marriages (Kandyana and General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, will, with effect from January 1, 1926, have an additional office at Galagawahenewatta in Madola, where he will hold office on the first and third Saturdays of every month.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, December 15, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

“THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE, No. 11 OF 1920.”

WHEREAS in the schedules to Notification dated February 3, 1922, and Notification dated December 13, 1922, published in *Government Gazettes* Nos. 7,243 and 7,302 dated February 10, 1922, and December 22, 1922, respectively, the administrative limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council have been specified in the manner appearing in the first column of the schedule hereto.

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has, in terms of section 14 of the Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920, varied the administrative limits of the said Council in the manner set forth in the second column of the schedule hereto as and from January 1, 1926.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 14, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Limits as defined by Notifications dated February 3, 1922,
and December 13, 1922.

Limits as defined by this Notification.

North.—A line starting from the sea, along the eastern shore of the Chilaw lake up to the canal, and thence along the western bank of the canal up to the bridge over the canal.

North.—A line starting from the sea, along the eastern shore of the Chilaw lake up to the canal, and thence along the western bank of the canal up to the bridge over the canal.

North-east.—A line starting from the bridge over the canal, along the eastern side of the Wattakkaliya road, the northern boundary of lot 58702 in town plan, the path marked in town plan, thence along that path to the Puttalam road, and thence along the eastern side of Puttalam road to Lunu-odai, along Lunu-odai to lot 57311, thence along the northern and eastern boundaries of the said lot, the old gravets marked in town plan, the northern and eastern boundaries of lot 487/V 2 and the northern boundary of lot S 2, and the northern boundary of the new dhobies' tank to its eastern corner.

North-east.—A line starting from the bridge over the canal, along the eastern side of the Wattakkaliya road, the northern boundary of lot 58702 in town plan, thence a straight line from the north-eastern corner of the said lot 58702 to the Puttalam high road passing along the northern boundary of the Manor premises, and thence along the eastern side of Puttalam road to Lunu-odai, along Lunu-odai to lot 57311, thence along the northern and eastern boundaries of the said lot, the old gravets marked in town plan, the northern and eastern boundaries of lot 487/V 2 and the northern boundary of lot S 2, and the northern boundary of the new dhobies' tank to its eastern corner.

East.—A line along the eastern boundary of the new dhobies' tank, across Wariyapola road, along the eastern boundary of Mr. Advocate Corea's land till its south-eastern end.

East.—A line along the eastern boundary of the new dhobies' tank, across Wariyapola road, along the eastern boundary of Mr. Advocate Corea's land till its south-eastern end.

South-east.—A line from the south-eastern corner of Mr. Advocate Corea's land, along its southern boundary, and along the southern boundary of Mr. De Mel's estate, eastern and southern boundaries of lot 487/U 3, eastern and southern boundaries of lot 487/5, southern boundary of lot 5/39, eastern boundaries of lots L 1230, M 1230, N 1230, southern boundaries of lots N 1230, M 1230 to Colombo road, thence along the eastern side of Colombo road to a point opposite the northern corner of lot 1079 across the road, along the northern and western boundaries of the said lot to the railway line, thence along the eastern side of the railway line to lot Y marked in town plan, thence across the railway line, along the southern boundaries of lots X and Y in the said plan; and along the southern boundaries of lot V 214 and lot W 214 to the Chilaw lake, thence along the eastern shore of the Chilaw lake to the north-west corner of lot 13233, thence a line across the lake to the north-eastern corner of lot L 1194, along the northern boundary of the said lot L 1194, along the road marked in the town plan to the north-eastern corner of lot 205394 in town plan.

South-east.—A line from the south-eastern corner of Mr. Advocate Corea's land, along its southern boundary, and along the southern boundary of Mr. De Mel's estate, eastern and southern boundaries of lot 487/U 3, eastern and southern boundaries of lot 487/5, southern boundary of lot 5/39, eastern boundaries of lots L 1230, M 1230, N 1230, southern boundaries of lots N 1230, M 1230 to Colombo road, thence along the eastern side of Colombo road to a point opposite the northern corner of lot 1079 across the road, along the northern and western boundaries of the said lot to the railway line, thence along the eastern side of the railway line to lot Y marked in town plan, thence across the railway line, along the southern boundaries of lots X and Y in the said plan; and along the southern boundaries of lot V 214 and lot W 214 to the Chilaw lake, thence along the eastern shore of the Chilaw lake to the north-west corner of lot 13233, thence a line across the lake to the north-eastern corner of lot L 1194, along the northern boundary of the said lot L 1194, along the road marked in the town plan to the north-eastern corner of lot 205394 in town plan.

South.—A line starting from the north-east corner of lot 205394, along the northern and western boundaries of the said lot 205394, southern boundaries of lots 205421 and 316, and thence a straight line starting from the north-east corner of the general cemetery along its southern boundary to the sea.

South.—A line starting from the north-east corner of lot 205394, along the northern and western boundaries of the said lot 205394, southern boundaries of lots 205421 and 316, and thence a straight line starting from the north-east corner of the general cemetery along its southern boundary to the sea.

West.—The sea.

West.—The sea.

“THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE, No. 11 OF 1920.”

WHEREAS His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has, in terms of section 14 of the Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920, varied the administrative limits of the Urban District Council of Chilaw in the manner set forth in the second column of the schedule to the Notification dated December 14, 1925, appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,504 of December 18, 1925.

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has, by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 26 of the said Ordinance, ordered that the administrative area of the said Urban District Council shall be divided into four electoral divisions, and that the limits of the said divisions shall be those set out in the schedule hereto.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 14, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Division No. 1.—North: the limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council; west: the sea; south: the approach road from the sea to the Resthouse, the approach road northward and along the northern boundary of the Resthouse premises crossing the bridge to the junction with Lake road, Lake road southward to its junction with Bazaar street, Bazaar street to its junction with First Cross street; east: First Cross street, St. Mary's street, Alutwatte road, Wattakkaliya road to the Chilaw Urban District Council limits.

Division No. 2.—North: the limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council; west: the eastern boundary of division No. 1; south: the portion of the Kurunegala road within the Chilaw Urban District Council limits, Dhoby's street, and Bazaar street to its junction with First Cross street; east: the limits of the Chilaw Urban District of Council.

Division No. 3.—North: the southern boundary of division No. 2; west: Sea street to its junction with Ferry street, Ferry street to its junction with St. James' street, St. James' street to its junction with the approach road to the Anglican Church, the approach road to the Anglican Church to the railway crossing, the railway line until it meets the limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council; south: the limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council; east: the limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council.

Division No. 4.—North: the southern boundary of division No. 1; west: the sea; south: the limits of the Chilaw Urban District Council; east: the western boundary of division No. 3.

THE subjoined copy of an Order of His Majesty in Council dated October 12, 1925, applying the Extradition Acts, 1870 to 1906, in the case of Latvia in accordance with the Treaty concluded on July 16, 1924, between His Majesty and the President of the Latvian Republic for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals is published or general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 10, 1925.

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

THE ORDER REFERRED TO.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 12th day of October, 1925.

Present:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

Lord President.

Lord Southborough.

Lord Chamberlain.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870* to 1906†, it was amongst other things enacted that, where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, His Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such Foreign State; and that His Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of His Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient:

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the 16th day of July, 1924, between His Majesty and the President of the Latvian Republic for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following:—

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India; and the President of the Latvian Republic, having determined, by common consent, to conclude a treaty for the extradition of criminals, have accordingly named as their plenipotentiaries:

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India:

John Charles Tudor Vaughan, Esquire, C.M.G., M.V.O., His Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Riga:

And the President of the Latvian Republic:

M. Germain Albat, Minister Plenipotentiary, Secretary-General of the Latvian Foreign Office:

Who, after having exhibited to each other their respective full powers, and found them in good and due form, have agreed upon the following articles:—

ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other, under certain circumstances and conditions stated in the present treaty, those persons who, being accused or convicted of any of the crimes or offences enumerated in Article 2, committed within the jurisdiction of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other party.

ARTICLE 2.

Extradition shall be reciprocally granted for the following crimes or offences:—

- (1) Murder (including assassination, parricide, infanticide, poisoning), or attempt or conspiracy to murder.
- (2) Manslaughter.
- (3) Administering drugs or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of women.
- (4) Rape.
- (5) Carnal knowledge, or any attempt to have carnal knowledge, of a girl under 14 years of age.
- (6) Indecent assault.
- (7) Kidnapping and false imprisonment.
- (8) Child stealing, including abandoning, exposing, or unlawfully detaining.
- (9) Abduction.
- (10) Procuration.
- (11) Bigamy.
- (12) Maliciously wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.
- (13) Assault occasioning actual bodily harm.
- (14) Threats, by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort money or other things of value.

* 33 and 34 Vict., c. 52.

† 6 Edw. VII., c. 15.

- (15) Perjury, or subornation of perjury.
- (16) Arson.
- (17) Burglary or housebreaking, robbery with violence, larceny or embezzlement.
- (18) Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, director, member, or public officer of any company, or fraudulent conversion.
- (19) Obtaining money, valuable security, or goods by false pretences; receiving any money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been stolen or feloniously obtained.
- (20) (a) Counterfeiting or altering money, or bringing into circulation counterfeited or altered money.
(b) Knowingly making without lawful authority any instrument, tool, or engine adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of the coin of the realm.
- (21) Forgery, or uttering what is forged.
- (22) Crimes against bankruptcy law.
- (23) Any malicious act done with intent to endanger the safety of any persons travelling or being upon a railway.
- (24) Malicious injury to property, if such offence be indictable.
- (25) Piracy and other crimes or offences committed at sea against persons or things which, according to the laws of the High Contracting Parties, are extradition crimes or offences.
- (26) Dealing in slaves in such manner as to constitute a crime or offence against the laws of both States.

The extradition is also to be granted for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes or offences, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both Contracting Parties.

Extradition may also be granted at the discretion of the State applied to in respect of any other crime or offence for which, according to the law of both the Contracting Parties for the time being in force, the grant can be made.

ARTICLE 3.

In no case nor on any consideration whatever shall the High Contracting Parties be bound to surrender their own subjects, whether by birth or naturalization.

ARTICLE 4.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial in the State applied to, for the crime or offence for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed should be under examination or under punishment in the State applied to for any other crime or offence, his extradition shall be deferred until the conclusion of the trial and the full execution of any punishment awarded to him.

ARTICLE 5.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime or offence or the institution of the penal prosecution or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applying or applied to.

ARTICLE 6.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the crime or offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he proves that the requisition for his surrender has, in fact, been made with a view to try or punish him for a crime or offence of a political character.

ARTICLE 7.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in custody or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made for any other crime or offence, or on account of any other matters, than those for which the extradition shall have taken place, until he has been restored, or has had an opportunity of returning to the State by which he has been surrendered.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes or offences committed after the extradition.

ARTICLE 8.

The requisition for extradition shall be made through the diplomatic agents of the High Contracting Parties respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime or offence had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A sentence passed in *contumaciam* is not to be deemed a conviction, but a person so sentenced may be dealt with as an accused person.

ARTICLE 9.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

ARTICLE 10.

A criminal fugitive may be apprehended under a warrant issued by any police magistrate, justice of the peace, or other competent authority in either State, on such information or complaint and such evidence, or after such proceedings, as would, in the opinion of the authority issuing the warrant, justify the issue of a warrant if the crime or offence had been committed or the person convicted in that part of the dominions of the two Contracting Parties in which the magistrate, justice of the peace, or other competent authority, exercises jurisdiction. He shall, in accordance with this article, be discharged if within the term of thirty days a requisition for extradition shall not have been made by the diplomatic agent of the State claiming his extradition in accordance with the stipulations of this treaty. The same rule shall apply to the cases of persons accused or convicted of any of the crimes or offences specified in this treaty, and committed on the high seas on board any vessel of either State which may come into a port of the other.

ARTICLE 11.

The extradition shall take place only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime or offence had been committed in the territory of the same State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the courts of the State which makes

the requisition, and that the crimes or offence of which he has been convicted is one in respect of which extradition could, at the time of such conviction, have been granted by the State applied to; and no criminal shall be surrendered until after the expiration of fifteen days from the date of his committal to prison to await the warrant for his surrender.

ARTICLE 12.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the State applied to shall admit as valid evidence the sworn depositions or the affirmations of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrant and sentences issued therein, or copies thereof, and certificates of, or judicial documents stating the fact of a conviction, provided the same are authenticated as follows:—

- (1) A warrant, or copy thereof, must purport to be signed by a judge, magistrate, or officer of the other State, or purport to be certified under the hand of a judge, magistrate, or officer of the other State to be a true copy thereof, as the case may require.
- (2) Depositions or affirmations, or the copies thereof, must purport to be certified, under the hand of a judge, magistrate, or officer of the other State, to be the original depositions or affirmations, or to be true copies thereof, as the case may require.
- (3) A certificate of, or judicial document stating the fact of a conviction must purport to be certified by a judge, magistrate, or officer of the other State.

In every case such warrant, deposition, affirmation, copy, certificate, or judicial document must be authenticated, either by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Minister of the other State, or by any other mode of authentication for the time being permitted by the law of the State to which the application for extradition is made.

ARTICLE 13.

If the individual claimed by one of the High Contracting Parties in pursuance of the present treaty should be also claimed by one or several other Powers on account of other crimes or offences committed within their respective jurisdictions, his extradition shall be granted to the State whose claim is earliest in date, unless such claim is waived.

ARTICLE 14.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, or within such further time as the State applied to, or the proper tribunal thereof, shall direct, the fugitive shall be set at liberty.

ARTICLE 15.

All articles seized which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension, and any articles that may serve as a proof of the crime or offence shall be given up when the extradition takes place, in so far as this may be permitted by the law of the State granting the extradition.

ARTICLE 16.

Each of the High Contracting Parties shall defray the expenses occasioned by the arrest within its territories, the detention, and the conveyance to its frontier, of the persons whom it may have consented to surrender in pursuance of the present treaty.

ARTICLE 17.

The stipulations of the present treaty shall be applicable, so far as the laws permit, to all His Britannic Majesty's Dominions, except to the self-governing Dominions hereinafter named—that is to say, the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia (including for this purpose Papua and Norfolk Island), the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, the Irish Free State, and Newfoundland—and India, provided always that the said stipulations shall be applicable to any of the above-named Dominions or India in respect of which notice to that effect shall have been given on behalf of the Government of such Dominion or India by His Britannic Majesty's representative at Riga, and provided also that it shall be competent for either of the Contracting Parties to terminate separately the application of this treaty to any of the above-named Dominions or India by a notice to that effect not exceeding one year and not less than six months.

ARTICLE 18.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal, who has taken refuge in any of His Britannic Majesty's self-governing Dominions, Colonies, or Possessions to which this treaty applies shall be made to the Governor-General, Governor, or chief authority, of such self-governing Dominion, Colony, or Possession by the chief Consular officer of the Latvian Republic in such self-governing Dominion, Colony, or Possession.

Such requisition may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, and so far as the law of such self-governing Dominion, Colony, or Possession will allow, to the provisions of this treaty, by the said Governor-General, Governor, or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender or to refer the matter to His Britannic Majesty's Government.

Requisitions for the surrender of a fugitive criminal emanating from any self-governing Dominion, Colony, or Possession of His Britannic Majesty shall be governed, as far as possible, by the rules laid down in the preceding articles of the present treaty.

ARTICLE 19.

It is understood that the stipulations of the two preceding articles apply in the same manner as if they were Possessions of His Britannic Majesty, to the following British Protectorates, that is to say, the Bechuanaland Protectorate, Gambia Protectorate, Kenya Protectorate, Nigeria Protectorate, Northern Rhodesia, Northern Territories of the Gold Coast, Nyasaland, Sierra Leone Protectorate, Solomon Islands Protectorate, Somaliland Protectorate, Swaziland, Uganda Protectorate and Zanzibar.

It is also understood that if, after the signature of the present treaty, it is considered advisable to extend its provisions to any British protectorates other than those mentioned above, or to any British-protected State, or to any territory in respect of which a mandate on behalf of the League of Nations has been accepted by His Britannic Majesty, the stipulations of the two preceding articles shall be deemed to apply to such protectorates or States or mandated territories from the date prescribed in the notes to be exchanged for the purpose of effecting such extension.

It is further understood that the provisions of the present treaty which apply to British subjects shall be deemed also to apply to natives of any British protectorate or protected State or mandated territory to which the stipulations of the two preceding articles apply or shall hereafter apply.

ARTICLE 20.

The present treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties by a notice not exceeding one year and not less than six months.

It shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Riga as soon as possible.

In witness whereof the respective plenipotentiaries have signed the treaty and have affixed their respective seals.

Done at Riga, the 16th day of July, in the year 1924.

(L.S.) J. C. T. VAUGHAN.
(L.S.) G. ALBAT.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at Riga on the 7th day of July, 1925 :

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Him by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the 30th day of October, 1925, the said Acts shall apply in the case of Latvia under and in accordance with the said Treaty of the 16th July, 1924.

Provided always that the operation of the said Acts shall be and remain suspended within the Dominion of Canada so long as an Act of the Parliament of Canada, being Part 1 of chapter 155 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, and entitled "An Act respecting the Extradition of Fugitive Criminals," shall continue in force there, and no longer.

Provided further that the operation of the said Acts shall be and remain suspended within the self-governing Dominions hereinafter named, that is to say, the Commonwealth of Australia (including for this purpose Papua and Norfolk Island), the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, the Irish Free State, and Newfoundland, and India, until notification shall have been made in the "London Gazette" that the Treaty has been made applicable thereto, and that on such notification being made in respect of any such Dominion or India the said Acts shall apply in such Dominion or India in the case of Latvia under and in accordance with the said Treaty as from the date of the said notification.

This Order may be cited as the "Latvia (Extradition) Order in Council, 1925."

M. P. A. HANKEY.

IT is hereby notified that Thursday, January 14, 1926 (the Tamil Thai Pongal Day), will be observed as a Public Holiday under the provisions of Ordinance No. 4 of 1886.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 18, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

"THE CEYLON TELEGRAPH ORDINANCE, 1908."

RULE made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 7 of "The Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908."

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 11, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Rule referred to.

The following shall be the scale of charges for the use of the telephone trunk line between Mahawela Post Office and the other stations named :—

TELEPHONE CALL OFFICE AT MAHAWELA POST OFFICE.

Scale of Charges for Three Minutes' Conversation.

Note.—Additional fee of 10 cents is charged for the use of the Call Office.

	Rates.
	Rs. c.
Between Mahawela and Matale	0 15
Elkaduwa, Kandy, Kandy-Sub, Katugastota, Lochniagar, Mousagalla, Panwila, Peradeniya, and Wattagama	0 25
Craighead, Dolosbage, Galagedara, Galaha, Gampola, Hewaheta, Kotmale, Kundasale, Madulkele, Nawalapitiya, Polgahawela, Pussellawa, Ramboda, Rangala, Somerset, Teldeniya, and Urugala*	0 50
Agrapata, Alawwa, Ambegamuwa, Aranayake,* Bogawantalawa, Hatton, Kegalla, Kotagala, Kurunegala, Maskeliya, Mawanella,* Mawatagama, Norwood, Punduloya, Radella, Talawakele, Tillicoultry, Watagoda, and Watawala	0 75
Colombo, Kandapola, Kelaniya, Maturata, Nanu-oya, Narammala,* Nuwara Eliya, Ragalla, Ragama, Uda Pussellawa, Wariyapola, and Rambodagala*	1 0
Bandaragama, Bandarawela, Dehiwala, Diyatalawa, Golconda, Haputale, Horana, Kalutara, Kesbawa, Kotte, Moratuwa, Mount Lavinia, Negombo, Padukka, Panadure, Wadduwa, Wattala, and Nagawatta	1 25
Ambalangoda, Avissawella, Beruwela, Ingiriya, Kochchikade, Maggona, Marawila, Nattandiya, Neboda, Paiyagala, Tebuwana, and Wennapuwa	1 50
Baddegama, Chilaw, Elpitiya, Galle, Gintota, Magalla, and Ratnapura	1 75
Habaraduwa, Kiriella, Matara, and Weligama	2 0
Hakmana, Kamburupitiya, and Dondra*	2 25

* To be opened shortly.

"THE CEYLON TELEGRAPH ORDINANCE, 1908."

RULE made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council under section 7 of "The Ceylon Telegraph Ordinance, 1908."

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 11, 1925.

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

Rule referred to.

The following shall be the scale of charges for the use of the telephone trunk line between Urugala Post Office and the other stations named :—

TELEPHONE CALL OFFICE AT URUGALA POST OFFICE.*Scale of Charges for Three Minutes' Conversation.*

Note.—Additional fee of 10 cents is charged for the use of the Call Office.

	Rates.
	Rs. c.
Between Urugala and Teldeniya	0 15*
Rangala	0 15
Galagedara, Galaha, Gampola, Hewaheta, Kandy, Kandy-Sub, Katugastota, Kundasale, Panwila, Peradeniya, Somerset, and Wattegama	0 25
Alawwa, Craighead, Dolosbage, Elkaduwa, Hatton, Kegalla, Kotmale, Lochnagar, Madulkele, Matale, Mousagala, Nawalapitiya, Polgahawela, Pussellawa, Ramboda, and Mahawela†	0 50
Agrapatana, Ambegamuwa, Aranayake,† Bogawantalawa, Kotagala, Kurunegala, Maskeliya, Mawanella,† Mawatagama, Nanu-oya, Narammala,† Norwood, Nuwara Eliya, Punduloya, Radella, Ragama, Talawakele, Tillicoultry, Watagoda, Watawala, Wariyapola, and Rambodagala†	0 75
Colombo, Dehiwala, Kandapola, Kelaniya, Kotte, Maturata, Moratuwa, Mount Lavinia, Ragalla, Uda Pussellawa, and Wattala	1 0
Avissawella, Bandaragama, Bandarawela, Beruwela, Diyatalawa, Golconda, Haputale, Horana, Ingiriya, Kalutara, Kesbawa, Kochchikade, Maggona, Neboda, Negombo, Padukka, Paiyagala, Panadure, Tebuwana, Wadduwa, Wennapuwa, and Nagawatta	1 25
Ambalangoda, Chilaw, Elpitiya, Marawila, and Nattandiya	1 50
Baddegama, Galle, Gintota, Habaraduwa, Kiriella, Magalla, and Ratnapura	1 75
Kamburupitiya, Matara, Weligama, and Dondra†	2 0
Hakmana	2 25

* From Call Office also 15 cents.

† To be opened shortly.

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MONTHLY STATEMENT issued by the Commissioners of Currency, under section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884, for the month of November, 1925 :—

1.—Note Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Total Stock on October 31, 1925	87,117,314	0	In vault on November 30, 1925	34,258,700	0
Add Notes received in November, 1925	4,350,000	0	In circulation on November 30, 1925	55,970,613	0
	91,467,314	0			
Deduct Notes destroyed in November, 1925	1,238,001	0			
	90,229,313	0		90,229,313	0

2.—Reserve Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Coin received for Notes in circulation	55,970,613	0	Securities at cost (£1 = Rs. 15)	35,879,919	75
Excess of reserve over Notes in circulation	6,338,752	47	Coin in vault	22,543,549	40
	62,309,365	47	Cash at call, London, pending investment	3,885,896	32
				62,309,365	47

3.—Average amount of Notes in circulation during the month	55,970,614	0
Average amount of Coin in vault during the month	22,543,551	0

4.—Details of Investments and Securities.

	Face Value.			Face Value.		Purchase Value.		Market Value.	
	£	s.	d.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	(Sterling at Rate of the Day.)	Rs.	c.
Colonial and other Securities	916,614	0	8	13,749,210	50	12,866,278	67	10,432,849	7
War Loan 5 per cent.	4,877	15	1	73,166	31	75,000	0	63,876	4
National War Bonds 5 per cent.	50,000	0	0	750,000	0	799,445	63	692,512	82
Funding Loan 4 per cent.	7,091	1	2	106,365	88	85,092	69	80,990	79
Indian sterling Stock	146,000	14	7	2,190,010	94	1,973,638	50	1,436,429	7
Indian 5 per cent. War Loan	—	—	—	15,838,700	0	14,880,329	89	15,165,555	25
Government of India 6 per cent. Bonds	—	—	—	371,100	0	371,100	0	384,552	37
Government of India 6 per cent. Loan	—	—	—	2,834,200	0	2,834,200	0	2,982,995	50
Government of India 5 per cent. Loan	—	—	—	2,027,500	0	1,994,834	37	2,022,431	25
Total	—	—	—	37,940,253	63	35,879,919	75	33,262,192	16

Currency Office,
Colombo, December 7, 1925.

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

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for improvements to the General Treasury, Colombo.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Improvements to the General Treasury, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on December 21, 1925.

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

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

7. Items requiring paint and cement should be rated less value of these materials as those will be supplied free of cost.

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

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

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the construction of the proposed deviation of the 1st mile, Panadure-Nambapana road.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Panadure, 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, Panadure, 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, Panadure, 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, Panadure, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates, Deviation of 1st Mile, Panadure-Nambapana Road," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on January 14, 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. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Panadure, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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 tender submitted, nor to give all the work included in the whole scheme or in any one item to any one contractor.

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for improvements to Government Dairy.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Improvements to Government Dairy," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on January 8, 1926. Each schedule to include alternative rates in respect of each item necessitating the use of imported articles, viz., one rate including the value of all materials, the other omitting such as are imported.

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

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

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

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

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

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for additions and improvements to Ambepussa Stock Farm Buildings.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Negombo, 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, Negombo, 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, Negombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelope, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Negombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Additions and Improvements to Ambepussa Stock Farm Buildings," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on January 8, 1926. Each schedule to include alternative rates in respect of each item necessitating the use of imported articles, viz., one rate including the value of all materials, the other omitting such as are imported.

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

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

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

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

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

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for reconstruction of Kaluwamodera bridge, 38th mile, Colombo-Galle road.

2. The whole of the work to be undertaken on agreements to be entered into monthly by the District Engineer, Kalutara, 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, Kalutara, 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, Kalutara, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelope, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Kalutara, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Reconstruction of Kaluwamodera Bridge" so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on January 8, 1926. Each schedule to include alternative rates in respect of each item necessitating the use of imported articles, viz., one rate including the value of all materials, the other omitting such as are imported.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for improvements to the Treasury, Colombo.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Improvements to the Treasury, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on January 14, 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. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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.

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. for Director of Public Works.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for improvements to the Old Stamp Room, General Treasury, Colombo.

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

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

4. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedules of Rates for Improvements to the Old Stamp Room, General Treasury, Colombo," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on January 14, 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. The accepted tenderer will be required to complete and hand over the work to the District Engineer, Buildings, Colombo, on or before a date to be agreed upon.

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.

Public Works Office, S. J. KIRBY,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the service described in the annexed schedule.

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 Supply of Jak Timber, Sabaragamuwa Division" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, January 12, 1926.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 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 contract and bond 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 security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. A rate per cubic foot of timber in the log should be quoted, written both in words and figures.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of cash security required will be 5 per cent. of the value of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application to the office referred to in section 5 above.

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

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

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

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

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

the list of Crown defaulting contractors, or any other person to whom the Conservator of Forests, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. Tenderers should read and note a draft contract which is available in the Forest Office, Ratnapura, before they obtain their forms and certify that they have inspected the areas to be exploited.

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

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

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

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

(a) Trees are to be felled within 1 foot from the ground by saw or axe and saw combined.

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

(c) All trees after felling should be logged to the longest available lengths 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.

(d) The contractor will be paid a proportionate rate for timber in the log transported to the way-side depôt, but not removed to the delivery depôt in cases when it shall be deemed expedient to do so by the Divisional Forest Officer.

(e) The contractor will receive full payment for all logs accepted by the Divisional Forest Officer, at the delivery depôt.

(f) All logs should be straight and sound throughout free from shakes and large or loose knots. They should have both their ends neatly trimmed with saw alone.

(g) The work should commence as soon as the tenders are settled and should be completed before May 31, 1926.

(h) For further information and inspection of draft contract application should be made to the Divisional Forest Officer, Sabaragamuwa Division, Ratnapura.

Schedule.

To fell, log, bark, and trim 75 jak trees enumerated at Welikandamukalana in Kegalla Range and to transport and deliver same stacked at Rambukkana Railway Station in the manner to be pointed out by the Range Forest Officer. Distance of transport is about 2 to 3 miles.

R. M. WHITE,

Acting Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,

Kandy, December 11, 1925.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the service mentioned in the schedule annexed 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 Railway Firewood, Sabaragamuwa Division, 1925-26," 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, January 12, 1926.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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. Contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board previously obtained

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

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 Conservator of Forests, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

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

11. 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 obtained upon application to the office referred to in section 5. A further security in cash of 5 per cent. of the value of the contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the contract.

12. Tenderers should read and initial a draft contract, which is available in the Divisional Forest Office, Ratnapura, before they obtain tender forms. Also certify that they have inspected the forest area specified in the schedule below and ascertained the conditions *in situ*.

13. If any tree or sapling which is not stamped is felled outside the area demarcated for felling, the contractor will be liable for the full penalty provided under Ordinance No. 16 of 1907.

14. A penalty of 25 cents for every cubic yard of firewood not stacked or delivered at monthly rates specified in the schedule below will be exacted from the contractor.

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

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

17. A rate per cubic yard of firewood delivered must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

18. For any further information application should be made to the Divisional Forest Officer, Sabaragamuwa Division, Ratnapura.

19. 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.

SCHEDULE.

Service A.

To fell all trees and saplings in a block of about 50 acres in extent which will be demarcated by the Range Forest Officer, Dehiowita, in Nayehenmukalana in Dehiowita Range, or in demarcated extensions of the said block if so required in writing by the Divisional Forest Officer, Sabaragamuwa Division, Ratnapura.

To convert every utilizable part of every fallen or felled tree or sapling in the said block excepting the boles of trees marked "S" and "H" into 4,000 cubic yards of firewood, to deliver same at Yatiyantota Railway Station at the rate of 550 cubic yards per month. To have always ready for transport 10 per cent. more wood than is actually delivered monthly. The approximate distance of transport is 5 miles to the Yatiyantota Railway Station.

General Conditions.

The firewood shall be in lengths of 2 feet and not less than 2 inches in minimum diameter. Billets over 9 inches in diameter shall be split. All wood over 12 inches in girth to be billeted in 2 feet lengths by handsaw or crosscut saw only. The firewood shall be stacked as directed by the Forest Officer.

2. Felling is to proceed in a straight line across the blocks as directed by the Forest Officer in charge, and not at irregular intervals throughout the block.

3. Felling is to commence within two weeks of signing the contract. The work is to be completed by August 31, 1926.

4. All herbaceous and other undergrowth to be cut out in a straight line as specified above at least a fortnight before any tree sapling or tree seedling is felled. This operation must be carried out throughout the block even where no utilizable trees remain from previous fellings.

5. Every tree under 3 feet in girth to be felled within 6 inches from the ground, and every tree over 3 feet in girth to be felled within 1 foot from the ground.

6. The contractor, if so required by the Divisional Forest Officer, shall submit a list of every carter employed by him and be responsible for the due delivery of all wood to the railway.

7. The rate of work within the last two months of the currency of the contract to be adjusted by increases or decreases so as to make the complete supply within the time fixed.

R. M. WHITE,

Acting Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,

Kandy, December 15, 1925.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned confiscated and unclaimed productions will be sold by public auction on December 22, 1925, at 11 A.M., at the court premises:—

No. of Case.	No. of Case.	No. of Case.	No. of Case.
5,501.. coat	5,857.. 1 fork	5,788.. 1 door frame with door	6,323.. 2 peeling knives
" .. pieces of comb	5,887.. 1 penknife	" .. 1 coat	" .. 1 bundle cinnamon sticks
5,624.. clasp knife	5,891.. 1 soap box	" .. 1 shirt	6,506.. 1 purse
5,649.. katty	5,908.. 1 katty	6,323.. some cinnamon quills	5,496.. firewood
" .. blade of a mamoty	5,953.. 1 rice pounder	" .. 1 katty	
5,622.. clasp knife	5,994.. 1 sarong		
5,857.. 2 wire baskets	" .. 1 towel		

Police Court,
Balapitiya, December 12, 1925.

A. G. RANASINHA,
Police Magistrate.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles belonging to Galle Prison will be sold by public auction at the jail premises, Galle, on January 4, 1926:—

5 buckets, galvanized	1 measure, canjee, 4 oz.	1 measure, rice 4 oz.	1 stove, Bonny Bridge
3 buckets, pail, wooden	1 measure, canjee, 8 oz.	1 measure, dhall	1 smoothing iron
2 date boxes, tin	1 measure, rice, 8 oz.	1 scraper, coconut	1 tray, rice

Galle Prison,
December 15, 1925.

A. S. ELIATAMBY,
for Superintendent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unclaimed and confiscated articles will be sold by public auction at the court premises on Saturday, January 23, 1926, at 9 A.M.:—

Case No.	Case No.	Case No.	Case No.
4,731.. 1 betel stand	5 cigars	1 pair bangles	1 sarong
1 gauze banian	6,958.. 1 white handkerchief	1 ring	1 blanket
1 cloth	6,448.. 1 brass lamp	6,620.. 1 knife	1 cloth
1 mat	1 black sarong	1 banian	Some pieces of jewelry
6,637.. 1 knife	1 betel tray	1 shirt	1 toe ring
6,769.. 1 knife	1 chembu	1 jacket	1 handkerchief
6,965.. 1 cup	1 towel	7,616.. 1 knife	6,587.. 1 wire fence post
1 small mat bag	7,471.. 1 knife	7,753.. 1 knife	6,731.. 1 purse
6,361.. 2 knives	7,266.. 1 handkerchief	7,080.. 1 banian	1 key
6,585.. 1 belt	7,669.. 1 clasp knife	1 sarong	7,347.. 1 pair white shoes
1 handkerchief	1 bloodstained rag	7,514.. 1 knife	7,475.. 1 wooden coconut husker
6,926.. 1 knife	6,506.. 2 camboys	7,267.. 1 katty	7,073.. 1 gold bead
6,155.. 1 white cloth	1 sarong	6,777.. 1 clasp knife	6,500.. 1 gold bangle (kadayam)
1 knife	6,698.. 1 shawl	7,113.. 1 roll barbed wire	Inquest
2 mats	7,093.. 1 knife	7,126.. 1 knife	31.. 2 earrings
2 small gold earrings	2 gunny bags	6,384.. 1 mammoty	H 1.. 1 cap
1 large gold earring	3 handkerchiefs	1 basket	2 books
2 nickel medals	7,506.. 1 belt	6,505.. 1 camboy	1 pair spectacles
1 medal	6,163.. 1 iron rod	1 jacket	H 3.. 1 small gold ring
1 chunam tin	7,375.. 1 banian	Some floats	—.. 3 Jeye's fluid empty tins
3 enamelled plates	6,758.. 1 mat	1 saucer	1 lot coconut
7,449.. 1 rosary	2 pillows	1 arecanut cutter	1 lot gunny bags
1 shirt	2 pieces cloth	6,877.. 1 cash box	5 dealwood boxes
1 picture	1 hairpin	1 cloth bag	1 lot sticks
2 handkerchiefs	7 beads	7,296.. 1 steel trunk	
1 book	1 string beads	6,306.. 1 box	
1 small tin	1 ring	1 katty	
1 pair spectacles	5,024.. 1 camboy	1 clasp knife	
1 small looking glass		1 small mat bag	

The Police Court,
Puttalam, December 9, 1925.

J. LIGHT,
Police Magistrate and Additional District Judge.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended December 12, 1925.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 165 (4 Europeans, 12 Burghers, 102 Sinhalese, 17 Tamils, 20 Moors, 8 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1925, viz., 265,049) was 33·6, as against 27·7 in the preceding week, 41·3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 27·6 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 155 (2 Europeans, 5 Burghers, 82 Sinhalese, 29 Tamils, 25 Moors, 5 Malays, and 7 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 31·6, as against 27·1 in the previous week, 37·0 in the corresponding week of last year, and 29·8 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 155 total deaths, 26 were of infants under one year of age, as against 25 in the preceding week, 48 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 32 the average for last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 17.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Eighteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 8 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 3 in Kotahena North, 2 in Maradana South, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena South, Slave Island, Wellawatta North, and Wellawatta South, as against 14 in the previous week, and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Six deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 2 each in St. Paul's, New Bazaar, and Slave Island. The number in the previous week was also the same, while the weekly average for last year was 4.

2. Thirteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 2 each in Kotahena South, Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), Maradana North, and Wellawatta South, and 1 each in Kotahena North, New Bazaar, Slave Island, Kollupitiya, and Wellawatta North, as against 12 in the previous week, and 13 the weekly average for last year.

3. Seven deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, 5 in Maradana hospitals (including 4 deaths of non-residents), and 2 in New Bazaar, as against 5 in the previous week, and 5 the weekly average for last year.

4. Eleven deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 9 from *Dysentery*, 3 from *Enteritis*, 2 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Tetanus*, 1 each from *Worms* and *Puerperal Septicaemia*, and 76 from *Other Causes*.

5. Fifteen cases of *Chickenpox*, 10 of *Measles*, 2 of *Enteric Fever*, and 1 of *Smallpox* (in Port) were reported during the week, as against 20, 11, 3, and nil, respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 79·6°, against 80·1° in the preceding week, and 79·6° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·903 in., against 29·872 in. in the preceding week, and 29·921 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 4·47 in., against 0·49 in. in the preceding week, and 4·15 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, December 15, 1925.

P. D. RATNATUNGA,
for Registrar-General.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GALLE FACE LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

The name of the Company is "THE GALLE FACE LAND AND BUILDING 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—
 - (1) To purchase, take on lease, or otherwise acquire or to acquire the control of or any interest in and to take over work, and develop land, buildings, and hereditaments of any tenure or description and wheresoever situate and in particular certain allotments of land with the buildings thereon, situated at Colpetty, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, bearing assessment numbers 1425/11, 1426/10, 1427/9, 1428/8, 1429/7, 1430/6, and 1431/5 and with a view thereto to enter into and carry into effect with or without modification the agreement referred to in Article 6 of the Company's Articles of Association.
 - (2) To lay out the lands of the Company and to erect or cause to be erected, houses, flats, warehouses, stores, shops, offices, and buildings of any kind, and to pull down, rebuild, enlarge, alter and improve existing houses, buildings or works thereon, to convert and appropriate any such lands into and for roads, streets, squares, gardens and pleasure grounds and other conveniences, and generally to deal with and improve the property of the Company.
 - (3) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, business as proprietors of flats and to let on lease or otherwise apartments therein, and to provide for the tenants and occupiers thereof all or any of the conveniences commonly provided in hotels or clubs.
 - (4) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, the business of restaurant-keepers, licensed victuallers, theatrical agents, box office keepers, concert room proprietors, hotel-keepers, dramatic and musical publishers and printers, and any other business which can be conveniently carried on in connection with any of those objects as may seem calculated to render profitable any of the Company's property and rights for the time being.
 - (5) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, the trade or business of purchasing, hiring, or otherwise acquiring motor cars, motor vans, buses, motor cycles, cycle cars, motors, scooters, cycles, bicycles, carriages, carts, trucks, launches, boats, vans, aeroplanes, hydroplanes, and other vehicles and conveyances of all kinds and all machinery, materials, component parts, accessories and fittings of all kinds applicable or used as accessory thereto, and of letting or supplying all or any of the things hereinbefore specified, and of repairing and maintaining the same respectively, whether belonging to this Company or not, and of selling, exchanging, and otherwise dealing in the same respectively.
 - (6) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, the business of garage-keepers and suppliers of and dealers in petrol, electricity and other motive power to motors and other things mentioned or referred to in clause 5 hereof.
 - (7) To establish, maintain, and work lines of aerial conveyances between places to be from time to time selected by the Company.
 - (8) To manufacture, buy, sell, prepare, let on hire, and deal in aerial conveyances of all kinds and the component parts thereof, and all kinds of machinery and apparatus for use in connection therewith.
 - (9) To acquire, provide and maintain hangars, garages, sheds, aerodromes, and accommodation for or in relation to aerial conveyances.
 - (10) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, business as tourist agents and contractors, and to facilitate travelling, and to provide for tourists and travellers, or promote the provision of conveniences of all kinds in the way of through tickets, circular tickets, sleeping cars or berths, reserved places, hotel and lodging accommodation, guides, safe deposits, inquiry bureaux, libraries, lavatories, reading rooms, baggage transport and otherwise.
 - (11) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, the businesses of manufacturers of and dealers in tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, matchlights, pipes, and any other articles required by or which may be convenient to smokers, and snuff grinders and merchants, and box merchants, and to deal in any other articles and things commonly dealt in by tobacconists.
 - (12) To purchase, take on lease, or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire any lands, concessions, estates, plantations, and properties in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, and any right of way, water rights, and other rights, privileges, easements and concessions, and any factories, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, immovable or movable, of any kind.
 - (13) To hold, use, clear, open, plant, cultivate, work, manage, improve, carry on, and develop the undertaking, lands, and real and personal, immovable and movable estates or property, and assets of any kind of the Company, or any part thereof.
 - (14) To plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cotton, cardamoms, rhea, ramie, and other natural products or produce of any kind in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere.
 - (15) To treat, cure, prepare, manipulate, submit to any process of manufacture, and render marketable (whether on account of the Company or others) tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid, or any articles or things whatsoever; to buy, sell, export, import, trade and deal in tea, rubber, coconut produce, coconuts, coffee, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles and things of any kind whatsoever, either in a prepared, manufactured, or raw state, and either by wholesale or retail.
 - (16) To carry on in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, all or any of the following businesses, that is to say: booksellers, stationers, publishers, advertising agents, teashop-keepers, restaurant keepers, and suppliers of provisions, both solid and liquid, refreshment caterers and contractors, planters of tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, or any other such products or produce as aforesaid in all its branches; carriers of passengers and goods by land, water or air; forwarding agents, merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, tug owners, and wharfingers; proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses, and boats; and any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with any of them.

- (17) To acquire or establish and carry on any other business, manufacturing, shipping, or otherwise, which can be conveniently carried on in connection with any of the Company's general business; to apply for, purchase or otherwise acquire, any patents, *brevets d'invention*, concessions and the like conferring an exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit the Company; and to use, exercise, develop, grant licences in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights and information so acquired.
- (18) To purchase, tea leaf, rubber, coconuts, coffee, and (or) other raw products or produce for manufacture, manipulation and (or) sale.
- (19) 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 or products, and generally to carry on the business of mining in all its branches.
- (20) To purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold boats, barges, tugs, launches, and vessels of any description whatsoever; to purchase, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire and hold vans, omnibuses, carriages, carts, and other vehicles of any description whatsoever; and to purchase take in exchange, hire, or otherwise, acquire and hold all live and dead stock, chattels and effects required for the maintenance and working of the business of carriers by land or by water; of proprietors of docks, wharves, jetties, piers, warehouses and boats; of tug owners and wharfingers or of any other business which can or may conveniently be carried on in connection with the above respectively.
- (21) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, work, use and carry on or cause to be built, made, constructed, equipped, maintained, improved, altered, worked, used and carried on rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee curing mills, manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, water-courses, docks, wharves, jetties, railways, tramways, saw mills, water mills, steam mills, water works, gas works, telegraphs, telephones or other electrical works, roads, canals, drains, and undertakings of any kind and other works, and conveniences which may be necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company, or may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the Company's interests; and to contribute to, subsidize, or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management, carrying out, or control thereof.
- (22) To undertake, construct, acquire, and carry on works of all kinds relating to any business of the Company, whether in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, or elsewhere, and to enter into such contracts and make such arrangements as may be necessary to carry out the same.
- (23) To cultivate, manage, and superintend, estates and properties in the Island of Ceylon, Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, 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.
- (24) To engage, employ, maintain, and dismiss managers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, coolies, and other servants and labourers, 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.
- (25) To establish and support or aid in the establishment and support of associations, institutions, funds, trusts and conveniences calculated to benefit any of the employés or *ex-employés* of the Company or its predecessors in business or the dependents or connections of such persons and to grant pensions and allowances, and to make payments towards insurance and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects, or for any exhibition or for any public, general or useful object and to make gifts and bonuses to persons in the employment of the Company.
- (26) To enter into any arrangements with any authorities, Government, Municipal, local or otherwise, that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such authority any rights, privileges, rebates and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (27) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest, reciprocal concession, amalgamation or co-operation with any person, corporation, or company carrying on or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this Company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company; to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stock in or securities of and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such company, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with such shares or securities; and to form, constitute, or promote or assist in the formation, constitution, or promotion of any other company or companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights, and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company and to guarantee the payment of any debentures or other securities issued by any such company or companies.
- (28) To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorized to do business in the Island of Ceylon, the Federated Malay States, India, Egypt, and elsewhere.
- (29) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of land, buildings, plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, or book debts, or without any security at all.
- (30) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company or receive money on deposit at interest or otherwise, and for the purpose of raising or securing money for the performance or discharge of any obligation or liability of the Company or for any other purpose to create, execute, grant, or issue any mortgages, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company either at par, premium, or discount, and either redeemable, irredeemable, or perpetual, secured upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, rights, and property of the Company, present and future, including uncalled capital or the unpaid calls of the Company.
- (31) Generally to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights, privileges, licences, or easements which the Company may think necessary or convenient with reference to any of these objects and capable of being profitably dealt with in connection with any of the Company's property or rights for the time being.

- (32) To cause or permit any debentures, debenture stock, bonds, 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.
- (33) To sell the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
- (34) 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.
- (35) To make, accept, endorse, and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
- (36) To remunerate any parties for services rendered or to be rendered in placing or assisting to place any shares in the Company's capital, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the Company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the Company or the conduct of its business.
- (37) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise, or alone or in conjunction with others, or by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and generally to carry on any business or effectuate any object of the Company.
- (38) To sell, let, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, transfer, deliver, charge, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company, whether in consideration of rents, moneys, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company, or for any other consideration.
- (39) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate, 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 (whether fully paid up or partly paid up) or in debentures, 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 as fully paid or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (40) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable estate, property or assets of the Company, or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company, money or shares (whether fully paid up, or partly paid up) of any company, or debentures or debenture stock, or obligations of any company or person or partly one and partly any other.
- (41) 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.
- (42) To do all such other things as may be necessary, incidental, conducive or convenient to the attainment of the above objects or any of them and in case of doubt as to what shall be so necessary, incidental, conducive or convenient as aforesaid, the decision of an Extraordinary General Meeting shall be conclusive.

It being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "person" includes any number of persons, and a corporation, and that the word "company" except where used in reference to this Company shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons whether incorporated or not incorporated and whether domiciled or incorporated in the Island of Ceylon or elsewhere, and that the "objects" specified in any one paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Five million Rupees (Rs. 5,000,000) divided into Fifty thousand (50,000) shares of One hundred Rupees (Rs. 100) each, with power to increase, or reduce the capital, to consolidate or subdivide the shares into shares of larger or smaller amounts and to issue all or any part of the original or any increased capital with any special or preferential rights or privileges or subject to any special terms and conditions and either with or without any special designation, and also from time to time to alter, modify, commute, abrogate, or deal with any rights, privileges, terms, conditions, or designations for the time being attached to any class of shares in accordance with the regulations for the time being of the Company.

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.
MOHD. MACAN MARKAR, Colombo	One
S. D. MACAN MARKAR, Colombo	One
A. V. MACAN MARKAR, Colombo	One
SALI MACAN MARKAR, Colombo	One
STANLEY F. DE SARAM, Colombo	One
J. A. MARTENSZ, Colombo	One
DAVID E. MARTENSZ, Colombo	One
Total ..	Seven

Witness to the above signatures at Colombo, this Eighth day of December, 1925:

PERCIVAL S. MARTENSZ,
Proctor of the Supreme Court, Colombo.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE GALLE FACE LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

It is agreed as follows:—

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

INTERPRETATION.

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

Company.—The word "Company" means "The Galle Face Land and Building Company, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

The Ordinance.—The "Ordinance" means and includes "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, 1861 to 1919," and every other Ordinance from time to time in force concerning Joint Stock Companies which may apply to the Company.

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

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

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

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

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

Shareholder.—"Shareholder" means a Shareholder of the Company.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Month.—"Month" means a calendar month.

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

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

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

AGREEMENT.

6. *Agreement.*—The Company shall forthwith enter into with or without modification an agreement to be made between Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Markar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar, and Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar of the one part and this Company of the other part in terms of the draft a copy of which has for the purposes of identification been endorsed with the signature of Mr. Stanley F. de Saram, a Proctor of the Supreme Court, and the Board shall forthwith carry the same into effect with full power nevertheless from time to time to agree to any modification of the terms thereof either before or after the execution thereof. The basis on which the Company is established is that the Company shall carry the said agreement into effect subject to such modifications (if any) as aforesaid and accordingly no objection shall be made to the said agreement by this Company or by any member, creditor, or liquidator thereof upon the ground that the vendors, promoters, or other persons interested stand in a fiduciary position towards this Company or that there is in the circumstances no independent Board of this Company, and any Director of this Company who is interested therein shall be entitled to retain and dispose of for his own use all benefits (if any) accruing to him directly or indirectly under or by virtue of the said agreement or of any other agreement in connection therewith or supplemental thereto, and the said agreement when executed with or without modification shall not be liable to be set aside on any such grounds as aforesaid or upon any ground in anywise connected therewith, and every member of the Company present and future shall be deemed to have full notice of the contents of the said agreement and to sanction the same and to agree to be bound thereby or by any such modification thereof as aforesaid and to join the Company on the basis aforesaid.

BUSINESS.

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

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

CAPITAL.

9. *Nominal Capital.*—The nominal capital of the Company is Five million Rupees (Rs. 5,000,000), divided into Fifty thousand (50,000) shares of One hundred Rupees (Rs. 100) each.

SHARES.

10. *Issue and Allotment.*—The shares, except where otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they may consider proper; provided that such unissued shares shall be first offered by the Directors to the

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

20. *Trusts or any Interest in Share other than that of Registered Holder or of any Person under Article 47 not Recognized.*—The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except an absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under Article 47 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

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

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

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

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

REDUCTION OF CAPITAL AND SUBDIVISION OR CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES:

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

SHARE CERTIFICATES.

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

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

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

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

TRANSFER OF SHARES.

30. *Instrument of Transfer.*—Shares in the Company may be transferred by instrument in writing. The instrument of transfer shall be signed by both the transferor and transferee, and shall contain the name, address, and occupation of the transferee, and the transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of the shares until the name of the transferee is entered in the register in respect thereof.

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

32. *Registration of Transfer.*—Every instrument of transfer shall be left at the office or such other place as the Board may prescribe, with the certificate of every share to be thereby transferred, and such other evidence as the Board may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor or his right to transfer the shares; and the instrument of transfer and certificate shall remain in the custody of the Board, but shall be at all reasonable times produced at the request and expense of the transferor or transferee, and their respective representatives, or any of them. A new certificate shall be delivered to the transferee after the transfer is completed and registered on his application for the same, and when necessary a balance certificate shall be delivered to the transferor. A fee not exceeding one Rupee may be charged for each transfer.

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

34. *Notice.*—The person proposing to transfer any share (hereinafter called "the proposing transferor") shall give notice in writing (hereinafter called "the transfer notice") to the Company that he desires to transfer the same. Such notice shall specify the sum he fixes as the fair value and shall constitute the Company his agent for the sale of the share at the price so fixed, or, at the option of the purchaser, at the fair value to be fixed by the Auditors in accordance with these Articles. The transfer notice may include several shares, and in such case shall operate as if it were a separate notice in respect of each. The transfer notice shall not be revocable except with the sanction of the Directors.

35. *How Shares to be offered to Members.*—The Company in General Meeting may make and from time to time vary rules as to the modes in which any share specified in any transfer notice given to the Company as aforesaid shall be offered to the Shareholders, and as to their rights in regard to the purchase thereof, and in particular may give any Shareholder or class of Shareholders a preferential right to purchase the same. Until otherwise determined by extraordinary resolution of the Company the shares specified in the transfer notice given to the Company as aforesaid shall be offered by the Company in the first place to the Life Directors hereinafter named, and such offer shall be made to them collectively and individually, but so that in the case of competition they shall rank for acceptance *pari passu* in proportion to the shares held by them respectively and so that if any share, cannot be so apportioned, such shares shall be offered to them in order determined by lot and the Life Directors shall cause lots to be drawn accordingly. Any shares not taken up by the Life Directors within 90 days, shall be offered by the Company to any person selected by the Life Directors whom they may deem it desirable in the interests of the Company to admit to membership. Subject as aforesaid the shares shall be offered by the Company to the Shareholders other than the proposing transferor, as nearly as may be in proportion to the existing shares held by them respectively. The offer whether to a person selected as aforesaid or to a Shareholder shall in each case limit the time (not exceeding 90 days) within which the same, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined and may notify to the Shareholders that any Shareholder who desires an allotment of shares in excess of his proportion should in his reply state how many excess shares he desires to have; and if all the Shareholders do not claim their proportion the unclaimed shares shall be used for satisfying the claims in excess. If any shares shall not be capable, without fractions of being offered to the Shareholders in proportion to their existing holdings, the same shall be offered to the Shareholders or some of them, in such proportions or in such manner as may be determined by lots to be drawn under the direction of the Directors.

36. *Company's Power.*—If the Company shall within the time limited as aforesaid or within 180 days after being served with the transfer notice find a Shareholder or person selected as aforesaid willing to purchase the share (hereinafter called the purchasing Shareholder) and shall give notice thereof to the proposing transferor, he shall be bound upon payment of the fair value to transfer the share to the purchasing Shareholder.

37. *Auditor's Certificate as to Value.*—In case any difference arises between the proposing transferor and the purchasing Shareholder as to the fair value of a share, the Auditors shall, on the application of either party, certify in writing the sum which, in their opinion, is the fair value, and such sum shall be deemed to be the fair value, and in so certifying the Auditors shall be considered as acting as experts and not as arbitrators.

38. *Default by Proposing Transferor.*—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 Shareholder 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 Shareholder, 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.

39. *Default by Company.*—If the Company shall not, within the time limited as aforesaid or within 180 days after being served with the transfer notice, find a Shareholder willing to purchase the shares, and give notice in manner aforesaid, the proposing transferor shall at any time within 90 days afterwards be at liberty, to sell and transfer the shares (or those not placed) to any person and at any price.

40. *To whom Life Director may Transfer Shares.*—Any share may be transferred by a Life Director to any child or other issue, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father, mother, brother, sister, nephew, niece, or wife of the Director, and any share of a deceased Life Director 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, or widow of such deceased Director (to whom such deceased Director may have specially bequeathed the same) and shares standing in the name of the trustees of the will of any deceased Life Director may be transferred upon any change of trustees to the trustees for the time being of such will.

41. *Directors may refuse to Register Transfers.*—The Directors may refuse to register any transfer of shares (a) where the Company has a lien on the shares, or (b) where the Directors are of an opinion that it is not desirable to admit the proposed transferee to membership. But paragraph (b) of this Article shall not apply where the proposed transferee is already a Shareholder nor to a transfer made pursuant to Article 40 hereof.

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

43. *When Shareholders may enforce Transfers.*—The holders for the time being of nine-tenths of the issued capital may at any time serve the Company with a requisition to enforce the transfer of any particular shares not held by the requisitionists. The Company shall forthwith give to the holder of such share notice in writing of the requisition (with a copy of this Article subjoined), and unless within 14 days afterwards the holder shall give to the Company a transfer notice in respect of his share in accordance with Article 34 hereof he shall be deemed at the expiration of that period to have actually given such notice, and to have specified therein the amount of capital paid up on the shares as the sum he fixes as the fair value. For the purposes of this Article any person entitled under Article 47 or otherwise to transfer shall be deemed the holder of such share.

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

45. *Register of Transfers.*—The Company shall provide a register of transfers, which shall be kept by the Secretary or Secretaries under the control of the Board, and in which shall be entered the particulars of every transfer or transmission of every share.

46. *Transfer Books when to be Closed.*—The register may be closed during such time as the Board think fit, not exceeding in the whole 21 days in any one year.

TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

47. *Title to Shares of Deceased Holder.*—In the case of the death of a Shareholder, the survivors or survivor, where the deceased was a joint-holder, and the executors or administrators of the deceased where he was a sole holder, shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to his shares; but nothing herein contained shall release the estate of a deceased joint-holder from any liability in respect of any share jointly held by him.

48. *Persons entitled in Representative Capacity not entitled to Notice until Registered.*—A person entitled to a share in consequence of the death or bankruptcy of a Shareholder shall not be entitled to receive notice of or to attend or vote at meetings of the Company, or to receive payment of any dividends, or to exercise any of the rights and privileges of a Shareholder, unless and until he shall have been registered as the holder of the shares.

49. *Registration of Persons entitled to Shares otherwise than by Transfer.*—Any curator of any minor Shareholder, any committee of a lunatic Shareholder or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer, shall, upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Company think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares on payment of a fee of Re. 1.00; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

50. *Failing such Registration, Shares may be sold by the Company.*—If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under Article 49, 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 shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money, and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same; 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

56. *Forfeiture may be Remitted.*—The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than 9 per cent. per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of under Article 53 hereof, shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

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

58. *Lien how made Available.*—Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors, administrators, or heirs, or the assignee or trustee in his bankruptcy, requiring him or them to pay the amount for the time being due to the Company, and default shall have been made for 28 days from such notice in paying the sum thereby required to be paid. Should the Shareholder over whose share the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, 10 days' notice shall be allowed him.

59. *Proceeds how Applied.*—The nett proceeds of any such sale as aforesaid under the provisions of Articles 53 and 58 hereof shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) shall be paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

60. *Certificate of Sale.*—A certificate in writing under the hands of two of the Directors and of the Secretary that the power of sale given by Article 58 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

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

PREFERENCE SHARES.

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

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

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

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

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

CALLS.

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

66. *Calls, Time when made.*—A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution authorizing the call was passed at a Board meeting of the Directors or by resolution in writing in terms of Article 129.

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

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

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

BORROWING POWERS.

70. *Power to Borrow.*—The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's properties, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery or plantations or

otherwise. Also from time to time, at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed the sum of Two million Rupees (Rs. 2,000,000). The Directors shall, with the sanction of a General Meeting, be entitled to borrow or raise such further sum or sums, and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. The Directors, may for the purpose of securing the repayment of any such sum or sums of money so borrowed or raised, create and issue any mortgages, debentures, mortgage debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, property and rights or assets of the Company (both present and future), including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or give, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange. Provided also that before the Directors execute any mortgage, issue any debentures or create any debenture stock, they shall obtain the sanction thereto of the Company in General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, notice of the intention to obtain such sanction at such meeting having been duly given. Any such securities may be issued, either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled or discharged, varied, or exchanged as the Directors may think fit, and may contain any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued. A declaration under the Company's seal contained in or endorsed upon any of the documents mentioned in this Article and subscribed by two or more of the Directors, or by one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries, to the effect that the Directors have power to borrow the amount which such document may represent, shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors, and no such document containing such declaration shall as regards the creditor, be void on the ground, of its being granted in excess of the aforesaid borrowing power, unless it shall be proved that such creditor was aware that it was so granted.

MEETINGS.

71. *First General Meeting.*—The First General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time, not being more than 12 months after the registration of the Company, and at such place as the Directors may determine.

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

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

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

75. *Requisition of Shareholders to state Object of Meeting; on Receipt of Requisition, Directors to call Meeting and in Default, Shareholders may do so.*—Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company. Upon the receipt of such requisition, the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within 7 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.

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

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

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

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

80. *Notice of other Business to be given.*—With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing article 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

VOTING AT MEETINGS.

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

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

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

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

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

92. *Number of Votes to which Shareholder Entitled.*—On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person or by attorney duly authorized shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall have one vote for every share held by him. When voting on a resolution involving the sale of the Company's properties or any of them or any part or portion thereof or the winding up of the Company, every Shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

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

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

95. *Shareholder in Arrear or not Registered at least Three Months previous to the Meeting not to Vote.*—No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote or speak at any General Meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares, or any of them, shall have been paid; and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote or speak at any meeting held after the expiration of three months from the registration of the Company, in respect of or as the holder of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been at least three months previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or speak, duly registered as the holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote or speak. Provided always that an instrument appointing a proxy may be signed by the attorney of the appointor duly authorized in writing under the hand or the common seal as the case may be of the appointor.

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

97. (a) *When Proxy to be Deposited.*—The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than 24 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote.

(b) *When Power of Attorney to be Deposited.*—The power of attorney under which a proxy has been signed or under which a person proposes to vote shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company for registration in the books of the Company at least 24 hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in such power of attorney or in the proxy as the case may be proposes to vote.

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

The Galle Face Land and Building Company, Limited.

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

99. *Objection to Validity of Vote to be made at the Meeting or Poll.*—No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such 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.

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

DIRECTORS.

101. *Number of Directors.*—The number of Directors shall never be less than two nor more than five. In the event of the number of Directors in Ceylon ever being reduced to one, such remaining Director shall immediately cause to be convened an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders for the purpose of filling up one or more of the vacancies;

but, in the event of a quorum of Shareholders not attending such meeting, the remaining Director shall himself appoint a Director to fill one of the vacancies. Any Director so appointed shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting of the Company. Until such appointment the remaining Director shall not act except for the purpose of appointing another, and if necessary enabling him to be placed on the register of Shareholders.

102. *First Directors—Life Directors.*—Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Markar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar, and Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar (who are herein referred to as "the Life Directors") shall be the first Directors of the Company.

103. *Qualification of Life Directors.*—The said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Markar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar, and Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar shall be entitled to hold office so long as they respectively hold shares of the Company of any class of the nominal value of Rs. 100,000 and in the event of any one of them vacating office by death, resignation or otherwise the others shall continue to be Life Directors and the last survivor of them shall be sole Life Director.

104. *Life Directors to Control Business and to appoint Directors.*—The said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Markar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar, and Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar or the survivors or survivor of them whilst holding office as Life Directors shall have full control of the business of the Company, and they or the survivors or survivor of them shall have power to appoint and remove any other Director or Directors, and may appoint any persons in addition to the existing Directors and may from time to time appoint, define, limit and restrict the powers and duties and fix the qualification and remuneration of any other Directors, and may remove any Director howsoever appointed and may at any time convene a General Meeting of the Company.

105. *No Director to be appointed without Consent of Life Directors.*—So long as the said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Marikar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar, and Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar or any of them shall be Life Directors or Life Director of the Company, no other Director or Directors of the Company shall be appointed without the consent of such Life Directors or Life Director.

106. *When Life Director shall become ordinary Director.*—In case any one of them the said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Markar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar or Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar shall cease to hold shares of the Company of any class to the nominal value of Rs. 100,000 he shall thereupon be deemed to be elected to office as an ordinary Director unless under Article 103 he becomes sole Life Director.

107. *When no Life Directors, Ordinary Directors to appoint other Directors.*—When all of them the said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Markar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar, and Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar shall cease to be Life Directors then and from thenceforth the Ordinary Directors shall have power from time to time to appoint any other persons to be Directors but so that the total number of Directors shall not at any time exceed the maximum fixed as above.

108. *Qualification of Director (other than Life Director).*—The qualification of a Director (other than a Life Director) shall be the holding in his own right alone of shares of the Company of any class to a nominal value of Rs. 25,000.

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

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

111. *When office of Director to be vacated.*—The office of Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he, without the sanction of a General Meeting, accept or hold any other office under the Company except that of a Managing Director, Managing Secretary, Manager or Trustee.
- (b) If he become bankrupt or insolvent or suspend payment, or file a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compound with his creditors.
- (c) If he engage on his own account in speculative transactions in produce, stocks or shares without the previous consent of all the other Directors.
- (d) If he absent himself from the meetings of the Company for a period exceeding three months at any one time without the consent of the Life Directors or any one of them.
- (e) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he become incapable of acting.
- (f) If he cease to hold the requisite number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (g) If he be called upon by all the other Directors to resign his office.
- (h) If by notice in writing to the Company he resign his office.

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

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

113. *General Powers of Directors.*—Subject to the provisions in these presents contained as to Life Directors and subject to any agreement to the contrary, the business of the Company shall be managed by the Board who may exercise all such powers of the Company and do on behalf of the Company all such acts as are within the scope of the memorandum and articles of association of the Company and as are not by the Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised

or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject nevertheless to any regulations of these presents, to the provisions of the Ordinance and to such regulations, being not inconsistent with the said regulations as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, but no regulation made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made.

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

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

115. *Retirement of Directors.*—At every Ordinary General Meeting of the Company one of the Directors for the time being shall retire in accordance with the provisions of Article 116 hereof.

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

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

118. *Appointment of successors to Directors.*—Subject to the provisions of Articles 104 and 105 hereof the Company may at the meeting at which any Director retires in manner aforesaid fill up the vacated office of each Director by electing a person thereto. And if at any such meeting the place of a retiring Director is not filled up, the retiring Director shall be deemed to have been re-elected, unless a resolution reducing the number of Directors is passed at the same meeting.

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

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

121. *How Directors removed and Successors appointed.*—Subject to the provisions of Articles 104 and 105 hereof the Company by an extraordinary resolution may remove any Director, other than any of the Life Directors, before the expiration of his period of office, and may by ordinary resolution appoint another person to be a Director in his stead. The person so appointed shall retain his office so long only as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

MANAGING DIRECTOR.

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

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD.

126. *Meeting of the Board.*—The Board may meet together for the dispatch of business at such place and adjourn and otherwise regulate their meetings as they think fit. Two Directors of whom at least one shall be a Life Director so long as there are Life Directors shall form a quorum. A Director may at any time, and the Secretary or Secretaries upon request of a Director shall convene a meeting of the Board. Questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes, and the Life Directors shall be entitled to as many votes as there are Directors of the Company and one more. In case of an equality of votes, the Chairman shall have an additional or casting vote in addition to his vote of votes as a Director.

127. *Who to preside at Meetings of Board.*—The said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar shall be Chairman of the Board so long as he remains a Director and is willing to act and the said Samsideen Macan Markar shall be Deputy Chairman. When the said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar ceases to be Chairman the said Samsideen Macan Markar shall if then a Director become Chairman and shall be entitled to retain office so long as he remains a Director and is willing to act. Subject as aforesaid the board may appoint a Chairman and Deputy Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which they are respectively to retain office.

128. *Questions at Meetings how decided.*—Any question which may arise at any meeting of the Board shall be decided by the votes of the Directors present and each of them the said Haji Mohamed Macan Markar, Samsideen Macan Markar, Abdul Vadood Macan Markar, and Mohamed Saleh Macan Markar shall be at liberty so long as he be a Director by writing under his hand to authorize any other Director to vote for him at any meeting or meetings of the Board and such authority may be general or may be limited to any one or more meetings or to any specific question or questions and must if required be produced at any meeting at which the holder of the authority proposes to vote.

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

130. *Board may appoint Committees.*—The Board may delegate any of their powers to Committees consisting of such member or members of their body as the Board think fit and they may from time to time revoke and discharge any such Committee either wholly or in part and either as to persons or purposes but every committee so formed shall in the 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.

131. *Meetings of Committee how regulated.*—The meetings and proceedings of any such committee consisting of two or more members shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for the regulating of meetings and proceedings of the Board so far as the same are applicable thereto and not superseded by any regulations made by the Board under the last preceding Article.

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

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

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

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

135. *Signature of Minutes of Proceedings and Effect thereof.*—All such minutes shall be signed by the person or one of the persons who shall have presided as Chairman at the General Meeting, the Board Meeting or committee meeting at which the business minutes shall have been transacted, or by the person or one of the persons who shall preside as Chairman at the next ensuing General Meeting, Board Meeting, or committee meeting, respectively; and all minutes purporting to have been signed by 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.

COMPANY'S SEAL.

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

ACCOUNTS.

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

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

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

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

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

DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

142. *Declaration of Dividend.*—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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

AUDIT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ARBITRATION.

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

EVIDENCE.

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

PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

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

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

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

In witness whereof, the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names at Colombo, this Eighth day of December, One thousand Nine hundred and Twenty-five.

MOHD. MACAN MARKAR.

S. D. MACAN MARKAR.

A. V. MACAN MARKAR.

SALI MACAN MARKAR.

STANLEY F. DE SARAM.

J. A. MARTENSZ.

DAVID E. MARTENSZ.

Witness to the above Signatures :

PERCIVAL S. MARTENSZ,
Proctor of the Supreme Court, Colombo.

The College of Music, Limited, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Final General Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named Company, in liquidation, will be held at the office of the Liquidator, 249, Galle road, Mount Lavinia, on Saturday, January 16, 1926, at 1 P.M., for the following purposes:—

1. To receive and consider the report and accounts of the Liquidator and to pass a resolution adopting them.
2. To pass a resolution that the affairs of the Company are fairly wound up.

249, Mount Lavinia,
December 7, 1925.

A. J. SIEBEL,
Liquidator.

Ryans' Estates (of Ceylon), Limited.

[Second Meeting.]

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Ryans' estates (of Ceylon), Limited, will be held at 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Wednesday, December 30, 1925, at noon, when the sub-joined resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 12th instant, will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions:—

Resolutions.

1. That the following Article shall be inserted after Article 132 of the Articles of Association of the Company and shall be numbered 132A namely:—

"132A. *Issue of Bonus out of Reserve.*—The Directors may with the sanction of the Company in General Meeting from time to time apply such portion of the reserve fund or any other fund representing undivided profits of the Company as the General Meeting sanctioning such application may direct in or towards payment of a bonus in accordance with their rights to the Shareholders or to the members of any class of Shareholders and may with the like sanction satisfy such bonus or part thereof by the issue and allotment in accordance with their rights to the Shareholders or to the members of any class of Shareholders of shares in the Company to be issued and allotted in accordance with their rights to the Shareholders or the members of any class of Shareholders in such proportions and upon such terms in all respects as the General Meeting sanctioning the same may direct."

2. That each of the existing 2,000 shares of Rs. 500 each in the capital of the Company be divided into five fully paid-up share of Rs. 100 each, and that the shares resulting from the division of such existing shares be renumbered so that the shares representing those numbered 1 to 2,000 be re-numbered 2,001 to 12,000.

3. That the capital of the Company be increased to Rs. 1,500,000 by the creation of 5,000 additional shares of Rs. 100 each.

By order of the Board,
GEORGE STEUART & Co.,
Colombo, December 14, 1925. Agents and Secretaries.

The Southern Province Transport Co., Ltd., Galle.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 57, Pedlar street, Galle, on Monday, December 28, at 2 P.M.:—

Business.

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

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from December 21 to 28, 1925.

By order of the Directors,
CHAS. P. HAYLEY & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Galle, December 14, 1925.

The Langat River (Selangor) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Langat River (Selangor) Rubber Company, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company at 4, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Wednesday, December 30, 1925, at noon, when the resolutions set out below which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held on the 15th instant, will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions:—

Resolutions.

1. That each of the existing 20,000 shares of Rs. 50 each in the capital of the Company be divided into five fully paid up shares of Rs. 10 each.

2. That the shares resulting from the division of such existing shares be renumbered so that the shares representing those numbered 1 to 20,000 be renumbered 20,001 to 120,000.

3. That Article 77 of the Company's Articles of Association be deleted and the following Article be substituted in lieu thereof and numbered 77:—

Number of Votes to which Shareholder entitled.—On a show of hands every shareholder present in person or by attorney duly authorized shall have one vote only. In case of a poll every shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall (except as provided for in the Article immediately following) have one vote for every five shares held by him up to fifty shares. He shall have an additional vote for every fifty shares held by him beyond the first fifty shares up to five hundred shares, and an additional vote for every one hundred and twenty-five shares beyond the first five hundred shares. When voting on a resolution involving the sale of the Company's estates or any of them or any part or portion of them or of any of them or the winding up of the Company every shareholder shall have one vote for every share held by him.

4. That Article 73 of the Company's Articles of Association be deleted and the following Article be substituted in lieu thereof and be numbered 73:—

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

5. That Article 75 of the Company's Articles of Association be deleted and the following Article substituted in lieu thereof and be numbered 75:—

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

By order of the Board,

LEWIS BROWN & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, December 16, 1925. Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree against Don Jacobis Kupesinghe Gunawardene, Vidane Arachehi of Kalu-uggala.

Valuable Properties at Kosgama Village, Diddeniya Village, and Kahahena, in the Udugaha Pattuwa of Hewagama Korale, in the District of Colombo.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 4,074 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, January 12, 1926, commencing at 3 P.M. at the office No. 121, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, the following properties, to wit:—

1. An allotment of land called Andagalanda *alias* Alubodalkanda, situated at Kosgama village, Udugaha pattuwa, Hewagama korale, Colombo District; containing in extent 3 roods and 10 perches.

2. An allotment of land called Andagalanda *alias* Alubodalkanda, situated at Kosgama village of aforesaid; containing in extent 2 roods and 39 perches.

3. An allotment of land called Andagalanda *alias* Alubodalkanda, situated at Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 3 roods and 34 perches.

4. An allotment of land called Andagalanda *alias* Alubodalkanda, situated at Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 2 acres and 3 perches.

5. An allotment of land called Alubodalkanda, situated at Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 1 rood and 9 perches.

6. An allotment of land called Palabotalanda, situated at Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent, exclusive of the road and reservation on either side passing through the land, 4 acres and 12 perches.

7. An allotment of land called Andagalahena *alias* Veralulanda, situated in Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 8 perches.

8. An allotment of land called Alubodalkanda, situated in Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 1 rood and 28 perches.

9. An allotment of land called Alubodalkanda, situated in Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 1 rood and 18 perches.

10. An allotment of land called Andagalanda *alias* Alubodalkanda, situated in Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 5 perches.

11. An allotment of land called Andagalanda *alias* Alubodalkanda, situated in Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 31 perches.

12. An allotment of land called Alubodalkanda *alias* Netewmandiyalanda, situated in Kosgama village aforesaid; containing in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 35 perches.

13. An allotment of land called Tennapitahena, in Diddeniya village, Udugaha pattuwa aforesaid; containing in extent 4 acres 1 rood and 16 perches.

14. An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ part or share of and from all that allotment of land called Kahatagahalanda and of the trees and plantations standing thereon, situated in the village Kahahena, Udugaha pattuwa aforesaid; containing in extent 18 acres 2 roods and 24 perches.

15. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ part or share of and from all that land called Kahatagahalanda and one of the trees and plantations standing thereon, situated at Kahahena aforesaid; containing in extent 7 acres and 2 roods, together with all the buildings, bungalows, factories, machinery, fixtures, tools, implements, cattle, and other the live stock, crops, produce, and other appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises.

H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
Auctioneer and Broker.

8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo.

Auction Sale under Partition Ordinance.

A Valuable Property at Silversmith Street, Colombo.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in case No. 15,754 of the District Court of Colombo, I will sell by public auction on Saturday, January 30, 1926, at 4.30 P.M.

at the spot—The premises bearing assessment No. 86/476, situated along Silversmith street, New Bazaar ward, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 16 $\frac{12}{100}$ perches.

The sale will first take place among the co-owners at the upset price which it has been valued, and if not purchased by any of them, it will immediately thereafter be put up for sale among the public.

For particulars apply to J. Leopold Perera, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

A. V. PERERA,

115, Hulftsdorp, Commissioner and Auctioneer.
Colombo, December 16, 1925.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In D. C., Colombo, Case No. 18,323, of a Valuable House and Ground bearing Assessment No. 4,001/54 and 4,000/55, situated at Modera Street in Mutual, Colombo, in Extent 16 $\frac{51}{100}$ Square Perches.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell the above-mentioned property on Saturday, January 16, 1926, at the spot, at 4 P.M.

For further particulars and title deeds, please apply to M. R. Akbar, Esq., Proctor and Notary, or to me—

B. D. AMIT,

Colombo, December 16, 1925. Commissioner.

Tel.: 1888; Office: 85, Dam street, Colombo.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In D. C., Colombo, Case No. 12,373, all that and those Lands called "Alakatumehena" of the Extent of 6 Pelas Paddy Sowing Extent and the Land called "Wanumerehena" of the Extent of 6 Pelas Paddy Sowing, situated at Galpata in Dehigampal Korale, in the District of Kegalla, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell the above-mentioned properties on Friday, January 22, 1926, at my office at No. 85, Dam street, Colombo, at 4 P.M.

For further particulars, please apply to S. R. Arianayakam, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or to me—

B. D. AMIT,

Colombo, December 16, 1925. Commissioner.

Tel.: 1888; Office: 85, Dam street, Colombo.

Auction Sale.

UPON the order of the District Court of Colombo, in insolvency proceedings No. 3,425, I shall offer for sale on Saturday, January 23, 1926, commencing from 3 P.M., at the respective spots, the right, title, and interest of M. U. A. Raheem, the insolvent in the above proceedings, in the under-mentioned premises:—

(1) An undivided half share of premises bearing assessment Nos. 4, 5, and 6, situated at Vauxhall street, in Slave Island, Colombo, in extent 1 rood and 24 perches; the said half share gives a rental of Rs. 200 a month.

(2) All those premises bearing assessment No. 58, Church street, Slave Island, Colombo, in extent 4 $\frac{13}{100}$ square perches; of a rentable value of Rs. 40 a month.

For further particulars, please apply to Messrs. N. H. Samarasinghe & J. M. Pereira, Proctors and Notaries, Colombo, or to me—

B. D. AMIT,

Assignee and Auctioneer.

Colombo, December 16, 1925.

Tel.: 1888; Office: 85, Dam street, Colombo.

Auction Sale.

By virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 17,232 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell by public auction, for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree, on Saturday, January 16, 1926, at my office No. 68, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp, Colombo, at 12 noon, the following property:—

All that marked "C" from and out of all those four contiguous allotments of land called Delgahawatta, Dawata-gahawatta, Makullagahawatta, and Kosgahawatta, situate at Welhena, in the Dasia pattu of Alutkuru korale north, in the District of Negombo, Western Province, which said lot "C" is bounded on the north by lot "B," on the east by a live fence separating the land of Johannes, Vel-Vidane, and others, on the south by the live fence separating the land of Segathpuradewage Selestina Fernando, and on the west by the water-course separating the field of Dongala-dewage Pinthoris Fernando and others; containing in extent 3 acres and 8 88/100 perches.

Belmont street, Hulftsdorp, December 16, 1925.
A. C. KOELMEYER,
Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C.,
Kalutara, No. 12,197.**

In the District Court of Kalutara.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 3.15 P.M. at the spot, the following property, to wit:—

All that allotment of land which is a divided and specific portion of all that northern portion of Mawatabodawatta, situated at Kalamulla, in Kalutarabadda of Kalutara togamane, in the District of Kalutara, Western Province; and which portion is bounded on the north by the road leading to the church, east by the high road, south by the Anathkuliyawatta, and on the west by Pethawatta on which the school stands; containing in extent 34 perches, more or less, together with all the trees and the entire tiled house standing thereon.

For further particulars, please apply to Messrs. De Abrew & Jayasundere, Proctors, Kalutara, or to me—

Kalutara, December 15, 1925.
GRATIEN ABEYESINGHE,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

D. C., Kalutara Case No. 12,076.

By virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,000 with legal interest and costs Rs. 206.40, I shall sell by public auction at the spot, on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 4.30 P.M.:—

The undivided 4/7 share of the soil and of all the trees and buildings of the allotment of land called Millagahawatta, situated at Maha Aruggoda in the Panadurebadda, Kalutara District; and containing in extent 5 acres.

For further particulars, please apply to D. E. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Panadure, or to me—

Panadure, December 8, 1925.
P. D. F. PERERA,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Properties at Akaragama and Godigomuwa,
in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 111, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Seenā Thana Kana Nana Sana Suna Pana Kannappa Chetty of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Mutugalpedige Lebuna and (2) Horatalpedige Saradiya, Police Vidane, both of Akaragama, and by virtue

of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,000, with interest thereon at 18 per cent. per annum from June 20, 1923, to July 14, 1925, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and cost of suit, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged by bond No. 39,592 dated April 19, 1922, and attested by N. J. C. Wijesekera, Notary by public auction, at the respective spots on Thursday, January 21, 1926, to wit:—

Commencing at 3 P.M.

1. The land called Millagahawatta, situate at Akaragama, in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province; containing in extent 3 acres and 6 perches or 3 acres according to plan No. 80,858, together with the tiled house and other buildings standing thereon as primary mortgage.
2. The land called Kahatagahawatta, situate at Akaragama aforesaid; containing in extent about 4 acres, with the buildings standing thereon as primary mortgage.
3. The land called Gangalodawatupanguwa bearing No. D 25, situate at Akaragama aforesaid; containing in extent 1½ acre or 1 acre 2 roods and 23 perches according to plan No. 108,413, with the buildings standing thereon as primary mortgage.
4. The field Ketakelagahakumbura, situate at Akaragama aforesaid; containing in extent about 3 parras of culture or about 1 acre and 2 roods as primary mortgage.

At 4.30 P.M.

5. The field Narangahakumbura, situate at Godigomuwa in Dunagaha pattu aforesaid; containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 38 perches as secondary mortgage.

Further particulars from Messrs. De Croos & Fernando, Proctors, Supreme Court, Negombo, or—

Negombo, December 15, 1925.
M. P. KURERA & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Properties at Katuwellegama, in the District of Negombo.

UNDER decree in case No. 17,136, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff, K. S. P. S. Kadirasan Chetty by his attorney A. N. S. T. R. M. Ramanaden Chetty of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Fredrick Senarath Dassanayake of Negombo and surety (2) J. E. Seneviratna of Matammama, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 14,875, with interest on Rs. 14,000 at 15 per cent. per annum from December 11, 1924, to June 5, 1925, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit, we shall sell the under-mentioned property mortgaged as primary mortgage by bond No. 909 dated April 10, 1924, and attested by Gregory de Zoysa, Notary, by public auction, at the spot at 4 P.M., on Wednesday, January 20, 1926, to wit:—

An undivided 37 72 shares of all that allotment of land called and known as Gorakagahalanda, situate at Katuwellegama in Dunagaha pattu of the Alutkuru korale in the District of Negombo, Western Province; containing in extent about 13 acres more or less.

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

Negombo, December 15, 1925.
M. P. KURERA & Co.,
Auctioneers.

**Auction Sale of Land at Bahirawakanda under
Mortgage Decree in D. C., Kandy, Case No. 32,575.**

UNDER instructions received from the plaintiffs in the above case, and under authority from court, I shall

sell by public auction, at the spot on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 3.30 P.M., the premises following, to wit:—

All that land called Nikapolawatta of 2 acres 2 roods and 19 perches, situated at Dodanwala (correctly Bahirawakanda) in Gangawata of Yatinuwara, in the District of Kandy, Central Province, and bears assessment Nos. 16 and 16A.

For further particulars, please apply to Messrs. Jonklaas & Wambeek, Proctors, &c., Kandy, or to me—

K. EDMUND PERERA,
Auctioneer, &c.
Kandy, December 15, 1925.

Auction Sale under Partition Decree.

Three Excellent Blocks of Land really worthy of Occupation for Residential Quarters at Kaluwadumulla within close Proximity of the Ambalangoda Town. No further Disputes in regard to Title. Rare Chance for those seeking for Unmolested Residences indeed.

PURSUANT to commission issued to me from the District Court of Galle, under decree in case No. 20,726, I shall offer for sale by public auction on January 25, 1926, commencing at 3.30 P.M., at the spot:—

All that defined allotment of land together with everything thereon called Gedarawatta, situated at Kaluwadumulla in Ambalangoda of the Wellaboda pattu, Galle District, Southern Province; bounded on the north by land whereon Warusavitharana Sayaneri resided, east by Araliyawatta, south by Olagamagewatta, and on the west by Olagamagewatta and land claimed by Gustinnawadu Davitappu; containing in extent 2 roods and 22.2 perches.

This property, the subject matter of the action, referred to above will be put up for sale in 3 separate blocks, 1, 2, and 3, in extent 28.375, 33.490, and 33.625 perches respectively, as per plan No. 141, made by Mr. W. V. Goonawardena, Licensed Surveyor and Leveller for the purpose.

The sale thereof will take place first among the co-owners commencing at the upset value for which each of the lots has been appraised and if they or any one of them fail to buy the same in advance then the property will immediately thereafter be sold to the highest bidder among the public in terms of the Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863.

Further particulars if necessary may be obtained from Mr. H. L. de Silva, Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Ambalangoda, or from me—

P. W. GEORGE DE SILVA,
Commissioner.
Ambalangoda, December 7, 1925.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Ratnapura.
No. 765. In the matter of the intestate estate of Weligepola Gamarallaye Dingirihamy of Wiyalagoda, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of a commission issued to me by the District Judge, Ratnapura, in the above-named action the under-mentioned lands will be sold by public auction on January 5, 1926, at 9 A.M., at the Village Tribunal, at Kandangomuwa:—

Lands referred to.

1. An undivided 15/16 share of Nawalakahena, situated at Wiyalagoda in Kuruwiti korale; bounded on the north by Egalehena, east by Halpandeniya, south by Heehamigehena, west by ganga; containing in extent about 10 acres.

2. An undivided 15/16 share of Owitigamarallayewatta, situated at Wiyalagoda in Kuruwiti korale; bounded on the north by Kapugewatta, east by Gamagewatteagala and Hindurantalawatta, south by Setuhamy Velvidanehitawatta, and on the west by Horataligewatta; containing in extent about 2 acres.

3. An undivided 10/24 share of Heelewileliyadda, situated at Wiyalagoda in Kuruwiti korale; and bounded on the north by Divaldepela, east by Medapitiyawatta, south by Puchinaidege Heelweliyadda, and on the west by ela; containing in extent about 12 lahass of paddy sowing.

4. An undivided 10/24 share of Kundasalehena, situated at Wiyalagoda aforesaid; bounded on the north by Welipiyannagahahena, east by Kankanamalayehena, south by Gooneramagehena, and on the west by Mawatahena and Gulana; containing in extent about 6 acres.

D. C. P. GUNESKERA,
Commissioner.
Ratnapura, December 4, 1925.

Cancellation of Power Attorney.

NOTICE is hereby given that the power of attorney given by this firm to Mr. Ralph Waterston Baxter has been cancelled from to-day's date.

MACKWOODS, LIMITED
December 14, 1925.

Holy Trinity Church, Colombo. Annual General Meeting.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Seatholders will take place on Friday, January 1, 1926, at 10 A.M., in the Church.

Business.

1. To receive the Treasurer's statement of accounts.
2. To elect three Trustees for the year 1925-1926.
3. To elect other Church Officers, and
4. To transact any other business duly submitted to the Meeting.

W. S. SENIOR,
Acting Incumbent.
Colombo, December 7, 1925.

All Saints' Church, Hulittdorp, Colombo.

THERE will be a meeting of the Seatholders of All Saints' Church, Hulittdorp, on Sunday, December 27, in the vestry of the church immediately after the evening service.

M. J. BURROWS,
Acting Vicar.
November 30, 1925.

St. John's Church, Kalutara.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, and under section 10 of this Ordinance, a meeting of the members of the Congregation of St. John's Church, Kalutara, will be held on Sunday, December 27, 1925, at the vestry of the said Church, after Evensong, for the purpose of electing three Trustees for the year 1926.

T. C. J. PEIRIS,
Vicar.
St. John's,
Kalutara, December 9, 1925.

Christ Church, Tangalla.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of section 10 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, a meeting of the Congregation of Christ Church, Tangalla, will be held in the said Church on Sunday, the 27th instant, at 6 P.M., for the purpose of electing three Trustees for the year commencing on January 1, 1926.

BECKET DE SILVA,
Vicar.
Nuwara Eliya, December 8, 1925.

Holy Trinity Church, Nuwara Eliya.

A MEETING for the election of three Trustees will be held in the above Church at 11.45 A.M. on December 27th.

J. L. WILLIAMS,
Chairman of Trustees.
The Vicarage,
Nuwara Eliya, December 14, 1925.

St. James's Church, Chilaw.

IN terms of Ordinance 12 of 1846 there will be a meeting of the Congregation of St. James's Church, Chilaw, at the Parish Schoolroom, on Sunday, the 27th instant, at 6 P.M., to elect three Trustees for the ensuing year.

C. C. P. ARULPRAGASAM,
Vicar.
Chilaw, December 8, 1925.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-noted packages which have been lying at the Baggage Office beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on January 26, 1926, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods sold must be cleared on or before January 29, 1926 :—

Date. 1925.	S. R. No.	Names.	Vessel.	Number and Description of Packages.
April 1	4,051	Henri French	Unknown	1 case containing 3 rifles
July 6	7,158	Adamjee Kadibhoy	ss. Cherka	1 small case
July 25	7,786	P. D. Joseph	Talaimannar train	1 bag
July 26	7,789	By agent	ss. Fontami Bleau	1 parcel
July 29	7,852	From Sub-collector	Talaimannar	1 tobacco
—	7,862	S. Swaminathan	Talaimannar train	1 revolver

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, December 10, 1925.

F. C. GIMSON,
for Principal Collector.

Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages which have been lying in Bonded Warehouse No. 14 beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, January 19, 1926, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. Goods sold must be cleared on or before Friday, January 22, 1926 :—

Entry Number and Date. 1923.	Vessel.	Marks.	Number and Description of Packages.
251, November 2	ss. Frauenfels	A V upon 545 upon —546—	2 cases Eau de Cologne
427, November 6	Angor	T F C C upon 4528	1 case perfumery

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, December 9, 1925.

C. H. COLLINS,
Principal Collector.

J/Mathagal (Vigneswaravidyalayam) Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated in Valigamam West, Jaffna District of the Northern Province, under the management of Hon. Sir P. Ramathan has been registered as a grant-in-aid school.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, December 11, 1925. Director of Education.

C/Petiyagoda Girls' Vernacular School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. A. Ewing for a grant in aid of the above school which is situated at Petiyagoda in Siyane korale, Colombo District of the Western Province. Observations will be received not later than January 8, 1926.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, December 11, 1925. Director of Education.

Clunes Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. Yorke for a grant in aid of the above school, which is situated on Clunes estate, Attagam korale of the Province of Sabaragamuwa. Observations will be received not later than January 23, 1926.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, December 18, 1925. Director of Education.

Levant Estate Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. Yorke for a grant in aid of the above school, which is situated on Levant estate, Three Korales of the Province of Sabaragamuwa. Observations will be received not later than January 23, 1926.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, December 18, 1925. Director of Education.

Panawatte Estate Upper Division Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. Yorke for a grant in aid of the above school, which is situated on Panawatte estate, Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations, will be received not later than January 23, 1926.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, December 18, 1925. Director of Education.

Panawatte Estate Middle Division Vernacular Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. Yorke for a grant in aid of the above school, which is situated on Panawatte estate, Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations will be received not later than January 23, 1926.

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, December 18, 1925. Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. A. M. Walmsley, Castle Hill, Kandy, has been appointed Manager of the Schools mentioned below in place of Rev. A. E. Dibben :—

Schools referred to.

KU/Kurunegala m	KU/Meetanawela m
KU/Potuhara m	KU/Jakaduwa m
KU/Ratmalgoda m	KU/Talampitiya m
KU/Nabirittawewa m	KG/Kegalla m
KU/Amunugama m	KG/Ranwela m
KU/Ambagammana m	KG/Diwela m
KU/Naramana m	KG/Udawewella m
KU/Munamale m	KG/Kudagama m
KU/Katupota m	KG/Hewadiwela m
KU/Delwita m	

Education Office, L. MACRAE,
Colombo, December 3, 1925. Director of Education.

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358	Camball, M. D. C.	Wesley College, Colombo
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384	Coorey, M. J. W.	Private Study
394	Perera, W. W.	do.
400	Wijesinghe, E. R.	do.
402	Attygalle, Somawathie	Buddhist Girls' College, Colombo
405	De Silva, E. Pemawathie	do.
409	Ingram, Iris I.	Clifton Girls' School, Maradana
410	Siriwardena, Somawathie	do.
415	Gomes, Iris B.	Dehiwala Girls' School

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429	Perera, Florence M.	Good Shepherd Convent, Kotahena
430	Perera, Josephine, L. V.	do.
444	Wijeyanayake, Alice	St. Paul's Girls' School, Campbell Park
445	Barbut, Edna D. d'With	St. Paul's Milagiriya Girls' School
446	Brohier, Eileen C. R.	do.
448	Frewin, Flora D.	do.
449	Hettiaratchy, Helen D.	do.

Galle Centre.

452	Batcha, R.	All Saints' College, Galle
455	Bunyamin, N. M.	do.
457	Daniel, S.	do.
485	De Silva, A. F.	Govt. English School, Hikkaduwa
488	Edirisinghe, N. R. W.	do.
491	Juvanis, L.	do.
494	Sumatipala, H. L.	do.
496	Widyalankara, G. M.	do.
501	Arnolis, A. M. A.	Mahinda College, Galle
510	Jayaneris, W. B. J.	do.
529	De Silva, W. L.	Piyaratana High School, Dodanduwa
530	Edmund, R. K.	do.
538	De Silva, N. W. K. D. H.	Richmond College, Galle
547	Gunasekera, A. L.	do.
548	Gurusingha, E.	do.
550	Jayasuriya, E.	do.
552	Malisgaspé, G. A.	do.
560	Siriwardena, L. A.	do.
561	Wickramanayake, B. M.	do.
562	Jayasinghe, R. A.	do.
566	Alles, J.	St. Aloysius' College, Galle
570	Dantanarayana, D. R.	do.
596	Samuelappu, T. G.	do.
610	Dharmadasa, K.	Wesleyan Boys English School, Ambalangoda

Jaffna Centre.

653	Selvadurai, N. S.	Drieberg English School, Chavakachcheri
657	Coomarasamy, A.	Hindu English School, Chavakachcheri
660	Murugesu, S.	do.
667	Venacithamby, V.	do.
707	Thangarajah, T.	Kilner College, Jaffna
713	Gnanappirakasam, M.	Mallakam Boys' English School
715	Ratnasabapathy, K.	do.
719	Subramaniam, S.	do.
732	Somasundara Iyer, V.	R. K. M. Vaidyeshvara Vidyalaya
740	Innasipillai, S. M.	St. Henry's English School, Ilvalalai
751	Seeney, P.	do.
759	Subramaniam, E.	do.
760	Subramaniam, S.	do.
787	Punchi Banda, W.	St. Joseph's Boys' English School, Anuradhapura
813	Murugaiah, K.	Tellippalai Mahajana English High School

Kandy Centre.

849	Attanayaka, T. B.	Ampitiya English School, Kandy
850	Dias, D. D. S.	do.
851	Hendricksingho	do.
855	Randiwala, A. M.	do.
857	Rayappen, L. J.	do.
858	Subasinghe, D. A.	do.
863	Annarajah, J. T. A.	St. Andrew's School, Gampola
869	Sinniah, M. P.	St. Andrew's C. M. S. School, Nawalapitiya
884	Pieris, B. S.	Trinity College, Kandy

Kanterodai Centre.

892	Appathurai, E.	Alaveddy Boys' English School, Chunakam
894	Muttutambay, A.	do.
898	Ponniah, S.	do.
913	Kanthappillai, S.	Kanterodai English Institute
927	Rangaswamy Iyer, P.	do.
928	Sabaratanam, V.	do.
935	Sivasubramaniam, V.	do.
937	Subramaniam, K. S.	do.
942	Thirunavukkarasu, K.	do.
944	Vettyvatepillay, V.	do.

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958	Mylvaganam, M.	Vaddukoddai East Boys' English School	1176	Senanayake, A. T. P.	Sri Sumangala College, Panadure
<i>Kegalla Centre.</i>			1179	Soysa, W. O. H. de	do.
967	Lawrence, W. D. N.	St. Mary's English School, Kegalla	1180	Wijesiri, S. P.	do.
<i>Kurunegala Centre.</i>			1182	Atapattu, D. P.	Wesleyan Boys' English School, Alutgama
979	Wijekoon, M. B.	Christ Church Boys' English School, Kurunegala	1185	De Silva, K. H.	do.
988	Fernando, R. M. W.	St. Paul's English School, Kandy	1191	Karunatilaka, A. S.	do.
989	Francis, X.	do.	1198	Perera, Irene G.	St. John's Girls' School, Panadure
990	Bastiampillai, M. Josephine	Holy Family Convent Girls' School, Anuradhapura	1199	Rodrigo, Florence L.	do.
994	Dissanayake, S.	Private study	<i>Point Pedro Centre.</i>		
<i>Matale Centre.</i>			1214	Nadarajah, R.	Chithambara Vidyalaya, Valvettiturai
1005	Welagedara, H. S. L. B.	Christ Church English School, Matale	1224	Velumyylum, K. S.	do.
1007	Aluwihare, T. B.	St. Thomas's Boys' English School, Matale	1262	Murugasoo, V.	Sacred Heart School, Vadiry, Pt. Pedro
1008	Clifford, K. D.	do.	1270	Markandu, R.	Tondamannar Boys' English School
1009	Kanagasuriam, T. R.	do.	1278	Chelliah, V.	Private study
1010	Navaratne, K. M.	do.	1279	Manickavasagam, S. T.	do.
1014	Jacob, R. Isabella	B. M. S. Girls' School, Matale	<i>Trincomalee Centre.</i>		
1015	Markus, I. Frane	do.	1287	Sathasivampillai, R.	Hindu English School, Trincomalee
1016	Fernando, L. Maria	Clodagh Mount Girls' School, Matale	1289	Vappu, V. M. S. M. M.	do.
1017	Pakkianathan, Jessie, H.	do.	1291	Jagathisen, S.	St. Joseph's College Trincomalee
1018	Alexander, L. Tyther	St. Thomas's Girls' School, Matale	1314	Weerakone, K. B. W. R.	Peradeniya Govt. Anglo Vernacular Boys' School
1019	Bolling, M. Elizabeth	do.	SECOND DIVISION.		
1020	Hayes, L. Frances	do.	<i>Batticaloa Centre.</i>		
1022	Wickremesekera, M. P. Pearl	do.	1	Krishnapillai, E.	St. Andrew's Boys' English School, Batticaloa
<i>Matara Centre.</i>			3	Kumariah, K.	do.
1023	Abeygunawardena, W. C.	Christ Church Mixed English School, Tangalla	10	Sebastian, L.	St. Mary's English Mixed School, Kalmunai
1026	Amadoru, S. J.	St. Servatius' School, Matara	15	Vethanayagam, T. S.	Wesleyan Mixed School, Kalmunai
1032	Mutucumarana, D. P.	do.	<i>Colombo Centre.</i>		
1036	Samarakone, D.	do.	20	Abeyewardena, R. M.	Ananda College, Colombo
1039	Abeywickreme, T. S.	St. Thomas's Boys' English School, Matara	22	Abeywickrema, P. A.	do.
1047	Martin, B. A.	do.	26	Amerasekera, T. D. S.	do.
1048	Mentis, G. M.	do.	31	Arulampalam, S.	do.
1049	Nandias, A. B.	do.	36	Balasuriya, E.	do.
1054	Siriwardene, A. N.	do.	41	Cooray, L. G.	do.
1055	Siriwardene, S.	do.	43	Danister, N. A.	do.
1059	Wijeratne, T. D.	do.	45	De Alwis, A. Z.	do.
1060	Wijesinha, H. C. B.	do.	47	De Silva, A. H.	do.
1062	Austin, E. K. Nesta	St. Mary's Convent School, Matara	52	De Silva, H. D.	do.
1063	Caspersz, V. M. Lily	do.	61	Ediriweera, A.	do.
1066	Goonawardane, Maglia	do.	63	Ekanayake, F. W. P.	do.
1071	Silva, M. Rachel	do.	82	Horambuwe, H. B.	do.
1072	Wickramasuriya, Nita	do.	85	James, M. D.	do.
1073	Wickramasuriya, Vivian N. A.	do.	87	Jayasekera, E. A.	do.
1074	Wirasinha, Edna M.	do.	90	Jayasinghe, J. C.	do.
1075	De Silva; Lenore	St. Thomas's Girls' English School, Matara	103	Jeremiah, S.	do.
1078	Weerasinghe, F. Muriel	do.	106	John, D.	do.
<i>Negombo Centre.</i>			108	Kanagamanickam, V.	do.
1088	James, W.	Maris Stella College, Negombo	112	Karunaratne, S. de S.	do.
1095	Rodrigo, P. H.	do.	113	Karunatilaka, M. J.	do.
1096	Salih, M.	do.	120	Lucius, M. D. J.	do.
<i>Panadure Centre.</i>			127	Panditaratne, N. M. M.	do.
1100	Fernando, W. C. M.	Diyalagoda R. C. Boys' English School, Maggona	129	Peiris, R. W.	do.
1101	De Fonseka, M. R. H.	Govt. English School, Wadduwa	139	Perera, K. S.	do.
1116	Piyadasa, U. K. S.	Nanodaya Buddhist English School, Kalutara	151	Ponnampalam, N.	do.
1126	Delgoda, G. L. O.	St. John's Boys' English School, Panadure	154	Rajakaruna, T. B. W.	do.
1129	Fernando, D. H.	do.	158	Ranasinghe, D. H. W.	do.
1130	Fernando, J. H.	do.	160	Robert, C. D.	do.
1133	Fonseka, R. F.	do.	173	Simon, B.	do.
1135	Keerthesena, E.	do.	185	Thenabadu, A. de S.	do.
1142	Silva, L. G.	do.	192	Weerasinghe, I. P.	do.
1145	William Sinno, T.	do.	194	Welikala, D. C.	do.
1147	Fernando, B. J. A.	St. Sebastian's Boys' English School, Moratuwa	195	Wickremasinghe, D. C.	do.
1151	Fernando, W. J. J. F.	do.	198	Wijeyesekera, L. N.	do.
1161	De Zoysa, A. M. H.	Sri Sumangala College, Panadure	204	Wijeyatilaka, S. P.	do.
1164	Fernando, H.	do.	208	Wimalasena, K. D. M.	do.
1167	Goonatilaka, M. D. C.	do.	218	Rajapakse, N. W.	B. M. S. Boys' High School, Borella
1170	Mendis, B. E.	do.	219	Wijesinghe, G.	do.
			227	Haniffa, M. T. M.	Central College, Colombo
			230	Rafnasingham, N.	do.
			235	Punchihewa, L. S.	Christ Church Boys' English School, Dehiwala
			239	Gunawardhana, D. H. J.	C. M. S. Boys' English School, Cotta
			242	Perera, A. D. H.	Colombo Industrial School

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245	Silva, L. P.	do.			
246	Taher, S. W.	do.			
256	Sugathadasa, K. W. D.	Mahabodhi College, Colombo			
266	Candappa, B. A. L. R.	St. Benedict's College, Colombo			
271	Felix, D. M. D. J.	do.			
276	Jayawardena, E. W.	do.			
291	Rosario, J. V. A. de	do.			
293	Samaratunga, J. W.	do.			
296	Van Derlaan, T. R.	do.			
298	Abeysekera, A. H. D.	St. Joseph's Boys' School, Grandpass			
304	Silva, W. M. A.	do.			
306	Botejue, W. M.	St. Joseph's Preparatory School, Colombo			
308	De Silva, J. B.	do.			
309	De Silva, V. P.	do.			
314	Ghouse, M.	do.			
316	Heethawaka, J. J.	do.			
318	Kelaart, R. L.	do.			
319	Koch, C. P.	do.			
320	Misso, N. O.	do.			
325	Pietersz, C.	do.			
340	Aboobucker, I. L. M. M.	Wesleyan Boys' English School, Pettah			
362	Ferdinands, P. D.	Wesley College, Colombo			
388	Fernando, M. T. A.	Private study			
391	Jayasinghe, E. de S.	do.			
393	Perera, W. P.	do.			
401	Wickramasinghe, J. T. P.	do.			
406	Jayawardena, Emeline D.	Buddhist Girls' College, Colombo			
407	Perera, Cecilia	do.			
413	De Silva, Lilian H.	Dehiwala Girls' School			
414	De Silva, Merlyn I.	do.			
421	Fernando, Agatha S.	Goodshepherd Convent, Kotahena			
423	Fernandopulle, M. W.	do.			
426	Meloney, Andrey C. M.	do.			
428	Moldrich, Elizabeth, H. A.	do.			
431	Perera, Mary C.	do.			
437	Ebert, I. A. Bertha	Presbyterian Girls' School, Bambalapitiya			
<i>Galle Centre.</i>					
461	Francis, M. E.	All Saints' College, Galle			
466	Justin, G.	do.			
473	Rahuman, M. A.	do.			
477	Wickramasuriya, L. H. M.	do.			
478	Dias, K. M. G. D.	Boys' English School, Baddegama			
480	Suriarachchi, D.	do.			
498	Abhayagunawardena, D. S. C.	Mahinda College, Galle			
499	Albert, W. P. G.	do.			
505	Garnel, L. L.	do.			
511	Juanappon, K.	do.			
518	Sinnoappu, W.	do.			
519	Upasakappu, B. P.	do.			
524	Wijesuriya, N.	do.			
525	Wijeilaka, R. W. B.	do.			
527	Charles, G.	Piyaratana High School, Dodanduwa			
534	Amarawardane, A. P. D.	Richmond College, Galle			
536	Amarawardena, S. D.	do.			
545	Goonatilaka, D. H.	do.			
549	Jayasinghe, J. N.	do.			
557	Pandithasekera, D. C.	do.			
563	Abeyasinghe, H. T. D.	St. Aloysius' College, Galle			
571	Davithsingho, W.	do.			
578	Devasagayam, F. A.	do.			
581	Dias, R.	do.			
582	Doole, B. R.	do.			
593	Pieris, M. H.	do.			
595	Robert, W. K.	do.			
600	Gunawardena, O. W.	St. Anthony's Mixed English School, Ganegama			
601	De Silva, G. B. W.	Siddhartha College, Bala-pitiya			
603	De Thabrew, K. M.	do.			
604	Mendis, H. T.	do.			
606	Rajakaruna, A. A. P.	do.			
608	Gunasekera, W. M. P. de Z.	do.			
609	De Silva, G. W. S.	Wesleyan Boys' English School, Ambalangoda			
614	Cassim, D. M. M.	Private study			
635	Rasiah, Kandiah	C. M. S. English Mixed School, Urumpirai			
644	Kanthar, V.	Drieberg English School, Chavakachcheri			
659	Kumarasamy, S.	Hindu English School, Chavakachcheri			
661	Muttusamy, P.	do.			
664	Sandrasegaram, T.	do.			
690	Arulampalam, S.	Jaffna Hindu College			
691	Cumaraswamy, P.	do.			
704	Sinnathurai, V.	Kilner College, Jaffna			
709	Cadirasapillay, S.	Mallakam Boys' English School			
710	Canagaratnam, T.	do.			
711	Changaratpillai, S.	do.			
712	Duraisingam, T.	do.			
734	Thillampalam, A.	R. K. M. Vaidyeshvara Vidyalaya			
736	Vaidyalingam, M.	do.			
738	Casipillai, A. J.	St. Henry's English School, Illavalai			
749	Savirimutto, B. P.	do.			
750	Sebastiampillai, G.	do.			
756	Sivasampu, S. K.	do.			
757	Somasundaram, V.	do.			
758	Soosaipillai, G.	do.			
772	Rajasingham, C. T.	St. John's College, Jaffna			
795	Crusz, A. E.	St. Xavier's English School, Mannar			
798	Kurusamy, N.	do.			
803	Seenitamby, S.	Tellippalai English School, (A. M.)			
807	Thangarajah, K.	do.			
815	Sanmugasamy, S.	Tellippalai Mahajana English High School			
828	Navaratnam, T.	Urumpirai Hindu English Mixed School			
831	Shanmugam, K.	do.			
834	Subramaniam, R.	do.			
844	Kandiah, V.	Private study			
845	Lopaia, M. F.	do.			
<i>Kandy Centre.</i>					
852	Kossinne, M. U. B.	Ampitiya English School, Kandy			
854	Pereira, A. S.	do.			
856	Rathnayake, A.	do.			
864	Diyabalanage, S.	St. Andrews' School, Gampola			
865	Fernando, F.	do.			
866	Thiyagarajah, S.	do.			
868	Jainoor, T.	St. Andrew's C. M. S. School, Nawalapitiya			
870	Perera, G. W.	St. Bede's School, Badulla			
872	Abeykoon, S. B.	Trinity College, Kandy			
873	Boange, E.	do.			
877	Halangoda, S. A.	do.			
878	Illankoon, R. L.	do.			
882	Marapane, D. G. D.	do.			
888	De Saram, L. Margaret.	Clodagh Mount School, Matale			
891	Herath, P. B.	Private study			
<i>Kanterodai Centre.</i>					
893	Arunachalam, N.	Alaveddy Boys' English School			
895	Nadarajah, K.	do.			
900	Sandrasegarar, V.	do.			
901	Sivaguru, S.	do.			
902	Subramaniam, C.	do.			
903	Subramaniam, M.	do.			
904	Sundarampillai, K.	do.			
905	Chellappah, A. S.	Kanterodai English Institute			
908	Elagappillai, S.	do.			
911	Kandiah, A.	do.			
915	Kasipillay, V.	do.			
923	Ponnampalam, M.	do.			
932	Sinnadurai, S. S.	do.			
947	Kandiah, K.	Uduvil Mann's Boys' English School			
956	Kandamuttu, R.	Vaddukkodai East Boys' English School			
962	Ratnam, S.	do.			
<i>Kegalla Centre.</i>					
969	Punchi Banda, G.	St. Mary's English School, Kegalla			
972	Simon Singho, E. A.	do.			
973	Simon, I. H.	do.			

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984	Martin, K. A. D. N.	St. Anna's School, Kurunegala	1267	Ambigapathy, A.	Tondamannar Boys' English School	
985	Meegolle, O. T.	do.	1268	Ariarajah, P.	do.	
987	Doraisamy, T.	St. Paul's English School, Kandy	1271	Murugasu, M.	do.	
991	Johnson, M. J. Violet	Holy Family Convent, Kurunegala	1272	Muthukumar, K.	do.	
<i>Matale Centre.</i>						
1000	De Silva, W. R.	Christ Church English School Matale	<i>Trincomalee Centre.</i>			
1001	Kassier, M. T. R.	do.	1280	Alagarajah, M.	Hindu English School, Trincomalee	
1002	Perera, M. R.	do.	1285	Pathanjali, S.	do.	
1003	Pillai, R. S.	do.	1286	Rasandrapillay, P.	do.	
1006	Zainudeen, A. C.	do.	1290	Emmanuel, J. R.	St. Joseph's College, Trincomalee	
1011	Ponniiah, M.	St. Thomas' Boys' English School, Matale	1304	Sivasambo, E.	Wesleyan Boys' English School, Trincomalee	
1021	Tennakoon, M. Phyllis	St. Thomas' Girls' School, Matale	<i>Kegalla Centre.</i>			
<i>Matara Centre.</i>						
1025	Samarasinghe, F.	Christ Church Mixed English School, Tangalla	1313	Herath, M.	Galagedara Govt. Anglo-Vernacular Boys' School	
1028	Francis, K. H.	St. Servatius' School, Matara	<i>Colombo Centre.</i>			
1030	James, P.	do.	1328	Martinus, G. E.	Lorenz College, Colombo	
1035	Ranasinghe, S. P.	do.	The Hewavitarana Prize of Rs. 50 in cash awarded by Dr. C. A. Hewavitarana to the best candidate under 19 years of age, has been won by candidate No. 1016 L. Maria Fernando of Clodagh Mount Girls' School, Matale.			
1038	Weerasekera, A. D. A.	do.	Education Office, Colombo, December 16, 1925.			
1051	Samarasekera, N.	St. Thomas' Boys' English School, Matara	L. MACRAE, Director of Education.			
<i>Negombo Centre.</i>						
1081	Dharmasena, S. D. A. H.	Maris Stella College, Negombo	Government Training College.			
1086	Fernando, V.	do.	AWARD OF CERTIFICATES, ENGLISH TEACHERS' COURSE, DECEMBER, 1925.			
1090	Mirando, G. C.	do.	THE following students completed their course of training in December, 1925, and were classified as follows, each list in order of merit :—			
1094	Peries, M.	do.	MEN STUDENTS.			
1097	Saperemadu, A. D. P.	do.	<i>Second Class Certificate.</i>			
<i>Panadure Centre.</i>						
1099	Fernando, C. A.	Diyalagoda R. C. Boys' English School, Maggona	1.	S. N. R. Breckenridge	11.	W. B. de Alwis
1106	Devananda, U. K.	Nanodaya Buddhist English School, Kalutara	2.	R. L. Kannangara	12.	F. J. Armstrong
1114	Perera, W. G.	do.	3.	V. T. Mayalago	13.	V. Arumugam*
1118	Silva, S. S.	do.	4.	R. E. Jayatilleke	14.	F. B. Weerakoon
1125	Carolus, K. D.	St. John's Boy's English School, Panadure	5.	S. Thiagarajah	15.	J. Wimalasena
1127	De Silva, A. R. C.	do.	6.	K. Chelliah	16.	V. G. Dissanayake †
1132	Fonseka, K. D.	do.	7.	S. P. Innasimuttu		
1136	Kulatissa, R. D.	do.	8.	H. Dharmadasa		
1137	Leenis, W.	do.		C. Nagiah		
1139	Noris Singho, M. D.	do.		B. L. Perera		
1140	Peiris, E. D.	do.	* Referred in Physical Training.			
1143	Silva, W. D.	do.	† Provisional for one year.			
1146	De Silva, L. H. J.	St. Sebastian's Boys' English School, Moratuwa	WOMEN STUDENTS.			
1149	Fernando, M. C. E.	do.	<i>Second Class Certificate.</i>			
1150	Fernando, P. C. E.	do.	1.	M. Buyers	6.	D. O. Bartholomeusz
1157	Abeyanaik, K. D.	Sri Sumangala College, Panadure	2.	F. E. Armstrong	7.	I. C. Fernando
1162	Dias, P. A.	do.	3.	F. M. de Silva	8.	N. A. A. Vander Straaten
1163	Fernando, B. H. A.	do.	4.	A. A. Samarakono	9.	M. W. de Silva
1165	Fernando, M. B. C.	do.	5.	Z. N. Weinman	10.	E. T. S. Doss
1166	Fernando, W. W. A.	do.	KINDERGARTEN.			
1173	Perera, J. A.	do.	<i>Second Class Certificate.</i>			
1187	Fernando, G. P. G.	Wesleyan Boys' English School, Alutgama	1.	M. Clements	6.	M. E. D. Goonewardene
1188	Fernando, H. B.	do.	2.	L. B. Van Houten	7.	A. M. N. P. J. Puvinaiyagam
1193	Ladduwahetty, M.	do.	3.	H. Wickremeratne	8.	C. M. L. Anthonisz
1197	De Silva, Lenora	St. John's Girls' School, Panadure	4.	B. Barbot		A. Hunter
1200	Wijesekera, Agnes R.	do.	5.	R. Breckenridge		
<i>Point Pedro Centre.</i>						
1213	Monaguru, T.	Chittampara Vidyalaya, Valvettiturai	ONE YEAR COURSE.			
1221	Thangavadivelloo, M.	do.	<i>Second Class Certificate.</i>			
1222	Thillaiampalam, S.	do.	1.	N. Kandyah	2.	J. A. Dhanapala
1225	Arumugam, K.	Karaveddi Vigneshvara English School, Pt. Pedro	Education Office, Colombo, December 15, 1925.			
1226	Chinniah, A.	do.	L. MACRAE, Director of Education.			
1229	Kanapathippillai, A.	do.				
1231	Kandappoo, S. K.	do.				
1237	Murugasu, S.	do.				
1245	Veerakathy, K. S.	do.				
1258	Kanapathippillai, K.	Sacred Heart School, Vadiry, Pt. Pedro				
1264	Thillaiampalam, K.	do.				

Closure of Area for Application Surveys in the North-Western Province.

NOTICE is hereby given that surveys in connection with applications for the purchase or lease of Crown land will be undertaken in the North-Western Province in rotation according to the following areas:—

Area No. 1, which includes that portion of the Kurunegala District which comes to the south of Deduru-oya:—

Katugampola hatpattu	Dambadeni hatpattu
Dewameddi hatpattu	Weudawili hatpattu

Area No. 2, which includes the Chilaw and Puttalam Districts.

Area No. 3, which includes that portion of the Kurunegala District which comes to the North of Deduru-oya.

Wanni hatpattu and Hiriyala hatpattu.

2. Area No. 1 will be closed on February 1, 1926, and no applications received within this area after that date will be forwarded to the Surveyor-General for survey until this area is again re-opened. This, however, will not preclude applicants from submitting to me for registration, applications for land within this area with a view of ascertaining whether there are any objections to the sale or lease.

3. The next areas to be closed for survey will be areas Nos. 2 and 3. Applications for the purchase or lease of Crown land in these two areas should be forwarded to me as early as possible.

4. The date of closure of Nos. 2 and 3 areas will be shortly published.

December 12, 1925.

F. G. TYRRELL,
Government Agent.

Rogue Elephant.

I AM prepared to issue a licence, free of stamp duty under section 9, sub-section (1) (b) of "The Game Protection Ordinance, No. 1 of 1909," for the destruction of an elephant which roams about destroying crops mostly of the following villages: Poonewa, Hammillewa, Issenbessewa, Tammannewa, Karapikkada, Helambagaswewa, and Seppewa in Nuwaragam palata.

The Headmen will point out the animal.

Description of the Animal.

Elephant. Height, 9 ft. to 10 ft.

Circumference of the foreleg at the base, 3 ft 9 in.

Circumference of the hindleg at the base, 3 ft. 6 in.

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Acting Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,
Anuradhapura, December 16, 1925.

Sale of Unserviceable Steel Barges, Colombo Lake Development Scheme.

NOTICE is hereby given that three steel barges of the following descriptions and weighing approximately 14 tons each, which are now lying at the Colombo Lake Development Scheme yard, adjoining the new Rowing Club at Parson's road, Fort, Colombo, will be sold by public auction on the spot on Saturday, December 19, 1925, at 10 A.M.:—

Length over all, 45 feet; breadth over all 15 feet; depth, 4 feet; draft light, 10 inches; draft loaded, 2 feet 9 inches; built of steel throughout.

2. The barges will be sold in three lots of one barge each.

3. The barges may be inspected at the site on and after Friday, November 27, 1925.

4. The purchasers will be required to deposit the full amount of the purchase money with the Engineer-in-charge, Colombo Lake Development Scheme, at the close of the sale when the articles purchased become the property of the respective buyers at their risk.

5. The barges must be removed from the site within 14 days from the date of sale.

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, November 24, 1925.

Lease of Crown Land, Maskeliya.

THE Government Agent, Central Province, will on Tuesday, January 26, 1926, at 2 P.M., put up to auction at his office in Kandy, the under-mentioned portion of Crown land situated in the village Maskeliya, in Ambagamuwa korale of Uda Bulatgama division.

Portion of lot 5 in preliminary plan 6,617, about 2 perches in extent.

Conditions of Lease.

1. The land to be leased for one year on form G. A. C144.
2. The upset rental to be Re. 1 a year.
3. No building except a temporary shed to be erected on the land.
4. The lease to be terminable at one month's notice without any compensation.
5. The lessee to remove the building on the land at his own cost within two weeks on the termination of the lease.

Further information regarding the land and its situation can be obtained at the Kandy Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,
Kandy, December 18, 1925.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Government Agent.

Sale of Timber.

THE under-mentioned timber consisting of logs, planks, poles, &c., lying at different places mentioned below in the Sabaragamuwa division, will be sold by public auction by the respective Range Forest Officers of the Sabaragamuwa division at their respective Range Offices on Tuesday, January 5, 1926, at 2 P.M., subject to the following conditions.

1. The highest bid will be accepted subject to the approval of the Conservator of Forests. The highest bidder will be declared the purchaser, and on being so declared shall sign his name on the register of sales, in admission of such purchase and deposit the necessary amount.

2. Twenty-five per cent. of the bids to be deposited on conclusion of the sale. The balance should be paid within 14 days of the intimation of the approval of sale by the Conservator of Forests when a permit for removal will be issued.

3. The measurements as recorded by the Range Forest Officer concerned must be accepted, but prior to date of auction any intending purchaser is at liberty to inspect the timber, &c., and check the amounts.

4. All timber sold must be removed within 6 weeks of the receipt of notification that the bid has been accepted, and the timber will be at the risk of the purchaser until the time of removal at the various places where they are lying.

5. Should the person whose bid has been accepted fail to pay the balance purchase amount within 14 days of the receipt of notice in writing that his bid has been accepted by the Conservator of Forests or to remove the timber within the time specified in clause 4 above, the lot will be resold at the risk of the original purchaser who shall be held liable for any deficiency owing to a lower price being realized at the resale, but on the other hand, if an enhanced price is realized, he shall have no claim to the profit which shall accrue thereby to Government.

6. The list of timber can be seen in the Range Forest Offices of Pelmadulla and Rakwana of the Sabaragamuwa division on any working day between the hours 9.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.

7. Application should be made to the Range Forest Officers concerned for any further information.

TIMBER REFERRED TO.**Pelmadulla Range.**

List of confiscated logs lying at Debarawitumukalana, Karawite:—

1 jak log = 16 cubic feet.

List of confiscated logs lying at Bubule in Yakadalgodamukalana at Kahawatta:—

1 del log = 59 cubic feet.

List of confiscated logs lying at Potgukanda in Uduwatana:—

1 del log = 19 cubic feet.

18 posts, godapara, diyapara, badulla, &c.

List of confiscated timber lying at Balangoda town Arachchi's premises :—

- 1 mi beam=8 cubic feet.
- 8 liyan beams=11 cubic feet.

List of confiscated logs lying at Mahalawaturana at Kahawatta :—

- 1 hora log=145 cubic feet.

List of confiscated posts lying at Thahandimukalana at Akerella :—

- 10 milla posts=31 cubic feet.

Rakwana Range.

List of confiscated logs lying in Nilandure village in the custody of the Gan-Arachchi of the village :—

- 1 imbul, 495 cubic feet.
- 1 kekuna, 405 cubic feet.
- 1 amba, 226 cubic feet
- 3 eriya, 164 cubic feet.
- 1 malaboda, 110 cubic feet.
- 1 kalamaduwa, 28 cubic feet.
- 1,735 planks of kekuna, malaboda, etamba, &c. 10 ft.—12 ft. × 6 in.—10 in. × ½ in. and smaller sizes.

R. M. WHITE,

Acting Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, December 11, 1925.

Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

NOTICE is hereby given that the area declared infected at No. 543, Moratuwella, in Salpiti korale of the Colombo District of the Western Province, under section 5, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by the Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, and proclaimed in *Gazette* dated November 13, 1912, is free from foot-and-mouth disease, and is no longer an infected area.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, R. J. PEREIRA,
Colombo, December 14, 1925. for Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, CHARLES VALENTINE BRAYNE, Government Agent of the Eastern Province, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that portion of the road from Pottuvil to Wellawaya lying within the Eastern Province shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof until further notice.

The Kachcheri, C. V. BRAYNE,
Batticaloa, December 17, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest exists in Panama pattu, in Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, notice is hereby given on the section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area from the date hereof.

Area : the portion of the Eastern Province, bounded on the north by Wellawaya-Pottuvil road, east by sea, south and west by the Province boundary.

The Kachcheri, C. V. BRAYNE,
Batticaloa, December 17, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

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

R. N. BOND,
for Assistant Government Agent.
The Kachcheri,
Hambantota, December 10, 1925.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest prevails in the village of Daba-amuna in West Giruwa pattu of the Hambantota District : It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of

section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This proclamation shall take effect from the date hereof. Boundaries of the area referred to are :—

Daba-amuna.

North : Liyannakatuwa, Wiragaswewa, and Tuppahigama.

East : Jandura, Julamulla, and Kotawaya.

South : Kotawaya and Indigetawela.

West : Ketalaporuwa

HARRY O. JAYAWARDANA,
Mudaliyar, West Giruwa Pattu.

December 5, 1925.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest prevails in the village of Hakuruwela, in West Giruwa pattu of the Hambantota District : It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This proclamation shall take effect from the date hereof. Boundaries of the area referred to are :—

Hakuruwela.

North : Bogamuwa and Laggamuwa.

East : Netalaporuwa and Talamporuwa.

South : Talamporuwa.

West : Medayala.

HARRY O. JAYAWARDANA,
Mudaliyar, West Giruwa Pattu.

December 5, 1925.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest exists in the Weugam palata Vidane Arachchi's division, in East Giruwa pattu of Hambantota District, Southern Province : It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 5 (1) and (2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area.

This proclamation shall take effect from date hereof.

Boundaries of the area referred to.

North : Province of Sabaragamuwa.

East : Walawe-ganga

South : Ihalawalakada and West Giruwa pattu.

West : Paranagam palata east.

S. P. WIJETUNGE,
Mudaliyar, East Giruwa Pattu.

December 9, 1925.

Rinderpest.

I, RICHARD ARTHUR GRINDALL FESTING, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that the minor road from Buthala to Okkampitiya shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof, until further notice.

R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 9, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, RICHARD ARTHUR GRINDALL FESTING, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that the road from Wellawaya to Monragala up to the junction with the Bibila road shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof, until further notice.

R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 9, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, RICHARD ARTHUR GRINDALL FESTING, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that the road from Badulla to Kataragama shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof until further notice.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 10, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, RICHARD ARTHUR GRINDALL FESTING, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that the road from Kataragama to Tissa up to the Province of Uva boundary shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof, until further notice.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 14, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, RICHARD ARTHUR GRINDALL FESTING, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that the road from Tanamalwila to Wellawaya shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic until further notice from the date hereof.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 15, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest exists in the portion of Province of Uva, within the area lying between Pottuvil-Wellawaya road and the Wellawaya-Kirinda road: It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 5 (1) and

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(2) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area:—

This proclamation shall take effect from the date hereof.

Boundaries of the Area referred to.

North: Main road from Wellawaya towards Pottuvil as far as Eastern Province boundary.

East: Boundary of the Eastern Province.

South: Boundary of the Southern Province.

West: Wellawaya-Hambantota road as far as Southern Province boundary.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 16, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, RICHARD ARTHUR GRINDALL FESTING, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that the Wellawaya-Hambantota road as far as the Southern Province boundary shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof until further notice.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 16, 1925. Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, RICHARD ARTHUR GRINDALL FESTING, Government Agent of the Province of Uva, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that the Wellawaya-Pottuvil road as far as the Eastern Province boundary shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof until further notice.

The Kachcheri, R. A. G. FESTING,
Badulla, December 16, 1925. Government Agent.

Abstract of Indian Labourers on Estates in the several Districts during the Quarter ended September 30, 1925.

District.	Number of Estates.*	Number of Indian Labourers.†				Number of Registered Events.‡	
		Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Births.	Deaths.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
CEYLON ..	2,180	597,015	210,541	203,435	183,039	5,636	4,406
<i>Western Province.</i>							
Colombo ..	76	6,501	2,466	1,959	2,076	59	60
Kalutara ..	132	28,662	10,721	8,709	9,232	265	162
<i>Central Province.</i>							
Kandy ..	615	175,540	61,236	61,998	52,306	1,551	1,336
Matala ..	172	33,674	12,509	10,977	10,188	358	226
Nuwara Eliya	299	129,437	44,064	44,872	4,501	1,061	737
<i>Southern Province.</i>							
Galle ..	59	5,738	2,290	1,790	1,658	66	39
Matara ..	32	5,613	2,225	1,917	1,471	41	49
<i>North-Western Province.</i>							
Kurunegala	96	7,973	3,486	2,375	2,112	110	63
Puttalam ..	2	67	37	21	9	—	—
Chilaw ..	17	639	360	170	109	11§	8§
<i>North-Central Province.</i>							
Anuradhapura	3	376	219	138	19	3§	—
<i>Province of Uva.</i>							
Badulla ..	286	101,170	33,743	33,826	33,601	1,088	936
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>							
Ratnapura	160	51,410	18,846	18,066	14,498	478	493
Kegalla ..	231	50,215	18,339	16,617	15,259	545	297

* In these totals certain subdivisions of estates are counted separately. The number of returns tabulated was 1,582.

† The figures given are the averages of the reported population on the first day of each month in the quarter.

‡ Drawn from a slightly smaller population than shown in columns 3 & 6. It may be noted that the figures for a quarter even for the larger Districts are liable to considerable fluctuation.

§ Not shown in the Registrar-General's return, as Chilaw and Anuradhapura are not reckoned by him as estate districts.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 17, 1925.

E. B. ALEXANDER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned movable property seized by virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of section 137 of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of rates due on premises and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction at the place and at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and costs be duly paid.

December 14, 1925.

VIVIAN PEREIRA,
Acting Municipal Treasurer.

SCHEDULE.

Date and Place of Sale : January 8, 1926, at the Municipal Council Stores, Darley road.

Premises No.	Street.	Quarter and Year.	Property seized.	Time of Sale.
793/67(1)	Timbirigasyaya	3rd quarter, 1925	1 whatnot, 1 plain chair, 1 round arm chair, 1 round table, 1 large brass pot, 1 small brass pan, 1 hanging gas lamp, 1 hanging lamp, 1 piece coir matting, 1 old bed, 1 deer horn, 1 old brass pot, 1 door ornament	8 A.M.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and costs be duly paid.

The Municipal Office,
Colombo, December 15, 1925.

VIVIAN PEREIRA,
Acting Municipal Treasurer.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale : January 11, 1926.

Premises No.	Street.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
3,204/98	Alutmawatta	1st quarter, 1924, to 3rd quarter, 1925	9 A.M.

MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Auctioneers' and Brokers' Licences.

THE following have been licensed in November, 1925, by the Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy, under the Surveyors, Auctioneers, and Brokers Ordinance No. 15 of 1889 :—

R. G. Koelman of Messrs. Jensen & Co., Colombo
D. M. Abeygunasekera of Kandy

Auctioneer
Broker

Municipal Office,
Kandy, December 11, 1925.

JAS. JAYATILLEKE,
Secretary.

MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held in the Municipal Office on November 14, 1925, at 1.15 p.m., pursuant to Notice dated November 9, 1925.

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

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of October 10, 1925, a copy thereof having been furnished to each Member, were taken as read and confirmed.

2. Pursuant to notice, Mr. D. I. Durham moved that the fire engine provided for in the 1926 Budget at Rs. 4,500 be ordered at once. Mr. D. G. Goonewardene, M.B.E., seconded.

The Chairman mentioned a fire pump that had been recommended by Mr. Lannaway, Superintendent of the Colombo Fire Brigade ; but in view of the inadequate pressure in the water mains the Council was not in favour of a pump. The motion was put to the meeting and carried.

3. Pursuant to notice, Mr. S. W. Dassanaikie moved—That the Council do vote a sum of Rs. 250 to trap a few of the worst gullies in Lighthouse street at once, both to reduce nuisance and as an experiment to ascertain what cost of such traps is likely to run to ; and that the work be done in consultation with the Provincial Engineer through suitable contractors. Mr. J. E. Perera seconded.

Mr. D. G. Goonewardene and Mr. C. E. de Vos spoke to the motion.

The Chairman said, that as Rs. 1,000 had been provided in the Estimates for 1926 for the improvement of the Fort drains, he thought the experiments might be carried out next year.

Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe suggested that the last three words of the motion " through suitable contractors " be deleted, and that the work be carried out by the Superintendent of Works in consultation with the Provincial Engineer. The motion was put to the meeting and carried. Tenders to be invited for carrying out the work.

4. To consider amendment to the by-law published by notification dated December 16, 1924, for granting temporary increases of pension for twelve months, with effect from February 1, 1926.—Resolved that the amendment be adopted.

5. Supplemental Budget for 1925.—Resolved that the Supplemental Budget for 1925, as published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,494 of October 30, 1925, be passed.

6. Estimate of probable receipts and proposed expenditure of the Municipality for the year 1926, prepared after consultation with the several committees.—Submitted.

7. Application from the Superintendent of Works for a loan of Rs. 3,500 for the purchase of a motor car.—Resolved that the advance be given on the following terms :—(a) That the amount realized by the sale of the old car shall be paid by the Superintendent in reduction of the advance, and that the balance shall be paid by monthly instalments of Rs. 100; (b) that the Council has a lien on the motor car until the full amount of the advance has been refunded; (c) that the Superintendent shall insure the car for not less than Rs. 3,500, and the policy shall be made out in favour of the Chairman.

8. Application from Mr. G. Ranasooriya for permission to transfer the water service connection from 170, Kaluwella to 379, Dangedera.—Resolved that permission be granted.

The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees were laid before the Council :—

9. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of October 25, 1925.*

(2) Application to transfer water service from 82/83, Bazaar to 25, Lighthouse street.—Recommended that the application be refused.

(4) To consider letter from the Provincial Engineer re tarring of the Galle-Matara road.—Recommended that the expenditure be not incurred as the condition of the Council's finances will not permit it at present.

(5) To consider an estimate for the duplication of the water main.—Resolved that papers be filed after circulation.

Resolution.

With regard to item (2), Mr. D. W. Subasinghe opposed the recommendation of the Committee and moved that the application be allowed. Mr. C. L. Wickramasinghe seconded.

The motion was put to the meeting and lost.

The recommendation of the Standing Committee was thereupon carried.

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee with regard to the remaining items be adopted.

(Mr. D. I. Durham left at this stage.)

10. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of October 10, 1925.*

(5) Application from the Galle Football Club for a reduction of the fee charged for the use of the pavilion.—Recommended that the fee for the use of the pavilion after noon be Rs. 2.50.

(6) Demolished buildings in Wards 3, 4, and 5.—Resolved that the rates be struck off.

(7) Tenders for services during 1926.—Recommended that the following tenders be accepted:—(a) Whitewashing Municipal buildings, W. L. Hendrick Appu, at Rs. 360 per annum; (b) supply of coir dust, A. C. Fernando, at Rs. 18 per 100 bags, (c) supply of grass, W. L. K. Handy, at 16 cents per bundle of 20 lb. and 7 cents per bundle of 8 lb.

(8) Sale of market stalls for 1926.—Recommended (a) That the prices offered for the stalls be accepted; (b) that the Chairman be authorized to dispose of the unsold stalls and shops at the upset price.

Resolution.

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.

11. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of October 10, 1925.*

(2) To consider draft regulations relating to leave.—(1) Considered. (2) Recommended that the amended regulations be adopted.

Resolution.

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.

12. The following documents were laid on the table :—

(1) Statement of receipts and disbursements to end of October, 1925.

(2) Progress report of works done on estimates during October, 1925.

(3) Report of the Inspector of Vehicles on carriages plying for hire during October, 1925.

(4) Diaries of (a) the Medical Officer of Health; (b) the Superintendent of Works; and (c) the Manager, Health Department.

Confirmed :

T. B. RUSSELL,
Chairman.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, December 12, 1925.

A.—Statement showing the Total Receipts and Disbursements to end of November, 1925.

REVENUE.	Amount Estimated.		Actual Receipts.		EXPENDITURE.	Amount Estimated.		Actual Dis- bursements.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Taxes	30,875	0	32,555	5	Non-effective charges	27,036	0	19,824	58
Rates	108,000	0	105,025	87	Administrative charges	68,197	0	62,127	51
Licences	14,000	0	15,038	0	Health Department :—				
Judicial fines	4,000	0	3,714	51	Sanitation Branch	3,300	0	1,987	64
Tolls	17,945	0	17,945	0	Conservancy ..	25,176	0	20,201	77
Slaughter-house	4,250	0	4,080	26	Scavenging ..	20,068	0	17,244	47
Conservancy	24,000	0	23,690	25	Works Department :—				
Markets	23,007	0	28,434	36	Annually recurrent	39,250	0	35,270	42
Rents	7,530	0	6,976	52	Extraordinary	4,200	0	3,659	0
Cemetery	275	0	286	0	Waterworks ..	3,960	0	2,990	21
Water	2,830	0	3,216	54	Municipal Court ..	2,200	0	1,790	39
Miscellaneous	28,610	0	35,338	13	Markets	312	0	270	70
					Slaughter-house ..	1,675	0	1,283	77
					Cemetery ..	350	0	275	0
					Street lighting ..	10,120	0	8,668	73
					Miscellaneous ..	75,078	0	42,831	8
Total Revenue	265,322	0	276,300	49	Total Expenditure	280,922	0	218,425	27
Deposits	—		8,000	44	Deposits repaid ..	—		7,649	59
Advance repaid	—		210	0	Advances	—		—	
Total Receipts	—		284,570	93	Total Disbursements	—		226,074	86
Cash balance on January 1, 1925	—		245,052	8	Cash balance on November 30, 1925	—		303,488	15
Total	—		529,563	1	Total	—		529,563	1

B.—Surplus and Deficit Account.

	Amount.			Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Expenditure from January 1 to Nov. 30, 1925	218,425	27	Surplus on January 1, 1925	137,098	86
Surplus on November 30, 1925	194,974	8	Revenue from January to November, 1925	276,300	49
Total	413,399	35	Total	413,399	35

C.—Balance Sheet as at November 30, 1925.

LIABILITIES.			Amount.		ASSETS.			Amount.	
			Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.	
Deposits	..	..	143,514	7	Cash in Bank :—			
Surplus	..	..	194,974	8	Fixed deposits	..	182,625	0
					Current account	.. Rs. 155,224	10		
					Uncashed cheques	.. Rs. 34,501	95		
							120,722	15	
					Cash in hand of Shroff	..	141	0	
					Advances	..	35,000	0	
Total	..	..	338,488	15	Total	..	338,488	15

The Municipal Office,
Galle, November 10, 1925.

ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

St. Margarets Kirklees Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the above road will be held at Allagolla bungalow on Sunday, January 10, 1926, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee.

Notice is also given that the Local Committee, as soon as elected, will consider—

1. Election of Chairman, Local Committee.
2. To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—
 - (a) The names of estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
 - (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
 - (c) The names of proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the moiety of cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1926.

N.B.—The General Meeting shall consist of such number of proprietors or resident managers within the district as shall represent not less than one-third of the acreage.

E. H. DAVIES,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, December 7, 1925. for Chairman.

Election of European Member, District Road Committee.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the 35th clause of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the Office of European Member of the District Committee of Kandy for the remainder of the triennial period ending December 31, 1927, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Central Province, at least ten days before the day of election. The election will be held on Monday, January 4, 1926, at 10.30 A.M., at Kandy Kachcheri.

Provincial Road Committee,
Kandy, December 14, 1925. E. H. DAVIES,
Secretary.

Talatuoya-Kirimetiya Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1926, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," will on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 10.15 A.M., at their office at Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

Government contribution	..	Rs. 800.00
Estate contribution	..	Rs. 2,400.00

1st section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
A. Govindasampillai	.. Narankanduwa	.. 50
A. S. T. Sithampampillai	.. do.	.. 44
A. P. S. T. Ponnampalampillai	.. do.	.. 43
A. Salumburam Kangany	.. do.	.. 21

1st to 4th sections, 3½ miles.

H. V. Greer	..	Kirimetiya	..	693
A. W. N. F. Murray	..	Old Madegama	..	299
A. M. G. Trotter	..	Bellwood	..	751
P. Pelpola	..	Agallawatte	..	93

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

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office
Kandy, December 14, 1925. Chairman.

Arambakade-Bokkawela Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1926, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estates Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," will on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 10.15 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

Government contribution	..	Rs. 1,000.00
Private contributions	..	Rs. 4,004.00

1st and 2nd sections, 2 miles.		
Proprietors or Agents or Superintendents.	Estates.	Acreage.
K. B., L. B., and R. B. Garihagama	.. Uplands	.. 50
1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.		
Ana Mary Jayasingha	.. Gallanawatta	.. 42
Kalu Duriya	.. Gallanawatta and Wala-tenne	.. 52
1st to 4th section, 4 miles.		
J. Ferguson	.. Maousawa	.. 153
1st to 5th section, 5 miles.		
E. H. Wijenaika	.. Lilly Valley	.. 69
G. J. F. Percival	.. Pathirade	.. 269
F. C. Theobald	.. Maylene	.. 140

1st to 6th section, 5½ miles.		
G. H. Hall	.. Tipperary, Fern Hill, and Nova Zembla	.. 320
K. M. A. Abdul Cader	.. Ginigathelewatta	.. 75
Lebbe	.. St. Anthony	.. 25
Harris	.. Bokkawela	.. 107
L. W. A. de Soysa	.. Morankande	.. 1,580
J. Ferguson	.. Morankande	.. 1,580

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

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, December 14, 1925.

Kadugannawa-Alagalla Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1926, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will, on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 10.15 A.M., at their office at Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	.. Rs. 2,200.00
Private contributions	.. Rs. 2,222.00

1st section, 1 mile.		
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
D. C. Wijewardene	.. Mount Colville	.. 21½
W. C. Dias	.. Maligatenna	.. 51½
1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.		
Felix Dias	.. Kumaragala	.. 112
1st to 4th section, 4 miles.		
H. P. & L. P. Rudd	.. Beltoff	.. 157
1st to 5th section, 5 miles.		
P. J. Benwell (W.R. Hancock)	.. Andiatenna	.. 220
Tismode Estates Co. (W. R. Hancock)	.. Tismode and Sea-field	.. 460
Allagala Tea and Rubber Co. (R. Wilkins)	.. Alagalla	.. 447

Proprietor or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Eastern Produce & Estates Co., Ltd. (A. M. Macneill)	.. Kirimittia & Peak	.. 964
W. A. B. Soysa	.. Oolanakanda	.. 120

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

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, December 14, 1925.

High Forest-Bramley Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee of the above road will be held at High Forest estate office on Monday, January 4, 1926, at 11 A.M.

Business.

- To elect a Chairman to act for Mr. T. H. Williams.
- To report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

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

(b) The sections of the road used by these estates.

(c) The names of proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the moiety of cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1926.

E. H. DAVIES,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.
Kandy, December 14, 1925.

Lantern Hill-Somerest Estate Cart Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1926, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," will on Saturday, February 13, 1926, at 10.15 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	.. Rs. 1,300.00
Private contributions	.. Rs. 3,656.50

1st to 2nd section, 1 mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
S. T. Kaliappa Chetty, Muthucarpun Chetty, and S. T. Muttiah Chetty	.. Lantern Hill	.. 359
W. S. Blackett	.. Jak Tree Hill	.. 322
S. T. Kaliappa Chetty, Muthucarpun Chetty, and S. T. Muttiah Chetty	.. Kehelwatta	.. 369

1st to 4th section, 2 miles.

D. T. Pelpola	.. Gertiville	.. 45
G. B. S. Silva	.. Galpaya (Siinapitiya)	.. 40

1st to 6th section, 3 miles.

Heirs to Mrs. A. J. Stephens (M. H. Reeves)	.. Cooroondowatta	.. 486
Do.	.. Hapugahawatta	.. 87
Late Martin Kotalawala (M. H. Reeves)	.. Galpaya	.. 68½

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Cooroondowatta Arachi		30
Kirisaduwa, ex Duraya, and his sons	Maguloluwewatta Group	35
Ganekumbure Duraya	Gedawilhena Group	25
Amaris Alwis	Pelketiyawatta Group	30
K. D. Cornelis Appuhamy and E. D. Aron Appuhamy	Amunewattá Group	42
Pandiyam Kangany	Tenneuwatta Group	27
Do.	Kendagolla	30

1st to 8th section, 4 miles.

G. C. S. Hodgson (E. P. Andrews)	Somerest	437
Edris Ranasinghe & Bros.	Halgollewatta	21
Don Davith Siriwardana Appuhamy	Megahawatta Group	20
D. Bilinda	Batagollewatta Group	21
G. Baiya and his son Kira	Ganekumburewatta Group	40
S. Rankira	Ketaliyanawatta Group	38

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

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, December 15, 1925.

Nugatenna-Deanstone Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1926, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 10.15 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

Government moiety	Rs. 1,610.00
Private contributions	Rs. 1,626.10

1st to 5th section, 2½ miles.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (R. G. Johnston)	Nugagalla	222

1st to 8th section, 3¾ miles.

S. Moorhouse (J. G. Horsfall)	Nawanagalla	295
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1st to 10th section, 4.77 miles.

Whittall & Co. (J. G. Horsfall)	Meemunagalla	535
Do.	Deanstone	576
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston)	Hare Park	454
Whittall & Co. (J. G. Horsfall)	Kobonella	718
Kana Luna Meeya Pulle	Fincham's Land No. 1	96
Puncha Vidane Duraya	Fincham's Land No. 2	31½
Whittall & Co. (J. G. Horsfall)	Ensalwatta	264
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston)	Dehigolla	475
Do.	Loolowatte	309
S. P. Santhiveeran and M. Aiyasamy	Seeacumbura	22
Burke Estate Co., Ltd. (G. Johnston)	Yahangalla	80

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

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, December 14, 1925.

Duckwari-Ferndale Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1926, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, January 9, 1926, at 10.15 A.M., at their office in Kandy, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the contributions:—

Government moiety	Rs. 1,460.00
Private contributions	Rs. 1,474.60

1st section, ¼ mile.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Rangalla Consolidated, Ltd. (E. S. Wilson)	Peru	138

1st and 2nd sections, 1½ miles.

The Rangalla Consolidated Tea Co., Ltd. (E. S. Wilson); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Rangalla	130
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1st to 3rd section, 2¼ miles.

The Rangalla Consolidated Tea Co., Ltd. (E. S. Wilson); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Poodelgodde	331
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1st to 4th section, 3 miles.

The Rangalla Consolidated Tea Co., Ltd. (E. S. Wilson); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Madultenne	202
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1st to 5th section, 3¾ miles.

The Rangalla Consolidated Tea Co., Ltd. (E. S. Wilson); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Kaladuriya	216
A. H. Kerr & Beilby (A. H. Kerr)	Ferndale	310
Galaha Co. (A. H. Kerr)	Leangapella	338
Rangalla Consolidated Tea Co., Ltd. (E. S. Wilson); Agent, M. Martin Smith	Esperanza	523
	Mount Mar and Winchfield Park	500
R. C. H. Ellis	St. Martins	594
H. J. Temple and David Scott (D. E. Burnett)	Burnside Group	487

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

W. L. KINDERSLEY,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, December 14, 1925.

Election of Local Committee.

NOTICE is hereby given in terms of the 14th section of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 4 of 1896, that a General Meeting of proprietors or resident managers of estates interested in the Branch Road from Deniyaya to Hayes, will be held at Hayes Bungalow on Monday, January 11, 1926, at 9 A.M., for the purpose of electing a new Local Committee under the said Ordinance.

Provincial Road Committee, J. A. MULHALL,
Galle, December 14, 1925. Secretary.

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

Panadure Urban District Council Elections.

IT is hereby notified that the following candidates have been declared elected as members of the Panadure Urban District Council for the years 1926, 1927, and 1928, by a majority of votes:—

Division No. 1, Mr. Deepal Susanta de Fonseka.
Division No. 6, Mr. Gilbert Gordon Perera.

J. D. BROWN,
Assistant Government Agent.

Panadure, December 8, 1925.

Sale of Properties, Urban District Council, Matale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the properties at Matale, mentioned in the under-mentioned schedule, having been seized for default in payment of Urban District

Council, Police, and water-rates for 2nd quarter, 1925, will be sold by public auction on January 14, 1926, on the spot at Matale, at 9 A.M., in conformity with the local Government Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, unless in the meantime owing in respect of rates, together with lawful costs of seizure and sale, are duly paid.

Further particulars can be obtained at the Office of the Urban District Council, Matale.

C. ARIYA NAYAGAM,
Office of the Urban District Council, Chairman.
Matale, December 14, 1925.

Schedule.

Property No. 35, Harasgama road, Matale.
Property No. 81, Harasgama road, Matale.
Property No. 21, Agalawatta village road, Matale.

Budget of the Matara Urban District Council for 1926.

REVENUE.

	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
A.—General Revenue:—					
(1) Property tax (171 (1) (a))	15,000 0		(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—		
(2) Acreage tax (171 (1) (b))	—		(a) Fees (168 (11) (a))	1,000 0	
(3) Vehicles and animals tax (173 (1) (b))	6,000 0		(b) Sale of refuse	—	1,000 0
(4) Licences duties (not included elsewhere (173 (1) (c)))	1,500 0		(5) Water supply—		
(5) Other taxes (173 (1) (d))	—		(a) Water rate (141 (b) and (146))	—	
(6) Refund of stamp duties (Schedule VI.)	8,000 0		6.—Hospitals—		
(7) Refund of liquor licences	700 0		(a) Contribution from Government	—	
(8) Refund of Police tax	14,000 0		(b) Rent of hospital ground	—	67,380 0
(9) Compensation for opium revenue	3,100 0		(7) Markets and galas—		
(10) Fines by court (not included elsewhere)	300 0		(a) Rents (168 (12))	5,000 0	
(11) Pension contributions	—		(b) Boutiques and stalls (168 (12))	1,800 0	
(12) Fines departmental	200 0		(c) Fees for private markets (150 (3))	—	
(13) Auctioneers' and Brokers' licences	100 0		(d) Licences (163 (1))	50 0	6,850 0
(14) Interest of fixed deposit	1,000 0	49,900 0	F.—Public recreation (168 (7) (1) (b)) :—		
B.—Thoroughfares:—					
(1) Labour tax (173 (1) (a))	7,300 0		(1) Rents	80 0	
(2) Fines on defaulters (Schedule VIII. 27 (2))	200 0		(2) Cattle grazing fees	150 0	
(3) Other collections, e.g., fines for injuries, &c., (97) cattle seizures fees 103 (4) sales of badges and fare tables	—		(3) Licences for performances	50 0	280 0
(4) Contribution by Government for drains	—		G.—Cemeteries Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899 :—		
(5) Government grant for roads	500 0		(1) Burial fees	200 0	
(6) Rent of ferry boat	150 0	8,150 0	(2) Hire of hearse	—	
C.—Resthouse and ambalams:—					
(1) Fees (60)	3,000 0	3,000 0	(3) Graves sold for erecting monuments	150 0	
D.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere):—					
(1) Rents	1,000 0		(4) Fees for maintenance of grounds	—	350 0
(2) Sale of produce	150 0	1,150 0	H.—Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893 :—		
E.—Public health:—					
(1) General revenue—			(1) Registration fees	150 0	
(a) Fines under part IV. (Chapter III.)	—		(2) Fines	—	
(b) Fees for services of Midwife	—		(3) Sale of dog collars	25 0	
(2) Scavenging—			(4) Seizing fees	—	175 0
(a) Fees (168 (10) (b))	—		I.—Weights and Measures, Ordinance, No. 8 of 1896 :—		
(b) Sale of refuse	—		(1) Fees for stamping	100 0	
(c) Other, e.g., fines on contractors and coolies	20 0	20 0	(2) Fines	50 0	150 0
(3) Conservancy—			J.—Education Ordinance, No. 1 of 1920 :—		
(a) Fees (168 (10) (b))	4,000 0		(1) Fines	—	
(b) Sale of refuse (130)	150 0		Total estimated revenue		
(c) Other, e.g., fines on contractors and coolies	10 0		Estimated balance on December 31, 1925		
(d) Refund of wages and fees	—	4,160 0	Total		
			75,185 0		
			65,000 0		
			140,185 0		

EXPENDITURE.

	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
A.—General Expenditure :—				
(1) Salaries of officers—				
(a) Secretary ..	1,920 0			
(b) Chief Clerk ..	1,260 0			
(c) Clerk ..	912 0			
(d) Extra Clerks ..	840 0			
(e) Peons ..	474 0			
(f) Cost of technical advisers ..	—			
(g) Pensions and gratuities ..	60 0			
		5,466 0		
(2) Establishment expenses—				
(a) Allowances (not otherwise charged)				
(b) Travelling ..	500 0			
(c) Commission to tax collectors ..	1,500 0			
(d) Assessors' fees ..	300 0			
(e) Legal expenses ..	500 0			
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising, and office expenses (not other- wise charged) ..	1,200 0			
(g) Registration of voters and elec- tions ..	—			
(h) Cost of cart plates ..	200 0			
(i) Cost of audit ..	750 0			
(j) Holiday railway tickets ..	550 0			
		5,500 0		
(3) Refunds :—				
(1) Police Court fines, &c. ..	100 0			
		100 0		
B.—Thoroughfares :—				
(1) Salaries and wages ..	1,290 0			
(2) Allowances ..	—			
(3) Maintenance of roads ..	8,425 0			
(4) Drains ..	800 0			
(5) Tools ..	300 0			
(6) Lighting ..	4,800 0			
(7) Watering of streets ..	700 0			
(8) Commission to tax collectors ..	750 0			
(9) Cost of badges and fare tables ..	200 0			
(10) Acquisition ..	5,000 0			
(11) Improvements ..	—			
(12) Loan charges ..	—			
(13) Refunds ..	—			
		22,265 0		
C.—Resthouse and ambalams :—				
(1) Salaries ..	240 0			
(2) Maintenance ..	200 0			
(3) Furniture and equipment ..	500 0			
(4) Improvements ..	—			
		940 0		
D. Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere) :—				
(1) Wages (clock guardian and night watcher for office) ..	180 0			
(2) Commission to tax collectors ..	100 0			
(3) Rent of office ..	—			
(4) Maintenance ..	1,200 0			
(5) Improvements ..	1,000 0			
(6) Furniture ..	100 0			
(7) Police tax ..	700 0			
(8) Loan charges ..	—			
		3,280 0		
E.—Public health :—				
(1) General expenditure—				
(a) Salaries ..	3,000 0			
(b) Allowances ..	—			
(c) Printing and stationery ..	300 0			
(d) Disinfectants ..	500 0			
(e) Instruments and drugs ..	50 0			
		3,850 0		
(2) Scavenging—				
(a) Wages ..	5,500 0			
(b) Carts and bulls ..	3,750 0			
(c) Stores ..	250 0			
(d) Kudapas for covering street sweepings ..	3,000 0			
		12,500 0		
(3) Conservancy—				
(a) Wages ..	6,330 0			
(b) Carts and bulls ..	3,500 0			
(c) Stores ..	350 0			
(d) Rent of night soil depôts ..	—			
(e) Maintenance of latrines ..	800 0			
(f) Acquisition ..	500 0			
(g) Construction ..	1,000 0			
(h) Loan charges ..	2,300 0			
(i) Coir dust for public latrines ..	240 0			
		15,020 0		
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pounds—				
(a) Wages ..	300 0			
(b) Maintenance ..	28 0			
(c) Acquisition ..	—			
(d) Construction ..	—			
(e) Cattle disease ..	50 0			
(f) Allowance for passing cattle ..	—			
		378 0		
(5) Water supply—				
(a) Wages (well guardian) ..	66 0			
(b) Stores ..	55 0			
(c) Maintenance ..	75 0			
(d) Acquisition ..	—			
(e) Construction ..	—			
(f) Loan charges ..	—			
		196 0		
(6) Hospitals—				
(a) Wages ..	150 0			
(b) Maintenance ..	1,500 0			
(c) Paupers ..	50 0			
		1,700 0		
(7) Markets and galas—				
(a) Wages ..	540 0			
(b) Maintenance ..	500 0			
(c) Printing ..	50 0			
(d) Acquisition ..	—			
(e) Construction ..	—			
(f) Loan charges ..	—			
		1,090 0		
F.—Public recreation :—				
(1) Wages ..	—			
(2) Maintenance ..	25 0			
(3) Other, e.g. allowance to band ..	—			
(4) Acquisition ..	—			
		25 0		
G.—Cemeteries Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899 :—				
(1) Wages ..	420 0			
(2) Maintenance ..	450 0			
		870 0		
H.—Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893 :—				
(1) Destruction of dogs ..	250 0			
(2) Commission to collectors ..	26 0			
(3) Cost of dog collars ..	50 0			
(4) Cost of seizures ..	50 0			
(5) Dog pound maintenance ..	—			
		375 0		
I.—Weights and Measures Ordinance, No. 8 of 1876 :—				
(1) Fees to Inspectors ..	230 0			
		230 0		
J.—Education Ordinance, No. 1 of 1920 :—				
(1) Salary of Attendance Officer ..	—			
(2) Printing ..	—			
		—		
Estimated balance on December 31, 1926 ..	—		73,785 0	
			66,400 0	
			140,185 0	

Settled and adopted by the Council on December 7, 1925.

Office of the Urban District Council,
Matara, December 12, 1925.GEO. WEERATUNGA,
Chairman.

Appointment of Assessors.

THE under-mentioned persons have been appointed assessors under section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1921, for the Sanitary Board Towns of Mullaitivu and Vavuniya for 1926 :—

<i>Mullaitivu.</i>	<i>Vavuniya.</i>
1. C. Chelliah Mudaliyar	1. Mr. P. R. Mappanar
2. Mr. S. I. Wijeyaratnam	2. Mr. S. Alagagone
3. Mr. S. Sinniah, Police Vidane	3. Mr. T. Nagamany, P. V., Vavuniya.

R. J. BATEMAN,
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,
Mullaitivu, December 11, 1925.

Chilaw Urban District Council Election.

IT is hereby notified under section 31 (2) of the above-mentioned Ordinance, that the following candidates have been elected members of the Chilaw Urban District Council for the years 1926, 1927, and 1928 :—

Division No. 1, Mr. Thomas Mathew Fernando, J.P., U.P.M.

Division No. 2, Mr. Stratton Guy Sansoni.
Division No. 3, Mr. Michael Vigilius Tissera.
Division No. 4, The Hon. Mr. Nathaniel John Martin.

R. H. WHITEHORN,
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,
Puttalam, December 12, 1925.

Appointment of Assessors.

BY virtue of powers vested in me, under section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1921, I have appointed the persons named below to be Assessors for the Town of Chilaw for the year 1926 :—

1. J. B. Fernando.
2. B. M. Carrim.
3. M. C. Fernando.

R. H. WHITEHORN,
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,
Puttalam, December, 16, 1925.

TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888," and the "Trade Marks Rules, 1906," the following application for registration of a Trade Mark is advertised :—

- (1) Trade Mark No. 3,439.
- (2) Date of Receipt : August 13, 1925.
- (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : CHESEBROUGH MANUFACTURING COMPANY, CONSOLIDATED (a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, United States of America), No. 17, State street, City, County, and State of New York, United States of America ; Manufacturers.
- (4) Address for service in the Island : Julius & Creasy, No. 2, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.

(5) Class : Three.

(6) Goods : Chemical substances prepared for use in medicine and pharmacy (particularly petroleum jelly and preparations thereof.)

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :

VASELINE

The Trade Mark was in use for eighteen years before the coming into operation of the Trade Marks Ordinance, 1888.

Registrar-General's Office
Colombo, December 16, 1925.

A. W. SEYMOUR,
Registrar-General.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

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Rinderpest.

WHEREAS rinderpest exists in Panama pattu in Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province : Notice is hereby given under section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, that the area, the limits of which are specified below, is an infected area from the date hereof.

Area : the portion of the Eastern Province bounded on the north by Wellawaya-Pottuvil road, east by sea, south and west by the Province boundary.

The Kachcheri,
Batticaloa, December 17, 1925.

C. V. BRAYNE,
Government Agent.

Rinderpest.

I, CHARLES VALENTINE BRAYNE, Government Agent of the Eastern Province, by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, do hereby proclaim that portion of the road from Pottuvil to Wellawaya, lying within the Eastern Province, shall be closed to all cattle and animal traffic from the date hereof until further notice.

The Kachcheri,
Batticaloa, December 17, 1925.

C. V. BRAYNE,
Government Agent.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

(Continued from page 3069.)

“THE REGISTRARS’ PROCEEDINGS VALIDATION ORDINANCE, No. 3 OF 1912.”

AN Order in Council for the purpose of giving validity to certain registrations of births and deaths in the District of Galle, in the Southern Province, as well as for the purpose of giving validity to the registration of certain marriages in the said district and certain proceedings relating thereto :

Whereas the registrations and proceedings specified in the first column of the schedule hereto relative to certain births, deaths, and marriages are invalidated by reason of the informality set forth in the second column of the said schedule :

And whereas no other means are by law provided by which the said registrations and proceedings may be validated :

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of “The Registrars’ Proceedings Validation Ordinance, No. 3 of 1912,” and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct and order as follows :

That the said registrations and proceedings be as valid and effectual for all purposes as if the said informalities had not occurred.

Colonial Secretary’s Office,
Colombo, December 12, 1925.

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

SCHEDULE.

Birth registration entries Nos. 14,301 to 14,305 of January 15, 1925, and death registration entries Nos. 9,686 to 9,689 of January 15, 1925 ; marriage registration entry No. 2,762 of January 15, 1925, all of the Acting Registrar, E. M. Wijesekere, of Bussa division.

Marriage registration entries Nos. 2,770 and 2,774 of January 13, 1925, solemnized by the permanent Registrar, S. M. Wijesekere, upon notices accepted by the Acting Registrar above referred to on January 15, 1925.

The registration entries of the Acting Registrar were made by him after his term of appointment had expired, while the two marriages solemnized by the permanent Registrar were based on preliminaries performed by the said unauthorized Acting Registrar.

“THE OPIUM ORDINANCE, No. 5 OF 1910.”

WITH reference to the Notification dated May 12, 1920, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 7,103 of May 14, 1920, it is hereby notified for general information that the opium depôt at Korawella has been removed from the building on land named Payrugahawatta in Korawella, Moratuwa, to the building on land named Mullatotewatta bearing assessment No. I/2 in the Korawella road from November 1, 1925.

Colonial Secretary’s Office,
Colombo, December 17, 1925.

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