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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 355 of 1931.

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BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS under section 3 of "The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Ordinance, 1909," the expression "animal" may be extended to any other animals to which the said Ordinance shall be made to apply by the Governor in Executive Council by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette* :

And whereas by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, the said powers of the Governor in Executive Council are now vested in the Governor :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, do hereby, under the powers aforesaid, make the said Ordinance applicable to the following animals, viz. :—

Fowls, turkeys, Guinea fowls, ducks, and geese.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 12, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

G. O./L 6/31

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS section 3 of "The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Ordinance, 1909," provides that the Governor in Executive Council may, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, extend the definition of "disease" so that the same shall comprise any other disease of cattle or of animals in addition to the diseases mentioned in the said section :

And whereas by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, the said powers of the Governor in Executive Council are now vested in the Governor :

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby under the powers aforesaid extend the definition of "disease" so that the said definition in sub-section (b) of the said section shall comprise the disease known as "Pseudo fowl pest".

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 12, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 354 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 22 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint Mr. C. L. WICKREMASINGHE to be a Member of the Provincial Road Committee, Southern Province, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Hon. Mr. C. W. W. KANNANGARA.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 14, 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the proviso to section 23 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint Mr. H. W. AMARASURIYA to be an Additional Member of the District Road Committee, Galle, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Hon. Mr. C. W. W. KANNANGARA.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 14, 1931.

No. 356 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. DAVID MENDIS GUNASEKERA WIJAYASRIWARDANA of Sherborne, Alfred House avenue, Colpetty, Colombo, to be a Notary Public throughout Wellaboda pattu of Galle District, with residence and office at Dodanduwa, and to practise as such in the English and Sinhalese languages.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, August 29, 1931.

No. 357 of 1931.

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

Mr. W. L. MURPHY to be Controller of Labour and a Member of the Board of Quarantine from September 14, 1931, until further orders.

Mr. N. J. LUDDINGTON, Acting Controller of Labour, to be Additional Controller of Labour from September 14, 1931, until further orders.

Mr. W. K. H. CAMPBELL to be Registrar of Co-operative Societies for the Island, with effect from June 16, 1931.

Mr. HAROLD MELDER, Chief Clerk, Kandy Kachcheri, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Extra Office Assistant, Kandy Kachcheri, with effect from September 9, 1931, during the absence of Mr. R. J. WILKINSON, or until further orders.

Mr. V. C. M. AIYATHURAI, Chief Clerk, Batticaloa Kachcheri, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Extra Office Assistant, Batticaloa Kachcheri, with effect from September 7, 1931, or until further orders.

Mr. S. H. WADIA to be Additional District Judge, Kurunegala, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, from September 17, 1931, until further orders.

Mr. R. J. WILKINSON to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Commissioner of Requests, Batticaloa, and Assistant Superintendent of Police, Batticaloa, with effect from September 10, 1931, during the absence of Mr. W. D. GUNARATNE, or until further orders.

Mr. C. H. HARTWELL to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, on September 21, 1931.

Mr. A. DIAS ABEYSINGHE, Assistant Superintendent of Excise, Ratnapura, to be Assistant Superintendent of Excise, Negombo, with effect from August 29, 1931.

Mr. W. P. MENDIS, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Excise, Negombo, to be Acting Assistant Superintendent of Excise, Ratnapura, with effect from August 29, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

B. H. BOURDILLON,
Chief Secretary's Office, Chief Secretary.
Colombo, September 17, 1931.

No. 358 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Ceylon Light Infantry, with effect from September 1, 1931, to fill an existing vacancy:—

To be *Second Lieutenant*.—Mr. EVELYN HENRY SHULDHAM CORNWALL LECH.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, September 16, 1931. Chief Secretary.

No. 359 of 1931.

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

Mr. H. L. WENDT to act as Crown Counsel for the Island during the absence of Mr. R. R. CROSSETTE-THAMBIAH, from September 15, 1931, to September 19, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

The Notification appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,880 of September 11, 1931, relating to the appointment of Mr. H. L. WENDT to act as Crown Counsel from September 14, 1931, is hereby cancelled.

Mr. E. O. C. VAN DER GERT to be Additional District Judge, Negombo, on September 19, 1931.

Mr. C. A. LA BROOY to be Additional District Judge, Kandy, on September 19, 1931.

Mr. L. G. POULIER to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, during the absence of Mr. J. N. ARUMUGAM, from September 16 to 19, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. C. F. DHARMARATNE to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, and Additional District Judge, Avissawella, during the absence of Mr. D. B. SENEVIRATNE, on September 16 and 17, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. M. H. JAYATILLEKE to be Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Police Magistrate, Panadure, on September 16, 1931.

Mr. O. G. D'ALWIS to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, and Additional District Judge, Kalutara, during the absence of Mr. C. A. SPELDEWINDE, on September 15 and 16, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. B. F. PERERA to act, in addition to his own duties, as Commissioner of Requests, Police Magistrate, and Additional District Judge, Matara, during the absence of Mr. V. E. RAJAKARIER, from September 15 to 19, 1931, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. E. G. M. GOONAWARDENA, J.P., U.P.M., to act at Dandagamuwa as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate and Additional District Judge for the judicial division of Kurunegala, during the absence of Mr. U. P. WEERASINGHE, from September 19 to 21, 1931, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. N. I. LEE to be Additional Police Magistrate, Kandy, on September 23, 1931.

Mr. T. M. FERNANDO to be Additional Police Magistrate, Chilaw, on September 19, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,
Attorney-General's Chambers, E. ST. J. JACKSON,
Colombo, September 17, 1931. Attorney-General.

No. 360 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of Chapter XXVI. of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 31 of 1919, Messrs. M. B. WETTEWE, Kachcheri and Gravets Mudaliyar, and J. R. NUGAWELA, Ratemahatmaya, Uda Hewaheta, as Probation

Officers for the Judicial District of Nuwara Eliya for the period of thirteen months from September 8, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,
A. F. G. WALKER,
Inspector-General of Prisons and
Chairman, Central Probation Board.

Prisons Office,
Colombo, September 11, 1931.

No. 361 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of Chapter XXVI. of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 31 of 1919, Mr. H. A. GUNASEKERA, Ratemahatmaya, Nawadun korale, as a Probation Officer for the Judicial District of Ratnapura for the period of thirteen months from September 8, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,
A. F. G. WALKER,
Inspector-General of Prisons and
Chairman, Central Probation Board.

Prisons Office,
Colombo, September 11, 1931.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. VELMURUGU CROWTHER MANICCAM AYATURAI to act as Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from September 10, 1931, until further orders, *vice* Mr. WALTER DANDRIS GUNARATNE, on leave. His office will be at the Kachcheri, Batticaloa.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, September 10, 1931. Chief Secretary.

THE following appointments made under the Ordinances No. 23 of 1927, No. 3 of 1870, No. 8 of 1886, No. 1 of 1895, and No. 19 of 1907, are hereby notified:—

By the Registrar-General.

DARBLIN DE SILVA JAYASEKERA has been appointed (provisionally) as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dompe division, and of Marriages (General) of Gengaboda pattu of Siyane korale east division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from September 1, 1931, *vice* H. D. A. GUNASEKERA, resigned. His office will be at Mukalanwatta in Palugama.

PANIK MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA has been appointed to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Tumpane No. 3 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for three days, with effect from September 12, 1931, *vice* HITIGEDARA HERATH MUDIYANSELAGE LOKU BANDA HERATH, on leave. His office will be at Hitigewatta in Weliwita, Ihalagama.

PUNNIAMOORTHY KANAPATHIPILLAI has been appointed as Additional Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Anuradhapura town division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, with effect from September 11, 1931, *vice* VELUPPILLAI KANDASAMY CHELLIAH, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Anuradhapura.

TUPPAHIGE DON NIKULAS APPUHAM has been appointed to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Embilipitiya division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for thirty days from September 10, 1931, *vice* Registrar, TUPPAHIGE MALHAMI, on leave. His office will be at Weheragawawatta in Embilipitiya Udagama.

TANTULAGE OGISIUS FERNANDO, Registrar of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province holds his additional office temporarily for a period of eighty-two days, with effect from September 10, 1931, to November 30, 1931, at No. 44, Main street, Moratuwa, instead of at Sri Lanka Buddhist Hall, No. 229, Alutwatta, Moratuwa, as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 7,781 dated May 30, 1930.

By Provincial Registrars and Assistant Provincial Registrars under Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1895 and Section 7 of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907.

SIMON EDWARD RANASINHA GUNASEKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uruwala division, and of Marriages (General) of Meda pattu of Siyane korale west division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on September 9, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, RANKAHA ARACHCHIGE DON LENORIS ABAYAWICKRAMA, on other duty. Place of office: Galkandelanda *alias* Bandarahena in Wilimbula.

PETIKIRI ARACHCHIGE DON ANORIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Paluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Meda pattu of Siyane korale west division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from September 12, 1931, *vice* the Registrar, KARUNANAYAKA PATIRAJAGE DON SELESTINU KARUNANAYAKA, retired. Place of office: Millagahawatta in Moragoda.

JOHN MARTIN PERERA SENARAT DASANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Otarapalata East division, and of Marriages (General) of Dunagahapattu of Alutkuru korale north division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from September 14, 1931, *vice* the Registrar, HETTIARACHCHIGE DON STEPHEN WIJEWARDANA, deceased. Place of office: Madampollawatta in Otarawadiya.

DON JOHN JAYAWARDANE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Magura division, and of Marriages (General) of Maha pattu south division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from September 5, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DON THOMAS WIJETUNGA, on leave. Place of office: Dickhena in Magura.

VITANAWASAN ANDIRIS DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kottawa division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on September 8, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, VITANAWASAN JEERIS DE SILVA, on leave. Place of office: Talagahawatta in Tellambure.

DALUWATTEHEWA HENRY DE SILVA KURUKULARATNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maha Ambalangoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on September 14, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, KANKANITANTRI ANDORIS DE SILVA SUMANASURIYA, on leave. Places of office: Saundagegederawatta in Maha Ambalangoda and 506, Addarabandarawatta, in Patabendimulla.

CORNELIS MENDIS WIRASINGHE 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 September 15, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, SIMON MENDIS WIJESSEKERA, on leave. Places of office: Mulgederawatta in Ratgama and Gurunnansegowatta in Bussa.

LUWIS DIAS WIRASINGHE GUNAWARDENE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Howpe division, and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from September 17, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, HOWPE LIYANAGE FRANCIS EDRISINGHE, on leave. Places of office: Dunwatta in Howpe for births and deaths and Ilangantenna in Howpe for marriages.

DON ANDRAYAS JAYASUNDARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kebaliyapola division, and of Marriages (General) of Kandaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from September 9, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DON SAMEL SEDARA SENARAT, on leave. Place of office: Gorakawatta in Kebaliyapola.

DON BARLIAS WIJAYATUNGA JAYAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Watagedara division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from September 10, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DON ALWIS WEERASINGHA, retired. Places of office: Mahinagodawatta in Palatuwa and Midella-arambewatta in Paraziadugala.

JALAT MUNASIN DON NIKULAS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of outside Hambantota town division and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for fifteen days from September 1, 1931, *vice* Registrar, DON CHARLIS

MANAMPERI RATNAYAKE, discontinued. Place of office: Medawatta in Gonnoruwa; additional office: Kohombagahawatta in Koholankala.

DON FRANCIS KURUPPU NANAYAKKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nakulugamuwa division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, on September 9, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CHARLIS DISSANAYAKE, on leave. Place of office: Virittamullewatta in Nakulugamuwa.

KANAPATHIPILLAI NADARAJAH to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karaichchi division, and of Marriages (General) of Karaichchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from September 13, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, THAMOTHARAR KANAPATHIPILLAI, on leave. Place of office: Karaiyantarai in Velikkandal; station: Elephant Pass market in Navatkokkaddiyan.

SELLATHAMBY KATHIRAVETPILLAI ARAMPAMOORTHI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Mannar Island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for four days from September 10, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, NAGANATHAR SATHASIVAM, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Mannar.

KARTHIKESU ARUNASALAM UDAIYAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karrikkaddumulai south division, in the Mullaitivu District of the Northern Province, for two days from September 13, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, ARUNASALAM UDAYAR NALLATAMBY, on leave. His office will be at Udaiyavalavu, Kumulamunai.

CHENNATHAMPI WILLIAM SAMITTAMPI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Akkarai pattu south division and of Marriages (General) of Akkarai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for sixteen days from September 11, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, VYKALIAR JOSEPH KUNJITAMBY, on leave. Place of office: Tirukovil.

KONARA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE MUTU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dambadeni Udukaha West korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Dambadeni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from September 1, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, RANASINHA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA, resigned. Place of office: Riligala.

EKANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udupola Otota West korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Dambadeni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, on September 17, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DASANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE KIRIMUDIYANSE, on leave. Place of office: Ratmalagoda.

GEORGE ALEXANDER NANAYAKKARA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for three days from September 10, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, THOMAS DE SILVA ABAYAWICKRAMA, on leave. Place of office: Land Registry, Ratnapura.

WERAGODA ACHCHILLAGE SIYADORIS APPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehigampal korale Egodapota 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 September 22, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, S. K. HERAT APPUHAMY, on leave. Place of office: Nagasellewatta in Waharaka.

Registrar-General's Office, L. J. B. TURNER,
Colombo, September 15, 1931. Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

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"THE MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE, 1927."

REGULATION made by the Governor under section 58 of the Motor Car Ordinance, 1927.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 11, 1931.

REGULATION REFERRED TO.

"No omnibus shall use the following highway within the Municipal limits of Colombo:—St. Joseph's street from the junction of Urugodawatta road to Prince of Wales' avenue."

Min: E 425/31

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

Excise Notification No. 228.

Arrack Tavern Licence.

THE Governor has, under section 24 of "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912," directed that, in licences for the sale of arrack by retail granted to persons who purchased their exclusive privileges for the retail sale of arrack during the financial year 1931-32 prior to August 19, 1931, the following shall be substituted for condition 1 (b) of the arrack tavern licence appearing in Excise Notification 216 published in *Gazette* No. 7,837 of March 20, 1931:—

1. (b) Shall sell arrack in sealed bottles at the following rates:—

8 dram white bottles at a rate not higher than Rs. 2.75 each.

6 dram black bottles at a rate not lower than Rs. 2.05 each.

Pint bottles at a rate not lower than Re. 1.40 each.

Provided that the Government Agent may for special reasons and on the application of the licensee permit the sale of 8 dram white bottles at such higher rate, and 6 dram black bottles and pint bottles at such lower rates than the rates hereinbefore set forth as he may in his discretion determine.

Provided further that the provisions hereinbefore stated will not apply to such of the persons, who purchased their exclusive privileges for the retail sale of arrack during the financial year 1931-32 prior to August 19, 1931, as desire to sell arrack in accordance with the provisions of Notification 216 published in *Gazette* No. 7,837 of March 20, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 11, 1931.

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"THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS)
ORDINANCE, 1909."

REGULATIONS made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, under section 9 of "The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Ordinance, 1909."

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,

September 12, 1931. Secretary to the Governor.

REGULATIONS.

No live fowls, turkeys, Guinea fowls, ducks, and geese shall be landed from any vessel coming from any Asiatic port from and after September 18, 1931.

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"THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE,
No. 11 of 1920."

BY-LAWS made by the Ratnapura Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 (6) (d) and (e) of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," and approved by the Local Government Board and confirmed by the Governor under section 164 by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 12, 1931.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. It shall be lawful for every mortgagee of any immovable property situate within the District Council area, or for his heirs, or any one of them, or the legal representative of such mortgagee if deceased, to cause any such mortgage to be registered at the Office of the Council, and every person holding any such mortgage, and desiring to have it registered, shall either by himself or by his agent furnish the Council with his name and address and with the name and address of the owner or mortgagor of the property so mortgaged together with any other particulars connected with its description or otherwise necessary for

the proper identification of the property; and thereupon, and upon the payment of a fee of fifty cents to be paid by such person, the Council shall cause the aforesaid particulars to be entered in a book kept for that purpose in the Office of the Council.

2. Every such register shall at all times, during the office hours of the Council, be open to the inspection of any person desiring to have such inspection, on payment of a fee of twenty-five cents to the Council.

3. In the event of any property concerning which any such mortgage shall have been registered as herein above provided being seized in execution for the recovery of rates, taxes, or charges due to the Council, the Council shall, at least fourteen days before advertising such property for sale post or deliver to the party who shall have registered such mortgage notice in writing of the said seizure and of the amount of arrears of rates, taxes, or charges for the realization of which such property shall have been seized.

4. It shall be lawful for any such mortgagee, or for his heirs, or any one of them, or for his legal representative, to pay to the Council, at any time before the sale of such property seized as aforesaid, all arrears of rates, taxes, or charges, or the arrears in respect of which the seizure shall have been made, due by the owner or mortgagor of such property, and upon such payment being made the property shall be released from seizure.

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"THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE,
No. 11 of 1920."

BY-LAWS made by the Ratnapura Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 (7) (b) of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," and approved by the Local Government Board and confirmed by the Governor under section 164 by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. No person shall remove any sand, earth, stone, or growing plants or trees from, or in any way alter or deface the surface of, any waste or public land.

2. Any person committing a breach of the above by-law shall be guilty of an offence and shall on conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 and, in the case of a continuing offence, to an additional fine not exceeding Rs. 25 for every day during which the offence is committed after conviction or after written notice from the Chairman of such contravention.

J 66/31

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of Article 52 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, to appoint Mr. K. VAITHIANATHAN to act, in addition to his own duties, as Secretary to the Board of Ministers on September 16, 1931, during the absence of Mr. G. N. FARQUHAR.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, September 11, 1931. Chief Secretary.

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Order made by the Governor under Article 94 of the
Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

IN exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by Article 94 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, it is hereby ordered that, subject to such conditions and limitations as the Governor may from time to time prescribe, the powers vested in the Governor in Executive Council by the written law specified in the first column in the schedule to this order, shall, from and after the Sixteenth day of September, 1931, be vested in the officers indicated in the second column of the said schedule.

Queen's Cottage, GRAEME THOMSON,
Nuwara Eliya, September 16, 1931. Governor.

SCHEDULE.

Column I.	Column II.
"The Explosives Ordinance, 1902," section.16 (1).	Every Government Agent in respect of his province.

MONTHLY STATEMENT issued by the Commissioners of Currency; under section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884 for the month of August, 1931:—

1.—Note Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Total Stock on July 31, 1931	180,056,102	0	In vault on August 31, 1931	136,945,000	0
Add Notes received in August, 1931	3,100,000	0	In circulation on August 31, 1931	43,841,102	0
	183,156,102	0			
Deduct Notes destroyed in August, 1931	2,370,000	0			
	180,786,102	0		180,786,102	0

2.—Reserve Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Coin received for Notes in circulation	43,841,102	0	Securities at cost (£1 = Rs. 13·33)	33,056,901	95
Excess of reserve over Notes in circulation	4,880,076	78	Coin in vault	15,664,276	83
	48,721,178	78		48,721,178	78

3.—Average amount of Notes in circulation during the month	43,841,102	0
Average amount of Coin in vault during the month	15,664,276	0

4.—Details of Investments and Securities.

	Face Value.		Face Value.		Purchase Value.		Market Value.	
	£	s. d.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Colonial and other Securities	1,438,999	1 10	19,186,654	56	17,902,556	57	17,986,193	25
Local Loans, 3 per cent.	44,438	5 10	592,510	56	378,847	83	400,458	26
Consolidated Loan, 4 per cent.	32,242	2 8	429,895	10	372,121	66	390,293	64
Conversion Loan, 4½ per cent.	80,847	6 1	1,077,964	6	1,025,845	78	1,092,840	30
Conversion Loan, 3½ per cent.	26,821	4 11	357,616	61	281,246	67	288,598	47
Indian Stock, Sterling	171,000	14 7	2,280,009	72	2,051,025	36	1,535,736	67
Indian 5 per cent. War Loan	—	—	10,788,200	0	10,137,322	88	10,127,422	75
Government of India, 5 per cent. Loan 45/55	—	—	42,300	0	41,618	50	41,824	12
Government of India, 5 per cent. Loan 39/44	—	—	897,700	0	866,316	70	843,838	0
Total	—	—	35,652,850	61	33,056,901	95	32,707,205	46

Currency Office,
Colombo, September 14, 1931.

W. W. WOODS, Financial Secretary,
F. G. TYRRELL, Deputy Chief Secretary,
N. E. ERNST, Commissioner of Stamps, } Commissioners
of Currency.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received up to 12 noon on Friday, September 25, 1931, by the Chairman, Colombo Port Commission, for the lease terminable on one month's notice on either side, from October 1, 1931, of the Tea Kiosk on the Basement at the east end of the Customs Office building, facing Wharf road, at present leased to the Ceylon Bakery. The Chairman, Colombo Port Commission, reserves the right to reject any or all tenders. All further particulars can be obtained at the Office of the Secretary, Colombo Port Commission.

HERBERT K. HILLYER,
Office of the Colombo Port Commission, for Chairman.
Colombo, September 11, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying uncooked provisions to the Government Training College, Colombo, for one year from January 1, 1932.

2. Tenders will be considered only from well established row provision merchants in Colombo.

3. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, General Treasury, Colombo.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the General Treasury, or be sent through the post.

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Supplying Provisions to the Government Training College" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the General Treasury not later than midday on Tuesday, October 27, 1931.

6. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Director of Education, 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.

7. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 must be made either at the Treasury or at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should

any person decline to enter into the contract and bend or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Director of Education, 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 the contract.

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

9. Two sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of cash security required will be Rs. 500.

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

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

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

13. A Government contractor must not issue a power of attorney to any person whose name is on the defaulting contractors' list authorizing such person 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 Director of Education, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

15. All tenders for imported articles will be accepted only on the condition that the tenderer shall give the Government the benefit of any decrease in the Customs

duties made after the signing of the tender and up to the expiry of the contract entered into hereafter, and the Government likewise undertakes to pay over and above the tendered rate such sum as shall adequately compensate the tenderer for any increase in the Customs duties during the period aforesaid.

16. Further particulars may be obtained from the Principal of the Government Training College, Colombo.

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

Education Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of tools and materials, &c., from October 1, 1931, to September 30, 1932, to and from the under-mentioned places in the Colombo District:—

- (1) Between Ragama Railway Station and Anti-Tuberculosis Hospital, about $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles.
- (2) Between Ragama Railway Station and Ragama Camp of Observation, about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile.
- (3) Between Ragama Railway Station and Talagalla Hospital, about 1 mile.
- (4) Between Ragama Railway Station and Mahara Jail, about 2 miles.
- (5) Between Ragama Railway Station and Overseer's Store, 2nd mile Welisera-Ragama road, about $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles.
- (6) Between Ragama Railway Station and Welisera-Ragama road—

1st mile about 3 miles average.
2nd mile about 2 miles average.
3rd mile about 1 mile average.
4th mile about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile average.
5th mile about 1 mile average.

- (7) Between Ragama Railway Station and Biyanwila-Ganemulla road—

1st mile about $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles average.
2nd mile about $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles average.
3rd mile about $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles average.
4th mile about $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles average.
5th mile about $8\frac{1}{2}$ miles average.

- (8) Between Ragama Railway Station and any point on Ragama Station, about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile.
- (9) Between Ragama Railway Station and Mahara Prison road, about 2 miles.

In respect of each of the above items, the following particulars should be given by each tenderer:—

Time required (number of days).

- (a) Rates per trip for transport of stores between each of the above points weighing over 1 ton to 2 tons.
- (b) Do. 10 cwt. and up to 1 ton.
- (c) Do. 28 lb. to 10 cwt.
- (d) Do. 28 lb. and under.

Note.—(i.) The rates should include handling at both ends, loading and unloading into carts and railway wagons at the Goods Sheds, and stacking the stores, &c., at the different stores.

(ii.) Fractional parts of a cwt. under $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. of articles weighing over 1 cwt. will not be taken into account for preparing vouchers for payment, when it is $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and when $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than 1 cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as a full one.

2. It shall, however, be left to the discretion of the District Engineer to make his own arrangements for the transport of materials, &c., from the Railway Goods Shed to any place in his district in cases where delay would involve demurrage.

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Ragama, Torrington Square, Colombo, duly signed, 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, Ragama, Torrington Square, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Tender for Transport of Tools and Materials, Colombo District" so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers, on or before 12 noon on September 30, 1931.

4. Before tender forms can be issued, the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 25 either at the General Treasury or any local Kachcheri, in favour of the District Engineer, Ragama, Torrington Square, Colombo. A receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Ragama, Torrington Square, Colombo. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the contract has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender, when called

on to do so, within a week, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderer's address.

5. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected. Tenderers must give their addresses on the tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

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

7. Before a contract is signed the tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 100 as security in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary for the due performance of his contract. The terms of the contract or any other particulars can be ascertained on reference to the District Engineer, Ragama, Torrington Square, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

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

S. J. KIRBY,
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of tools and materials, &c., from October 1, 1931, to September 30, 1932, to and from the under-mentioned places in the Negombo District:—

- (a) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and Kotadeniya.
- (b) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and Divulapitiya.
- (c) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and Minuwangoda.
- (d) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and 8th mile post, Colombo-Puttalam road.
- (e) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and any point on the Ja-ela-Kotadeniya road.
- (f) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and any point on the Colombo-Puttalam road.
- (g) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and any point on Ekala-Gampaha road.
- (h) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and any point on the Dunagaha-Nilpanagoda road.
- (i) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and any point on the Kochchikade-Halpe road.
- (j) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and any point on the Sayakaramulla-Badalgama road.
- (k) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and any point on the Negombo-Alutapola road.
- (l) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and Madampella quarry.
- (m) Between District Engineer's Office, Negombo, and Yagodamulla quarry.
- (n) Between Public Works Department Yard, Negombo, and Negombo Railway Station.
- (o) Between Public Works Department Yard, Negombo, and Negombo Railway Station. Take empty gunpowder cart from Public Works Department Yard to Railway Station, Transport gunpowder to the Powder Magazine, Negombo, and bring empty cart to Public Works Department Yard.
- (p) Between Kandana Railway Station and any point on the Colombo-Puttalam road.
- (q) Between Ja-ela Railway Station and any point on the Ja-ela-Kotadeniya road.
- (r) Between Katunayake Railway Station and any point on the Colombo-Puttalam road.
- (s) Between Ragama Railway Station and any point on the Colombo-Puttalam road.
- (t) Between Kochchikade Railway Station and any point on Colombo-Puttalam road.

In respect of each of the above items, the following particulars should be given by each tenderer:—

Time required (number of days).

Rate per cwt. per mile for transport of stores weighing over 10 cwt.

Stores weighing from over 28 lb. to 10 cwt. and under.

Rate per cwt. per mile.

Stores weighing 28 lb. and under. Rate for cooly transport per parcel of 28 lb. or under per mile.

Note.—(i.) The rates should include handling at both ends, loading and unloading into carts and railway wagons at the Goods Sheds, and stacking the stores, &c., at the different stores.

(ii.) Fractional parts of a cwt. under $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. of articles weighing over 1 cwt. will not be taken into account for preparing vouchers for payment, when it is $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and when $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than 1 cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as a full one.

2. It shall, however, be left to the discretion of the District Engineer to make his own arrangements for the transport of materials, &c., from the Railway Goods Shed to any place in his district in cases where delay would involve demurrage.

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Negombo, duly signed, 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, Negombo, endorsed on the outside "Tenders for Transport of Tools and Materials, Negombo District" so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers, on or before 12 noon on September 30, 1931.

4. Before tender forms can be issued, the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 25 either at the General Treasury or any local Kacheheri, in favour of the District Engineer, Negombo. A receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Negombo. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the contract has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender, when called on to do so, within a week, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderer's address.

5. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected. Tenderers must give their addresses on the tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

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

7. Before a contract is signed the tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 100 as security in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary for the due performance of his contract. The terms of the contract or any other particulars can be ascertained on reference to the District Engineer, Negombo, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M., (Saturdays 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

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

S. J. KIRBY,
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying and loading river sand into Public Works Department lorries on the 5th mile, Colombo-Negombo road, during the financial year 1931-32.

2. Bill of quantities and form of agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the District Engineer, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

3. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Colombo, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Colombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for the Supply of Sand," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on September 30, 1931.

4. Any alterations made in the quotations should bear the initials of the tenderer. Tenderers must give their addresses on the tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

5. Before tender forms can be issued, the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 20, either at the General Treasury or any local Kacheheri, and the receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Colombo. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the contract has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender when called upon to do so, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderer's address.

6. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is in the list of Crown defaulting contractors, nor will forms of tender be issued to any 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.

7. The successful tenderer may be called upon to deposit cash security for the due fulfilment of the contract in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary within ten days of receipt of notice to do so.

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

S. J. KIRBY,
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of tools and materials, &c., from October 1, 1931 to September 30, 1932, to and from the under-mentioned places in the Panadura District:—

	Time required. No. of Days.	Rate Per Mile.			
		Iron Per Cwt.	Materials Per Cwt.	Single Bullock Cart.	Double Bullock Cart.
(a) To and from Railway Goods Sheds, Panadura, to Public Works Department Yard, Panadura					
(b) To and from Panadura, Moratuwa, Padukka, and Wadduwa Railway Goods Sheds and all places in the district as the District Engineer may direct					
(c) To and from Public Works Department Stores and all places in the district as the District Engineer may direct, except in case of old materials, &c., from the Overseer's quarters to the Public Works Department Store, which will be left to the discretion of the District Engineer					

Note.—(i.) The rates should include handling at both ends, loading and unloading into carts and railway wagons at the Goods Sheds, and stacking the stores, &c., at the different stores.

(ii.) Fractional parts of a cwt. under $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. of articles weighing over 1 cwt. will not be taken into account for preparing vouchers for payment, when it is $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and when $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than 1 cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as a full one.

2. It shall, however, be left to the discretion of the District Engineer to make his own arrangements for the transport of materials, &c., from the Railway Goods Shed to any place in his district in cases where delay would involve demurrage.

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Panadure, duly signed, 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 "Tender for Transport of Tools and Materials, Panadure District," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on September 30, 1931.

4. Before tender forms can be issued, the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 25 either at the General Treasury or any local Kachcheri, in favour of the District Engineer, Panadure. A receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Panadure. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the agreement has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender, when called on to do so, within a week, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderer's address.

5. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected. Tenderers must give their addresses on the tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

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

7. Before a contract is signed the tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 100 as security in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary for the due performance of his contract. The terms of the contract or any other particulars can be ascertained on reference to the District Engineer, Panadure, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

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

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of tools and materials, &c., from October 1, 1931 to September 30, 1932, to and from the under-mentioned places in the Kalutara District:—

	Time required. No. of Days.	Rate Per Mile.			
		Iron Per Cwt.	Materials Per Cwt.	Single Bullock Cart.	Double Bullock Cart.
(a) To and from Railway Goods Shed, Kalutara South, to the Public Works Department Yard, Kalutara North					
(b) To and from Railway Goods Shed, Kalutara South, and Alutgama, and all places in the district as the District Engineer may direct					
(c) To and from Public Works Department Store, and all places in the district as the District Engineer may direct, except in case of old materials, &c., from the Overseer's quarters to the Public Works Department Store, which will be left to the discretion of the District Engineer					

Note.—(i.) The rates should include handling at both ends, loading and unloading into carts and railway wagons at the Goods Sheds, and stacking the stores, &c., at the different stores.

(ii.) Fractional parts of a cwt. under $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt. of articles weighing over 1 cwt. will not be taken into account for preparing vouchers for payment, when it is $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt. or less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and when $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than 1 cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as a full one.

2. It shall, however, be left to the discretion of the District Engineer to make his own arrangements for the transport of materials, &c., from the Railway Goods Shed to any place in his district in cases where delay would involve demurrage.

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate on forms to be obtained from the office of the District Engineer Kalutara, duly signed, 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, Kalutara, endorsed on the outside "Tenders for Transport of Tools and Materials, Kalutara District," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on September 30, 1931.

4. Before tender forms can be issued, the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 25 either at the General Treasury, or any local Kachcheri, in favour of the District Engineer, Kalutara. A receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Kalutara. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the agreement has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender, when called on to do so, within a week, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderer's address.

5. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected. Tenderers must give their addresses on the tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

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

7. Before a contract is signed the tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 100 as security in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary for the due performance of his contract. The terms of the contract or any other particulars can be ascertained on reference to the District Engineer, Kalutara, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

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

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of tools and materials, &c., from October 1, 1931, to September 30, 1932, to and from the under-mentioned places in the Veyangoda District:—

- (a) The Railway Station, Veyangoda, to Public Works Department Store, Veyangoda.
- (b) The Gampaha Railway Station to where required in the Veyangoda district.
- (c) The Mirigama Railway Station to where required in the Veyangoda district.
- (d) The Ambepussa Railway Station to where required in the Veyangoda district.
- (e) The Public Works Department Store, Veyangoda, to where required in the Veyangoda district.

In respect of each of the above items, the following particulars should be given by each tenderer:—

Time required (number of days).

Rate per cwt. per mile for transport of stores weighing over 10 cwt.

Stores weighing from 28 lb. to 10 cwt. and under. Rate per cwt. per mile.

Stores weighing 28 lb. and under. Rate for cool transport per parcel of 28 lb. or under per mile.

Note.—(i.) The rates should include handling at both ends, loading and unloading into carts and railway wagons at the Goods Sheds, and stacking the stores, &c., at the different stores.

(ii.) Fractional parts of a cwt. under $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt. of articles weighing over 1 cwt. will not be taken into account for preparing vouchers for payment, when it is $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt. or less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and when $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. or less than 1 cwt. it will be taken and accounted for as a full one.

2. It shall, however, be left to the discretion of the District Engineer to make his own arrangements for the transport of materials, &c., from the Railway Goods Shed to any place in his district in cases where delay would involve demurrage.

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Veyangoda, duly signed, 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, Veyangoda, endorsed on the outside "Tender for Transport of Tools and Materials, Veyangoda District" so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers, on or before 12 noon, on September 30, 1931.

4. Before tender forms can be issued, the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 25 either at the General Treasury or any local Kacheheri, in favour of the District Engineer, Veyangoda. The receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Veyangoda. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the contract has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender, when called on to do so, within a week, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderer's address.

5. Any alterations made in the tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected. Tenderers must give their addresses on the tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

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

7. Before a contract is signed the tenderer will be required to make a deposit of Rs. 100 as security in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary for the due performance of his contract. The terms of the contract or any other particulars can be ascertained on reference to the District Engineer, Veyangoda, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

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

S. J. KIRBY,

Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, September 14, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sand in the Veyangoda District, during the financial year 1931-32, at any points between the miles given below:—

18-23 miles, Colombo-Kandy road.

24-28 miles, Colombo-Kandy road.

29-34 miles, Colombo-Kandy road.

1-5 miles, Veyangoda-Bulatweldeniya road.

6-11 miles, Veyangoda-Bulatweldeniya road.

1-5 miles, Pasyala to Attanagalla road.

1st mile, Yakkala-Radawana road.

Approach roads to Railway Stations and Goods Sheds

on Main Line at Gampaha, Veyangoda, and Mirigama.

9-17 miles, Minuwangoda-Veyangoda road.

20-29 miles, Minuwangoda-Henaratgoda road.

14-22 miles, Divulapitiya-Mugurugampola road.

18-24 miles, Kotadeniyawa-Giriulla road.

1-5 miles, Mugurugampola-Kotadeniya road.

1-12 miles, Giriulla-Pasyala road.

1-3 miles, Walbotale-Kindeniya road.

Approach road to Dairy Farm, Ambepussa.

3rd mile, Weliveriya-Weke road.

8th mile, Udugampola-Divulapitiya road.

2. Bill of quantities and form of agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the District Engineer, Veyangoda, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

3. Schedules of rates must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Veyangoda, 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, Veyangoda, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for the Supply of Sand," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on September 30, 1931.

4. Any alterations made in the quotations should bear the initials of the tenderer. Tenderer's must give their addresses on the tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

5. Before tender forms can be issued, the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 20, either at the General Treasury or any local Kacheheri, and the receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Veyangoda. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the contract has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender when called upon to do so, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderers address.

6. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is in the list of Crown defaulting contractors nor will forms of tender be issued to any 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.

7. The successful tenderer may be called upon to deposit cash security for the due fulfilment of the contract in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary, within ten days of receipt of notice to do so.

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

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sand during the financial year 1931-32, at any points between the mileposts stated below:—

8-12 miles Colombo-Puttalam road.

12-16 miles Colombo-Puttalam road.

16-22 miles Colombo-Puttalam road.

22-27 miles Colombo-Puttalam road.

13-20 miles Ja-ela-Kotadeniya road.

20-28 miles Ja-ela-Kotadeniya road.

28-29 miles Ja-ela-Kotadeniya road.

3-14 miles Maha Hunupitiya-Divulapitiya road.

2-8 miles Negombo-Kotadeniya road.

8-13 miles Negombo-Kotadeniya road.

13-18 miles Negombo-Kotadeniya road.

2-8 miles Negombo-Minuwangoda road.

15-21 miles Ekala-Gampaha road.

1-4 miles Dunagaha-Nilpanagoda road.
 1-6 miles Kochchikade-Halpe road.
 1-9 miles Negombo-Alutapola road.
 1-5 miles Sayakaramulla-Badalgama road.
 Public Works Department Yard, Negombo.

2. Bill of quantities and form of agreement can be seen, and all other information obtained from the District Engineer, Negombo, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

3. Tenders 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 envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Negombo, endorsed on the outside "Tenders for the Supply of Sand," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on September 30, 1931.

4. Any alterations made in the quotations should bear the initials of the tenderer. Tenderers must give their addresses on their tenders and their signatures must be witnessed by two persons.

5. Before tender forms can be issued the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 20 either at the General Treasury or any local Kachcheri, and the receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Negombo. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the contract has been signed by the successful tenderer. If the tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender when called upon to do so, the deposit will be forfeited. Notice shall be considered to have been given on the date when a letter to that effect is posted to the tenderer's address.

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

7. The successful tenderer may be called upon to deposit cash security for the due fulfilment of the contract in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary within ten days of receipt of notice to do so.

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

S. J. KIRBY,
 Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,
 Colombo, September 15, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the lease of all those 3½ acres, more or less, of planted grass lands including those 220 fruit bearing coconut trees, more or less, standing on the contiguous blocks of high land of about 5 acres in extent, situated at Kuppiyawatta, in Dematagoda. Access to the land is available from north and south Baseline road along Thirukarattene road.

The lease will be for a period of five years, subject to the regulations governing Railway leases. Full particulars of these regulations, and other conditions of tender, can be obtained from the Engineer, Railway Way and Works Department, Captain's Garden, Maradana, at whose office plans of the areas can be inspected.

All tenders should reach the General Manager of the Railway, not later than midday on Tuesday, October 13, 1931.

General Manager's Office,
 Colombo, September 16, 1931.

T. E. DUTTON,
 General Manager.

THIS is to notify that the notice inviting tenders for the supply of firewood to the Railway during 1931-32, from the North-Western Division appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 7,879 of September 4, 1931, is hereby withdrawn and cancelled.

J. D. SARGENT,
 Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
 Kandy, September 11, 1931.

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of all enumerated timber and firewood standing within the boundaries of the demarcated coupes described in the annexed schedule, subject to the following conditions.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Divisional Forest Officer, Southern Division (West), Galle.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, Southern Division (West), Galle, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the Purchase of Timber and Firewood, Southern Division (West)," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, Southern Division (West), Galle, not later than 3 P.M. on Friday, October 2, 1931.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Divisional Forest Office, Galle. *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 for each of the coupes to be tendered for 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.

7. Tenderers should satisfy themselves by inspection before tendering as to the volume of the enumerated trees and the yield of the respective coupes referred to in the annexed schedule, the figures given therein are liable to a margin of error which the Forest Department will in no circumstance make good.

8. It will be incumbent on the successful tenderer to remove all timber and firewood from the area before the expiry date.

9. The successful tenderer will be required to execute a purchase agreement and all tenderers should read and initial a copy of this agreement, together with a plan of the coupes at the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, Southern Division (West), Galle, at the time of obtaining tender forms.

10. Before execution of the agreement the respective purchasers will be required (a) to pay either the full purchase amount, or if paying by instalments 40 per cent. thereof; (b) to deposit as security for efficient and punctual fulfilment of the agreement, 20 per cent. of the full purchase amount tendered. If paying by instalments, the balance 60 per cent. of the full purchase price shall be paid by the respective purchasers in two equal instalments in accordance with clauses 3 and 4 of the special conditions set out below in this notice.

11. After payment of the first instalment of the purchase price, deposit of the security and execution of the agreement the purchaser will be entitled on application to refund of his tender deposit. Should the successful tenderer fail to carry out the requirements of clauses 9 and 10 of this notice within fourteen days of receiving notice in writing from the Divisional Forest Officer, that his tender has been accepted, the Rs. 20 deposited will be forfeited to the Crown. The successful tenderer will be entitled to a refund of the amount deposited by him on application to the Divisional Forest Officer concerned.

12. Tenderers should make offers, written both in figures and in words, for the timber and firewood contained in the area described in the annexed schedule.

13. The estimated *in situ* value of the material in coupes 13 and 14 is Rs. 1,300 and Rs. 950 respectively, and any bid or offer below these figures is liable to rejection. This will, however, not prejudice the Conservator of Forests' right to reject any offers even though they may be above *in situ* value.

14. No tender will be considered unless the procedure laid down above has been strictly complied with. The Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and of accepting any portion of a tender.

15. The special rules for felling, conversion, and removal, which the agreement will require to be observed are specified in the special conditions advertised below. Nothing in these special conditions shall render the purchaser in any way exempt from liability under the Forest Ordinance of 1907, should he be responsible for the commission of a forest offence outside the boundaries of his purchased coupe.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

(1) All trees to be felled within 1 ft. 6 in. of the ground except hora and tawwenna, none of which species are to be felled.

(2) (a) The duration of the agreement shall be nine months from the date of the acceptance of the tender, as intimated by a letter from Divisional Forest Officer.

(b) On payment of the full purchase amount the purchaser will be entitled to fell and remove on or before the expiry date in the manner specified below, all firewood and timber contained in the purchased coupe. Any firewood not removed by the expiry date, shall *ipso facto* revert to the Crown.

(3) If the purchaser desires to pay by instalments payment of a first instalment of 40 per cent. of the full purchase price tendered shall entitle him to fell and remove one-third of the trees in the coupe. Payment of 70 per cent. of the full purchase price by means of a second instalment of 30 per cent. shall entitle the purchaser to fell and remove not more than two-thirds of the total number of trees.

(4) The purchaser shall pay for the second instalment, or in all 70 per cent. of the full purchase price, within four months, and the third and the final instalment within seven months of the date of execution of the agreement. Should the purchaser fail to pay the second and final instalment when due, it shall be within the discretion of the Divisional Forest Officer to cancel the agreement as from the date of such default. Any unremoved timber will revert to the Crown as from the date of such cancellation and the purchaser will forfeit all claims thereto.

(5) Should the purchaser fell or remove timber trees in excess of the quantity specified in special condition 2, nothing in the agreement shall exempt him from being liable for illicit felling and removal under the Forest Ordinance, No. 16 of 1907.

(6) The purchaser will be required to spread the branchwood evenly over the coupe immediately after conversion, so as to leave no bare patches liable to soil erosion.

(7) The purchaser shall either exercise such personal supervision as will ensure the conditions of this agreement being efficiently executed or employed an efficient supervisor.

(8) The purchaser or his agent or his workmen shall not damage any boundary pillars or calamander plants, or block up the boundaries by depositing any brushwood or branches. All lines so blocked must be cleared by the purchaser.

(9) A general removal permit will be issued by the Divisional Forest Officer authorizing the purchaser to remove the firewood standing in one-third of the trees according to the purchase amount paid, *vide* conditions 3 and 4 in such daily quantities as will be specified in cart notes which must accompany each and every cart track in transit. The Forest Ranger or Forest Overseer or the Forest Guard will measure up the wood which is ready for removal twice a week between 9.30 A.M. and 3.30 P.M. and will issue the necessary cartnotes which shall accompany each and every cart in transit.

(10) The purchaser shall agree that, in the event of security money having become exhausted, it shall be within the discretion of the Divisional Forest Officer either (a) to accept a further security deposit amounting to 10 per cent. of the full tendered purchase price, or (b) to cancel the agreement and to refund to the purchaser such balance of the paid up purchase money, if any, as remains after deducting the value of firewood removed by the purchaser on the date of such cancellation. For the purpose of this clause the value of each removed cubic yard of firewood shall be reckoned at full royalty rates.

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

(12) In the service "A" all brushwood and refuse shall be evenly spread over the ground by the purchaser and completely burnt before the date of expiry.

SCHEDULE.

Service "A."—Yagirala.

Coupe 13.—The areas to be exploited are demarcated coupes in Pasdun korale of the Kalutara District. Comprising about 18.5 acres of jungle, is bounded on the north by paddy field and patana land, on the east by Coupe 8 cut line, on the south by Domba area (Silva's block), and on the west by Coupe 14 cut line. The area is estimated to contain 1,665 cubic yards of firewood and 6,494 cubic feet of timber.

Coupe 14.—Comprising about 11.4 acres of jungle, is bounded on the north by paddy field, on the east by Coupe 13, on the south by Silva's block and cart road and on the west by Coupe 15. The area is estimated to contain 770 cubic yards of firewood and 5,700 cubic feet of timber.

J. D. SARGENT,
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Kandy, September 14, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of 4,863 cwt., more or less, of self-formed salt (for sale outside the Northern Province), collected at Marichchukkaddi-odai and heaped near the Tirukeswaram Railway halt, opposite the 5th milepost on the Mannar-Madawachchiya road.

Arrangements can be made with the Railway Department for transport by rail from the site.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under separate covers. The original should be addressed to the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar.

3. The duplicate of the tender should be posted by the tenderer to the Salt Adviser at the same time as he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Purchase of Self-formed Salt" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, not later than 12 noon on Monday, October 5, 1931.

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

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

7. The purchaser will be required to deposit the full purchase money, together with the expenses of weighing the salt before delivery of any salt.

8. Each tenderer should state the rate per cwt. he is prepared to pay for the salt, the weighing of the salt to be done at the expense of the purchaser under the supervision of an officer appointed by the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar.

9. The purchaser will be required to remove all that salt on or before a date to be fixed by the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, and if the removal of salt be not completed by such date the expenses of watching the remaining salt are to be borne by the purchaser. For this purpose he will be required to pay to the Assistant Government Agent upon demand such sum not exceeding Rs. 30 per mensem as the Assistant Government Agent shall decide. Such payment to continue until all salt is removed.

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

11. The Assistant Government Agent reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any tender.

The Kachcheri, R. M. DAVIES,
Mannar, September 12, 1931. Assistant Government Agent.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at this Office on Wednesday, September 23, 1931, at 2.30 P.M. :—

24 chases jobbing, assorted; 28 chases book, 26 in. × 21 in.; 71 chases book, 26 in. × 17 in.; 130 chases book, 29 in. × 19 in.; 2 W. I. pulleys, approx. 5 ft. diameter × 9 in. face × 4 in. bore (fast and loose); 2 W. I. pulleys, approx. 6 ft. diameter × 9 in. face × 4 in. bore (fast and loose); 1 W. I. pulley, 28 in. diameter × 6 in. face × 2 in. bore; 1 machine side frame; 1 lot broken box wood, &c.; 1 lot miscellaneous tins; 11 Mono Casters' overalls; 1 motor van tyre; 4 bicycle tyres; 2 motor van tubes; 1 bicycle tube.

Wooden Types.

2 cases 30-line Ionic Compressed; 1 case 12-line Roman; 1 case 10-line Roman; 1 case 20-line Roman; 1 case 16-line Roman; 1 case 25-line Ionic Compressed.

Government Printing Office,
Colombo, September 16, 1931.

H. ROSS COTTLE,
Government Printer.

A QUANTITY of waste paper will be sold by public auction at this office on Wednesday, September 23, 1931, at 2.30 P.M.

E. REIMERS,
Government Archivist and Librarian.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 14, 1931.

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IT is hereby notified that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Secretariat, Colombo, on Friday, September 25, 1931, at 11 A.M. :—

List of Articles.—3 tables, 1 chair (new pattern), 6 chairs (old pattern), 1 looking glass, 2 dowlas cloths, 6 inkstands, 12 door rugs, 1 planks, &c., 1 comb, 6 brooms, 1 typist's chair, 3 fire buckets, 1 rattan matting.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

C. H. HARTWELL,
for Chief Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction on Wednesday, the 23rd instant, at 2.30 P.M., at the Police Headquarters, Maradana.

102 brushes, 4 caps, 6 mosquito curtains, 2 helmets, 60 overcoats, 750 khaki tunics, 750 khaki shorts, 300 serge suits.

T. H. DOLL,
for Inspector-General of Police.

Police Headquarters,
Maradana, September 15, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Government Analyst's Laboratory, Francis road, Maradana, at 10 A.M., on Monday, September 21, 1931 :—

One bamboo tat, 1 cane basket, 1 galvanized bucket, 2 drums.

J. V. COLLINS,
Acting Government Analyst.

Government Analyst's Office,
Colombo, September 16, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the two old Campbell engines which were removed at Mannar Water Works on installation of the new ones and are lying at Mannar Water Works compound, Thoddakadu, will be sold by public auction on the spot at 10 A.M. on Thursday, October 8, 1931.

The engines and the accessories can be seen at the site on permit from the District Engineer, Public Works Department, Mannar.

Purchasers will be required to deposit the full amount of the sale, when the articles become the property of the respective buyers at their risk. The engines and the accessories must be removed within seven days of completion of purchase.

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, September 16, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned confiscated and unclaimed productions will be sold by public auction on Saturday, September 26, 1931, beginning at 10 A.M. at the court premises :—

12,014, katty; 12,039, tapping knife; 10,872, katty; 10,441, mammoty; 13,016, katty, alavangoe; 13,217, katty; 13,337, katty; 13,808, two katties, cinnamon; 14,671, manna knife; 15,173, mammoty; 15,650, manna knife; 15,662, manna knife; 15,749, saw, katty; 15,776, bundle cinnamon; 15,862, mammoty; 029,237, watch and chain; 12,834, tapping knife; 13,478, tapping knife; 11,543, gown; 11,867, bucket; 12,121, mammoty; 14,631, watch and chain; 16,591, katty.

Miscellaneous.—Katty, alavangoe, mammoty, wooden tub, katty, wall lamp, brass hanging lamp, coat, sarong, sarong, katty, clasp knife, tableknife, sarong, wooden box, whistle, axe, clasp knife, lantern, bucket, cup, earthen pot, bucket, enamel cup, 3 katties, mammoty, 2 electric

bulbs, 2 silver bangles, torch light, 1 empty trunk, tapping knife, 8 glasses, clasp knife, sickle, glass, pair sandals, 17 coconuts, glass, wooden box, 2 katties, wooden box, 2 saucers, wooden box, katty, wooden box, 2 mammoties, cup, 2 plates, 2 enamel plates, canoe, bicycle, 9 big glasses, 14 small glasses, 20 white bottles, heap of firewood.

Police Court,
Balapitiya, September 4, 1931.

M. CHINNAYAH,
Police Magistrate.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Report on Vital Statistics of the City of Colombo for the Week ended September 12, 1931.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 171 (2 Europeans, 12 Burghers, 100 Sinhalese, 21 Tamils, 21 Moors, 14 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1931, viz., 289,150) was 30.8, as against 28.0 in the preceding week, 30.2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32.5 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 131 (5 Burghers, 69 Sinhalese, 22 Tamils, 25 Moors, 6 Malays, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 23.6, as against 26.5 in the previous week, 23.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28.2 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 131 total deaths, 21 were of infants under one year of age, as against 35 in the preceding week, 28 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 15.

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Fifteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 6 in Maradana hospitals (including 4 deaths of non-residents), 2 in St. Paul's and 1 each in Kotahena North, Maradana North, Maradana South, Slave Island, Kollupitiya, Wellawatta North, and Wellawatta South, as against 18 in the previous week, and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Eight deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 3 each in St. Paul's and Kotahena South and 1 each in New Bazaar and Wellawatta South, as against 14 in the previous week, and 8 the weekly average for last year.

(c) One death from *Bronchitis* was registered in Maradana North. The number registered during the preceding week was also 1, and the weekly average for last year was 4.

2. (a) Thirteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 7 in Maradana hospitals (including 3 deaths of non-residents), 3 in Kotahena South and 1 each in St. Paul's, Maradana North, and Slave Island, as against 17 in the previous week, and 12 the weekly average for last year.

(b) One death from *Phthisis*, of a resident of Colombo town, occurred at the Anti-Tuberculosis Hospital, Ragama, during the week.

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

4. One death from *Plague*, of a resident of Colombo town, occurred at the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Angoda, during the week. No death was registered within the city.

5. Eleven deaths from *Enteritis* were registered, 7 from *Worms*, 5 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Accidents*, 3 from *Dysentery*, 2 each from *Infantile Convulsions*, *Debility*, and *Puerperal Septicaemia*, 1 each from *Homicide* and *Suicide*, and 49 from *Other Causes*.

6. *Reported Cases.*—Nine cases of *Enteric Fever*, 4 of *Chickenpox*, and 1 of *Plague* were reported during the week, as against 5, 5, and nil, respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 79.4°, against 80.7° in the preceding week and 81.0° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.881 in., against 29.859 in. in the preceding week and 29.901 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 4.09 in., against 1.09 in. in the preceding week and 1.27 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931. P. D. RATNATUNGA,
for Registrar-General.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SRI CHANDRASEKERA FUND.

Income and Expenditure Account for the Year ended June 30, 1931.

Dr.	EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	c.
To General Charges	..	2,845	99
„ Expenditure on House Properties	..	502	0
„ Balance	..	70,491	36
		<u>73,839</u>	<u>35</u>
	INCOME.	Rs.	c.
By Interest	..	73,693	35
„ Income from House Properties	..	146	0
		<u>73,839</u>	<u>35</u>

Balance Sheet as at June 30, 1931.

	LIABILITIES.	Rs.	c.
Capital Account	..	1,243,482	87
Sundry Creditors	..	10,668	8
Income and Expenditure A/C	..	74,711	69
Balance at Credit of Income and Expenditure A/C on June 30, 1930	Rs. c.	96,415	33
Add Excess of Income over Expenditure during the year ended June 30, 1931	..	70,491	36
		<u>166,906</u>	<u>69</u>
Deduct Grants, Donations, &c., made during the year 1930-31	..	92,195	0
		<u>1,328,862</u>	<u>64</u>
	ASSETS.	Rs.	c.
Immovable Property	..	110,010	0
Loans on Mortgages	..	1,155,200	0
Sundry Debtors (accrued interest, &c.)	..	28,540	28
Cash at Bank	..	35,112	36
		<u>1,328,862</u>	<u>64</u>

Details of Grants, Donations, &c., made during the Year 1930-31.

	Rs.
Colombo Industrial School	25,000
Training Home for Destitute Women	17,345
Musaeus Buddhist Girls' College	10,000
McLeod Hospital, Jaffna	10,000
Friend-in-Need Society, Colombo	5,000
Ananda College, Colombo	5,000
Kandy Sri Puspadana Society	5,000
Government Agent, Western Province, for relief of distress caused by fever epidemic in Siyane, Hapitigam, and Hewagam korales	3,500
Sri Lankadhara Society	2,500
Deaf and Blind School, Mount Lavinia	3,500
Ceylon Social Service League	1,000
University College Library	1,000
House of Joy, Talawa per Miss E. S. Karney	500
Training Home for Young Boys, Colombo	500
Friend-in-Need Society, Jaffna	500
Batuwanhena School, Elpitiya	250
Friend-in-Need Society, Moratuwa	250
Secretarial and Audit fees and general clerical charges	1,350
	<u>92,195</u>

B. H. BOURDILLON,
M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Trustees, Sri Chandrasekera Fund.

Colombo, August 27, 1931.

Fentons, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 1, Union place, Colombo, on Wednesday, September 30, 1931, at 3.30 P.M.

1. To receive and adopt the report and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1930.
2. To elect Directors.
3. To elect Auditors.
4. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 17 to October 3, 1931, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
E. THOMSON,
Secretary.

Ceylon Radio, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered offices of the Company, 1, Union place, Colombo, on Wednesday, September 30, 1931, at 2.30 P.M.

1. To receive and adopt the report and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1930.
2. To elect Directors.
3. To elect Auditors.
4. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 17 to October 3, 1931, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
FENTONS, LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

The Tilton (Ceylon) Tea Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's registered office, Imperial Bank buildings, Baillie street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, September 28, 1931, at 11.30 A.M.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the season ended June 30, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current season, 1931-32, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 22 to 28, 1931, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
HENDERSON & CO.,
Colombo, September 18, 1931. Agents and Secretaries.

The Mount Pleasant Tea Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twentieth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Boustead Bros., Colombo, on Thursday, October 1, 1931 at 12 noon.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended June 30, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor.
4. To submit the following resolution:—

“That the Directors be and they are hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with Messrs. Boustead Bros., undertaking to execute on demand a primary mortgage in the usual form over the Company's properties for the purpose of securing the repayment to Messrs. Boustead Bros., of all sums of money from time to time advanced by them to the Company, together with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of Rs. 75,000 and to execute the said mortgage if and when called upon to do so in terms of the aforesaid agreement.”

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

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from October 1 to 14, 1931, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
BOUSTEAD BROS.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C.,
Colombo, No. 45,355.

THE under-mentioned lands and buildings standing thereon belonging to U. L. M. Mohamed Yoofoof will be sold by public auction at their respective spots on the dates and time mentioned below for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 42,442.44 interest, and costs of suit due on the above case.

1. All that divided 1/7th part or share of land in and all that allotment of land called Meegahawatta, situated at Narhampitiya, Colombo, bearing assessment Nos. 282

and 282 (1-2) formerly No. 648F/25 (7), Timbirigasyaya road, in extent 3 roods and 37 $\frac{15}{100}$ perches, will be sold by public auction on Monday, October 12, 1931, at 5 P.M. at the spot, instead of Friday, October 2, 1931.

2. All that allotment of land called Yalagantottewatta *alias* Rendawatta, situated at Kelaniya on the Colombo-Biyagama road, situated at aforesaid, in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 33 perches, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, October 13, 1931, at 5 P.M. at the spot, instead of October 3, 1931.

For further particulars please apply to S. Sivasubramaniam, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo, or to me—

B. D. AMIT,
Auctioneer and Broker.
34, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree in case No. 43,059, D. C., Colombo, against U. Don Jeramias of Suwarapola, sale on Saturday, October 10, 1931, at the respective spots, to recover Rs. 2,167.41, further interest and costs:—
(1) At 4.45 p.m.—All that soil, trees, and buildings of lot A in plan dated May 26, 1927 made by H. G. Dias, Surveyor, of land called Ganguleowita at Wewala, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in extent 1 rood and 37 perches. (2) At 5.15 p.m.—Undivided $\frac{3}{4}$ shares of lot C of Ganguleowita at Wewala aforesaid, in extent 38 $\frac{5}{10}$ perches. (3) At 5.45 p.m.—Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ of Pokunakumbura at Deltara, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in extent 24 kurunies of paddy sowing.

1, Hulftsdorp.

W. D. E. ABRAHAM,
Licensed Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree entered in case No. 43,060 D. C., Colombo, against Udawattage Don Jeramias of Suwarapola and M. J. A. Fernando of Moratuwa, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, October 10, 1931, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,899.70, further interest and costs, the following properties, to wit:—

(1) At 3.30 p.m. at the Spot.—All those undivided 9/20 shares of all that land called Wallagahawatta, situated at Demaladuwa in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in extent 4 acres.

(2) At 4 p.m. at the Spot.—All those undivided 9/20 shares of the allotment of land called Wallagahawatta and of the trees and buildings thereon, situated at Demaladuwa aforesaid, in extent 15 acres.

1, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

W. D. E. ABRAHAM,
Licensed Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in Colombo, Case No. 44,814.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Ana Moona Moona Murugappah Chettiar of 161, Sea street in Colombo Plaintiff.

Vs.

(1) Moona Vana Reena Mohanappan Mustappa and (2) Moona Vana Reena Sanyal named, both of Bala-galla Defendants.

IN obedience to the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall offer for sale by public auction on Saturday, October 17, 1931, at 2 P.M. at Epaladeniya Estate at Epaladeniya and Embawa villages, Kurunegala, the following properties, to wit:—An undivided one-half part or share of all those allotment of land with the buildings thereon called Kahatagahamulahena, Rukattanagahamulahena, Kahatagahamulahena, Dahahatara Pattuwehena, Palugahahenyaya, Gonullakotuwe Paramulahegahamulahenyaya, Gonullakotuwe Paragahamulahenyaya, Palugahamulawatta, Welhenakotuwa, Welhenakotuwa, adjoining each other and now forming one property called and known as Epaladeniya Estate, situated at Epaladeniya and Embawa villages in Yatikaha and Katugampola korales of Katugampola hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province, described according to plan No. 780 dated June 1 to 4, 1917, and made by A. R. Saundra-nayagam, Special Licensed Surveyor and Leveller; in

extent 101 acres and 8 perches. (2) An undivided half share of an undivided two-third shares of all those contiguous allotments of land called Godellahena of about three lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, Himbutulandehena of about four lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, and Kadaimahena of five lahas, of kurakkan sowing of extent, now forming one property, situated Epaladeniya aforesaid. (3) An undivided half part or share of an undivided one-third of the land called Paragahamulahena at Epaladeniya, in extent about six lahas of kurakkan sowing in extent. (4) An undivided half share of the land called Kavilakumburapillewa at Epaladeniya aforesaid. (5) All that land commonly called or known as Welhenakotuwa *alias* Epaladeniya (exclusive of the Horawela) passing through the land, situated at Epaladeniya aforesaid; in extent 9 acres and 1 perch, as shown as lot C 106 in preliminary plan No. 4,459.

For deeds, &c., apply to Messrs. Wilson & Kadirgamar, Courts, Colombo.

Phone: 733.

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

Auction Sale.

Property at Maligawatta, Colombo.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in case No. 45,495, D. C., Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on October 13, 1931 at 5 P.M. at the spot:—Land with the buildings thereon bearing assessment Nos. 46-47, Maligawatta, Colombo; in extent 8 $\frac{4}{100}$ perches.

Deeds and particulars from S. Ratnakaram, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Colombo.

A. C. KOELMEYER,
Auctioneer and Broker.
58, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale.

Very Valuable Property at Wellawatta.

UNDER commission issued to me in case No. 39,031, D. C., Colombo, and for the recovery of the amount mentioned in the decree against Karimbee, executrix of the estate of N. Adam Saibo, I shall sell by public auction on October 15, 1931, at 5 P.M. at the spot:—All that land with the buildings used as shops, at the junction of Paman-kada and Galle road, Wellawatta, bearing assessment Nos. 1010, 149, Pamankada road, and 1011, 1012, 1013, 623, 1011a/621, 1011c/630, 1011b/620, Galle road Wellawatta, in extent 25 $\frac{25}{100}$ perches. For title deeds and other particulars please apply to S. Sivasubramaniam, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Colombo.

A. C. KOELMEYER,
Auctioneer and Broker.
58, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

UNDER and by virtue of commission issued to me in case No. 30,038 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell on Friday, October 9, 1931, at 4 P.M., at the spot, the following lands, to wit:—

(1) All that land called Kotuwatta of Apamulla in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, in extent 2 roods and 29 perches. (2) Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Palugahawatta at Apamulla aforesaid, extent about 1 rood. (3) Undivided $\frac{1}{14}$ share of Palugahawatta at Apamulla aforesaid, in extent about 1 rood. (4) Undivided northern $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the divided northern portion of Werellegoda Katuwatta at Apamulla aforesaid, in extent 2 roods and 20 perches. (5) Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Kottegahawatta at Wellaboda, Apamulla aforesaid, in extent 1 acre. (6) Undivided $\frac{3}{4}$ share of the divided eastern $\frac{1}{2}$ part of Kottangahawatta at Apamulla aforesaid, in extent about 1 acre. (7) Undivided western $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Kottangahawatta at Apamulla aforesaid, extent about 2 acres. (8) Undivided southern $\frac{2}{5}$ share of divided western $\frac{1}{2}$ portion, extent about 2 roods. (9) All that land called Erabadugahawatta, with the building and foundation thereon, situated at Apamulla aforesaid, in extent about 1 acre.

119, Hulftsdorp.

C. P. AMERASINGHE,
Auctioneer.

Auction Sale upon Mortgage Decree in Case No. 44,312, D. C., Colombo.

Building Site at Mount Lavinia.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me for the recovery of the amount of the decree, I shall sell by public auction—

All that divided portion of land called Ketakelegahawatta, with trees and buildings thereon, situated at Wattarappola in Mount Lavinia, extent 1 rood and 12 perches—on October 8, 1931, at 5 P.M., at the spot.

For further particulars please apply to J. P. Salgado, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Colombo, or to me—

Phone: 654.
59, Belmont street,
Colombo, September 16, 1931.

H. J. F. RODRIGO,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Peter de Abrew of Colombo Plaintiff.

Vs.

(1) Edger Clarence Harridge of 48A, Albert place, Dehiwala, and another Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 43,842, for the recovery of the amount in the decree, I shall put up to public auction on Monday, October 12, 1931, at 5.15 P.M., at the spot, the following property, to wit:—

All that allotment of land, together with the buildings standing thereon, bearing assessment No. 48A, situated at Albert place, within the Sanitary Board, now the Urban District Council of Dehiwala in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province (which said allotment of land comprises two allotments of land marked lots E and F 1 in plans Nos. 440 dated December 1, 1921, and 602 dated October 14, 1923, respectively, made by E. M. Anthonisz, Licensed Surveyor and Leveller); bounded on the north by lot 11, on the east by lot F 2, on the south by road reservation and lot 3, now called Albert place, and on the west by lot marked D; containing in extent 1 rood and 8 perches, together with the full and free right and liberty of way and passage along the said roadway called Albert place extending from the high road from Colombo to Galle to the seaside.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. De Vos & Gratiaen, Proctors and Notaries, Fort, Colombo, or—

Office: 119, Hulftsdorp.

R. C. McHEYZER,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in Case No. 43,329, D. C., Colombo.

C. A. S. P. Jayanayake of Galle Plaintiff.

Vs.

J. M. S. Sheriff, administrator of the estate of the late T. I. L. Sanjiba Tramma of 42, Shoe road, Colombo Defendant.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,386-63, with interest and costs, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, October 12, 1931, at 5 P.M., at the spot, the following property, to wit:—All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 6, situated at Shoemaker's lane (now called Shoe road), within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province; in extent 10 perches according to the survey dated May 15, 1878, made by C. H. Vanderstraaten, Surveyor; which said premises are now described bounded and in extent as follows:—An allotment of land marked letter B with the buildings thereon, presently bearing assessment No. 6, situated at Shoemaker's lane aforesaid; bounded on the north by the other part marked letter A of Cader Natchia, wife of Peria Tamby Bawa, now bearing assessment No. 7, on the east by the road called Shoemaker's lane, on the south by the garden of Weerappa, now bearing assessment No. 5, and on the west by the garden of Mr. Ondatjee, now bearing assessment No. 18; containing in extent 8 23/100 perches according to the survey dated May 30, 1908, made by James W. Amarasekera, Licensed

Surveyor. For further particulars apply to C. E. Jayanayaka, Esq., Proctor and Notary Dam street, Colombo, or to me—

Phone: 1357. H. D. JOHN PIERIS,
8, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

(1) H. C. Cottle of Colombo, presently in England, and
(2) C. S. Braine of Mawatte estate, Kochchikade, executor and trustee of the estate of William Henry Owen, deceased Plaintiffs.

No. 43,552. 65 Vs.

(1) Sena Ana Hamidu Mahideen and (2) Sena Ana Ahamado Meera Saibo, both of Kurunegala. Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission and decree issued to me in the above action, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Wednesday, October 28, 1931, at 4 P.M., at premises bearing Nos. 12 and 13, Kurunegala town, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 27,090-29, with interest on Rs. 25,000 at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from March 28, 1931 (to the 1st plaintiff), and the sum of Rs. 10,586-07, with interest on Rs. 10,000 at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from March 28, 1931 (to the 2nd plaintiff) to date of decree and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of suit, the following properties:—

All those premises, formerly bearing assessment Nos. 12, 13, 25, 26, and 27 and thereafter bearing assessment Nos. 10, 11, 34, 35, and 36 and thereafter bearing assessment Nos. 10, 11, and 13, and now bearing assessment Nos. 12 and 13, together with the plantations and buildings standing thereon, situated at the town of Kurunegala in Tiragandahe korale in the Weudawili hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province; bounded on the east and north-east by a lane, south by Main street, west by the boundary of the wall of the boutique No. 14, now No. 13, belonging to Aisi Lebbe Marikar, and on the north by land belonging to Bastian Silva, and now belonging to Paulis Silva and a portion of the wall of the boutique belonging to the said Aisi Lebbe Marikar; containing in extent 250 square yards.

All that land called Maraluwawewatta, together with the plantations and buildings standing thereon, situated at Maraluwawa in Mahagalboda korale in Weudawili hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala aforesaid; bounded on the north by the road leading to the Temple and land belonging to Joseph Perera, on the east by the high road, on the south by land of Abeyagoonaratne, Notary, and land of Juan Fernando, and on the west by Andagala; containing in extent 40 acres, which said premises according to the survey and description bearing No. 175 dated September 24, 1918, made by H. Auwardi, Licensed Surveyor, described as follows: on the north by Pansala road, on the east by Minor road, on the south by the property of Mr. A. M. Abeyagoonaratne, and on the west by Andagala; containing in extent about 36 acres and 5 perches.

All that land called Deniyawatta, together with the plantations and buildings thereon, situated at Amunugama in Reko pattu korale in the Dambadeni hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala aforesaid; bounded on the north by lots 76 and 77 in title plan No. 1,492, on the east by lots Nos. 77 and 78 in preliminary plan No. 1,492, on the south by lots 79, 80, 82, 72, and 49A in preliminary plan No. 1,492, and on the west by lots 73, 47, 46, and 76 in preliminary plan No. 1,492 and by a road; containing in extent 14 acres 2 roods and 35 perches.

Phone: 289.
19, Baillie street, Fort.

J. G. VANDERSMAGT
of A. Y. DANIEL & SON,
Auctioneers and Brokers.

Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Colombo, case No. 44,756 of the following properties belonging to the defendant, Kahandawala-aratchige Abraham Perera Gunawardena of Kotalawala, Kaduwala:—

On Monday, October 12, 1931, commencing from 3 P.M., at the last-mentioned land.

1. All that allotment of land called Karayadeniya, together with the trees, plantations, and everything standing thereon, situated at Urugala in the Udugaha

pattu of Raigam korale in Kalutara District, Western Province, in extent 5 acres and 5 perches, exclusive of the footpath and water-course passing through the land.

2. An undivided $\frac{2}{5}$ share from the southern side of the land called Pelawatta, situated at Urugala aforesaid, in extent 8 acres.

On Tuesday, October 13, 1931, commencing from 3 P.M., at the firstly-mentioned land.

1. All that divided $\frac{5}{6}$ share of Kaluammawatta *alias* Nugahawatta marked letter A, situated at Kotalawala in the Palle pattu of Hewagam korale in Colombo District, in extent 2 roods and $\frac{5}{94/100}$ perches, together with the tiled house standing thereon.

2. All that land called Loosnaidegeirawella, situated at Kotalawala aforesaid, in extent about 8 kurunies paddy sowing.

3. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the land called Hettitantrigemendoragahakumbura, situated at Kotalawala aforesaid, in extent about 2 bushels of paddy sowing.

On Wednesday, October 14, 1931, at 9 A.M., at 42, Armour street, Colombo.

All those quantities of timber consisting of jak, planks, rafters, reepers, coconut rafters, and other kinds of timber, tiles, bricks, furniture, &c., lying at premises No. 42, Armour street.

Terms, immediate payment and removal.

Further particulars from R. Muttusamy, Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo, or—

Phone: 1784.
167, Hulftsdorp.

FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Tea Property with Factory and everything thereon.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Kana Runa Sidambaram Pillai of Ampitiya Plaintiff.

No. 40,450. ³⁷ Vs.

(1) Maria Pulle Kandasami Pulle of Kanpadiwatta, Ramboda, (2) Kana Runa Yegambaram Pulle of Gampola, (3) Perumal Ammal of Ramboda, administratrix of the estate of Pena Reena Muttiah Pulle, deceased Defendants.

(1) Kana Pana Veeyanna Ponnasamy Pulle Added-Defendant.

(1) Kana Pena Yeyanna Karupai Pillai and 2 others Added-Parties.

UNDER instructions received from the plaintiff and under authority from court, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, October 17, 1931, commencing from 2 P.M. at the second land hereunder, the following premises mortgaged to plaintiff upon bond No. 18,172 dated November 6, 1925, and attested by E. M. B. Seneviratne of Kandy, Notary Public, to wit:—

1. All that land called Bomaluwewatta of about 8 nellies kurakkan sowing in extent, situate at Deluntalawa in Udapone korale of Kotmale in the District of Nuwara Eliya, Central Province, with the buildings and everything thereon.

2. Undivided $\frac{8}{9}$ parts or shares of and in all that allotment of land marked A and B in plan dated June 30, 1919, and made by P. Spencer, Licensed Surveyor; and containing in extent 31 acres 2 roods and 33 perches, situate at Panagama in Udapone korale aforesaid (with all the buildings, factory, stores, machinery, crops, implements, plantations, and everything thereon).

For further particulars please apply to Wilfred A. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, &c., Kandy, or to me—

K. EDMUND PERERA,
255, Colombo street, Kandy. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER decree and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in case No. 15,616, D. C., Kalutara, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,321, less Rs. 200, and interest and Rs. 20 balance costs from the defendant, Petikiri-aratchige Don Harmanis Gonetilleke Appahamy of

Kindelpitiya, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, October 10, 1931, commencing at 10 A.M. at the spot, the following properties; all situated at Kindelpitiya in Udugahapattu, Rayigam korale, Kalutara District, viz.:—

1. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Kotigalahena, containing in extent 14 acres and 36 perches.

2. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Kahawalayalanda, in extent 7 acres 1 rood and 33 perches.

3. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Kahawalayalanda, in extent 6 acres 3 roods and 5 perches.

4. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Beliattewila, in extent 6 acres 1 rood and 30 perches.

5. Undivided $\frac{1}{10}$ share of Kahawalayalanda, in extent 6 acres 3 roods and 9 perches.

6. Undivided $\frac{1}{20}$ share of Beliattewila, in extent 8 acres 2 roods and 24 perches.

7. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Kahawalayalanda, in extent about 5 acres.

8. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Kandapaulahena, containing in extent (excluding footpath), 4 acres 1 rood and 5 perches.

9. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Kahawalayalandewatta, in extent about 4 acres.

10. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Thalawatta, in extent about 4 acres.

11. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of the undivided northern $\frac{1}{2}$ share of Polkandawiladeniya, in extent 9 acres and 1 rood.

12. Undivided $\frac{1}{5}$ share of Kahawalayalanda, in extent about 5 acres.

Further particulars from D. E. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, Panadure, or—

H. D. S. PERERA,
Panadure. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale Under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Tangalla.

Fredrick de Silva of Kottagoda Plaintiff.

No. 3,145. ²¹ Vs.

Dickwelle Vidanage Arachis Silva and another of Kahawatta Defendants.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction at the Walasmulla Market on October 10, 1931, at 3 P.M., the following properties belonging to the defendants. Amount to be recovered Rs. 3,529.64:—

1. All the soil and plantations of Madawalahena comprising of T. P. 376,011, situated at Welendegoda in Kirama, in extent 28 acres and 13 perches.

2. All that undivided one-half share of the soil and plantations of Kirimuttagewatta, situated at Egoda-bedda village in Kirama, in extent about 5 acres.

For further particulars apply to C. A. Wickramasuriya, Esq., Proctor, Tangalla, or to me—

W. C. OBAYASINGHA,
Tangalla, September 10, 1931. Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Tangalla.

Fredrick de Silva of Kottagoda Plaintiff.

No. 3,141. ²³ Vs.

Dona Cornelia Dhanayaka and another of Kanumuldeniya Defendants.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction the following properties at the time and place mentioned below:—

1. On October 10, 1931, at 3 p.m. at Walasmulla Market.—An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the soil and plantations of Murutagahamada and of the citronella boiler and its appertences and of all buildings standing thereon, in extent about 150 acres, situated at Horewela.

2. On October 17, 1931, at 11 a.m. at Vitaranadeniya Market.—An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the high and low lands Etunnewualakumbura, in extent 12 amunams or 27 acres, situated at Bedigama, belonging to the defendants.

Amount to be recovered Rs. 3,789.63.

For further particulars apply to C. A. Wickramasuriya, Esq., or to me—

W. C. OBAYASINGHA.
Commissioner.

Tangalla, September 4, 1931.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Negombo,
Case No. 4,619.**

K. P. A. R. Krisnan Chettiar by his attorney Vena Suppiah Naidu of Kochchikade Plaintiff.

- (1) Halpe Chandrasekera Ekanayake Wijesundera Wasala Mudiyansele Ranaalaka Banda Halpe, (2) ditto Tikiri Banda Halpe, (3) ditto James Henry Halpe, all of Piduma in Yaticaha korale, (4) Pathiraja Mudiyansele Panchappuhamy Vidane of Murutenge Defendants.

BY virtue of commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 4,505, with further interest and costs of suit, I shall sell by public auction the land Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 on October 9, 1931, commencing at 10 A.M. on the first land hereinbelow at Nindewela:—

1. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the high and low lands called Wilakumbura of 4 amunams paddy sowing and its adjoining Gaalidama and pillewa of about 3 lahas kurakkan sowing, the pillewa on the western side about 3 seers kurakkan sowing, Amuhenekumbura on the eastern side in extent 3 pelas paddy sowing, Bemigilma of 6 pelas paddy sowing, Amuhenepilewa of 3 lahas kurakkan sowing, and Denipaththima of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent, all situate at Nindewela in Yaticaha korale.

2. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the high and low lands called Mawathawela of 3 pelas paddy sowing and its adjoining Indipitiyekumbura of 15 lahas paddy sowing and the two Godahenas of about 1 pela kurakkan sowing, situate at Nindewela aforesaid.

3. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Diyakomehenyaya of 3 pelas kurakkan sowing, situate at Nindewela aforesaid.

4. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the high and low lands called Beligahagodakumbura of 3 pelas paddy sowing and its adjoining Beligahagodahena and Talwattehera of 15 lahas kurakkan sowing, Oyen-egoda Badalewela of 1 amunam paddy sowing, Gilmeassedduma of 2 pelas paddy sowing, Kandegederaya-assedduma of 2 pelas paddy sowing, and Kadaimehena of 1 pela kurakkan sowing, all situate at Nindewela aforesaid.

5. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the field called Hunukumbura of 3 pelas paddy sowing and of its adjoining Panliyadda of 15 lahas paddy sowing and all that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of those high and low lands called Cederagawakumbura of 15 lahas paddy sowing, Thowilakumbura alias Wewapaulakumbura of 3 pelas paddy sowing, Ebagawawattehena and Wewapaulawela Dogodapilledeka of about 4 lahas kurakkan sowing, and Hunukumburepilewa and Panliyaddepilewa of about 3 lahas kurakkan sowing, all situate at Nindewela aforesaid.

6. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Thunkollewepoduhenyaya of 2 amunams and 2 pelas kurakkan sowing more or less, situate at Nindewela aforesaid.

7. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of those high and low lands called Nagahamulakumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing and its adjoining Nugagahamulawattehena of 4 lahas kurakkan sowing and the two pillewas adjoining on the northern and western sides of about 6 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Nindewela aforesaid.

8. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Evarihena of about 4 lahas kurakkan sowing, situate at Nindapella aforesaid.

On October 9, 1931, at 1 p.m. on the Spot.

9. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of those high and low lands called Hingurekumbura of 6 pelas paddy sowing, Diulghamulawatta of 3 kurunies kurakkan sowing, Thorehena of about 5 lahas kurakkan sowing, Hingurekumbura of 1 pela paddy sowing, Ihalahingura of 2 pelas paddy sowing,

iswetiya of 1 pela paddy sowing, and the pillewa and kotuwa of about 4 lahas kurakkan sowing, all situate at Kemburapola in Yaticaha korale.

On October 9, 1931, commencing at 2 p.m. on land
No. 10 herein below.

10. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the land called Nika-gollewatta of about 3 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Magulagama in Yaticaha korale.

11. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Walawwewatta of about 1 pela kurakkan sowing, situate at Magulagama aforesaid.

12. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of those high lands called Kekunagollewatta of about 1 laha kurakkan sowing, and of its adjoining Bogahamulahena of about 5 lahas kurakkan sowing, situate at Kekunagolla in Yaticaha korale.

On October 9, 1931, commencing at 4 p.m. on land
No. 13 herein below.

13. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Meegahamulawatta of 3 lahas kurakkan sowing, situate at Agareuda in Angomu korale.

14. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of those high and low lands called Hettinawalakumbura of 3 pelas paddy sowing and of its adjoining pillewa of about 4 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Agareuda aforesaid.

15. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of those high and low lands called Dangahakumbura of 1 pela and 5 lahas paddy sowing and of its adjoining pillewa of about 5 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Agareuda aforesaid.

16. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Karuwalagahakumbura of 3 pelas paddy sowing, situate at Agareuda aforesaid.

17. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Kandabadakumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing, situate at Agareuda aforesaid.

18. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Meegahakumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing, situate at Agareuda aforesaid.

19. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Meegahamulawatta of about 2 seers kurakkan sowing, situate at Agareuda aforesaid.

On October 10, 1931, commencing at 10 a.m. on land
No. 20 herein below.

20. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Alutwalawwewatta of about 6 lahas kurakkan sowing, with the buildings standing thereon, situate at Piduma in Yaticaha korale.

21. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Pottekumbura of 3 amunams paddy sowing, situate at Piduma aforesaid.

22. All that undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of Godayavehenyaya of about 2 pelas kurakkan sowing, situate at Piduma aforesaid.

Further particulars from me—

D. S. WIJAYAMANNA,
Kurunegala, September 14, 1931. Auctioneer.

Application for Enrolment as an Advocate.

I, PAUL CASSIUS JANSZ of St. Peters, Havelock Town, Colombo, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Supreme Court to be admitted and enrolled an Advocate of the said Honourable Court.

Colombo, September 16, 1931. P. CASSIUS JANSZ.

Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.

I, UDAGAMA WIJEYATUNGE ARATCHIGE, PEDRICK PIYARATNE of Battaramulla in Gampaha District, Yaticaha Korale in the District of Colombo, do hereby give notice in terms of rule 22 in schedule 2 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1927 that, three months hence, I shall apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled a Notary Public to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Colombo.

September 2, 1931.

U. W. P. PIYARATNE.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying in the Baggage Office, beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, October 6, 1931, at 1 p.m., unless previously cleared. All goods sold but not cleared within three clear days after the approval of the sale will become liable to the payment of rent at the rates prescribed in the Customs Tariff:—

S. R. No. and Date.	Name.	Vessel.	Number and Description of Packages.
7533 of May 14, 1931	Mrs. P. G. A. Vigne	ss. Otranto	1 parcel illustrated papers
8030 of May 21, 1931	Mr. N. G. Rajagoball	Talaimannar train	9 packets beedies
8031 of May 21, 1931	Mr. Boughton Walker	ss. Kalayan	1 automatic pistol
8217 of May 26, 1931	—	ss. Iyo Maru	1 empty cash box

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, September 9, 1931.

A. N. STRONG,
for Principal Collector.

Vernacular Assisted Training Schools Final Examination, August, 1931.

PASS LIST.

Sinhalese—Men.

MAGGONA CENTRE.		Index No.	Name.	COLOMBO CENTRE.	
Index No.	Name.			Index No.	Name.
<i>Maggona Training School.</i>		61 ..	Salathiel, G.	<i>Musaeus Training School.</i>	
1 ..	Fernando, W. H.	62 ..	Perera, K. N.	129 ..	Asilin Nona, D.
2 ..	Fernando, P. A.	63 ..	Perera, P. R.	130 ..	Bisomenike, W. H. M.
3 ..	Emmanuel, P. D. R.	64 ..	Perera, L. W.	131 ..	Chalo Nona, T. D. (provisional for 3 years)
4 ..	Lio, M. I.	65 ..	Nonis, S. W. H. (provisional for 3 years)	133 ..	Eugene Nona, K. (provisional for 3 years)
5 ..	Paulu Appu, E. A. D.	66 ..	Peter, K. D. S.	135 ..	Fernando, U. A.
6 ..	Jayatunga, D. F.	67 ..	Abeysekera, D. S. G.	136 ..	Fonseka, N. L.
7 ..	Daberera, G. J. P.	68 ..	Herath, H. M.	137 ..	Gunasoma, L.
8 ..	Fernando, C. F.			138 ..	Henadira, D. C.
9 ..	De Silva, J. E.			139 ..	Hettihewa, L.
10 ..	Perera, K. A.			140 ..	Jayaseeli, W. R.
11 ..	Pedru Appuhamy, D. (provisional for 3 years)			141 ..	Jayatilleke, E. P.
12 ..	Fernando, A. L. P.			142 ..	Kalapepathirana, C.
13 ..	Joseph Appu, P. A. D. (provisional for 3 years)			143 ..	Karunanayaka, L.
14 ..	Perera, W. H.			144 ..	Karunaratne, P.
15 ..	Perera, K. T.			145 ..	Kirimenikha, H.
16 ..	Boteju, W. F.			147 ..	Kudahetty, N. L. (provisional for 3 years)
17 ..	James, T. D. J.			149 ..	Mary Nona, L.
18 ..	Hendrick Singho, N.			151 ..	Muthumala, S.
19 ..	Grigoris, S. D.			152 ..	Pathiraja, S. N.
20 ..	Perera, P. S.			154 ..	Pemawathie, V.
21 ..	Gunasekera, D. M.			155 ..	Perera, M. A. G. (provisional for 3 years)
<i>NITTAMBUWA CENTRE.</i>				156 ..	Perera, D. C. (provisional for 3 years)
<i>Nittambuwa Buddhist Training School.</i>				160 ..	Peiris, T. D.
22 ..	De Silva, K. S.			161 ..	Pulwansa, S.
23 ..	Atauda, P. A. (provisional for 3 years)			162 ..	Rajapakse, D. (provisional for 3 years)
24 ..	Gunawardene, T. W. (provisional for 3 years)			164 ..	Rajapakse, W. (provisional for 3 years)
25 ..	Amaradasa, K. D.			165 ..	Ranmenika, M. J. M.
26 ..	Abeywardene, D. C. Y.			166 ..	Ranasinghe, J.
27 ..	Dassanayake, A. E. S.			168 ..	Sauhamy, S. H. (provisional for 3 years)
28 ..	Appuhamy, G. D. A. (provisional for 3 years)			169 ..	Samarasuriya, L. (provisional for 3 years)
29 ..	Fonseka, H. L. (provisional for 3 years)			173 ..	Silva, A. H. T. A.
30 ..	De Silva, T. E.			174 ..	De Silva, U. M. S.
31 ..	Randunupathirana, A. H.			176 ..	Weerasekera, D. G. M. de A. (provisional for 3 years)
32 ..	Kumarasinghe, K. W.			177 ..	Wickramaratne, S. P.
33 ..	Ranawaka, J.			178 ..	Wijesinghe, B. L. M.
34 ..	Charles Singho, P. K.			179 ..	Wijetunga, D. S.
35 ..	Abeywardene, D. S.			<i>PERADENIYA CENTRE.</i>	
36 ..	Jayatunge, S. A. S.			<i>Peradeniya Training School.</i>	
37 ..	Perera, U. D. (provisional for 3 years)			181 ..	Hettiarachchy, D. M.
38 ..	Chandrasekera, M.			182 ..	Perera, K. C. A. (provisional for 3 years)
39 ..	Perera, P. A.			183 ..	Perera, D. T. E. (provisional for 3 years)
40 ..	James Singho, K.			184 ..	Perera, V. L. E. (provisional for 3 years)
42 ..	Gajaman Singho, P. D.			186 ..	De Silva, E. B.
43 ..	Regis, H. A. D.			187 ..	Fernando, W. A.
46 ..	Appuhamy, Y. P. P. (provisional for 3 years)			<i>BALAPITIYA CENTRE.</i>	
48 ..	Louis Singho, P. D.			<i>Siddhartha Training School.</i>	
49 ..	Perera, W. M.			195 ..	Ranasinghe, D. S. (provisional for 3 years)
50 ..	Ratnayake, A. S.			198 ..	Wijesinghe, N. L. (provisional for 3 years)
51 ..	Liyanoris Singho, W. P.			199 ..	Gunaratne, A. A. (provisional for 3 years)
54 ..	Weerasinghe, H. D. A.				
55 ..	Samarasekera, P. D. M. (provisional for 3 years)				
56 ..	Perera, P. W. A. (provisional for 3 years)				
<i>PERADENIYA CENTRE.</i>					
<i>Peradeniya Training School.</i>					
59 ..	Pandipperuma, D. H. (provisional for 3 years)				
60 ..	Mutunayake, T.				

Index No.	Name.	Index No.	Name.	Index No.	Name.	
200	Bhadrawathie, A. B.	285	Fernando, V. B.	370	Thamotherampillai, K. (provisional for 3 years)	
205	Uluvita, L. (provisional for 3 years)	286	Rodrigo, W. S.	375	Selvadurai, A. (provisional for 3 years)	
207	Ganhewa, K. (provisional for 3 years)	287	Fernando, W. G. (provisional for 3 years)	376	Gunaratnam, S.	
208	Uluvita, S. (provisional for 3 years)	JAFFNA CENTRE.			377	Sittampalam, K.
209	Wickremaratne, P. T. L. (provisional for 3 years)	<i>Colombogam Training School.</i>			380	Somasunderam, K. (provisional for 3 years)
WALANA CENTRE.						
<i>Walana Training School.</i>						
212	Silva, D. A.	289	Vethanayagam, N. M. J.	381	Krishnar, S.	
213	Peiris, T. P. W. (provisional for 3 years)	290	Rasendram, S.	384	Manickavasagar, P.	
214	Perera, C. C.	293	Sebamalai, S.	385	Karthigeser, S.	
218	Eglin, U. D.	294	Gnanapragasam, P.	386	Eliyathamby, M.	
220	Samaratunga, D. S. (provisional for 3 years)	295	Crusz, F. S.	387	Sathasivam, N. S.	
221	Sopianona, M. D. (provisional for 3 years)	297	Pakiam, L.	388	Somasunderam, N.	
222	Jayasinghe, D. G. (provisional for 3 years)	298	Gnanapragasam, S.	389	Kathiravelu, K.	
223	Lydia, P. D.	299	Mariampillai, V. (provisional for 3 years)	391	Sinnappu, A.	
225	De Silva, L. E.	300	Philippupillai, M.	TELLIPPALAI CENTRE.		
227	Perera, G. C.	301	Joseph, F.	<i>Tellippallai Training School.</i>		
228	Perera, H. B.	302	Antony, N.	392	Murugesu, V.	
229	Ranasinghe, A. D. C. (provisional for 3 years)	303	Arokianathan, V. S. (provisional for 3 years)	396	Kathiravelu, M.	
230	Perera, K. J. (provisional for 3 years)	KOPAY CENTRE.			400	Ponniah, V. (provisional for 3 years)
231	Seelawathie, M. D.	<i>Government Training School.</i>			403	Maruthappu, S.
232	Nanayakkara, H. M. L.	304	Arumugam, K.	404	Markandu, S.	
233	Linda, H. D. E.	305	Arumugam, R.	405	Muthiah, K.	
234	Peiris, M. A.	306	Athmanathasarama, K. V.	406	Cyrile, A.	
WENNAPPUWA CENTRE.						
<i>Wennappuwa R. C. Training School.</i>						
235	Silva, C. A.	307	Chelliah, V.	407	Kanapathipillai, S. (provisional for 3 years)	
236	Anamaria, P. D.	308	Chelliah, V. S.	408	Sockalingam, S.	
237	Fernando, G. E.	309	Chellathurai, V.	409	Kanapathipillai, C.	
238	Wickramasinghe, L.	310	Chittamparanathar, S.	410	Gnanapragasam, V. S. (provisional for 3 years)	
239	Fernando, M. A. E. T.	311	Chittamparapillai, T.	411	Kumaraguru, K. (provisional for 3 years)	
240	Perera, S. P. C.	312	Eliyathamby, K.	412	Nesarajah, M. (provisional for 3 years)	
241	Jayawardene, R. D. P.	313	Kangesu, K.	Tamil Women.		
242	Perera, G. M. M. (provisional for 3 years)	314	Kassipillai, K.	ILAVALAI CENTRE.		
243	Jayamanne, R. P.	315	Karthigesu, T. P.	<i>Ilvalalai Convent Training School.</i>		
244	Silva, E. C.	316	Krishnapillai, K.	413	Annapillai, K.	
245	Dorothina Sr. M. (provisional for 3 years)	317	Kurunatherpillai, A.	414	Gnanasaunthari, I. (provisional for 3 years)	
246	Hortense, Sr. M.	318	Mylvaganam, S.	415	Catherinapillai, B.	
247	Maxima, Sr. M.	319	Murugesupillai, K.	416	Gnanamma, A. (provisional for 3 years)	
248	Perera, M. M. (born Oct. 4, 1911)	320	Nadarajah, S.	418	Gnanamma, J.	
249	Catherine, P. D.	321	Nagalingam, K.	419	Margerat, R. I. (provisional for 3 years)	
251	Jayatilleke, S. J.	322	Nallathamby, K.	420	Mariamamma, S.	
252	Perera, B. R.	323	Nallathamby, P. T. S.	421	Margeratamma, S.	
253	Silva, M. M.	324	Ratnam, K. P.	422	Lily, J. M. M.	
Tamil—Men.						
BATTICALOA CENTRE.						
<i>Arasady Training School.</i>						
256	Murugesupillai, K. (provisional for 3 years)	325	Ratnam, P. (provisional for 3 years)	423	Arulamma, A.	
257	Pavlasingham, V. (provisional for 3 years)	326	Sabapathipillai, K. V.	424	Lussia, Sr. Mary	
258	Kulasingham, S. A. (provisional for 3 years)	327	Sabapathipillai, V.	425	Margerat, Sr. S. M.	
259	Selvanayagam, P.	328	Sangarapillai, S.	426	Hellena, Sr. Mary (provisional for 3 years)	
260	Chelliah, J. M.	329	Saravanamuttu, S.	427	Clara, I.	
261	Thambirasa, W. M.	330	Thambiah, K.	UDUVIL CENTRE.		
262	Elias Appuhamy, P. (provisional for 3 years)	331	Thambiah, P.	<i>Ramanathan Training School.</i>		
263	Subramaniam, K.	332	Thamotherampillai, S.	433	Annapuranam, N.	
264	Sittamparapillai, M. K.	333	Thangaswamy Iyer, S.	435	Kamalambal, T. (provisional for 3 years)	
265	Kanapathipillai, V.	335	Thuraiswamy, K.	438	Thangamma, S.	
266	Nalliah, S. M.	336	Velupillai, M.	441	Sinnachi, S.	
<i>Pulianthivu Training School.</i>						
271	Kannamuttu, S.	337	Kumaraswamy, K.	442	Thangaratnam, S. (provisional for 3 years)	
272	Chellathamby, K.	338	Ponniah, B.	444	Ratnam, S.	
274	Velupillai, S.	TINNEVELY CENTRE.			451	Sivakolunthu, V.
275	Kandiah, V.	<i>Jaffna Saiva Training Institute.</i>			<i>Union Women's Training Institute.</i>	
276	Bastampillai, M.	341	Sinnadurai, V. (provisional for 3 years)	453	Ponnu, M.	
BOLAWALANA CENTRE.						
<i>Bolawalana R. C. Training School.</i>						
278	Perera, M. S. (provisional for 3 years)	343	Vallipuram, A. K. (provisional for 3 years)	454	Pooranam, S.	
279	Perera, M. V.	346	Kandappu, S. (provisional for 3 years)	455	Gnanaparanam, T.	
280	Fernando, K. L.	347	Selliah, S. S.	456	Mamangam, V.	
282	Fernando, T. R. (provisional for 3 years)	348	Ponniah, K. (provisional for 3 years)	457	Nasamma, M. (provisional for 3 years)	
Education Office,						
Colombo, September 8, 1931.						

**English School—Leaving Certificate Examination,
July, 1931.**

THE "Dr. Hewawitarne Memorial Prize" of Rs. 50 in cash, awarded by Mrs. C. A. Hewawitarne in memory of the late Dr. C. A. Hewawitarne to the best candidate under nineteen years of age, has been won by candidate No. CC 23 Gladys Fernando of St. Paul's Girls' English School, Campbell Park, Colombo.

Education Office,
Colombo, September 9, 1931.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

C/Prince College, Kotahena.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. P. D. S. Jayasekera for grant in aid of the above Junior Secondary Boys' English School, which is situated at Kotahena within the Colombo Municipal limits of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than October 18, 1931.

Education Office,
Colombo, September 18, 1931.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. G. W. Harrison has been appointed Manager of the schools that were under the management of Rev. R. A. Nelson, with effect from September 3, 1931.

Education Office,
Colombo, September 9, 1931.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. A. Mahadeva has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below in place of Mr. R. Mahadeva.

School referred to.

C/Vivekananda Tamil Mixed School.

Education Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

**NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE
ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."****Excise Local Option Notice.**

IT is hereby notified for public information that application for the reopening of the Arrack and Foreign Liquor Taverns at Periyakadai, Mannar, by Local Option Poll, has been received and that the preliminary list of the voters is ready for inspection at the Mannar Kachecheri.

Objections to and claims for the inclusion of names in the list should be made up to and including September 30, 1931.

R. M. DAVIES,
The Kachecheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Mannar, September 12, 1931.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.**CEYLON NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

No. 14 of 1931.

NORTH-EAST MONSOON.

Alteration in Lights and Buoyage.

Colombo Approach.—Drunken Sailor Buoy has been relaid.

Dehiwala Buoys, Mount Lavinia, will be relaid from November 16.

Jaffna Bay.—Mandaitivu light will be exhibited from October 15.

Jaffna obelisk light from same date.

Trincomalee.—Back Bay light will be extinguished from November 1.

Batticaloa.—Beacon Rock Buoy will be withdrawn from October 15.

Kandala Buoy from same date.

No further notice will be issued.

Charts affected: No. 815, Harbour and Bays of Trincomalee; No. 68A, Palk Strait and Gulf of Mannar; Northern Sheet: No. 2,197, Point Pedro to Delft Island; No. 2,031, Ceylon East Coast; No. 3,686, Approaches to Colombo.

Publication: Bay of Bengal Pilot.

E. C. STUBBS, Captain, R.N. (Retd.),
Master Attendant.

Master Attendant's Office,
Colombo, September 15, 1931.

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

I hereby give notice that I have on September 3, 1931, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, Colombo, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1932, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930:

R. K. Mammoo
Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: T. K. Mammoo, The Grand Oriental Stores, Negombo.

Description of licence or licences applied for: Medicated wines.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Premises bearing assessment No. 333, Main street, Negombo.

M. K. MOOSA
for T. K. MAMMOO,
Grand Oriental Stores, Negombo.

I hereby give notice that on September 14, 1931, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1932, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930:—

Framroze C. Parakh
Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Framroze C. Parakh, Tower Cinema, Maradana.

Description of licence or licences applied for: Retail bar licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Tower Cinema, Maradana.

FRAMROZE PARAKH.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 15, 1931, applied to the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1932, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930:—

Tambimuttu Balasubramaniam
Schedule.

Name and address of the applicant: Tambimuttu Balasubramaniam, Division No. 5, Trincomalee.

Description of licence or licences applied for: Hotel licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Mansion Hotel in Division No. 5, Trincomalee.

T. BALASUBRAMANIAM.

Removal Notice.

I hereby give notice that I have obtained permission from the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, to remove my foreign liquor "Retail off" shop to premises No. 1,369, Broadway, from October 1, 1931.

George Senaratne
Licensee.

GEORGE SENARATNE.
Licensee.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

General Meeting.

Wednesday, August 5, 1931, at 3 p.m.

The Council met this day at 3 p.m., pursuant to notice, dated July 29, 1931.

Present :—Mr. W. T. Stace, B.A., Litt, D., C.C.S., J.P., Chairman; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Dr. E. V. Ratnam; Mr. R. L. Pereira, K.C.; Dr. E. A. Coorey; Mr. G. W. Dodds; Mr. T. G. Jayewardene, V.D., J.P.; Mr. M. L. M. Royal; Dr. S. Muttiah; Mr. S. W. R. Dias Bandaranaike, M.S.C.; Mr. T. C. Dyball; Mr. F. Dadabhoy, J.P.; Mr. W. J. Thornhill; Lt.-Col. F. A. Ferguson, D.S.O.; Mr. J. S. Collett and Mr. H. H. Bartholomeusz.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of July 8, 1931, having been previously printed and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of the General Meeting of July 8, 1931, be confirmed.

2. Pursuant to notice, Dr. E. A. Coorey asked the following questions which the Chairman answered :—

Q.—(1) Will the Chairman be pleased to state :—The number of Government bungalows and other Government buildings that were erected within Municipal limits between 1919 and 1924 and the number after 1924? A.—This information is not available in the Municipal Office. The Director of Public Works has been asked to supply it.

Q.—(2) The value of Public Works Department buildings in Colombo, as assessed by Government up to 1919, and that as assessed after 1924? A.—The value in 1919 was Rs. 617,037. In 1923 the Municipal Assessor valued Government buildings at Rs. 803,375, and in 1928 Government decided to pay on this value as from October 1, 1927.

Q.—(3) Whether it is agreed that hospitals are to be included among Public Works Department buildings that are to be assessed, and, if so, whether they have been included in the assessment made by Government in 1924? A.—Government has agreed to pay on hospitals, but they have not yet been assessed.

Q.—(4) Whether Public Works Department buildings in Colombo have been assessed after 1924, and, if so, their assessment value? A.—Government buildings have not been assessed after 1924.

Q.—(5) (a) When the Port Commission properties were first assessed? A.—1923.

Q.—(b) Whether they were assessed after this date? A.—No.

Q.—(c) The assessment value of these properties as assessed by Government? A.—Rs. 681,270.

Q.—(d) Whether the breakwater has been included among Port Commission properties to be assessed? A.—No.

Q.—(e) Whether the Council's Assessor is of opinion that the breakwater should be assessed? A.—Yes.

Q.—(6) When the Railway was last assessed and the assessment value thereof? A.—1910. The value was Rs. 389,346. A supplementary assessment made in 1919 brings it up to Rs. 417,562.

Q.—(7) The total assessment value of Government properties in Colombo, as assessed by Government up to the last date of assessment? A.—Rs. 1,902,207, excluding Naval and Military properties. If they are included the figure is Rs. 2,093,722.

Q.—(8) The sum of money Government agreed to pay annually, pending early re-assessment, as contribution in lieu of rates on Government properties after the conference in 1927 which settled the financial relations with Government? A.—Rs. 380,441, excluding Naval and Military properties. If they are included the figure is Rs. 418,744.

Q.—(9) What annual revenue the Council agreed to surrender to Government on this agreement? A.—Rs. 260,401.

Q.—(10) What additional contribution Government agreed to make annually after the deputation to His Excellency the Governor in 1929, pending revision of assessment? A.—Rs. 95,000 as from October 1, 1927.

Q.—(11) In view of the fact that a large number of Government buildings of considerable value are not assessed at all and that a large number of properties are under-assessed and as the Council suffers heavy loss, and important improvement works are held up by Government's failure up to date to revise the assessment in spite of the statement made in January 1928, that the revision would be ready by June, 1928, and in view of the fact that the Government, without sufficient reason, refuses to allow the Council's Assessor with his trained staff to revise the assessment and submit the same to the Government Assessor for approval, whether the Chairman will be pleased to consult the Four Standing Committees (together) to consider what further steps may be taken to expedite the revision of the assessment with as little delay as possible? A.—The Chairman will place the matter before the Four Standing Committees as desired.

3. Pursuant to notice, the Chairman moved :—That this Council do place on record its appreciation of the services of Mr. W. E. V. de Rooy, who has resigned his membership and who has been a Member of the Council since May, 1922. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.—Carried.

4. Pursuant to notice, the Chairman moved :—That the Council should resolve itself into a Committee of the whole Council to consider the following extracts from the proceedings of the Committees annexed to the agenda :—Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.—Carried.

Council in Committee.

The following Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of July 21, 1931, was considered.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

5. To consider an application from Dr. H. Ratnarajah, 3rd Assistant Medical Officer of Health, for 7 months and 20 days leave out of the Island, commencing from October 5, 1931, made up, as follows :—Vacation leave 3 months and 19 days; commuted full-pay leave 4 months and 1 day. Total 7 months and 20 days. Registered No. 647. Recommended.

The following Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 22, 1931, was considered.

2. To recommend that, in terms of section 47 of Chapter VIII. of the Municipal Council by-laws, notices be served on the owners of the following premises for the removal of the dangerous coconut trees standing thereon :—(1) Premises adjoining No. 7, Kensington Gardens (two coconut trees). Registered No. 07,804. (2) Premises adjoining No. 48A/4,159 Mosque lane, Mutwal (one coconut tree). Registered No. 07,749.—Recommended.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of July 22, 1931, were considered.

MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider—(a) A detailed estimate of Rs. 800 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for the provision of additional doors of expanded metal and teak framing for the ground floor of the Public Library. (b) An application for supplemental provision of Rs. 800. Registered No. 07,818.—Recommended (a) and (b).

(3) To consider—(a) The quotations received from 2 local firms for a chassis to be used for ambulance purposes. (b) The recommendation of the Mechanical Engineer (supported by the Municipal Engineer and the Municipal Treasurer) that the quotation of Messrs. Hutson & Co., for the Buick Saloon Car at Rs. 4,500, be accepted in preference to the Commercial chassis offered at Rs. 3,100 less 7½ per cent. discount by Messrs. Walker Sons & Co., Ltd., as the ambulances built on the latter type of chassis have been found to be unsatisfactory and he thinks it advantageous to give the passenger chassis a trial. The sanction of Council is necessary for the purchase, as detailed above, and for supplementary provision of Rs. 500 under Vote H. 61, which will be met by the saving of a like amount on Vote G. 5, as explained in the memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 659.—(a) Considered. (b) Recommended, and that supplementary provision of Rs. 500 under Vote H. 61, be passed.

(4) To consider a petition signed by certain residents of St. Joseph's street, Grandpass, praying that the plying of buses along St. Joseph's street be prohibited and that warning boards be put up at Layard's Broadway junction and at the foot of the hill of St. Joseph's street. Registered No. 530.—Recommended that the road be closed from the junction of Urugodawatta road to Prince of Wales' avenue and that the following By-law be adopted:—

By-law referred to.—The use by motor omnibuses of the following highway within the Municipal limits of Colombo is prohibited:—St. Joseph's street from the junction of Urugodawatta road to Prince of Wales' avenue.

(5) To consider detailed estimates submitted by the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) in connection with improvements to the following, as desired by the Medical Officer of Health:—

- (1) *Dispensaries and Child Welfare Centres.*—Estimates submitted amounting to Rs. 2,080. Funds are available on Votes I. 99, 1930, and I. 80, 1931.
- (2) *Cemeteries.*—Estimates submitted amounting to Rs. 2,240. Funds are available on Vote I. 100, 1930.
- (3) *Markets.*—Estimates submitted amounting to Rs. 5,407. Funds are available on Votes I. 101, 1930, and I. 81, 1931. Registered No. 715.—Recommended.

(7) To consider the recommendation of the Drainage Engineer that the tenders of (1) Messrs. P. B. Fernando & Co. of 139, Dam street, amounting to Rs. 1,093.40, be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 86, 88, 90, and 92, Old Kolonnawa road. Registered No. 08,089. (2) Mr. M. H. N. Marikar of 44, Piachaud's lane, Maradana, amounting to Rs. 1,662.20, be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 131B-2, 132 I-3, and 132A I-2, Layard's Broadway. Registered No. 08,744.—Recommended (1) and (2).

(8) To consider the reference by Council on July 8, 1931. "That the matter be placed before the Works and Finance Committees" regarding the following motion that stood in the name of Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando, M.M.C.:—"That the sale of vested properties on which no taxes are due to the Council be postponed for one year as at the present time of depression such properties will not fetch anything like their true marketable value." Registered No. 641.—Recommended.

(9) To consider—(a) The quotations received, locally, as well as through the Council's London Agents, for the supply of tools, as per list flagged "A" attached to papers. (b) The recommendation of Mechanical Engineer (supported by the Municipal Engineer and the Municipal Treasurer) that the quotations, be accepted as follows:—

Local quotations.—(1) Messrs. Brown & Co., Ltd., Group G. Rs. 885.02. *London quotations.*—(1) Messrs. A. and F. Parkes & Co., Ltd., Group A. £112. 1s. 2d., Group E. £116. 18s. 2d.—£228. 19s. 4d., C.I.F. (2) Steel Iron Workers Ltd., Group B. £73. 10s., C.I.F. (3) Messrs. E. W. Perrett, Ltd., Group C. £102. 9s., C.I.F. (4) Messrs. Buck & Hickman Ltd., Group D. £52. 10s. 4d., C.I.F. (5) Messrs. John Rabone & Sons Ltd., Group F. £15. 19s. 8d., C.I.F. The Mechanical Engineer states that the quotations recommended are the lowest except in 2 cases.

The Council's sanction is required for purchase as follows:—(a) Messrs. Brown & Co., Ltd., Group G. at Rs. 885.02. (b) Through Council's Agents, Groups A, B, C, D, E, and F at a total cost of £473 8s. 4d., C.I.F. (approximately Rs. 6,399) and exclusive of Agent's commission. The cost will be met from Advance Account, Stores, in the first instance, and then debited to sanctioned votes as and when the tools are drawn. Funds are available. Registered No. 728.—Recommended (a) and (b).

(10) To consider—(a) The quotations received through the Council's Agents for the supply of 600 tons of Anthracite Bean for Pumping Stations. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) that the quotation of Messrs. Wm. Cory & Sons Ltd., at 47s. per ton, C.I.F., Colombo, which is 6d. per ton cheaper than the last two deals, be accepted. The cost will, in the first instance, be met from Advance Account, Purchase of Stores, and later debited to sanctioned estimates as and when required to be used. Registered No. 08,740.—Recommended.

WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

(13) To consider letter No. 407 dated June 24, 1931, from the Chairman, Colombo Port Commission, requesting the re-consideration of the question of reducing the charges for water supplied to shipping. Registered No. 635.—Recommended that the Port Commission be informed that, after comparison with the rates charged at other ports in the East, it does not appear to this Council that the rates charged in Colombo are excessive and that the Council regrets that it does not see its way to reduce them.

(14) To consider—(a) An application from Mrs. M. P. Fernando for water service to her three new buildings situated in Sri Wickrema road, Wellawatta. (b) A plan and an estimate of Rs. 588 from the Waterworks Engineer for extending the existing main for a distance of 84 yards. The lane being a private lane the application will have to be dealt with under Ordinance No. 9 of 1916. Mrs. M. P. Fernando applies to pay the above amount of Rs. 588 in 20 quarterly instalments of Rs. 29.40, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum on balances outstanding, thus spreading payment over five years. Registered No. 692.—Recommended.

(15) To consider—(a) An application from Messrs. Lazar Dias and J. N. Paiva for water service to their properties situated in a private lane off Joseph lane, Bambalapitiya. (b) A plan and an estimate of Rs. 677 from the Waterworks Engineer for laying 81 yards of 4 inch diameter main. The lane being a private lane, the application will have to be dealt with under Ordinance No. 9 of 1916. Messrs. Lazar Dias and J. N. Paiva have deposited their proportions of cost amounting to Rs. 557.35 and Mr. D. D. Fonseka has applied to pay the balance, Rs. 119.65, by instalments spread over a period of 2 years. The Waterworks Engineer recommends the laying of the main. Registered No. 700.—Recommended.

(16) To consider—(a) An application from Mr. Seyed Alawi Moulana for water service to premises No. 7, Zaleski place, off Temple road, Maradana. (b) A plan and an estimate of Rs. 196 from the Waterworks Engineer for extending the main for a distance of 28 yards. The lane being a private lane, the application will have to be dealt with under Ordinance No. 9 of 1916. Mr. Moulana applies to pay this small amount by monthly instalments of Rs. 10.88, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum on balances outstanding, stating that he is a Muslim Priest, and that he has no income other than the donation he gets. *Note.*—The Municipal Treasurer states that the application is in order and that the sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 734.—Recommended.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of July 22, 1931, were considered.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(3) To consider an application from the Medical Officer of Health (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 450, under Vote H. 26, "Salaries" and Rs. 542, under Vote H. 28, "Wages of coolies" for reasons stated in his application. Registered No. 07,517.—Recommended.

(4) To consider an application from the Medical Officer of Health (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 3,500 on Vote H. 7, "Up-keep of Infectious Disease Motor Ambulances" for reasons stated in the Municipal Engineer's report dated July 1, 1931, attached to papers. Registered No. 718.—Recommended.

(6) To consider an application from Dr. H. Ratnarajah, 3rd Assistant Medical Officer of Health for 7 months and 20 days leave out of the Island, commencing from October 5, 1931, made up, as follows:—Vacation leave, 3 months 19 days; commuted full-pay leave, 4 months 1 day. Total 7 months, 20 days. Registered No. 647.—Recommended.

(7) To consider—(a) A memorandum of the Medical Officer of Health, dated July 17, 1931, recommending that, as Mr. W. E. Perera, who was appointed a Sanitary Inspector by resolution of Council July 8, 1931, was acting in the post from July 3, 1931, the date of appointment be given retrospective effect. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 598.—Recommended.

MUNICIPAL ASSESSOR'S DEPARTMENT.

(8) To consider an application from the Municipal Assessor (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 150 on Vote L 2, "Allowances" for reasons stated in his application. Registered No. 08,224.—Recommended.

(9) To consider—(a) A request from the Loan Board for the services of the Municipal Assessor for the valuation of a property in the Fort. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman, dated July 21, 1931.—Recommended that the Municipal Assessor be permitted to undertake the work, half the fee being credited to the Council.

FIRE BRIGADE.

(11) To consider—(a) A report of the Acting Superintendent, Fire Brigade, dated July 8, 1931, regarding a fire call from Panadure, suggesting that only half the usual charges should be made, as although the Fire Brigade was called out, it did not attend and requesting a definite ruling as to the responsibility for the payment of Brigade charges in cases of fires outside the Municipal area. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman dated July 10, 1931. Registered No. 08,040.—Recommended that only half the fee, namely, Rs. 87.50, be charged.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(15) To consider—(a) An application, dated July 2, 1931, from Mr. Tudor V. Perera for an extension of his study leave up till June 30, 1932. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Municipal Treasurer, dated July 21, 1931. Registered No. 746.—Recommended.

LEAVE.

(16) To recommend that under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of further 3 days making 21 days over 42 days granted to Mr. L. M. Karunaratne, Market-keeper, Public Health Department, be sanctioned. Registered No. 07,805.—Recommended.

(17) To recommend under section 17 A (ii.) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the grant of half-pay to cooly Muttiah, B.T. 1,592 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, for the period of February 16 to March 20, 1931, during which he was absent from work due to illness arising out of an accident that took place while on duty and not due to his own culpable carelessness. Registered No. 08,008.—Recommended.

(18) To recommend—(a) That under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 22 days over 42 days granted to Mrs. Iris Marsden, Public Health Nurse of the Public Health Department, be sanctioned. (b) That under section 10 (1) she may be granted 16 days over 91 days vacation leave on half-pay as she has no lapsed leave available. Registered No. 08,257.—Recommended.

(19) To recommend that under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 1 day over 42 days granted to Mrs. F. E. M. Harris, Public Health Nurse of the Public Health Department be sanctioned. Registered No. 08,793.—Recommended.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES.

(20) To consider—(a) Applications from : (1) Martin Perera, Bicycle Orderly of the Public Health Department, for an advance of Rs. 84 to enable him to purchase a bicycle for official duties. Registered No. 08,710. (2) N. P. Perera, Bicycle Orderly, Public Health Department, for an advance of Rs. 90 to enable him to purchase a bicycle for official duties. Registered No. 08,711. (3) Mr. S. Berman, Sub-Inspector of the Public Health Department, for an advance of Rs. 300 to enable him to purchase a rickshaw for official duties. Registered No. 08,712. (4) D. J. Seneviratne, Bicycle Orderly of the Secretariat, for an advance of Rs. 135, to enable him to purchase a bicycle for official duties. Registered No. 08,772. (b) The recommendations of the Municipal Treasurer that the advances be made on the usual terms, viz., that the amounts be repaid in twelve equal monthly instalments and that 5 per cent. per annum be charged as interest on the balances outstanding from time to time.—Recommended.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

21. To recommend under rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 281.49 to Ramasamy, Special Cooly No. 144 of the Waterworks Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 174 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 29.12. *Note.*—This cooly's service had been interrupted by breaks aggregating to 14 months in all and there is no reliable evidence as to their real cause. But they can be condoned under second proviso to section 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Minute, which runs as follows :—"It shall, however, be competent for the Council, with the consent of His Excellency the Governor, to award such gratuities in cases in which the service has not been continuous." Registered No. 687.—Recommended.

(22) To recommend under rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 1,174.65 to Overseer K. M. Coorey of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 183 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 115.54. Registered No. 714.—Recommended.

(23) To recommend under rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 431.12 to Seruwaran, B.T. 3,028 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 225 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 34.49. *Note.*—This cooly's service had been interrupted by breaks aggregating to 10 months in all and there is no reliable evidence as to their real cause. But they can be condoned under second proviso to section 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Minute, which runs as follows :—"It shall, however, be competent for the Council, with the consent of His Excellency the Governor, to award such gratuities in cases in which the service has not been continuous." Registered No. 713.—Recommended.

(24) To recommend under rules 2 (iii.) and 2 A (i.) of the new Pension Rules, the grant of a reduced pension, with effect from July 3, 1931, of Rs. 1,619.25 per annum and a gratuity of Rs. 5,397.50 as computed below, to Mr. Edgar Ambrose, Sanitary Inspector of the Public Health Department :—Pension payable per annum, Rs. 2,159; $\frac{1}{4}$ commuted at 10 years' purchase, Rs. 5,397.50. The reduced pension payable per annum from July 3, 1931, is Rs. 1,619.25. Registered No. 716.—Recommended.

(25) To recommend under rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 443.77 to Ahamado, Mason, B.T. 1,573 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who retires on grounds of age. The gratuity is based on his services of 166 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 48.12. Registered No. 717.—Recommended.

WRITE OFF OF ARREARS OF RATES.

(26) To consider a report of the Municipal Treasurer dated July 14, 1931, recommending that arrears of rates amounting to Rs. 400.63, as per list attached to his report, be written off; (27) cases, 26 cases on grounds of poverty and 1 irrecoverable).—Registered No. 08,302.—Recommended.

RECONVEYANCE OF A PROPERTY VESTED IN THE COUNCIL.

(27) To recommend reconveyance of the premises, vested in the Council, mentioned in the annexed list (as per annexure A) to the parties named, on payment of all rates and costs which would have been due up to the quarter in which the reconveyance may be signed, had the property not been vested in the Council.—Recommended.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of July 25, 1931, were considered.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

4. To consider a report of the Municipal Treasurer, dated July 23, 1931, regarding premises Nos. 1,759a and b/46c, new Nos. 66/5 and 66/6, Temple road, vested in the Council for non-payment of rates and sold by public auction realizing Rs. 625 and leaving a surplus of Rs. 592.66, requesting sanction of Council to refund, in terms of the amending Ordinance No. 32 of 1930, to Sinne Lobbe Marikar Idruss and Sinne Lobbe Marikar Mohamed Sherief. *Note.*—A vote for the amount of Rs. 592.66 is necessary. Registered No. 08,930.—Recommended, and that a vote for the sum of Rs. 592.66 be sanctioned.

RECONVEYANCE OF A PROPERTY, VESTED IN THE COUNCIL.

7. To recommend reconveyance of the premises, vested in the Council, mentioned in the annexed list (as per annexure A) to the parties named, on payment of all rates and costs which would have been due up to the quarter in which the reconveyance may be signed, had the property not been vested in the Council.—Recommended.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Four Standing Committees (meeting together) of July 27, 1931, were considered.

MUNICIPAL ASSESSOR'S DEPARTMENT.

5. With reference to the following proposal of Dr. E. V. Ratnam :—“ That on account of general financial depression the Chairman should, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 123 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, revise the assessment of any property on proof that the present annual income thereof is less than that assessed for the year 1931,” to consider (a) the legal opinion (b) the reference by Council of July 8, 1931, that the matter be referred to the Four Standing Committees (meeting together). (c) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman, dated July 16, 1931. Registered No. 553.—Recommended that an amendment of the Law, on the lines suggested by Dr. E. V. Ratnam, is not feasible or desirable.—Dr. E. V. Ratnam dissented.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Dr. E. V. Ratnam opposed the recommendation of the Standing Committees. Mr. S. W. R. Dias Bandaranaike explained the reasons which led the Four Standing Committees to make their recommendation. The Chairman also supported the recommendation of the Committees. Dr. E. V. Ratnam further explained his views.

6. To consider—(a) The objection raised by Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader regarding the notices served on the owners of premises Nos. 191-197, Norris road, and certain other properties in 2nd Cross street and Maliban street, Pettah, notifying them of increased assessments as there were structural additions during the year. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman, dated July 15, 1931. Registered No. 07,996.—Recommended that the Minister of Local Administration be asked to promote an amendment of the law to enable the Council to revise the assessment at any time in case of physical alterations to any property resulting in an increase or decrease of value. Dr. E. V. Ratnam dissented.

The following Extract from the Minutes of the Special Committee regarding the Public Library of August 1, 1931, was considered.

4. To consider—(a) A detailed estimate of Rs. 800 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for the provision of additional doors of expanded metal and teak framing for the ground floor of the Public Library. (b) An application for supplemental provision of Rs. 800. Registered No. 07,818.—Recommended.

5. The Chairman moved in Committee—That the Council do resume. Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.—Carried.

6. The Chairman moved in Council that the resolutions of Council in Committee and the recommendations of the various Committees, subject to any amendments of such recommendations by the Council in Committee, be adopted.—Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded.—Carried.

7. The Council proceeded to elect, by ballot, a member in place of Mr. W. E. V. de Rooy, resigned, for the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects. The Chairman declared Mr. H. H. Bartholomeusz unanimously elected.

8. The following documents were also laid on the table :—

(1) Statements of Receipts and Disbursements from January 1 to June 30, and Progress Reports showing expenditure for June, 1931.

(2) Weekly statements of Plague.

(3) Attendance Return of Committees of the Municipal Council for 1931.

(4) C. L. I. Band Programme for August, 1931.

(5) Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for June, 1931.

(6) The Municipal Engineer's Report for July, 1931, on the condition of Tramway routes.

(7) The Drainage Engineer's Report on House Drainage, No. 243 for June, 1931.

(8) Diaries of the following Officers for the month of July, 1931, with a statement of out-door work done :—

Municipal Engineer's Department.—The Municipal Engineer; the Drainage Engineer; the Works Engineer; the Assistant Drainage Engineer; the Engineer, Sanitation; the Engineer, Roads; the Mechanical Engineer; the Assistant Works Engineer; the 2nd Assistant Drainage Engineer; the Engineer House Drainage; the Engineer, Pumping Stations; the Assistant Engineer (Mr. R. Kumaranayagam) the Maintenance Inspectors (four), and the Chief Playground Instructor. The Engineer Buildings, was on leave.

Waterworks Department.—The Waterworks Engineer, and the Chief Assistant Waterworks Engineer. The Assistant Engineer is on leave.

Public Health Department.—The Medical Officer of Health, the Chief Assistant Medical Officer of Health, 2nd Assistant Medical Officer of Health, the 3rd Assistant Medical Officer of Health, Assistant Medical Officer-in-charge of Maternity and Child-Welfare and the City Microbiologist.

Veterinary Department.—The Veterinary Surgeon and Veterinary Inspectors (three).

Municipal Treasurer's Department.—The Municipal Treasurer, the Assistant Municipal Treasurer, and Revenue Inspectors (twelve).

Municipal Assessor's Department.—The Municipal Assessor, the Assistant Municipal Assessor and the 2nd Assistant Municipal Assessor.

(9) The Charity Commissioner.

(10) Monthly Reports of work done by the following officers for the month of July, 1931 :—

The City Analyst and the City Microbiologist.

Confirmed on September 9, 1931.

W. T. STACE,
Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

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ANNEXURE A.

List referred to in Item Regarding Reconveyance of Properties, Vested in Council.

Premises.	To be reconveyed to	Sum paid		Quarter up to which payment is made.
		Rs.	c.	
(1) No. 1,105/63, Galkapanawatta Registered No. 08,812	Maggonage Ugo Fernando to undivided 44/80 shares, M. John Fernando to undivided 9/80 shares, M. Benedict Fernando to undivided 9/80 shares, M. Winifred Fernando to undivided 9/80 shares, and W. Evelylin Juliet Ranawickrama to undivided 9/80 shares	982	75	1st quarter, 1931.

General Meeting.

Wednesday, September 2, 1931, at 3 p.m.

The Council met this day at 3 p.m., pursuant to notice, dated August 26, 1931.

Present :—Mr. W. T. Stace, B.A., LLT. D., C.C.S., J.P., Chairman; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Dr. E. V. Ratnam; Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando; Dr. E. A. Coorey; Mr. G. W. Dodds; Mr. T. G. Jayewardena, V.D., J.P.; Mr. N. R. Blande; Mr. A. H. G. Dawson; Mr. M. L. M. Reyal; Dr. S. Muttiah; Mr. S. W. R. Dias Bandaranaike, M.S.C.; Mr. T. C. Dyball; Mr. F. Dadabhoy, J.P.; Mr. W. J. Thornhill; Lieut.-Colonel F. A. Ferguson, D.S.O.; Mr. J. S. Collett; and Dr. L. A. Prins, I.S.O.

The Chairman referred to the sad death of Mr. H. H. Bartholomeusz, which occurred that day, and, with the permission of Council, moved—(1) That this Council do place on record its deepest regret at the death of Mr. H. H. Bartholomeusz who was nominated a member of the Council on July 30 last; (2) That a copy of this resolution, with an expression of the Council's sympathy with them in their bereavement, be conveyed by the Chairman to his widow and the other members of his family. The motion was put to the meeting and carried in silence, all the members standing.

With the permission of Council, Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader moved that, as a mark of respect to the late Mr. H. H. Bartholomeusz, the meeting be adjourned for 3 p.m. on Wednesday, September 9, 1931. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded.—Carried.

Confirmed on September 9, 1931.

W. T. STACE,
Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.W. T. STACE,
Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

Summary of Income and Expenditure from January 1 to July 31, 1931.

HEAD OF INCOME.	Estimated Income for 1931.		Income from January 1 to June 30, 1931.		Income for July, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Taxes	84,700	0	71,999	45	1,895	15	73,894	60
B.—Licences	511,600	0	434,573	99	14,110	57	448,684	56
C.—Judicial fines	100,000	0	42,078	38	6,036	0	48,114	38
D.—Tolls	2,500	0	470	2	105	0	575	2
E.—Markets	165,400	0	81,429	83	13,429	16	94,858	99
F.—Slaughter-house	73,000	0	32,741	85	5,758	25	38,500	10
G.—Conservancy	3,700	0	2,356	0	580	0	2,836	0
H.—Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station	44,500	0	17,795	20	2,488	75	20,283	95
I.—Consolidated rate	4,080,000	0	2,327,141	9	765,423	26	3,092,564	35
K.—Water	1,046,500	0	475,029	80	74,525	8	549,554	88
L.—Rents	93,850	0	49,429	55	8,949	31	58,378	86
M.—Drainage	27,250	0	15,320	80	3,438	86	18,759	66
N.—Miscellaneous	152,716	0	73,046	53	6,429	76	79,476	29
O.—Government refunds	125,000	0	103,907	44	—	—	103,907	44
Total	6,510,716	0	3,727,319	93	903,169	15	4,630,489	8

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1931, including unspent balances at 31.12.30 brought forward.		Expenditure from January 1 to June 30, 1931.		Expenditure for July, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Non-effective charges	918,718	34	446,838	1	43,296	25	490,134	26
B.—Chairman	27,600	0	13,800	0	2,299	99	16,099	99
C.—Secretariat	125,296	0	62,513	31	9,938	4	72,451	35
D.—Treasurer's Department	411,745	11	189,951	35	27,568	73	217,520	8
E.—Veterinary Department	147,027	0	57,078	93	10,442	12	67,521	5
F.—Municipal Court	34,370	0	16,813	84	2,979	84	19,793	68
G.—Fire Brigade and Ambulances	76,609	0	36,947	46	5,812	91	42,760	37
H.—Public Health Department	620,154	0	265,533	15	47,070	17	312,603	32
I.—Engineer's Department	4,094,758	58	1,465,617	78	253,997	51	1,719,615	29
K.—Waterworks Department	740,938	80	217,941	14	109,041	74	326,982	88
L.—Assessing Department	481,064	71	136,356	21	20,464	50	156,820	71
M.—Public Library	25,721	0	10,765	97	1,029	29	11,795	26
N.—Charity Commissioner	11,972	0	5,708	64	958	1	6,666	65
Excess of income over expenditure carried to Balance Sheet	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,460,764	89
Total	7,715,974	54	2,925,865	79	534,899	10	4,630,489	8

Balance Sheet, July 31, 1931.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	ASSETS.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Loans outstanding :—						1. Capital expenditure :—					
(a) Government of Ceylon, duplication of 30-inch water main, &c.	3,000,000	0				(a) Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works	—			3,554,463	87
Less redemption of loan	359,190	5				(b) Colombo Drainage Works :—					
				2,640,809	95	(1) Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme	17,830,564	12			
(b) Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works	11,072,980	0			(2) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922	1,564,595	66				
Less redemption of loan	1,325,768	24			(3) Public lavatories and house connections	753,328	10			20,148,487	88
				9,747,211	76	(c) Raising of Labugama reservoir dam	—			319,293	76
2. Kochechikade Slum Improvement Scheme :—					(d) Town Hall at Victoria park	—				1,624,214	86
(a) Loan from Government of Ceylon	50,000	0			(e) Child Welfare Centre :—						
(b) Contribution from Municipal Fund	105,628	22			(1) Land	52,500	0				
				155,628	22	(2) Buildings	107,434	1		159,934	1
3. Grant-in-aid :—					(f) Kochechikade Slum Improvement Scheme	—				97,531	13
Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works	—			7,100,000	0					25,903,925	51
4. Waterworks reserve fund	—			392,773	60	2. Amounts advanced to Municipal Council officials for purchase of vehicles	—			4,560	31
5. Redemption of Debt Account :—					3. Workshop Account	—				64,018	90
(a) Loan redeemed—Waterworks	359,190	5			4. Advance accounts :—						
(b) Loan redeemed—Colombo Drainage Works	1,325,768	24			(a) Miscellaneous	11,723	60				
				1,684,958	29	(b) Municipal quarries	10,878	67			
6. Permanent works executed out of revenue :—					(c) Works pending recovery	38,031	10			67,339	82
(a) Waterworks	554,463	87			(d) Making articles for stock	6,706	45			4,615	71
(b) Colombo Drainage Works (extensions to scheme)	1,482,511	74			5. Sundry debtors	—					
(c) Town Hall at Victoria park	330,526	37			6. Expenditure on laying water mains in private streets	170,946	23				
				2,367,501	98	Less recoveries from land owners	139,431	26		31,514	97
7. Amount received on realization of sinking funds, investment and interest thereon	—			2,105,978	39	7. Expenditure on aided house drainage	538,898	24			
8. Child Welfare Centre :—					Less recoveries from owners	321,757	57			217,140	67
(a) Contribution from War Memorial Fund and interest	94,259	93			8. Stores on hand :—						
(b) Revenue contributions	65,674	8			(a) General	425,576	46				
				159,934	1	(b) Waterworks	490,093	51		915,669	97
9. Insurance Fund and interest thereon	—			95,119	65	9. Investments :—					
10. Depreciation Fund :—					Ceylon Government 4 per cent. inscribed stock	930	0				
Workshop Plant	26,527	90			Ceylon Savings Bank	2,360	26			3,290	26
Workshop Vehicles	42,295	56			10. Fixed deposit at Imperial Bank of India, Ltd. :—						
				68,823	46	Waterworks Reserve Account	392,773	60			
11. Pettah Library Bequest and interest thereon	—			3,417	52	Insurance Fund Account	95,119	65			
12. Deposits :—					Depreciation Fund Account	68,823	46				
(a) Pending execution of works	23,758	59			Kochechikade Slum Scheme Account	58,097	9			614,813	80
(b) Miscellaneous	19,197	66			11. Fixed Deposit (General) at—						
				42,956	25	Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.	500	0			
13. Securities :—					National Bank of India, Ltd.	10,000	0				
(a) Tenders	—				Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, Ltd.	9,000	0				
(b) Market Stalls	41,608	74			Imperial Bank of India, Ltd.	1,143,646	20			1,163,146	20
(c) Contractors (General)	19,505	0			12. Cash :—						
(d) Contractors Drainage	20,314	0			At Imperial Bank of India, Ltd., on Current Account	246,716	72				
(e) Water supply to shipping	35,000	0			In hand :—						
(f) Municipal Council officials	18,363	4			(1) With Shroff, Municipal Council	850	0				
(g) Rate Collectors	21,850	0			(2) With Municipal Council officials	335	0			247,901	72
(h) Lands	21,514	30									
(i) Miscellaneous	303	63									
(j) Upkeep of graves	4,865	0									
(k) Public Library borrowers	5,583	74									
				188,907	45						
14. Gratuities to minors held in trust	—			1,538	55						
15. Suspense account	—			2,328	38						
16. Receipts in advance	—			2,823	27						
17. Sundry Creditors	—			18,172	52						
18. Surplus or Deficit Account	1,289,330	40		—							
19. Excess of Income over Expenditure up to July 31, 1931, as per Statement of Income and Expenditure	1,169,724	19		2,459,054	59						
				29,237,937	84						
Total						Total					29,237,937 84

Statement of Receipts and Payments on Current Capital Works, July 31, 1931.

HEAD OF RECEIPTS.	Receipts to December 31, 1930.		Receipts to July 31, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration Works :—						
(a) Loan funds	3,000,000	0	—	—	3,000,000	0
(b) Revenue contributions	554,463	87	—	—	554,463	87
2. Colombo Drainage Works :—						
(a) Loan funds	11,072,980	0	—	—	11,072,980	0
(b) Grant-in-aid	7,100,000	0	—	—	7,100,000	0
(c) Revenue contributions	1,336,354	4	146,157	70	1,482,511	74
3. Amount received on realization of sinking funds investment and interest thereon*	2,105,978	39	—	—	2,105,978	39
4. Town Hall at Victoria park :—						
Revenue contributions	330,526	37	—	—	330,526	37
* From this amount was met part :—						
(1) Cost of drainage works and public lavatories, &c., over and above the loan, grant-in-aid and revenue contributions	—	—	—	—	—	—
(2) Raising of Labugama Reservoir dam	—	—	—	—	—	—
(3) Construction of Town Hall at Victoria park	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	25,500,302	67	146,157	70	25,646,460	37

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1931.		Payments to July 31, 1931.		Total	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works	3,554,463	87	3,554,463	87	—	—	3,554,463	87
2. Colombo drainage works :—								
(a) Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme	17,830,564	12	17,830,564	12	—	—	17,830,564	12
(b) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922	1,564,595	66	1,431,188	40	133,407	26	1,564,595	66
(c) Public lavatories and house connections	753,328	10	740,577	66	12,750	44	753,328	10
3. Raising of Labugama Reservoir dam	319,293	76	319,293	76	—	—	319,293	76
4. Town Hall at Victoria park	1,624,214	86	1,624,214	86	—	—	1,624,214	86
Total	25,646,460	37	25,500,302	67	146,157	70	25,646,460	37

Kochchikade Slum Improvement Scheme.

HEAD OF RECEIPT.	Receipts to December 31, 1930.		Receipts to July 31, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Contribution from Municipal fund	105,628	22	—	—	105,628	22
Loan funds	50,000	0	—	—	50,000	0
Total	155,628	22	—	—	155,628	22

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1930.		Payments to July 31, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Architect's fee	1,500	0	1,500	0	—	—	1,500	0
Land	86,653	22	52,476	8	—	—	52,476	8
Buildings	167,563	28	17,463	28	25,208	8	42,671	36
Interest	883	69	548	12	335	57	883	69
Balance unspent	—	—	—	—	—	—	97,531	13
Total	256,600	19	71,987	48	25,543	65	155,628	22

The Town Hall,
Colombo, August 21, 1931.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held at the Municipal Office on Saturday, August 22, 1931, at 9 a.m., pursuant to notice dated August 17, 1931.

Present :—Mr. G. S. Wodeman, Chairman; Mr. C. E. de Vos; Mr. J. E. Perera; Mr. D. I. Durham; Mr. C. L. Wickremasinghe; Mr. T. Amarasuriya; Dr. S. P. Joseph, and Mr. A. J. R. Scharenguivel.

1. With reference to the Minutes of the last meeting Mr. T. Amarasuriya moved to substitute the words "spoke on the motion" for "opposed the motion" in item 10. This was agreed to and the Minutes of the General Meeting of July 18, 1931, as amended, were taken as read and confirmed.

2. Letter from Mr. P. R. Gunasekara :—read.

3. Mr. T. Amarasuriya submitted a petition from the stall holders of the Green Market and requested consideration :—The petition was tabled, and the Chairman said it would be considered by the Standing Committee on Markets and Sanitation.

4. Pursuant to notice, Mr. T. Amarasuriya asked :—(1) What number of cases of Enteric Fever (Typhoid) was reported monthly to the Medical Officer of Health since March, 1931? (2) How many cases reported by Vedaralas as "Unasannapatha" (Typhoid) have been altered into "Continued Fever" cases by the Medical Officer of Health during this period? (3) How many prosecutions have been made since July, 1931, (a) for selling adulterated milk? (b) selling milk without having a registered dairy?

The Chairman replied as follows :—(1) Since March, 1931, 29 cases of enteric fever have been reported :—March, 1 case; April, 1 case; May, 1 case; June, 13 cases; July, 13 cases. Total 29 cases.

(2) 8 cases reported as "Unasannapatha" by Vedaralas were diagnosed as Continued Fever. In six cases the duration of the illness was two weeks or less. One case was treated in the hospital but was not reported by the authorities as enteric fever. One case proved fatal, and the cause of death was reported as continued fever. (3) (a) 14 prosecutions, (b) 11 prosecutions; for the corresponding period 1929-1930 the figures were :—(a) 5 prosecutions, (b) 12 prosecutions.

5. Pursuant to notice, Mr. J. E. Perera asked :—(1) (a) Have notices of assessment for the current year been issued to occupiers of houses within the Municipality under section 117 (3) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910? (b) When were they issued? (c) What is the usual period to issue them? (2) (a) Have all the wards been served with the notices? (b) Has there been any delay? (c) Can such delay be avoided in the future? (d) Will such delay (if any) militate against the reduction of assessment when objections are preferred? (3) Have recovery of taxes been made before the issue of assessment notices? (4) (a) Have all objections to assessments been inquired into? (b) Have any decreases been made after recovery of taxes? (c) Will the over payments if any be refunded? (d) Have any such overpayments been refunded? (5) (a) What is the present method of service of assessment notices? (b) Has the Chairman received any complaints regarding the non-receipt of assessment notices?

The Chairman replied as follows :—(1) (a) Yes. (b) On various dates. (c) Within the 1st half year. (2) (a) Yes. (b) The work of writing out 10,000 Assessment Notices have taken about a month longer than usual. This is due to the fact that the work has been entrusted to the typist sanctioned by the Council on October 12, 1929, in lieu of employing extra temporary assistance as a measure of retrenchment. (c) The delay can only be avoided by the employment and payment of additional clerks for this work. (d) No: on the contrary the slight delay has enabled several ratepayers to secure a reduction in their assessment. (3) Yes. (4) (a) Yes. (b) Yes. (c) Yes. (d) Yes. (5) (a) Notices are issued in counterfoil to collectors. They report date of service on the counterfoils which are filed of record in the office.

6. To consider payment to collectors of a reduced rate of commission for rates collected on warrants :—Resolved that the question be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment.

7. To consider the purchase by Council of property No. 11, Dangedera, Ward No. 2, for non-payment of rates—Resolved that the sale be confirmed.

8. To submit letter No. 951/08043 from the Chairman, Municipal Council, Colombo, on the subject of section 123 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.—Read.

9. To consider the tenders for the High Tension Scheme :—Resolved that the Chairman, Mr. T. Amarasuriya, Mr. A. J. R. Scharenguivel, and Mr. D. I. Durham do form a Special Committee to open the tenders and consider and report to Council.

10. To consider the abolition of the post of Waste Detection Overseer :—Resolved that the post be not abolished.

11. To consider claim from Mr. E. A. Paulas of Kandewatta for damage caused to his land by the action of the Council in removing silt from the Keppu-ela :—Resolved that the Chairman; the Provincial Engineer; Mr. T. Amarasuriya, Member Ward No. 2; and Mr. C. L. Wickremasinghe and the Council's Lawyer do form a Special Committee to deal with the claim. The Committee to meet at 8.30 A.M., on Monday, August 24.

12. To submit letter from the Director of Electrical Undertakings re Electrical Development :—Resolved that Mr. T. Amarasuriya do represent the Council at the meeting in Colombo.

The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works, Finance and Assessment, Markets and Sanitation, Law and General Subjects were laid before the Council :—

13. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of July 25, 1931* :—

(2) To consider 5 applications for water service.—Recommended that they be allowed.

(3) To consider the following estimates :—(a) Rs. 11,500 for laying a 3-inch water main along Elliott road.—Recommended (1) that the work should be taken up at once, (2) that the estimate should be revised in view of the lower rates quoted for pipes, (b) Rs. 600 for building retaining walls to protect the sides of Hume road.—Recommended that consideration of the matter be deferred until next year. (c) Rs. 1,902.41 for improving the permanent building at the Segregation Camp :—Resolved that the papers be circulated. (d) Rs. 325 for purchase of a machine for etching street lamp bulbs :—Resolved that consideration be deferred until next year. (e) Rs. 760 for fencing round the Power Station ground :—Resolved that the papers be circulated. (f) Rs. 225 for replacing 4 terminal boxes which have corroded.—(1) Recommended, (2) resolved that the Superintendent do consider what method should be adopted to arrest damage to the terminal boxes. (g) To consider the charge to be made for electric current for power to (a) the Galle Post Office (b) the Britannia Picture Palace.—Recommended that the charge be 25 cents per unit to (a), and 15 cents per unit to (b)

Resolution.

With regard to item (3) (b) it was resolved that the estimate be considered with the budget for 1932.

The recommendations of the Standing Committee with regard to the remaining items were adopted.

14. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of July 25, 1931* :—

(2) To consider the following estimates :—(a) Rs. 325 for purchase of a machine for etching street lamp bulbs :—Resolved that consideration be deferred until next year. (b) Rs. 760 for fencing round the Power Station grounds :—Resolved that the papers be circulated. (c) Rs. 225 for replacing 4 terminal boxes which have corroded.—(1) Recommended, (2) resolved that the Superintendent do consider what method should be adopted to arrest damage to the terminal boxes. (d) To consider the charge to be made for electric current for power to (a) the Galle Post Office, (b) the Britannia Picture Palace.—Recommended that the charge be 25 cents per unit to (a) and 15 cents per unit to (b).

(3) To consider payment of an allowance to overseer Ludowyke for attending to clerical work in the Municipal Office (Conservancy Department).—Recommended that it should be considered to be part of his duty and no allowance be paid.

(4) To consider the Chairman's recommendation that a fee should be charged for the use of the esplanade by clubs.—Recommended that a nominal charge of Re 1 per annum be made in the case of clubs which do not pay at all for the use of the esplanade.

(5) To consider a letter from "The All Ceylon Ayurvedic Association" for opening free dispensaries :—(1) Considered together with the Standing Committee on Markets and Sanitation, (2) recommended that the Association be informed that at the present time the Council does not see its way to help; but would wish to have some particulars in the event of being able to help at some future time.

Resolution.

Resolved that the above recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.

15. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Markets and Sanitation of July 25, 1931 :—*

(2) To consider a letter from "The All Ceylon Ayurvedic Association" for opening free dispensaries (1) considered together with the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment, (2) recommended that the Association be informed that at the present time the Council does not see its way to help; but would wish to have some particulars in the event of being able to help at some future time.

(3) To consider an application from K. P. Hinniappahamy for the registration of a private burial ground at Bakamunagodawatta, Dagedera :—(1) Considered together with the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects, (2) recommended that the application be refused and that as a general principal Council should refuse all similar applications.

Resolution.

Resolved that the above recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.

16. *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of July 25, 1931 :—*

(1) To consider an application from K. P. Hinniappahamy for the registration of a private burial ground at Bakamunagodawatta, Dagedera :—(1) Considered together with the Standing Committee on Markets and Sanitation, (2) recommended that the application be refused, and that as a general principal Council should refuse all similar applications.

Resolution.

Resolved that the above recommendation of the Standing Committee be adopted.

17. The following documents were laid on the table :—

- (1) Statement of receipts and disbursements to end of July, 1931.
- (2) Progress Report of Works done on estimate during July, 1931.
- (3) Report of the Inspector of Vehicles on carriages plying for hire during July, 1931.
- (4) Diaries of (a) the Medical Officer of Health, (b) the Superintendent of Works, (c) the Inspector of Works, and (d) the Manager, Health Department.

Confirmed :

The Municipal Office,
Galle, September 12, 1931.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chairman.

GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements from January to August 31, 1931.

RECEIPTS.	Amount Estimated.		Receipts to August 31, 1931.		DISBURSEMENTS.	Amount Estimated.		Disbursements to August 31, 1931.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	12,525	0	9,886	45	Non-effective charges ..	33,514	0	24,610	58
Rates ..	131,000	0	102,124	50	Administrative charges ..	92,474	0	61,360	77
Licences ..	29,750	0	20,858	16	Health Department :—				
Judicial fines ..	5,000	0	4,536	2	Sanitation ..	4,150	0	1,700	4
Slaughter-house fees ..	6,300	0	3,220	52	Conservancy ..	36,751	0	24,922	76
Conservancy fees ..	28,600	0	19,815	94	Scavenging ..	26,165	0	17,590	80
Market rents ..	25,816	0	16,221	85	Works Department :—				
Rents ..	11,375	0	8,083	57	Recurrent ..	79,850	0	48,110	62
Cemetery fees ..	400	0	168	0	Extraordinary ..	31,750	0	13,288	51
Water ..	7,850	0	4,420	85	Waterworks ..	11,000	0	4,102	31
Miscellaneous ..	70,853	0	8,679	62	Municipal Court ..	2,100	0	1,010	95
Total Revenue ..	332,469	0	198,015	48	Markets ..	1,148	0	548	98
Deposits ..	—	—	2,700	16	Slaughter-house ..	2,423	0	1,302	40
Advances repaid ..	—	—	694	25	Cemetery ..	460	0	225	50
Advances repaid by Electricity Department ..	—	—	69,573	0	Street lighting ..	20,300	0	13,463	0
Government grant for Water Supply Scheme ..	—	—	50	0	Miscellaneous ..	55,780	0	16,473	21
Government loan for Water Supply Scheme ..	—	—	—	—	Total Expenditure ..	397,865	0	228,715	43
Total receipts ..	—	—	271,032	89	Deposits repaid ..	—	—	1,675	16
Cash balance on January 1, 1931 ..	—	—	172,826	44	Advances ..	—	—	75	0
					Advance to Electricity Department, revenue account ..	—	—	46,245	79
					Advance to Electricity Department, capital account ..	—	—	3,722	9
					Water Supply Scheme ..	—	—	250	0
					Total disbursements ..	—	—	280,683	47
					Cash balance on August 31, 1931 ..	—	—	163,175	86
Total ..	—	—	443,859	33	Total ..	—	—	443,859	33

Surplus and Deficit Account.

	Amount.		Amount.		
	Rs.	c.	Rs.		
Expenditure from January 1 to August 31, 1931 ..	228,715	43	Surplus on January 1, 1931 ..	293,725	38
Surplus on August 31, 1931 ..	263,025	43	Revenue from January to August 31, 1931 ..	198,015	48
Total ..	491,740	86	Total ..	491,740	86

Balance Sheet on August 31, 1931.

LIABILITIES.	Amount. Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Amount. Rs. c.
Deposit—Water Supply Scheme ..	370 69	Cash in Mercantile Bank of India, Galle:—	
Deposit—Miscellaneous ..	9,407 37	Fixed deposits ..	102,275 0
Surplus on August 31, 1931 ..	263,025 43	Current account ..	51,718 95
		Less uncashed cheques ..	424 19
			51,294 76
		Cash in Mercantile Bank of India, Colombo:—	
		Current account ..	9,406 10
		Less uncashed cheques ..	—
		Cash in hand of Shroff ..	200 0
		Advances ..	1,048 50
		Advance, Electricity Department ..	108,579 13
Total ..	272,803 49	Total ..	272,803 49

The Municipal Office,
Galle, September 8, 1931.

ARTHUR ARNDT,
Secretary.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

Revenue Account from January 1 to August 31, 1931.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1931.	Expenditure from Jan. to Aug. 31, 1931.	INCOME.	Estimated Income for 1931.	Income from Jan. to Aug. 31, 1931.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Generation of Electricity:—			Sale of Electricity:—		
1. Fuel ..	13,000 0	6,603 0	1. Private lighting ..	96,000 0	49,044 71
2. Oil, waste, and engine room stores ..	6,500 0	3,071 62	2. Street lighting ..	20,000 0	13,323 0
3. Wages at works ..	10,950 0	5,594 54	3. Municipal Departments ..	1,000 0	548 75
Repairs and Maintenance:—			Rent of Meters:—		
4. Buildings ..	350 0	123 32	4. Meter rent ..	7,000 0	4,707 0
5. Engines and machinery ..	3,500 0	1,407 42	Miscellaneous:—		
Distribution of Electricity:—			5. Service mains ..	5,000 0	985 0
6. Salaries of outdoor staff ..	3,000 0	1,667 80	6. Sundry receipts ..	1,500 0	959 54
7. Repairs of mains, meters, &c. ..	1,750 0	518 86			
Street Lamps:—					
8. Wages ..	2,250 0	1,323 96			
9. Maintenance and repairs ..	2,500 0	2,375 62			
Management and General Expenses:—					
10. Salaries ..	8,480 0	4,800 0			
11. Allowance ..	1,350 0	900 0			
12. Printing and stationery ..	400 0	263 19			
13. Telephone ..	225 0	11 65			
14. Audit fee ..	250 0	125 0			
15. Contingencies ..	1,500 0	953 54			
Service Mains:—					
16. Wages ..	1,000 0	172 0			
17. Materials ..	1,500 0	1,154 3			
Total working expenses ..	58,485 0	31,065 55			
Gross profit carried to nett revenue account ..	—	38,507 45			
		69,573 0	Total ..	130,500 0	69,573 0

Nett Revenue Account, January 1 to August 31, 1931.

	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
Interest on Loan from Municipal Fund ..	3,090 24	Balance brought forward from 1930 ..	58,379 66
Interest on Loan from Local Loan Commissioners ..	5,940 0	Gross profit ..	38,507 45
Instalment in repayment of Loan from Local Loan Commissioners ..	5,400 0		
Fire Insurance ..	750 0		
Reserve for renewals ..	—		
Nett profit on August 31, 1931 ..	81,706 87		
	96,887 11		96,887 11

Balance Sheet on August 31, 1931.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. c.		Expended up to Dec. 31, 1930.		During 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Loan from Local Loan Commissioners	113,400	0						
Loan from Municipal Fund	108,579	13						
Loans redeemed account	21,600	0						
Reserve for renewals	40,091	91						
Contribution from Revenue Account	81,706	87						
	<u>365,377 91</u>							
			361,655	82	3,722	9	365,377	91

The Municipal Office,
Galle, September 8, 1931.

ARTHUR ARNDT.
Secretary.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Sale of Ferry Rents.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chairman of the District Road Committee of Kalutara will receive tenders at the Kalutara Kachcheri, at 12 noon on September 30, 1931, for the purchase of the under-mentioned ferry rent of the Kalutara District from January 1 to December 31, 1932:—

Separate tenders should be made for the several rents as shown below. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit forthwith one-tenth of the purchase amount in cash and, should the offer be accepted by the Chairman, to furnish approved security for one-half of the purchase amount or in cash for one-third of such amount, within thirty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Chairman's acceptance of his offer.

He will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Committee's Proctor for examining and giving his opinion of the title deeds of properties tendered by him as security and for examining and for settling, the security bond, and the fees charged by the Committee's Proctor for examining documents and drawing the security bond, the expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond, and the stamp duty on the bonds under the Ordinance No. 22 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 16 of 1917.

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

The Chairman reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Chairman, District Road Committee, Kalutara.

Toll at Rukgahatupola ferry.

District Road Committee,
Kalutara, September 14, 1931.

L. L. HUNTER,
Chairman.

Rambadagalla-Keppitigala Estate Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Rambadagalla-Keppitigala estate road, during 1930-31, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of section 19 of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the said road as follows:—

Government moiety	Rs. 750
Private contribution	Rs. 750

1st to 2nd section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 1,926—Moiety of cost, Rs. 500—
Sectional rate, 2596—Total rate, 2596.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Messrs. James Finlay & Co.	Ogodapola	132	34 27

1st to 2nd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 1,794—Moiety of cost, Rs. 250—
Sectional rate, 13935—Total rate, 39895.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
Mr. E. L. Ebrahim Lebbe			
Marikar	Nella Oola	300	119 69
Messrs. Harrison & Crosfield	Marlbe	586	233 79
Do.	Keppitigala	708	282 46
Mrs. Alice Kotalawala	Field View	200	79 79

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, on or before September 21, 1931.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kurunegala, September 10, 1931.

J. R. WALTERS,
Chairman.

Uva Highlands-Bandarawela Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application having been made to this Committee on behalf of the proprietors of Uva Highlands, Neluwa, Aislaby, and Malwatta estates that the provisions of the "Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902," be extended to the locality for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a road from Uva Highlands estate boundary to Bandarawela, a distance of approximately 5½ miles, the Provincial Road Committee will on Monday, October 12, 1931, at 10 A.M. at the office of the Government Agent, at the Badulla Kachcheri, proceed to define the limits of the district of the estate in which will, if the proposal for the construction of such road be assented to by the proprietors of two-thirds of the acreage in the said district, be assessed for the construction and maintenance of the said road, and it is further notified that it is proposed to include the following estates in the district to be assessed:—

Estates.	Proprietors or Agents.	Cultivated Acreage.	Total Acreage.
Uva Highlands	Messrs. Mackwoods, Ltd., Colombo	666	702
Neluwa	Messrs. Mackwoods, Ltd., Colombo	373	696
Koskanuwa	Malcolm Potger, Badulla	—	80
Tidenham-Barrow	Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Marshall, Matale	—	26
Chelsea	Geo. Knox, Gonapitiya, Kandapola	265	583
Bintania	T. A. Mahamoor, Bandarawela	26	77
Malwatta	O. S. and A. J. Wickwar, Bandarawela	144	289
Aislaby	N. S. Bostock, C/o Messrs. Keell & Waldoek, Colombo	242	467
Ben Hope	C. Erskine, Bandarawela	60	100
Sinnamaliga	C. E. Goonetilleke, Mohotti Walawwa, Bentota	50	150

It is further notified that at the above time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections.

Provincial Road Committee Office,
Badulla, September 14, 1931.

E. T. MILLINGTON,
Chairman.

Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch Road Extension.

IN terms of section 14 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, I do hereby give notice of my intention to hold a General Meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the Ellearawa-Pinnawala Branch Road Extension, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa, for the purpose of electing a Local Committee, which shall consist of not less than three nor more than five members, to perform the duties imposed upon such Committee by the said Ordinance, for the next two years, namely, from September 29, 1931, to September 29, 1933.

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.

The meeting will be held at the Balangoda Group Office on Monday, September 28, 1931, at 4 P.M.

Provincial Road Committee, GEO. H. PERERA,
Ratnapura, September 11, 1931. for Chairman.

TRADE MARK NOTICES.

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

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(1) Trade Mark No. 5,411.

(2) Date of Receipt : August 5, 1931.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE MADRAS PALAYAKAT COMPANY, LIMITED (a company incorporated under the Indian Companies Act) 31, Armenian street, Madras, India; and Nos. 103 and 105, Keyzer street, Colombo; manufacturers.

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

(5) Class : 24.

(6) Goods : Cotton piece goods.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



The transliteration of the Sinhalese words is "Maqul joduwa" meaning "wedding couple". The transliteration of the Tamil words is "Kalyana jodi" meaning "wedding couple."

Registrar-General's Office, L. J. B. TURNER,
Colombo September 9, 1931. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 5,437.

(2) Date of Receipt : September 1, 1931.

(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): N. B. Abdul Gaffoor and S. Abdul Gaffar trading as UNION & COMPANY, Big Bazaar street, Trichinopoly, India; manufacturers and exporters.

(4) Address for service in the Island : C/o. A. N. Shaik Davood, 128, Prince street, Pettah, Colombo.

(5) Class : 45.

(6) Goods : Beedies.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



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(2) Date of Receipt : September 9, 1931.

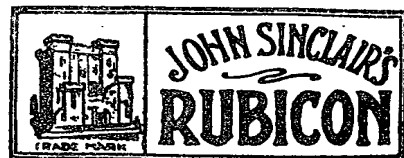
(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): JOHN SINCLAIR, LIMITED (a company incorporated under the English Companies' Acts), 61, Bath lane, Newcastle-on-Tyne, England; manufacturers.

(4) Address for service in the Island : C/o Julius & Creasy, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.

(5) Class : 45.

(6) Goods : Manufactured tobacco including tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, and snuff.

(7) Representation of the Trade Mark :



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Colombo, September 16, 1931. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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