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**DRAFT ORDINANCES.****MINUTE.**

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

No. 1 of 1895,  
II. 262,

**An Ordinance to amend "The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895."**

**B**E it enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof, as follows :—

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Births and Deaths Registration (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931."

Amendment of section 5 of the principal Ordinance.

2 Section 5 (1) of the principal Ordinance is amended by the deletion of the words "or an Office Assistant to a Government Agent" in lines 3 and 4 of the second proviso.

*Objects and Reasons.*

The second proviso to section 5 (1) of "The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895," does not permit of the appointment of an Office Assistant to a Government Agent as an Assistant Provincial Registrar. It has been usual, however, to so appoint such an Office Assistant and it would be inconvenient now to discontinue the practice. The present amendment is therefore designed to legalize such appointments.

Colombo, August 15, 1931.

PERI SUNDARAM.

**MINUTE.**

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

No. 19 of 1907,  
Vol. II. 776.

**An Ordinance to amend "The Marriage Registration Ordinance, 1907."**

**B**E it enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof, as follows :—

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Marriage Registration Amendment Ordinance, 1931."

Amendment of section 5 of the principal Ordinance.

2 Section 5 (2) of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "or the Office Assistant to the Government Agent of a Province" in lines 5 and 6 thereof.

*Objects and Reasons.*

Section 5 (2) of "The Marriage Registration Ordinance, 1907," does not permit of the appointment of an Office Assistant to a Government Agent as an Assistant Provincial Registrar. It has been usual, however, to so appoint such an Office Assistant and it would be inconvenient to discontinue the practice. The present amendment is therefore designed to legalize such appointments.

Colombo, August 15, 1931.

PERI SUNDARAM.

**MINUTE.**

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

**An Ordinance to validate an Order made by the Governor in Executive Council on the 23th day of May, 1931, directing the Principal Collector of Customs to cease temporarily to levy certain customs duties imposed by law.**

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS on the 29th day of May, 1931, by virtue of Ordinance No. 17 of 1869 and various resolutions thereunder, certain customs duties were leviable on the export from the Island of desiccated coconut, fresh coconuts, copra, poonac, coconut oil and rubber :

And whereas in view of the prevailing depression in the coconut and rubber industries it appeared to the Governor in Executive Council to be expedient to give relief to the said industries by a remission of the said customs duties from the date last aforesaid :

And whereas on the said date no such remission could be given in the manner prescribed by law, the Legislative Council having been then dissolved and the State Council not being then constituted :

And whereas the Governor in Executive Council, considering that the grant of the said remission should not be postponed, did make, on the 28th day of May, 1931, the Order set forth in the schedule hereto :

And whereas the customs duties which the Order aforesaid did direct the Principal Collector of Customs not to levy were removed by resolution passed by the State Council on the 29th day of July, 1931, and taking effect on the 31st day of July, 1931, and it is expedient to validate the said Order :

Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof as follows :—

1 This Ordinance may be cited as The Emergency Remission of Customs Duties (Validation) Ordinance, 1931.

Short title.

2 (1) The Order of the Governor in Council made on the 28th day of May, 1931, and set forth in the Schedule hereto shall be deemed to have been valid and effectual for all purposes according to the tenour thereof.

Validation of Order of the Governor in Council dated 28th May, 1931, and indemnity.

(2) No claim, penalty, or forfeiture of whatsoever nature shall be maintainable or enforceable against any person whomsoever in respect of failure to levy and demand during the period beginning on the 29th day of May, 1931, and ending on the 31st day of July, 1931, the customs duties which by the said Order the Principal Collector of Customs was directed to cease to levy and demand, or in respect of the exportation during the said period of desiccated coconut, fresh coconuts, copra, poonac, coconut oil or rubber without payment of the said duties.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### *Order by His Excellency the Governor in Council.*

Whereas it is expedient that immediate relief should be granted to the Rubber and Coconut industries in Ceylon in view of the present depressed state of those industries, I, Graeme Thomson, Governor, do hereby, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, order that as from and including the 29th May, 1931, the Principal Collector of Customs shall cease to demand and levy the export duties on Rubber, Desiccated coconut, Fresh coconuts, Coconut oil, Copra and Poonac payable under Ordinance 17 of 1869 or any Ordinance amending the same.

This Order shall remain in force pending a decision by the State Council as to whether action should be taken to rescind or vary such duties in accordance with the procedure prescribed by section 11 of the aforesaid Ordinance.

Nothing in this Order shall affect the collection of export duties leviable for the purposes of the Medical Wants Ordinance No. 9 of 1912, the Coconut Research Ordinance 1928 and the Rubber Research Ordinance 1930.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 28, 1931.

B. H. BOURDILLON,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### *Objects and Reasons.*

The circumstances which necessitate the introduction of this Bill are fully stated in the preamble. The purpose of the Bill is to validate an executive order issued in a grave emergency during which legislative sanction could not be obtained for the action which was considered necessary. The Bill also indemnifies all persons, both customs officers and exporters, who acted in accordance with the Order or in reliance upon it.

Colombo, August 8, 1931.

W. W. WOODS,  
Financial Secretary.

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### DISTRICT AND MINOR COURTS NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that three months from the date hereof the records of Police Courts, Panwila and Urugala, enumerated in the schedule annexed will be destroyed under the provisions of section 6 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1894.

Any person interested in any record may personally, by proctor, or by duly authenticated petition claim, upon good cause shown, that such record should not be destroyed.

Police Court,  
Panwila, August 20, 1931.

E. F. MARSHALL,  
Police Magistrate.

*Schedule referred to above.*

Year.	Serial Numbers.	Number of Cases to be Destroyed.
1905-1910 ..	15551-20250 ..	4539

#### The Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924.

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 98 of the Village Communities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1924, that the under-mentioned Village Committee has, with the approval of the Government Agent, prescribed the building noted below as its court-house from August 17, 1931, in place of the building mentioned in Notification dated September 29, 1926, published on page 846 (Part II.) of *Government Gazette* No. 7,549 of October 8, 1926.

The Kachchhari,  
Jaffna, August 24, 1931.

E. T. DYSON,  
Government Agent.

Name of the Village Committee.	Description of the Building.
Kachchhari	Village Committee Court building, situated in the land called Veppalvalavu at Chandampokkaddy, Kodikamam

### NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 4,449. In the matter of the insolvency of S. Pitche Fernando and Michael Fernando carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of A. A. S. Fernando & Co., at 207, Fifth Cross street, Pettah.

WHEREAS S. Pitche Fernando and Michael Fernando have filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of their estate has also been filed by J. M. Brito of 103, Main street, Colombo, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said S. Pitche Fernando and Michael Fernando insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 29, 1931, and on October 13, 1931, will take place for the said insolvents to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, August 17, 1931. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 4,450. In the matter of the insolvency of A. C. Abdul Hameed of 43, Old Moor street, Colombo

WHEREAS A. C. Abdul Hameed has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by M. C. Abdul Ageed of Keyser street, Colombo, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said A. C. Abdul Hameed insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 29, 1931, and on October 13, 1931, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, August 17, 1931. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 4,451. In the matter of the insolvency of M. K. M. Seyadu Abbas and M. K. M. Mohamado Madar, both of 94, Grandpass, Colombo.

WHEREAS M. K. M. Seyado Abbas and M. K. M. Mohamado Madar have filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of their estate has also been filed by S. Seyado of Mosque lane, Colpetty, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said M. K. M. Seyado Abbas and M. K. M. Mohamado Madar insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 29, 1931, and on October 13, 1931, will take place for the said insolvents to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, August 17, 1931. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 4,452. In the matter of the insolvency of M. T. Jamaldeen of 2nd division, Maradana.

WHEREAS M. T. Jamaldeen has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by A. C. M. Sheriff of Gorakana, Moratuwa, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said M. T. Jamaldeen insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on October 13, 1931, and on October 27, 1931, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which the creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, August 17, 1931. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 4,453. In the matter of the insolvency of H. Arnolis Fernando of Pennyquick lane, Wellawatta.

WHEREAS H. Arnolis Fernando has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by D. Albert Fernando of Kalubowila, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said H. Arnolis Fernando insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 29, 1931, and on October 13, 1931, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, August 22, 1931. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 4,454. In the matter of the insolvency of W. Lawrence Senaratne of Ketawalamulla Colombo.

WHEREAS W. Lawrence Senaratne has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by D. A. Kariawasan of 1st Cross street, Colombo, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said W. Lawrence Senaratne insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 29, 1931, and on October 13, 1931, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, August 22, 1931. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 4,455. In the matter of the insolvency of M. Ramalingam Pillai and Muna Supramaniam Pillai, both carrying on business under the name, style, and firm of R. M. S. K. & Co., of 46, Wolfendhal street, Colombo.

WHEREAS Mana Ramalingam Pillai and Muna Supramaniam Pillai have filed a declaration of insolvency

and a petition for the sequestration of their estate has also been filed by K. Ramasamy of Sea street, Colombo, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Mana Ramalingam Pillai and Muna Supramaniam Pillai insolvents accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 29, 1931, and on October 13, 1931, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, A. E. PERERA,  
Colombo, August 22, 1931. for Secretary.

In the District Court of Negombo.

No. 215. In the matter of the insolvency of Chena Insolvency. Kuna Meeyana Meerasa Rawther of Main street, Negombo, insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of this court in the above matter has been adjourned to August 27, 1931, at 10 A.M.

By order of court, C. EMMANUEL,  
Negombo, August 24, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,900. In the matter of the insolvency of Don Alexander de Alwis of Arthur's Garden, Lady Havelock's Drive, Kandy.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on September 25, 1931, for proof of claims.

By order of court, GERALD E. DE ALWIS,  
Kandy, August 22, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,927. In the matter of the insolvency of Lokusuriyage Dias Appuhamy of Gampola.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on September 25, 1931, to appoint an assignee.

By order of court, GERALD E. DE ALWIS,  
Kandy, August 22, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,946. In the matter of the insolvency of Percival Spencer of Castlehill street, Kandy.

WHEREAS Percival Spencer of Castlehill street, Kandy, has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by John A. de Joodt of Trincomalee street, Kandy, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Percival Spencer insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 25, 1931, and on October 23, 1931, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, GERALD E. DE ALWIS,  
Kandy, August 24, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,947. In the matter of the insolvency of Geparallagegedera Dingiri Banda of Galgediyawa.

WHEREAS Geparallagegedera Dingiri Banda of Galgediyawa has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by Kodipulle Aratchige Don Siman Appuhamy of Kirinda, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Dingiri Banda insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on September 25, 1931, and on October 23, 1931, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court, GERALD E. DE ALWIS,  
Kandy, August 24, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Nuwara Eliya.

No. 18. In the matter of the insolvency of Aldo Lawrence Diacano of Maryhill Hotel, Nuwara Eliya.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on August 28, 1931.

By order of court, C. CANAPATHIPILLAI,  
August 18, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 627. In the matter of the insolvency of Ahangama Vidanagei Simon Silva of Hatuwapiyadigama.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on December 21, 1931, for examination of insolvent.

By order of court, P. E. S. DHARMASEKHARA,  
Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 644. In the matter of the insolvency of Pasikkunnagedige Gunadasa of Ambalangoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on September 3, 1931, for the filing of balance sheet.

By order of court, P. E. S. DHARMASEKHARA,  
Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 652. In the matter of the insolvency of Warapitiye Hewage Henry Ariyaratne of Bataganwila.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on October 20, 1931, for assignee's report.

By order of court, P. E. S. DHARMASEKHARA,  
Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 657. In the matter of the insolvency of B. R. Karunayaka of Minuwangoda.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on October 5, 1931, for assignee's report.

By order of court, P. E. S. DHARMASEKHARA,  
Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 658. In the matter of the insolvency of Laddu Pedrick Silva of Telwatta.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on September 28, 1931, for appointment of an assignee.

By order of court, P. E. S. DHARMASEKHARA,  
Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 645. In the matter of the insolvency of Mohamed Cassim Hadjiar Mohamed Sally of Main street, Galle.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on August 31, 1931, for the filing of balance sheet.

By order of court, P. E. S. DHARMASEKHARA,  
Secretary.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

No. 94. In the matter of the insolvency of Mahadewa Santhirasekeram of Kurunegala.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on September 30, 1931, to issue certificate of conformity to the insolvent above named.

By order of court, B. EMMANUEL,  
Kurunegala, August 25, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Insolvency Jurisdiction. In the matter of the insolvency of Weerawarnakurukulasooriya Busabaduge Francis Fernando of Ballapana. No. 60.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sitting of this court on the above matter has been adjourned to September 8, 1931, for consideration of assignee's report.

By order of court, L. B. CASPERSZ,  
Kegalla, August 21, 1931. Secretary.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Insolvency Jurisdiction. In the matter of the insolvency of Saiyadu Lebbe Mohammado Sheriff of Mawanella. No. 61.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of this court on the above matter has been adjourned to September 22, 1931, for the filing of assignee's report.

By order of court L. B. CASPERSZ,  
Kegalla, August 21 1931. Secretary.

## NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

### Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

P. R. K. R. M. Meiyappa Chettiar of 76, Sea street, Colombo ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 32 126. Vs.

(2) A. D. Silva (now deceased) of Maradana, Colombo and another ..... Defendants.  
A. Edmund de Silva of Dematagoda, Maradana, Colombo, in place of the 2nd defendant, deceased ..... Substituted defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, September 28, 1931, at 3 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said substituted defendant in place of the 2nd defendant, deceased, in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,350, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from March 16, 1929, till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz.:-

All that premises bearing assessment No. 38, Dematagoda, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by property belonging to Hendrick Seneviratne, east by property belonging to P. E. Perera, south by property belonging to L. M. Cassim, and on the west by Dematagoda road; containing in extent about 5 perches.

Fiscal's Office, CARL E. ARNDT,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Douglas Lee de Saram of Colombo ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 32,155. Vs.

(1) R. Sivagurunathan, (2) Annapurani Sivagurunathan, both of Conway House, Rosmead place, Colombo ..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, October 8, 1931, at 3 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said 2nd defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,001.03, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from November 11, 1929, till payment in full, and costs of suit Rs. 242.45; less the sum of Rs. 950 paid in reduction of the plaintiff's claim and Rs. 150 paid in reduction of the plaintiff's costs, viz.:-

All that and those the property and premises with the bungalow and buildings sit on thereon called and known as The Hut and also as Woodford and presently known as Loxwood bearing at present assessment No. 6, situated at Maitland crescent, Cinnamon Gardens, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by the property of E. H. Prins, on the east by land belonging to D. de Zoysa, on the south by Gregory's road, and on the west by the high road and Maitland crescent; containing in extent 1 acre and 15 perches, according to the survey thereof dated February 27, 1884, made by Goonewardene; being a part or portion of all that allotment of land bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 92,047, on the east by land described in plan

No. 92,058, and on the south and west by roads; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 15 perches, according to the survey No. 92,057 dated August 23, 1873, and authenticated by A. B. Fyers, Surveyor-General.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931.

CARL E. ARNDT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

R. M. R. M. L. M. Ramalingam of 185, Sea street, in Colombo ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 37,943. Vs.

(2) A. R. P. Mohamed of 130, Dean's road, Maradana in Colombo, and others ..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, September 29, 1931, at 3 P.M., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said 2nd defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 616.25, together with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from May 8, 1930, till payment in full, and costs of suit as taxed, viz.:-

All that allotment of land called Inguurawatta bearing Municipal assessment No. 2,416/34, now Nos. 139/1B, 139/1C, 139/1R, and 139/1E, situated to the east of Dean's road in Maradana in Colombo; and bounded on the north by Galewatta, on the east by premises No. 32 of James Perera, on the south by premises No. 35, and on the west by premises No. 36; containing in extent 6.25 square perches as described in the diagram or map No. 2,251 dated August 6, 1923, made by J. H. W. Smith, Fiscal's Licensed Surveyor.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931.

CARL E. ARNDT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Ana Roon. Kana Nana Arunasalam Chettiar of Negombo, presently of Sea street, Colombo.... Plaintiff.  
No. 38,969. Vs.

(1) Abdul Rahiman Lebbe Ahamado Ali of Kastowita, Veyangoda, and (2) Ahamado Lebbe Mohamado Yousuff of Malwana, Colombo ..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, October 6, 1931, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said 2nd defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,321, together with interest on Rs. 2,200 at 18 per cent. per annum from June 26, 1930, up to July 9, 1930, and thereafter on the aggregate amount at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of suit taxed at Rs. 311.75, less a sum of Rs. 550, viz.:-

1. At 10 a.m.—All that divided  $\frac{1}{2}$  portion of the land called Delgahawatta, situated at Walgama in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province; which said portion is bounded on the north by garden of Madar Lebbe, on the east by a portion of the same land owned by Meera Lebbe, on the south by the garden of Madar Lebbe, and on the west by Keragalawatta; containing in extent about 1 bushel of paddy sowing. Registered C 70/209, Colombo.

2. At 10.30 a.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share from and out of all that land called Pokunelandawatta, situated at Walgama aforesaid; and bounded on the north and east by the remaining portion of this land, on south by Burullapitiyewalawewatta, and on the west by the ditch and the road to Keragala; containing in extent 3 acres. Registered C 38/398, Colombo.

3. At 11 a.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share from and out of the land and of the buildings standing thereon from and out of all that portion of land called Imbulgahawatta, situated at Walgama aforesaid; which said portion is bounded on the north by the portion of the same land owned by Hajji Marikar Ahamado Lebbe, on the east by Keragalawatta, on the south by the portion of the same land owned by Hajji Marikar Ahamado Lebbe, and on the west by a portion of the same land owned by the said Hajji Marikar Ahamado Lebbe; and containing in extent 1 bushel of paddy sowing. Registered in Colombo C 182/131.

4. At 11.30 a.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share from and out of all that land called Barukanatta, situated at Walgama aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Padiliralagewatta, on the east by the high road, on the south by portion of this land of Meera Lebbe Saibo, and on the west by Crown land (jungle); and containing in extent 3 bushels of paddy sowing. Registered C 67/333, Colombo.

5. At 1 p.m.—All that field called Othudena-ambagaha-kumbura, situated at Godagedara in the Meda pattu of Siyane korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by Uruwala-oya, on the east by liminary dam of Ranasingkanamalage Otukumbura and the liminary dam of the field of Samarasinghe Siriwardene, Mudaliyar, on the south by liminary dam of Durainnekumbura, and on the west by liminary dam of Ranasingkanamalage Amunudotte Kumbura; containing in extent about 20 kurunies of paddy sowing. Registered in E 14/213 Colombo.

6. At 1.30 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share from an undivided portion in extent from east to west  $46\frac{1}{2}$  yards from the west along the road  $45\frac{1}{2}$  yards, west to east  $36\frac{1}{2}$  yards from and out of all that land called Amunudette-kumbura, situated at Godagedara aforesaid; bounded on the north by Uruwala-oya, on the east by the property of Don Nicholas Gunatilleke, on the south by the land claimed by Baba Naide, and on the west by a road; and containing in extent 1 rood and 39 perches. Registered in Colombo E 223/155.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931.

CARL E. ARNDT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

N. M. A. R. Nallacaruppen Chettiar of Sea street,  
Colombo ..... Plaintiff.

No. 39,480. **23** Vs.

(2) S. M. M. Cassim of Sripinayan, Colombo, and  
another ..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, October 1, 1931, at 3 p.m., will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said 2nd defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 385.50, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from July 24, 1930, till payment in full, and costs, less a sum of Rs. 53.95, viz. :—

All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 202 and 204 lot E, situated at Dematagoda, within the Municipality and in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by Dematagoda road, east by premises No. 206, south by lot F belonging to Mamala Marikar Mathu Muthu, and west by a lane marked lot D in the said plan; containing in extent 10 and 100/100 perches and registered under A 125/160.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931.

CARL E. ARNDT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Colombo Stores Limited of Colombo ..... Plaintiffs.

No. 42,070. **24** Vs.

M. A. M. Hussein of Mumtaz Mahal, Colpetty,  
Colombo ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, September 22, 1931, at 9 a.m., will be sold by public auction at Mumtaz Mahal, Colpetty, Colombo, the following movable property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 18,381.35, with legal interest thereon from May 6, 1931, till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz. :—

Two large teakwood couches with cushions, 6 large teakwood cushioned chairs, 4 teakwood teapots, 1 ditto table, 1 ditto writing table, 4 ditto chairs, 4 rattan chairs, 1 nadun sideboard, 6 large cushioned chairs, 1 ditto settee, 4 ebony armchairs, 1 cabinet fixed with mirror, 1 large nadun almira fixed with mirror, 1 nadun dressing table, 1 ditto box, 1 ditto stool, 2 bed tables, 2 nadun chairs, 3 rattan chairs, 3 rosewood couches, 6 ditto large chairs, 1 ditto writing table, 1 ditto book case, 2 ditto high book cases, 50 flower pots with flower plants, 1 Napier motor car bearing No. C 5579.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931.

CARL E. ARNDT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

D. J. Weerakoon of Yakbedda road in Colombo. Plaintiff.

No. 42,722. Vs.

W. H. M. de Silva of 410 and 410/3, Third Division,  
Maradana in Colombo ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, September 17, 1931, at 9 a.m., will be sold by public auction at 410, Third Division, Maradana, Colombo, the following movable property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 880, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from February 9, 1931, till payment in full, and damages at Rs. 890 and poundage, viz. :—

One press, 1 Bremener typing machine, 1 Bremener blacking machine, 1 Crosby patent engine, 1 paper cutting machine, 4 jak tables, 4 jak armchairs, 3 writing tables, 3 jak chairs, 1 jak glass almira, 4 jak armchairs, 6 jak tables, 1 teakwood almira, 1 wall clock, 1 teapoy, 1 table lamp, 1 hanging lamp, 4 jak tables, 4 jak chairs, 2 benches, 1 writing table, 2 chairs, 1 desk, 2 common wood tables, 17 cases with types, 1 binding machine, 1 glass almira, 1 table, 3 common wood tables, 1 ditto almira, 1 armchair, 2 racks with types, 17 cases ditto, 3 iron tables, 1 four-seater Austin motor car bearing No. E 773, 1 Austin motor van bearing No. X 2352, 1 tank for filling water, 1 tyre.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931.

CARL E. ARNDT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

The Incorporated Trustees of the Church of England  
in Ceylon ..... Plaintiffs.

No. 43,747. **56** Vs.

Ellen Margaret Jayasinghe, widow of Parakkala Walauwa,  
Borella ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, October 2, 1931, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises, the following property mortgaged with the plaintiffs by bond No. 723 dated October 23, 1927, attested by J. A. Martensz, Notary Public, and No. 426 dated January 22, 1930, attested by C. M. G. de Saram, Notary Public, and declared specially bound and executable under the decree entered in the above action and ordered to be sold by the order of court dated August 4, 1931, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 36,889.86, together with further interest on Rs. 35,000 at 7 per cent. per annum from April 16, 1931, till date of the said decree (June 26, 1931), and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the said decree at 9 per cent. per annum till date of payment in full, and costs of suit, viz. :—

1. At 2.30 p.m.—All that allotment of land marked "D" on plan No. 1,458 dated September 22, 1922, made by C. C. Wijetunga, Special Licensed Surveyor (being a defined portion of the lands called Delgahawatta and Gorakagahawatta), with the buildings standing thereon formerly called "Ebony Lodge" now known as "Singha Nivasa" bearing assessment No. 55, situated at Cotta road, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by lots "A" and "C" on the said plan, on the east by lot "C" on the said plan, on the south by Cotta road, and on the west by the property of K. K. Simon Perera; containing in extent 2 roods and 9 perches and 53/100 of a perch according to the said plan No. 1,458.

2. At 3 p.m.—All that allotment of land marked "C" on the said plan No. 1,458 (also being a portion of the said lands called Delgahawatta and Gorakagahawatta), with the buildings standing thereon formerly called "Singha Nivasa" now known as "Borella Walauwa" bearing assessment No. 57, situated at Cotta road and Blake road, within the Municipality and in the District of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by a reservation for a road 20 feet wide, on the east by Blake road, on the south by Cotta road, and on the west by lots "D" and "A" on the said plan; containing in extent 2 roods and 17 and 3/100 of a perch, together with all rights, ways, privileges, easements, servitudes, and appurtenances whatsoever to the said respective allotments of land, buildings, and premises belonging or in any wise appertaining or held, used, or enjoyed therewith, or reputed or known as part and parcel thereof, and all the estate, right, title, interest, claim, and demand whatsoever of the defendant in, to, out of, or upon the same respectively.

Registered: A 207/66 and A 196/300.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, August 26, 1931.

CARL E. ARNDT,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

P. L. S. Annamalay Chettiar of Sea street, Colombo. Plaintiff.

No. 6,797.

Vs.

R. Sivalurunathan of Fort, Colombo. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, September 25, 1931, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 3,696 with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from November 7, 1922, till payment in full, and costs less a sum of Rs. 1,500, viz. :-

The soil and all things thereon of Tudugala waturana *alias* Iriyangala waturana, situated at Tudugala in Iddagoda pattu of Pasdun korale in the District of Kalutara; and bounded on the north by the land said to belong to the Crown, north-east, east, south-east by Erangale-ela and land said to belong to the Crown and land belonging to villagers, south by land said to belong to the Crown and Erangale-ela, and south-west, west, and north-west by the land said to belong to the Crown; and containing in extent about 107 acres 2 roods and 36 perches.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Kalutara, August 25, 1931.

D. J. JAYASUNDERA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Central Province.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Sri Saddharma Kathikeshwara Walgampaya Piya-ratana Unnanso of Kumbaldi-wala Pansala. Plaintiff.

No. 9,347.

Vs.

(1) Weerasekera Mudiyansele Pinchi Banda *ex* Korala of Walgampaya (2) Alakkoon Mudiyansele Dingiri Banda *ex* Korala of Kumbaldi-wala. Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, September 28, 1931, commencing at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 411.25 with legal interest on Rs. 1,091.25 from December 6, 1929, till payment in full and costs of suit and poundage, viz. :-

(1) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the field called Alakolanga of 1 pela paddy sowing extent, situate at Walgampaya in Kandupalata of Yatinuwara in the District of Kandy, Central Province; and bounded on the east by fence of Etaheenna, south by ella of Palkadewatta, west by the remaining portion of this land, and on the north by ella.

(2) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the field called Palkadekumbura of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent, situate at Walgampaya aforesaid; and bounded on the east by ella of Pansalewatta, south by Imaniyara of Arattane, west by Thetiwalawa and Mediliyagodawatta, and on the north by Ukku Banda Korala's field.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, August 25, 1931.

A. RANESINGHE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Muna Pappu Retty of Mercantile estate, Padagan-nawa. Plaintiff.

No. 39,180.

Vs.

Hendeniyegedera Loti of Lagamuwa in Kandupalata of Uduuwara. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, September 25, 1931, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the following property mortgaged with the plaintiff and decreed to be sold under the decree entered in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,947, with legal interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from September 8, 1930, till payment in full, and costs of suit, and poundage, viz. :-

(1) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share of and in all that land called Getadelewatta of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent, situate at Lagamuwa in Kandupalata of Uduuwara,

in the District of Kandy, Central Province; and bounded on the east by Rahalayawatta, on the south by a ditch and Getadelekumbura, on the west by Girangee's garden and by a ditch, and on the north by an oya. Registered in C 69/243.

(2) An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part or share of and in all that land called Hendeniyegederawatta of 2 pelas paddy sowing in extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the fence of Siyambalagahamulawatta, on the south by the limit of the portion belonging to Kiriya, by mee tree, Ratupolgaha, and jak tree, on the west by a ditch, and on the north by wela. Registered in C 69/244.

(3) An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part or share of and in all that field called Maliaddekumbura of 1 pela paddy sowing in extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by ela, on the south by weilla, on the west by the weilla of the same field, and on the north by imaweilla of Kanatipeliya. Registered C. 86/160.

(4) An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part or share of and in all that field called Kanatipeliye of 1 pela paddy sowing extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by imaniyara, on the south by imaweilla of Binduwa's field, on the west by the limit of Ukkuwa's field, on the north by Paluwatte-ella. Registered in C 80/158.

(5) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share of and in two undivided third parts or shares of and in all that field called Godapela of 6 lahas in paddy sowing extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east and south by the imaweilla of the field belonging to Meddumaya, on the west by imaniyara of the field belonging to Dantu, and on the north by the imaweilla of the field belonging to Sirmala Vidane. Registered C 94/47.

(6) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share of and in two undivided third parts or shares of and in all that field called Wagale-liadda of 6 lahas in paddy sowing extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the weilla of Meddumayagekumbura, on the south by the weilla of the field belonging to Deniye Pahala Appuwa, on the west by the imaweilla of the field belonging to Medduma, and on the north by the imaweilla of the field belonging to Medduma. Registered C 94/48.

(7) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share of and in two undivided third parts or shares of and in all that field called Totakumbura of 3 pelas in paddy sowing extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by elaweilla of Ginitilla, on the south by the limit of Medduma's field, and on the west and north by the imaweilla of Maliadde. Registered C 80/159.

(8) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share of and in all that field called Opallekumbura of 2 pelas in paddy sowing extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the ella of Gallelegodahena, on the south by ela and Delgaha, on the west by the ella of Pallewatta, and on the north by the limitary ridge of the field belonging to Dantu and the limitary ridge of the field belonging to Menika. Registered C 80/160.

(9) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or share of and in all that land called Hendeniyegederawatta of 1 pela in paddy sowing in extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east and south by ditch, on the west by the ditch of Udahagederawatta, and on the north by Ratupolgaha and Kosgaha. Registered C 80/161.

(10) An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part or share of and in all that allotment of land called Opallehena *alias* watta of 1 pela in paddy sowing in extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the ella of Opallekumbura, on the south by the ella, on the west by the ditch of Puchi Ukku's garden, and on the north by fence. Registered in C 94/49.

(11) An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part or share of and in all that allotment of land called Siyambalagahamulawatta *alias* watta of 1 amunam in paddy sowing in extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by Koswetiya and the ditch of Kiri Sanda's chena, on the south by ditch, on the west by the Galdetta of Rankiriya-dawatta, and on the north by the stone fence of Galkotuwa. Registered in C 94/50.

(12) An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  part or share of and in all that portion of 1 amunam in paddy sowing extent, from and out of all that land called Kudabelungalehena of 5 pelas and 5 lahas in paddy sowing extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and which said portion of 1 amunam is bounded on the east and north by the remaining portions, on the south by the limit of Galkotuwehena, and on the west by the Galpotta. Registered C 80/162.

(13) The land called Guruwawatta of 1 pela paddy sowing in extent, situate at Lagamuwa aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the limit of Samarapulligederawatta,



on the south by the land belonging to Arambegedera Punchi Ukkuwa and the land belonging to Sirimala Vidane, on the west by Weveldeniyekumbura, and on the north by Paluwattegederawatta, together with the plantations and everything standing thereon. Registered C 39/331.

And all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the defendant in, to, upon, or out of the said several premises mortgaged by the defendant upon bonds Nos. 542 dated December 17, 1928, and No. 454 dated April 10, 1928 and attested by Mr. M. J. Taylor, Notary Public.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, August 25, 1931.

A. RANESINGHE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Vana Pana Lana Vana Valliappa Chettiar of  
Gampola ..... Plaintiff.

No. 40,545.

(1) Nagoor Meera Mehamada Shaid, (2) Kawanna  
Nawanna Nagoor Meera, both of Kandy road,  
Gampola ..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on Saturday, September 19, 1931, at 12 noon, will be sold by public auction at the Fiscal's Office, Kandy, the following mortgage bond mortgaged with the plaintiff and decreed to be sold under the decree entered in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,225, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from December 23, 1930, till payment in full and poundage, viz. :—

The mortgage bond No. 4,760 dated August 8, 1927, and attested by M. B. E. Senéviratne, Notary Public of Kandy, and all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said defendants into, upon, or out of the said mortgage bond, mortgaged by the defendant upon bond No. 1,973, dated April 10, 1929, and attested by Mr. Walter Beven, Notary Public.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, August 25, 1931.

A. RANESINGHE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Vana Pana Lana Vana Walliappa Chettiar of Gampola ..... Plaintiff,

No. 40,922.

Vs.

(1) Mrs. Athiamma Vythilingam, (2) A. V. Carmani,  
both of Pitakanda Group in Pussellawa ..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on Friday, September 25, 1931, and the following days if found necessary, commencing each day at 12 o'clock in the noon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 8,700, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from March 12, 1931, till payment in full and poundage, viz. :—

I.—All that estate called and known as Pitakanda Group comprising of eleven blocks of land, situated at Atabage in the Kandukara Ihala korale of Udapalata in the District of Kandy, Central Province; and bounded on the north by the property of Abdul Majeedu, Kudayawatta, property of Mr. Jerenis Pieris, field, Pansalewatta and by field, on the east by the property of Saminathan Kangany, on the south by the property of Saminathan Kangany and the ridge of Crown land, and on the west by Crown land and the high road; containing in extent 30 acres according to plan dated January 17, 1903, and made by S. W. Spencer, Licensed Surveyor.

II.—All these undivided 3/10 parts or shares of and in all that land with the plantations, buildings, thereon, situated at Wahugepitiya in Pussellawa in Kandukara Ihala korale aforesaid, comprising the following two allotments of land, namely :—

(a) All that allotment of land bounded on the north-east by Crown land and on the east and south-east by a stream or oya, on the south by land said to belong to the Crown, and on the west and south-west by land described in plans Nos. 55,559, 53,461, and 53,460, by land purchased by Dingiri Appu and by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 8 acres and 7 perches according to the figure of survey thereof.

(b) All that allotment of land bounded on the north-east by Crown land, on the south-east and south by land reserved for public purposes, and on the west by land described in plan No. 55,517; containing in extent 1 rood and 25 perches.

(2) An allotment of land of the extent of 2 acres 3 roods and 14 perches, situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the east by land belonging to Purawi Alder, on the south-east by land appearing in plan No. 53,461, on the south-west and west by high road, and on the north-west by Dingiri Appu's land.

(3) Undivided  $\frac{1}{3}$  share of the field called Pallekumbura of 1 pela paddy sowing in extent, situated at Atabage Pallegama aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the limit of the field sold, on the south by the liminary dam of Sirimala's field, and on the west and north by oya.

(4) Undivided  $\frac{1}{3}$  share of the field called Pallekumbura-weepela of 1 pela paddy sowing in extent, situated at Pallegama aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the imaniyara of Kiriya's field, on the south by the imaniyara of Kaluwa's field, on the west by the boundary of Sirimala's field, and on the north by boundary of Horatala's field.

(5) Undivided  $\frac{1}{3}$  share being four contiguous portions of Pallekumbura and Pallekumburemedaweepela both together of the extent of 2 pelas paddy sowing, situated at Pallegama aforesaid; and bounded on the east by oya and portion of this land belonging to Gurugalbebile Appuwa, on the south by Urulepelekumbura, on the west by oya, and on the north by portion of this land belonging to Sirimala.

(6) All that western portion of the extent of 16 feet breadth and 70 feet in length out of the field called Urulepela, situated at Pallegama aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the remaining portion of this land belonging to Tillawanan Kanakasabai, on the south by T. Vythilingam Pulle's property, on the west by oya, and on the north by P. Vythilingam's property.

(7) All those two allotments of land adjoining each other and forming one property of the extent of about 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres, situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the fence of Isohamy's watta, on the south by patana and ditch, on the west by ditch, and on the north by Nuwara Eliya road.

(8) Undivided 3/5 shares of an allotment of land of the extent of 1 acre 2 roods and 5 perches with the buildings, plantations, and everything thereon, situated at Atabage aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the land belonging to Karuppen Chettiar, on the south by land appearing in plan No. 55,517, and on the west and north by land appearing in plan No. 53,461.

(9) Undivided 3/5 shares of an allotment of land of the extent of 3 roods and 7 perches with the buildings and plantations thereon (exclusive of a block of land 30 feet in breadth and 100 feet in length), situated at Atabage aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the land belonging to Karuppen Chettiar, on the east by the land belonging to Don Andris Appu, on the south and west by the lands belonging to natives.

(10) An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid, and bounded on the north-east by land described in plan No. 53,463, on the south-east by land reserved for public purposes, on the south-west by land said to belong to the Crown, and on the west by stream; containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 9 perches.

(11) An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid, and bounded on the north-east by land described in plan No. 53,466, on the south-east by land reserved for public purposes, south-west by a stream and by land described in plan No. 53,464, and on the north-west by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 8 acres 3 roods and 27 perches.

(12) An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by land described in plan No. 53,464, on the south-east by land reserved for public purposes, on the south and south-west by land reserved for public purposes and by land described in plan No. 53,462, and on the north-west by land reserved for public purposes and by land described in plan No. 53,462, and on the north-west by a stream; containing in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 24 perches.

(13) An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by land described in plan No. 53,472, on the south-east and south by land reserved for public purposes, on the south-west by land described in plan No. 53,470, and on the north-west by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 2 acres and 4 perches.

(14) An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by land described in plan No. 53,473, on the south-east by land reserved for

public purposes, on the south-west by land described in plan No. 55,471, and on the north-west by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 2 acres.

(15) An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by a stream and by land reserved for public purposes, on the south-west by land described in plan No. 53,472, and on the north-west by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 1 perch.

(16) All that allotment of land situated at Pussellawa in Kandukara Ihala korale aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by Crown land and a stream, on the south-east by land described in plan No. 52,908, on the south-west by land belonging to Nanayakkara Wasan Godakandage Don Abraham de Silva Appuhamy, and on the north-west by Crown land; containing in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 22 perches.

(17) All those land called Kiriwaththena and Millagahanaula with everything thereon, situated at Atabage aforesaid; and bounded on the north and north-east by Mausawa and by Kitulgala-ela, on the south-east by Crown land, on the south by land appearing in plan No. 98,243, and on the north-west and west by land appearing in plan No. 11,666; containing in extent 6 acres 2 roods and 23 perches.

(18) All that land called Millagollehena with everything thereon, situate at Atabage aforesaid; and bounded on the north by land belonging to Kalu, on the east and south-east by land belonging to Pravinayagam Pulle Dharmalingam Pulle, on the south-west by a water-course, and on the west by a water-course and a stream; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 36 perches.

(19) All that allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north and west by a stream, on the north-east by land described in plan No. 53,465 and by a stream, on the south-east by land reserved for public purposes, and south-west by land described in plan No. 53,463; containing in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 24 perches.

(20) All that land called Nelligolla, described as of about 20 acres in extent with everything standing thereon, situated at Atabage aforesaid; and bounded on the east by Sogama estate, on the south by Pumawatta, west by Gansabhawa road and land of Sarana, and on the north by Kehelwatta; containing in extent 19 acres and 20 perches.

(21) An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by land described in plan No. 53,471, on the south-east by land reserved for public purposes, on the south-west by land described in plan No. 53,469, and on the north-west by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 16 perches.

(22) An undivided  $\frac{1}{3}$  part or share of and in all that land called Pitakandewatta of about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acres in extent, situated at Pitakanda in Pussellawa in Kandukara Ihala korale aforesaid; and bounded on the east and south by the high road, and on the west and north by the boundary of the tea estate belonging to P. Vythilingam Pillay; containing in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 5 perches.

All which said 22 blocks of entire lands and undivided shares are containing in extent in the aggregate 50 acres 2 roods and 37 perches and composed and made up of the following three blocks of land, to wit:—

(a) All that block of land 50 acres 2 roods and 2 perches in extent; and bounded on the north by Sogama estate, on the south-east by water-course, on the east by high road from Kandy to Nuwara Eliya, on the south and south-west by high road, Sogama estate, and land claimed by Marthenis, and on the west and north-west by high road and by the limit of the land claimed by M. D. S. Goonetilleke.

(b) All that block of land of 1 rood and 23, perches; bounded on the north and west by land claimed by K. D. Perera, on the east and north-east by land claimed by M. D. S. Goonetilleke, and on the south by high road.

(c) All that block of land of 12 perches in extent and marked B in the said plan; and bounded on the north by high road, on the east and south by New Peacock Hill estate, and on the west by land claimed by M. D. S. Goonetilleke.

III.—An allotment of land situated at Wahugepitiya aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by Dickdeniyella, by land described in plan No. 49,444, and by Crown land, and on the south-east by Galate-oya, on the south-west by road leading to estates, and on the north-west by land adjacent to the high road from Kandy to Nuwara Eliya and land reserved for public purposes; containing in extent 4 acres and 20 perches; and which said land is presently bounded on the north by cart road, east by dola

and Addaramanwatta, on the south by Wahugepitiyepara, and on the west by Gansabhawa path; containing in extent 4 acres and 28 perches.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, August 25, 1931.

A. RANESINGHE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Southern Province.

In the District Court of Matara.

Hapuhennedige Jardis Appu of Pamburana... Plaintiff.

No. 6,036. Vs.

(1) Ediriweera Arukattipatabendige Sangohamy, wife of (2) Sellaheewage Andias Appu, both of Karawa in Matara, (3) Ediriweera Arukattipatabendige Matheshamy, and (4) Ediriweera Arukatti Patabendige Mathes de Silva, both of Gandara... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the following day at the hours specified below, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following mortgaged property for the recovery of a sum of Rs. 2,895.99, with legal interest on Rs. 2,531.34 from May 15, 1931, till payment in full, viz. :—

On Friday, September 18, 1931, at 1.30 P.M.

(1) All that undivided 341/360 parts of soil and trees, together with 53/54 parts of the old nine-cubits tiled house thereon and entirety of all other buildings built by the 2nd defendant thereon, of the land called Ganga-addarawatta, bearing assessment No. 2,929, situated at Karawa, within the Urban District Council limits of Matara, Matara District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by a portion of Ganga-addarawatta, east by river, south by Weligamaralapadinchiwatta, and west by minor road; and containing in extent about 1 rood.

(2) All that divided portion, 14 cubits in length and 11 cubits in breadth, of the land called Polpitiyawatta, bearing assessment No. 2,926, and situated at Karawa aforesaid; and bounded on the north by the house wherein Kirihamy lived, east by the house wherein Gandaramaya lived, south by the house wherein Thomise lived, and west by high road.

On Friday, September 18, 1931, at 4 P.M.

(3) All that the undivided  $\frac{2}{5}$  shares of the soil and trees of lot 7790 of the land called Kandagedeha, situated at Deundara Wawwa in the Wellaboda pattu of the Matara District aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east by the lot belonging to Crown, south-east by lot excluded for the road, south-west by lot belonging to Crown, north-west by Lindagawawatta Arawatta alias Velangahawatta; and containing in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 30 perches.

(4) All that undivided  $\frac{2}{3}$  shares of soil and trees of the contiguous lands called Hakmanagewatta and Boralugahawatta, situated at Kapugama in the Wellaboda pattu aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Watupitawatta, east by Medahena and Nagahahena, south by Dangahawatta alias Andiranapadinchiwatta, and west by Acharigeniya; and containing in extent about  $4\frac{1}{2}$  acres.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Matara, August 24, 1931.

E. T. GOONEWARDENE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the Court of Requests of Matara.

D. A. Ranaweera of Kamburugamuwa... Plaintiff.

No. 19,033.

Wilson Wickrema-arachchi of Kamburugamuwa... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, September 19, 1931, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the

said defendant in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 101.55 with legal interest on Rs. 84.42 from May 15, 1931, till payment in full, viz. :—

All that the soil and trees of the land called Gamagehena, situate at Kamburugamuwa in the Weligam korale of Matara District, Southern Province; and bounded on the north by Divigalahena, east by Divigalahena, south by Kongahahena and Gedarawatta, and on the west by minor road, and containing in extent about 4 acres.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Matara, August 18, 1931.

E. T. GOONEWARDENE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Northern Province.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

The Jaffna Commercial Co-operation, Ltd.,  
Jaffna..... Plaintiff.

No 25,033

27 Vs.

(1) M. T. Somasundram, Bank Broker, Hatton, and  
(2) M. O. Murugesampalan, V. J. Rajanilai, Puloly  
West, Point Pedro..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, September 19, 1931, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the spot the right, title, and interest of the said 1st defendant in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 373.75 with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from June 28, 1929, till date of decree and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on aggregate amount poundage and charges, viz. :—

A piece of land situated at Malavarayakurichchi in Puloly West, Point Pedro parish, Vadamaradchy division of the Jaffna District, Northern Province, called Thevaransanthai, containing in extent 4 lachams varagu culture and 8 19/32 kulies and its appurtenances; and bounded on the east by the property of Alvapillai Namasivayam and others, north by the village limit of Alvai North, west by the property of Vettivelu Kanagasabai, and south by the property of Kandainar Sabapathipillai.

The land is said to be under mortgage.

Fiscal's Office,  
Jaffna, August 19, 1931.

S. THURAIAPPAN,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

R. S. Fernando, carrying on business under the name,  
style, and firm of J. S. Fernando & Co., at St. John's  
road, Colombo..... Plaintiff.

No. 31,468.

30 Vs.

G. W. P. Karunatilake, Rambodagalla, Rambodagalla  
galla..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, September 25, 1931, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,785.80 with interest thereon at 18 per cent. per annum from February 1, 1929, to September 6, 1929, and thereafter at the rate of 9 per centum per annum on the aggregate amount of the decreed till payment in full, costs of suit, and poundage. Less a sum of Rs. 778.40 recovered, viz. :—

1. An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of Divuyangodellehen and adjacent Bulane-elakumburemaragahamulapillewa with the buildings standing thereon, in extent 36 acres 1 rood, situate at Maditiyawa in Madure korale of Weudawili hatpattu aforesaid; and bounded on the north by lands of Peduru Baas and Rubber Company, east by field of

Tambiraja and road leading to Rambodagalla, south by Gansabhawa road, lands of Mudalihamy, and Ridi Vihare, west by Mahadalupota of Peduru Baas and Meegongalehena of the Rubber Company; registered in A 216/17.

2. At 1.45 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of Katupilagallemadehena, now watta, in extent 3 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Nahalla in aforesaid korale; and bounded on the north by chena and ditch of Malhamy, east by Crown land, south by chena of Malhamy and Appuhamy, and west by high road; registered in A 368/293.

3. At 2 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of Nawahandegala-gawahena of about 3 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the east by Galpila, south by ingal of Malhamy's chena, west by village limit of Viharagama, and north by village limit of Viharagama; registered in A 173/135.

4. At 2.15 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of Bakmigehamulawewakele of 2 acres 2 roods and 5 perches in extent with buildings standing thereon, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by land claimed by natives, east by the strip of land reserved along the road, bemma, and land claimed by natives, south by strip of land reserved along footpath, and west by Crown land; registered in A 214/145.

5. At 2.30 p.m.—Maladalupotakumburehena, now garden, with buildings standing thereon; Asseddumekumbura and Asweddumekongahamulahena, now garden, Asseduma, and Asweddumekongahamulahena, now garden, in extent 16 acres 2 roods and 5 perches, situated at Ridigama in Madure korale; and bounded on the north and west by lands claimed by Ridigama Temple, east by the estate of W. P. Karunatilaka, and south by Maha-ela and estate of W. P. Karunatilaka; registered in A 368/76.

6. At 2.45 p.m.—Ihalakatupilagallehena, situate at Nahalla aforesaid, in extent 6 lahas of kurakkan sowing; and bounded on the north by the limit of the chena of Appuhamy and PUNCHIRALA, east by limit of the Crown forest, south by the limit of the chenas of Appuhamy and others, and west by the field; registered in A 368/77.

7. At 3 p.m.—Pambewela in extent 1 pela of paddy sowing, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by liminary dam of Appuhamy's field, east by road, south by liminary dam of PUNCHAPPUHAMY's field, west by pillewa; registered in A 369/28.

8. At 3.15 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{12}$  share of Pusselandewatta 5 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by field and batalakotawa, east by high road, south by endaruweta, west by stone; registered in 363/238.

9. At 3.30 p.m.—Ihalakatupillagallewela of 3 pelas of paddy sowing extent, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by embankment, east by limit of chena of this field south by the fence of the garden of PUNCHIRALA, and west by the limit of the pillewa of this field; and registered in A 356/143.

10. At 3.45 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of Hangaran-kotuwa, situate at Nahalla aforesaid, in extent 10 acres 3 roods and 32 perches; and bounded on the north by Crown land, Mala-ela, and land claimed by natives, east by lot 14020 in P. P. 3,136 and land claimed by natives, south by Mala-ela and Crown land, and west by Crown land; registered in A 387/178.

11. At 4 p.m.—The land called Feramunigedarahena 4 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Mala-ela, east by land claimed by natives and Halapugaha-ela, south by Hapugaha-ela and Crown land, and west by Crown land; registered in A 260/7.

12. At 4.15 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of Pusselandewatta of 2 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by wela and garden of Mudiyanse, east by high road, south by gardens of Hetuwa and K'ri Unga, and west by rock; with the buildings standing thereon; registered in A 137/225.

13. At 4.30 p.m.—The field called Pambewela of about 1 pela of paddy sowing extent, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by field of Lapaya, east by high road, south by Pusselandewatta, and west by garden of Mudiyanse; registered in A 137/226.

14. At 4.45 p.m.—The land called Kalagahamulahena of about 2 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by ela, east and south by garden of Kalu Banda, and west by garden of Appuhamy; registered in A 137/227.

15. At 5 p.m.—Dalupothayayakumbura in extent 1 amunam of paddy sowing soil, situate at Nahalla aforesaid; and bounded on the north by weubemma, east by pillawa, south by field of Punchirala, and west by pillawa; registered in A 137/228.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kurunegala, August 20, 1931.

A. BASNAYAKE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Wilfred Adam Muttukumarú of Mallika in Puttalam ..... Plaintiff.

No. 4,256.

Vs.

(1) Meera Lebbe Marikar Segó Ismail Marikar and his mother (2) Naina Mohamado Natchia widow of Meera Lebbe Marikar both of Kurunegala.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, September 25, 1931, at the time mentioned below will be sold by public auction the right, title, and interest of the defendants in the following properties, viz. :—

1. At 10 a.m.—The extent of the coconut garden called Udayantotam, situate at the village Kallamadú in Kalpitiya pattu in Kalpitiya division, Puttalam District, North-Western Province, is about 15 acres; and bounded on the north by Uri-odai, east by common limit of the garden belonging to Ahamadú Naina Abubacker Lebbe and others, south by Sinna Santhy belonging to the Crown, and west by the common limit of the garden belonging to Mohideen Pitche, Police Headman Mohamado Segó Sickander, and others. The ground, coconut trees, palmyra trees, mango trees, and all things within these boundaries.

2. At 11 a.m.—The extent of the coconut garden called Periyatotam, Sinnatotam or Wayaladykany, two portions forming into one, situate at the village Kallamadú in Kurinjipitty in Akkarai pattu north in Kalpitiya division aforesaid, is about 15 acres; bounded on the north by garden belonging to the heirs of Una Seena Mana Mohamado Ali Marikar, east by road and channel called Mathikettanodai, south by common limit of Pulyadytotam belonging to the first defendant and others and road, and west by garden belonging to the heirs of the said Mohamado Ali Marikar and others. Out of the garden, coconut trees and all things within these the undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share and of the young plantation planted by Meeyana Mohideen Pitche, father of the first defendant, the undivided just  $\frac{1}{2}$  share.

Amount of writ Rs. 9,028.12, being the aggregate amount of the principal and balance interest due up to February 10, 1931, in respect of mortgage bonds No. 2,867 dated April 10, 1926, and No. 4,094 dated November 10, 1928, both attested by V. V. Subramaniam of Puttalam, Notary Public, with further interest on Rs. 6,750 at  $1\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. per mensem from February 10, 1931, to March 10, 1931, and thereafter legal interest on the aggregate amount till payment in full, costs and poundage.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, W. J. A. VAN LANGENBERG,  
Puttalam, August 25, 1931. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

Samuel Philip Wittachy of Colombo ..... Plaintiff.

No. 9,159.

Vs.

Jaggini Umma *alias* Rahimansa widow of the late Ana Muna Saibá Hamid of Moor Street, Chilaw ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, September 19, 1931, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest and claim whatsoever of the said defendant into, upon, or out of the following property mortgaged with the plaintiff by bond No. 154, dated December 14, 1927, and attested by Mr. A. W. Corea, Notary Public, and declared specially bound and executable under the decree dated June 16, 1930, entered in the above action and ordered to be sold by the order of court dated June 16, 1931, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,712.50, with interest on Rs. 3,000, at 15 per cent. per annum from October 14, 1929, up to June 16, 1930, and further interest on the aggregate sum at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from June 16, 1930, till payment in full, and costs of this action and poundage, viz. :—

All that allotment of land called Thommaitottam and Alawakkantottam forming one property, with the brick buildings and plantations standing thereon, situate in the

town of Chilaw in Anavulundán pattu of Pitigal korale north in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province; and bounded on the north by the common fence of the land of Kaderavel Asari, east by the high road leading to Puttalam, south by the land of Mr. C. E. Corea, west by the fence of the land of the heirs of Lena Meeyanna Meera Saibo, but now of Mr. E. J. S. Amarasekara; and containing in extent  $36\frac{1}{2}$  yards in breadth from east to west and  $40\frac{1}{2}$  yards in length from north to south.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Chilaw, August 25, 1931.

F. G. DALPETHADO,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Province of Sabaragamuwa.

In the District Court of Ratnapura.

In the matter of the intestate estate of Hatringa Davith Appuhamy of Walalgoda ..... Deceased.

No. 774 Testamentary. Vs.

Charles Hamilton Wirasinghe of the Walawwa, Bentota, and presently of Hingura ..... Administrator.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, September 25, 1931, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the Village Committee bungalow, Rakwana, the right, title, and interest of the said administrator in the following property for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 5,000, being the amount of the security bond entered into by the said Mr. C. H. Wirasinghe, which was confiscated by an order of this court dated April 20, 1930, in terms of consent order dated October 26, 1928, and poundage less Rs. 40.45, recovered at the sale at the risk of the original purchaser, Don Marcel Jayamanne of Ja-ela for and on behalf of Warnapurage Jemani Fernando, Wellawatta, Colombo, who purchased the lands for Rs. 215 on June 17, 1931, viz. :—

1. All that undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part of the soil and fruit trees of the undivided high land portion and of the tiled house known as Walawwa standing thereon of the Nindagama called and known as Mendalukkinna (comprising of the high and low land), situated at Walalgoda in Diyapotagam pattu of Kolonna Korals in the Ratnapura District, Province of Sabaragamuwa; and bounded on the north by Weliamahakarametiya and Yonchepandura, east by Galaboda de-kanda, south by Hulandaoyauduhagala, and west by Pareiyagodamudura and Kolongaha; and containing in extent about 3,235 acres.

2. All that undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part of the soil and fruit trees of the Nindagama called and known as Karagahaira, situated at Walalgoda aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Parandalara, east by Galwalakumbura and Yakadagalgodamudura, south by Peniwelmaditta and the limits of East Giruwa pattu, and west by Bogaharebogaha; and containing in extent about 1,926 acres.

Fiscal's Office, R. E. D. ABEYRATNE,  
Ratnapura, August 24, 1931. Additional Deputy Fiscal.

In the Court of Requests of Kegalla.

Bamunuge Regina Peiris Hamine of Mawanella ..... Plaintiff.

No. 5,397.

Hetti Aratchillage Mudiyanse of Galpola ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on September 26, 1931, commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz. :—

The contiguous lands called Badalagewatta and Galpathagewatta of about 3 pelas of paddy sowing in extent, situated at Paradanda in Deyaladahamuna pattu of Kinigoda korale in the District of Kegalla of the Province of Sabaragamuwa; and bounded on the east by Mala-ela and ditch, west by the fence and ditch, south by the bank of the field, and on the north by Galenda; together with the building standing thereon.

To recover a sum of Rs. 154.75, with further interest on Rs. 100 at the rate of 15 cents per Rs. 10 per mensem from January 9, 1931, to February 24, 1931, and thereafter, with legal interest on the aggregate amount till payment in full.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, S. DE SILVA,  
Kegalla, August 25, 1931. Additional Deputy Fiscal.

## NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Arnold Wilhelmus Rupesinghe No. 5,779.

Orena Josephine Rupesinghe of Sedawatta... Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Thambyah, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on August 6, 1931, in the presence of Mr. T. C. S. Jayasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavits (1) of the said petitioner dated August 3, 1931, and (2) of the attesting notary dated July 20, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will of Arnold Wilhelmus Rupesinghe, deceased, of which the original has been produced and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the petitioner is the executor named in the said will and that she is entitled to have probate thereof issued to her accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before September 10, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

August 6, 1931.

G. C. THAMBYAH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Ravanna Mana Sona Ravanna Mana No. 5,767.

R. M. S. R. M. Ramer Chettiar of 104, Sea street, in Colombo... Petitioner.

And

Muththu Thatchy of Kandavarayan Patty, Ramnad District, in South India... Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Thambyah, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on July 30, 1931, in the presence of Mr. C. Sevaprakasam, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated July 29, 1931, and the order of the Supreme Court dated July 28, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him; unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

July 30, 1931.

G. C. THAMBYAH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Cader Mohideen Puthumma, late of No. 7,422.

P. S. Mohamado Omer Lebbe of 2nd Cross street in Colombo... Petitioner.

S. M. Cader Meers Saibo of Puthumanai in South India... Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. W. R. Ilangakoon, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on May 15, 1931, in the presence of Mr. J. Rasiah Joseph, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 13, 1931, and the order of the Supreme Court dated May 7, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the purchaser of the entire property of the estate, to have letters of administration to her estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 15, 1931.

J. W. R. ILANGAKOON,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Kunchi Marikayar Meerapulle of Puthumanai in South India, deceased.

P. S. Mohamado Omer Lebbe of 2nd Cross street in Colombo... Petitioner.

(1) K. Meera Palle Musthapa Marikayar, (2) K. Pulle Abdul Rahim Marikayar, both of Puthumanai in South India... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. W. R. Ilangakoon, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on May 15, 1931, in the presence of Mr. J. H. Rasiah Joseph, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 13, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the purchaser of the half share of the estate of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 15, 1931.

J. W. R. ILANGAKOON,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Kunji Marikar Cader Saibo alias Cader No. 7,421.

P. S. Mohamado Saibo of 2nd Cross street in Colombo... Petitioner.

And

(1) K. Abdul Rahman Hadjiar Ameer Alawdeen, (2) K. Abdul Rahman Hadjiar Kaidu Sahibu, (3) K. Abdul Rahman Hadjiar Atheeka Sahibu, (4) K. Abdul Rahman Hadjiar Abdul Rahim Sahibu, (5) K. Abdul Rahim Shifu Hadjiar Howla Umma, (6) K. Abdul Rahman Sahibu Hadjiar Cader Suba Umma, (7) Pathumma Natchia, all of Puthumanai in South India... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. W. R. Ilangakoon, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on May 1, 1931, in the presence of Mr. J. Rasiah Joseph, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 13, 1931, and the order of the Supreme Court dated May 7, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the purchaser of an undivided half share of the estate of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 15, 1931.

J. W. R. ILANGAKOON,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Kurukulasuriya Pattankattiyage Lucy No. 5,662.

Oswatte Liyanage Richard Perera Jayasinghe of Weligampitiya aforesaid... Petitioner.

(1) Oswatte Liyanage William Perera Jayasinghe of Weligampitiya, (2) ditto Simon Perera Jayasinghe of Kattimana, (3) Mrs. W. J. F. Jayatilake, wife of (4) W. J. F. Jayatilake of Kalaenya, (5) Oswatte Liyanage Engeltina Perera Jayasinghe of Weligampitiya, (6) ditto Rosali Perera Jayasinghe of Weligampitiya, (7) ditto Joseph Perera Jayasinghe of the Lunatic Asylum, Angoda, appearing by his guardian *ad litem* the 2nd respondent, (8) F. X. Fernando, wife of (9) F. X. Fernando of Kurana, Negombo... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. W. R. Ilangakoon, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on May 15, 1931, in the presence of Mr. A. Thenawara, Proctor, on

the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated May 12, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before September 10, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. W. R. ILANGAKOON,  
District Judge.  
May 15, 1931.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Kannangara Aratchige Arnolis Appuhamy No. 5,791.

Welikannage Rohana Perera of Nugegoda ..... Petitioner.

(1) Kannangara Aratchige Somawathie and (2) R. W. Singshege Jamis Perera of Nugegoda, Kolonnawa ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Thambyah, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on August 21, 1931, in the presence of Messrs. Weerasinghe & Abeyaratne, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated August 10, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to her, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. THAMBYAH,  
District Judge.  
August 21, 1931.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Jurisdiction. Heenetigala Acharige Mano Naide No. 5,769.

Sakalawalli Acharige Lucia Nachirai alias Lucia Heenetigala of Galpotta street, Kotahona, in Colombo ..... Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Thambyah, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on August 3, 1931, in the presence of Mr. P. M. de Seneviratne, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavits (1) of the said petitioner dated July 31, 1931, and (2) of the attesting notary also dated July 31, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will of Heenetigala Acharige Mano Naide, deceased, of which the original has been produced and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the petitioner is the executrix named in the said will, and that she is entitled to have probate thereof issued to her accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. THAMBYAH,  
District Judge.  
August 3, 1931.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Jurisdiction. Francis Lionel Daniel of Nova No. 5,784.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Thambyah, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on August 20, 1931, in the presence of Messrs. F. J. & G. de Saram, Proctors, on the part of the petitioners, Eda Daniel and Meta Daniel, both of Colombo, and Edwin Keyt, presently of Survey bungalow, Jaffna; and (1) the affidavit of the said petitioners dated August 8 and 12, 1931, and (2) the affidavit of the attesting notary of the will dated August 14, 1931, having been read: It is ordered that the will of the said

Francis Lionel Daniel, deceased; No. 123 dated January 15, 1929, and attested by Ivor Stewart de Saram of Colombo, Notary Public, the original of which has been produced and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the said Eda Daniel, Meta Daniel, and Edwin Keyt are the executors named in the said will and that they are entitled to have probate thereof issued to them accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before September 10, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. THAMBYAH,  
District Judge.  
August 20, 1931.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Jurisdiction. Halahackonege Don Marthinu Appuhamy No. 5,679.

Madampella in the District of Negombo, deceased.

(1) Don Augustine Halahackone and (2) Don Joachim Halahackone, both of Madampella in the District of Negombo ..... Petitioners.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Thambyah, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on May 26, 1931, in the presence of Mr. C. H. Gomes, Proctor, on the part of the petitioners above named; and the affidavits (1) of the said petitioners dated May 15, 1931, (2) of the attesting notary dated May 12, 1931, and (3) of the attesting witnesses dated May 14, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will of Halahackonege Don Marthinu Appuhamy alias Don Marthinu Halahackone, deceased, of which the original has been produced and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved; and it is further declared that the petitioners are the executors named in the said last will and that they are entitled to have probate thereof issued to them accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. THAMBYAH,  
District Judge.  
May 26, 1931.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Sarange Don Belenis Appuhamy of No. 5,622.

Mulleriyawa in the Adikari pattu of Hewagam korale, deceased.

Sarange Don Adirian alias Rupasinghe Appuhamy of Mulleriyawa aforesaid ..... Petitioner.

And  
(1) Mayadunnage Dona Maggie Nona Hamine, (2) Sarange Don Seemon Appuhamy, both of Mulleriyawa aforesaid, (3) ditto Dona Sumanawathie Hamine and her husband, (4) Ranasinghe Aratchige Don Hendrick Appuhamy, both of Kaduwela in the Palle pattu of Hewagam korale, (5) Sarange Don Gunasekera Appuhamy, (6) ditto Don Sethan Appuhamy, both of Mulleriyawa aforesaid, (7) ditto Dona Kusumawathie Hamine and her husband, (8) Satarasinghe Abillon Perera Appuhamy, both of Errewala in the Palle pattu of Salpitta korale, (9) Sarange Gnavathie Hamine and (10) ditto Don Podi Appuhamy, both of Mulleriyawa, minors, appearing by their guardian (11) Kannangara Aratchige Don Simon Appuhamy of Kottawa ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Thambyah, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on April 10, 1931, in the presence of Mr. D. R. de S. Abhayanayake, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated April 10, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled, as son of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before September 3, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

April 10, 1931.

G. C. THAMBYAH,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Raigamage Andiris Perera, deceased, of No. 2,421. Talpitiya.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. M. Bharucha, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on July 3, 1931, in the presence of Mr. B. D. S. Perera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Raigamage William Perera of Talpitiya; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated April 30, 1931, having been read

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as brother to have letters of administration to his estate issued to him, unless the respondents—(1) Raigamage Babynona, (2) ditto Arnolis Perera, both of Talpitiya, minors, by their guardian *ad litem* (3) ditto Thomis Perera of ditto or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before August 21, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said 3rd respondent be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* over the 1st and 2nd minors, respondents for all the purposes of this action unless the respondents—or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before August 21 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

July 3, 1931.

N. M. BHARUCHA,  
District Judge.

The time for showing cause is extended to September 18, 1931.

N. M. BHARUCHA,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Mahacumburegedere Sundera, deceased, No. 5,030. of Batubedde.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. E. Barber, Esq., District Judge, Kandy, on August 3, 1931, in the presence of Messrs. W. Jonklaas & Co., Proctors, on the part of the petitioner, Mahacumburegedere Howkenda Veda of Batubedde; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated August 3, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner as a brother of the deceased, be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased above named issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Mahacumburegedere Dingiria, (2) ditto Pusumba, (3) ditto Naida, (4) ditto Ukkuwa, (5) ditto Hapia, (6) ditto Kaluwa, (7) ditto Kirie, (8) ditto Horatalee, (9) ditto Setuwa, (10) Amarasasa, the 2nd to 10th by their guardian *ad litem* the 11th Konakalagala Siambalagahagedere *alias* Pallegedere Pasindu of Batubedde—shall, on or before September 14, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

August 3, 1931.

W. E. BARBER,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kandy.

*Order Nisi declaring Will Proved.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament Jurisdiction. (with a codicil) of Edwards Beare No. 5,028. Nealon, formerly of Woodhill Terrace in the City of Cork, but late of St. Anne's Hydro, Bantry, County Cork in the Irish Free State, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. E. Barber, Esq., District Judge of Kandy, on July 24, 1931, in the presence of Messrs. R. W. Jonklaas & Co., Proctors, on the part of the petitioner, Stanley Frederick de Saram; and (1) the affidavit of the said petitioner dated July 22, 1931, and (2) the power of attorney dated March 30, 1931, having been read: It is ordered that the will of the said Edwards Beare Nealon, deceased, dated August 23, 1918, and a codicil thereto dated May 22, 1928, and exemplification of which under the Seal of His Majesty's High Court of Justice in England, has been produced and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, and it is further declared that the said Stanley Frederick de Saram is the attorney in Ceylon of the sole executor named in the said will and that he is entitled to have letters of administration (with will annexed) issued to him accordingly,

unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before August 20, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

July 24, 1931. W. E. BARBER,  
District Judge.

The date for showing cause is extended to September 10 1931.

August 20, 1931. W. E. BARBER,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Galle.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. the late Naiduwawadu Arnolis Silva, No. 7,297. deceased, of Kaluwadumulla, Ambalanga.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. W. Roberts, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on July 27, 1931, in the presence of Mr. J. P. S. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Jasentu Patabendi Protona of Kaluwadumulla; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated July 25, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that the said administratrix as widow of the deceased above named is entitled to have letters of administration issued to her accordingly, unless respondents, viz.,—(1) Naiduwawadu Gunehami of Patabendimulla, (2) ditto Ondiris Appu of Kalalpitiya, (3) ditto Simon Appu, (4) ditto Themis Appu, both of Ankumbura, (5) Gustinnawadu Ensohamy and husband (6) Alagiyawadu Senti, (7) Naiduwawadu Mittohamy, (8) ditto Babynona, wife of (9) Pattiniya Marakkala Singho Appu, all of Kaluwadumulla, (10) Naiduwawadu Seelawathie, wife of (11) Obadage Mendis, both of Kariththakanda, (12) Naiduwawadu Charlis Singho of Kaluwadumulla, (13) Naiduwawadu Nona, wife of (14) Watudurage Oimis Silva, both of Meetiya-goda, (15) Naiduwawadu Aron of Matale, shall on or before September 2, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

July 27, 1931.

T. W. ROBERTS,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Galle.

*Order Nisi declaring Will Proved, &c.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament Jurisdiction. of Don Porolis Munasingha, late No. 7,181. of Elakake.

Don Edwin Munasingha of Elakake in Pahala-gamhaya ..... Petitioner.

(1) Dona Louisa de Alwis, (2) Dona Charlotte Sophia Munasingha, (3) Herbert Sirimanne, (4) Dona Clara Herriot Munasingha, (5) Dona Volina Cathrette Munasingha, all of Elakake in Pahala-gamhaya, (6) Don Themis Munasingha of Beruwala ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. W. Roberts, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on October 6, 1930, in the presence of Mr. N. de Alwis, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Don Edwin Munasingha of Elakake in Pahala-gamhaya; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated September 20, 1930, and the affidavit of the attesting witnesses to last will dated September 20, 1930, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of Don Porolis Munasingha, deceased, dated January 31, 1930, and now deposited in this court; be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless the respondents, viz.,—(1) Dona Louisa de Alwis, (2) Dona Charlotte Sophia Munasingha, (3) Herbert Sirimanne, (4) Dona Clara Herriot Munasingha, (5) Dona Volina Cathrette Munasingha, all of Elakake, and (6) Don Themis Munasingha of Beruwala shall, on or before December 4, 1930, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said petitioner is the executor named in the said will and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named shall, on or before December 4, 1930, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 6 1930.

T. W. ROBERTS,  
District Judge.

Since extended to September 3, 1931.

T. W. ROBERTS,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Alvapillai Kumaraswamy of Puloly West, deceased. No. 7,816. V. Alvapillai Samarapillai of Puloly West . . . . . Petitioner.

- (1) Ponnammah, widow of Kumaraswamy of ditto,  
 (2) Veththippillai, widow of Alvapillai of ditto,  
 (3) Kanthiah Kanapathippillai of ditto, and wife,  
 (4) Sivapakkiam of ditto, (5) Alvapillai Murugesu of ditto now of No. 75, Croolly road Railway, Ipoh . . . . . Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of the above-named petitioner praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, Alvapillai Kumaraswamy of Puloly West, coming on for disposal before D. H. Balfour, Esq., District Judge, on April 22, 1931, in the presence of Mr. K. Arulambalam, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated January 12, 1930, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is a brother of the said intestate and is entitled to have letter of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondent or any other person shall, on or before May 27, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

May 14, 1931.

D. H. BALFOUR,  
District Judge.

Time to show cause extended to September 2, 1931.

D. H. BALFOUR,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of Saraswathi, Jurisdiction. wife of Namasivayam Ilayatampy of No. 7,918. Kondavil, Jaffna, late of Taiping in the Federated Malay States, deceased.

Katheravelu Ponniah of Kondavil . . . . . Petitioner.

- (1) Ilayatampy Alagaratnam (minor), (2) Nagammah, wife of K. Ponnaiah, (3) Namasivayam Ilayatampy, all of Kondavil . . . . . Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of the above-named petitioner, praying that the above-named 2nd respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minor the 1st respondent, and for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased, Saraswathi, wife of Namasivayam Ilayatampy coming on for disposal before D. H. Balfour, Esq., District Judge, on June 29, 1931, in the presence of Mr. P. K. Somasundaram, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated June 22, 1931, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the father of the said intestate, and is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondent or any other person shall, on or before September 2, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

July 17, 1931.

D. H. BALFOUR,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Ratnapura.

*Order Nisi, declaring Will Proved, &c.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Bambarende Gamage Don Nanonis No. 976. Wengaratne Appathamy, deceased, of Kella.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before D. B. Seneviratne, Esq., District Judge, Ratnapura, on June 11, 1931, in the presence of Mr. W. H. Boteju, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, Samarappulige Babee of Kella in Kolonna Korle, and the affidavit of the petitioner dated June 11, 1931, having been read:

It is ordered that Samarappulige Nandoris of Kella be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minor respondents—(1) Bambarende Gamage Isawathie, (2) ditto Amarawathie, (3) ditto Wimalawathie, (4) ditto Sugathadasa, (5) ditto Ariyanandie, and (6) ditto Jayasena—all of Kella, for the purpose of these proceedings.

It is further declared that the petitioner above named is the widow of the deceased above named and that she is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before September 24, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

D. B. SENEVIRATNE,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Fresh Order Nisi.*

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Jurisdiction. Alahakoon Mudiyansele, Kiri Banda, No. 1,492. Registrar of Wadamaldeniya, deceased.

Karapone Mema Araccillage Punchi Menika of Wadamaldeniya . . . . . Petitioner.

- (1) P. B. Dasanayaka of Kegalla, (2) Alahakoon Mudiyansele Bandara Menika of Nagawela, (3) ditto Dingiri Amma of Mamaduwa in Wavuniya, (4) ditto Punchi Banda of Wadamaldeniya, (5) ditto Leelawathee of Kegalla . . . . . Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before C. Sittampalam, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on July 15, 1931, in the presence of Mr. A. A. Wickramasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and her petition and affidavit dated July 15, 1931, having been read: It is ordered and declared that the petitioner, as the widow of the deceased, is entitled to letters of administration to his estate and that such letters will be issued to the petitioner, unless the respondents or any person or persons interested shall, on or before August 18, 1931, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the court to the contrary.

July 15, 1931.

C. SITTAMPALAM,  
District Judge.This *Order Nisi* is extended to September 15, 1931.

August 15, 1931.

C. SITTAMPALAM,  
District Judge.

## DRAFT ORDINANCE.

(Continued from page 731.)

## MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information:—

An Ordinance to amend "The Irrigation Ordinance, 1917."

BE it enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof, as follows:—

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Irrigation (Amendment) Ordinance, 1931."

Amendment of section 17 of the principal Ordinance.

2 Section 17 of the principal Ordinance is amended as follows:—

(a) Section 17 is renumbered section 17 (1) and the words "except the purpose specified in paragraph (d) thereof" are added at the end.



(b) After section 17 (1) as amended by the preceding sub-section the following is added as sub-section (2) :—

“(2) All rules which by virtue of this section were valid and in force on the eighth day of September, 1931, shall continue to be valid and in force until varied, altered, amended or repealed.”

*Objects and Reasons.*

Under Article 1 of the Convention concerning forced or compulsory labour agreed to at the 14th International Labour Conference held at Geneva in 1930 each member of the International Labour Organization which ratifies the Convention undertook within the shortest possible period to suppress the use of forced or compulsory labour as defined in the Convention. And Article 2 (e) which contains the definition makes an exemption in favour of—

“(e) minor communal services of a kind which, being performed by the members of the community in the direct interest of the said community, can therefore be considered a part of the normal civil obligations incumbent upon the members of the community, provided that the members of the community or their direct representatives shall have the right to be consulted in regard to the need for such services.”

2. While rules under section 11 of The Irrigation Ordinance No. 45 of 1917 made by a majority of proprietors

“(d) For regulating and assessing the contributions of labour to be made by the proprietors for the purposes of works for the construction or maintenance of which the proprietors are, in whole or in part, responsible, and for the commutation of such contributions” ;

will be in order by virtue of the above exemption, the power of a Government Agent to make such rules in the circumstances contemplated in section 17 violates the terms of the Convention.

3. To place His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom in a position to enter into a definite obligation for the final abolition of all forms of forced or compulsory labour covered by the Convention, clause 2 of this Ordinance deprives a Government Agent of the right to make rules which can be justified only under section 11 (d). But as it would disorganize the working of the amended Ordinance to invalidate existing rules by the mere fact of this amendment, clause 3 keeps such rules alive until they are varied, altered, amended or repealed.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,

Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

Colombo, August 24, 1931.