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## PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

G. M. R./O. B. 22489/31.  
BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

### A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby under section 34 of the Ceylon Railways Ordinance, 1902, declare (a) that the portion of the road more particularly described in the schedule hereto which is crossed by the Railway between Dodanduwa and Gintota Stations, in the Southern Province, be from December 1, 1931, to January 3, 1932, a "minor crossing" for the purposes of the said Ordinance, and (b) that such "minor crossing" be closed by gates.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.  
Colombo, November 4, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE.

Mileage m. c.	Description.	Class.
67 16	Colombo-Galle cart road to Kandala village and Racecourse.	III.

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BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

### A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby under section 34 of "The Ceylon Railways Ordinance, 1902," declare that the portion of the road more particularly described in the schedule hereto which is crossed by the Railway between Dodanduwa and Gintota Stations, in the Southern Province, shall from January 4, 1932, be a "minor crossing" for the purposes of the said Ordinance, and that such "minor crossing" be not closed by gates.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.  
Colombo, November 4, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE.

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BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

### A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS it seems advisable to the Governor to establish in Selagama, Asgiri Pallesiya pattuwa, Matale South, in the District of Matale in the Central Province, a general cemetery for the burial or cremation of the dead within the limits hereinafter specified and defined:

And whereas the Governor may under section 6 (3) of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899," as amended by the Cemeteries and Burials Amendment Ordinance, 1931, exempt any cemetery either wholly or in part from the operation of sections 11, 16, 17, and 24:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor, by virtue of the powers vested in Us by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, do hereby under

section 6 (1) of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899," as amended by the Cemeteries and Burials Amendment Ordinance, 1931, establish, as from the date hereof, a general cemetery on the land described in Schedule A hereto for the burial or cremation of the dead within the limits specified and defined in Schedule B hereto.

And We do hereby exempt the said cemetery wholly from the operation of sections 11, 16, 17, and 24 of the said Ordinance.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.  
Colombo, November 5, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE A.

Name of Land: Nagollehena (lot 4B in preliminary plan No. 8,490).

Situation: Selagama, Asgiri Pallesiya pattuwa, Matale South, in the District of Matale in the Central Province.

Bounded on the north by the land called Nagollehena lots 4 and 4A in preliminary plan No. 8,490 claimed by the Crown; east by the Gansabhawa road leading from Paldeniya to Kahawatta; south by the land called Nagollehena claimed by the heirs of the late D. M. Gunaratna; west by the land called Nagollehena lot 4 in preliminary plan No. 8,490 claimed by the Crown.

Extent: 2 roods and 6 perches.

### SCHEDULE B.

Name of Village: Selagama.

Bounded on the north by the land called Nagollehena claimed by N. S. Goonaratna; east by the Gansabhawa road leading from Kahawatta to Selagama; south by the land called Hettiyawatta; west by Diyamaruwe-ela.

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BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

### A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS under section 3 of "The Seashore Protection Ordinance, 1911," the Governor may, with the advice of the Executive Council, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, proclaim any part of the seashore of this Island as an area from or over which no sand, stone, coral, or other substance shall be removed:

And whereas on and after the date when the first election of Executive Committees and the first appointment of Ministers in accordance with the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, shall be complete, all powers, authorities, and functions which at the said date shall be vested by any written law in the Governor in Executive Council, howsoever the association of the said Council with the Governor may be described in any such law, shall, so far as the same shall continue in existence and be capable of being exercised after the said date, be vested in the Governor:

Know Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby, under section 3 of "The Seashore Protection Ordinance, 1911," proclaim that part of the seashore of this Island which is specified and defined in the schedule hereto as an area from or over which no sand, stone, coral, or other substance shall be removed as from November 16, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.  
Colombo, November 7, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### SCHEDULE.

That part of the seashore lying between points corresponding to ten miles seventy chains and eighteen miles of the Colombo-Galle railway line.

Min. A. L. 176/31

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

## A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, by virtue of the powers vested in Us by section 26 of "The Co-operative Societies Ordinance, No. 34 of 1921," and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, do hereby remit—

(a) The Stamp Duty with which, under any law for the time being in force, instruments executed by or on behalf of—

The Yabaraluwa Co-operative Society, September 8, 1931,

The Dedigamuwa Co-operative Society, September 10, 1931,

The Wanahapuwa Co-operative Society, September 10, 1931,

The Gomarankadawala Co-operative Society, September 25, 1931,

The Pitipane South Co-operative Society, September 28, 1931,

The Katunayake South Co-operative Society, September 29, 1931,

or by an officer or member of the said societies, and relating to the business of the said societies, are chargeable as from the respective dates noted against the names of the societies above named.

(b) Any fee payable under the law of registration for the time being in force, in respect of the instruments aforesaid, provided, however, that such exemption may be withdrawn under sub-section (2) of the said section.

Colombo, November 6, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,  
Secretary to the Governor.

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BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

## A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor, do hereby proclaim the by-law set out hereunder, made by the Municipal Council of Kandy, under sections 109 and 110 of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," and confirmed under the said section 109 by Us by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,  
Secretary to the Governor.

Queen's House,  
Colombo, November 11, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

## BY-LAW.

Chapter XII. of the by-laws of the Kandy Municipal Council published in *Gazette* No. 6,165 of January 11, 1907, as amended by Proclamation dated January 18, 1911, published in *Gazette* No. 6,422 of January 27, 1911, is further amended as follows:—

By the addition of the following by-law No. 156B immediately after by-law No. 156A:—

156B. No owner or occupier of a house shall, when any restriction of supply is in force, allow any cistern, pipe, or tap in his premises to be open at hours other than those between which the Council has by public notice from time to time announced that water will be supplied to the area concerned.

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

No. 436 of 1931.

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

J 38/31

Mr. M. K. T. SANDYS to the office of Assistant at Mannar to the Government Agent, Northern Province; District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Mannar; Deputy Fiscal for the District of Mannar; Assistant Collector of Customs, Mannar; Master Attendant, Mannar; Receiver of Wrecks, Mannar; Additional Superintendent of Police, Mannar; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Mannar; and Official Visitor to the Mandapam Camp, from November 11, 1931, until further orders.

I 710/31

Mr. V. C. MANICAM, Chief Audit Examiner, to act as Assistant Auditor for Railways, with effect from October 5, 1931, during the absence of Mr. A. R. KALE, on leave, or until further orders.

N 190/31

The Rev. HENRY RUPERT CORNISH as Honorary Wesleyan Chaplain, Ceylon Defence Force, with effect from March 19, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931. Chief Secretary.

No. 437 of 1931.

N 143/31

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to post Honorary Lieutenant CECIL VICTOR SAMARASINGHE of the Ceylon Cadet Battalion to the Reserve of his Corps, with effect from November 3, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931. Chief Secretary.

No. 438 of 1931.

N 40/31

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Lieutenant SAMUEL ALGERNON LUDOVICI ANTHONISZ of his commission in the Ceylon Light Infantry Reserve, with effect from October 26, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931. Chief Secretary.

No. 439 of 1931.

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

CF 76/31

Mr. F. H. B. KOCH to be Additional District Judge, Colombo, from November 9 to 19, 1931, inclusive, and on November 21, 1931.

CF 49/29

Mr. C. A. LABROOY to act as Additional District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Police Magistrate, Kandy, during the absence of Mr. G. FURSE ROBERTS, on November 18, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

CF 31/29

Mr. F. S. PAUL to be Additional District Judge, Mannar, on November 17, 1931.

CF 32/29

Mr. B. L. DRIEBERG to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Avissawella, during the absence of Mr. W. SANSONI on other duty, on November 14, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

CF 95/29

Mr. E. G. M. GOONEWARDENE to act at Dandagamuwa as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate and Additional District Judge for the judicial division of Kurunegala, during the absence of Mr. U. P. WEERASINGHE, on November 14, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

CF 64/29

Mr. CLEMENT P. WIJERATNE to be Additional Police Magistrate, Kalutara, on November 10, 1931.

CF 98/29

Mr. J. W. E. D. PERERA to be Additional Police Magistrate, Gampaha, on November 12, 1931.

CF 96/29

Mr. A. V. VAN LANGENBERG to be Additional Police Magistrate, Gampola, on November 16, 1931.

CF 32/29

Mr. E. W. KANNANGARA to be Additional Police Magistrate, Avissawella, on November 9, 1931.

CF 83/29

Mr. C. F. DHARMARATNE to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, during the absence of Mr. C. B. P. PERERA, on November 14, 1931, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Mr. R. ST. L. P. DERANIYAGALA to act as an Additional Crown Counsel, with effect from November 9, 1931, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Attorney-General's Chambers, E. ST. J. JACKSON,  
Colombo, November 12, 1931. Attorney-General.

No. 440 of 1931.

K 224/31

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to appoint Mr. W. F. T. RAJAKARUNA to act as an Inquirer for the Vidane Arachchies' divisions of Welitara, Kosgoda, and Urugaha in the Bentota-Walallawiti korale of the Galle District and Additional Inquirer for the Wellaboda pattu also of the Galle District, during the absence of Mr. K. A. DE S. R. WIJAYASINGHE, on November 5, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

Attorney-General's Chambers, E. ST. J. JACKSON,  
Colombo, November 5, 1931. Attorney-General.

No. 441 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to appoint Mr. CHITTAMPALAM MUDALIYAR MURUGESU to be, in addition to his own duties, an Inquirer for the Udaiyar's division of Kaddaively in the District of Jaffna, Northern Province, in place of Mr. A. NAGALINGAM, retired.

By His Excellency's command,

Attorney-General's Chambers, E. ST. J. JACKSON,  
Colombo, November 12, 1931. Attorney-General.

No. 442 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to appoint Mr. KANTHAR KASINATHAR to be, in addition to his own duties, an Inquirer for the Udaiyar's division of Varany in the District of Jaffna, Northern Province, in place of Mr. K. SARAVANAMUTTU, retired.

By His Excellency's command,

Attorney-General's Chambers, E. ST. J. JACKSON,  
Colombo, November 12, 1931. Attorney-General.

No. 443 of 1931.

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

958/5 (ET)

Mr. GORDON E. W. JANSZ, Deputy Chief Accountant, Railway, to act as Chief Accountant, Railway, from October 1, 1931, until further orders.

958/5 (ET)

Mr. B. A. MUTTUNAYAGAM, Assistant Accountant, Railway, to act as Deputy Chief Accountant, Railway, with effect from October 1, 1931, until further orders.

958/5 (ET)

Mr. B. ABEYWARDENA, Second Assistant Accountant, Railway, to act as Assistant Accountant, Railway, *vice* Mr. B. A. MUTTUNAYAGAM, from October 1, 1931, until further orders.

958/5 (ET)

Mr. T. J. JOSEPH, Probationary Assistant Accountant, Railway, to act as Second Assistant Accountant, Railway, *vice* Mr. B. ABEYWARDENA, from October 1, 1931, until further orders.

The Notification dated October 29, 1931, appearing in the *Gazette* of October 30, 1931, so far as it relates to these appointments, is hereby cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

The General Treasury, W. W. WOODS,  
Colombo, November 12, 1931. Financial Secretary.

No. 444 of 1931.

931/3 (ET)

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. C. R. JANSZ, Chief Clerk, Colombo Electricity Supply Branch, to act in the post of Assistant Accountant, Colombo Electricity Supply Branch, from September 25, 1931, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

The General Treasury, W. W. WOODS,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931. Financial Secretary.

No. 445 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 5 (1) (b) of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," to nominate Mr. A. FELLOWES GORDON to be a member of the Sanitary Board, Province of Uva, during the absence from Ceylon of Mr. J. W. HYDE.

By His Excellency's command,

CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWA,  
Minister for Local Administration,  
The Old Legislative Council Chamber,  
Colombo, November 4, 1931.

No. 446 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 13 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint Mr. E. GORDON BROOKE of Hanwella Group, Padukka, to be a member of the Provincial Road Committee, Western Province, for the unexpired period of 1931, in place of Mr. R. S. HODGES, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,  
CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWE,  
Minister for Local Administration.

The Old Legislative Council Chamber,  
Colombo, November 4, 1931.

No. 447 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 5 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, to appoint Mr. A. S. CROW, District Engineer, Anuradhapura, to be an official member of the Local Board of Anuradhapura, in place of Mr. J. A. MORAES.

By His Excellency's command,  
CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWE,  
Minister for Local Administration.

The Old Legislative Council Chamber,  
Colombo, November 4, 1931.

No. 448 of 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 5 (1) (b) of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," to nominate Mr. S. WARUSAVITANE to be a member of the Sanitary Board for the District of Galle, in place of Mr. J. W. WEERASURIYA.

By His Excellency's command,  
CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWE,  
Minister for Local Administration.

Colombo, November 9, 1931.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. GUNASENA DE SOYZA to act as an Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, with effect from November 10, 1931, until further orders, *vice* Mr. SAMSON FELIX AMERASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at the Badulla Kacheheri.

By His Excellency's command,  
B. H. BOURDILLON,  
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 5, 1931.

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

By the Registrar-General.

DON THOMAS TIRIMANNA, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dodangoda division and of Marriages (General) of Iddagoda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, will, with effect from November 15, 1931, hold his principal office at Mabogahawatta in Bopitiya instead of at Miriswatta in Dodangoda West as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 7,800 of August 29, 1930, and the additional office at Miriswatta in Dodangoda West instead of at Mabogahawatta in Bopitiya as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 7,674 of November 16, 1928.

DON WILLIAM WICKRAMA-ARATCHY RAJAKARUNARATNE, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Talaramba division and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, will, with effect from November 5, 1931, hold his office at Yaddhegawatta in Talaramba instead of at Welikahagahawatta in Talaramba as notified in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,515 of August 2, 1912.

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

\* PETTIKIRI ARACHCHIGE DON ANORIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Paluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Meda pattu of Siyane korale west division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for fifteen days from November 1, 1931, *vice* the Registrar, KARUNANAYAKA PATRAJAGE DON SELESTINU KARUNANAYAKA, retired. Place of office: Millagahawatta in Moragoda.

Dr. DON JAMES HECTOR FERDINANDO to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maradana division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for three days from November 1, 1931, during the absence of the Medical Registrar, Dr. A. C. FERNANDO, on leave. Place of office: 137, Dematagoda road, Maradana, Colombo.

WARNAKULASURIYAPATABENDI MAHAKARIYAKARAWANAGE JOSEPH FERNANDO to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pallepattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from November 2, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, TANTULAGE OGISU FERNANDO, on leave. Place of office: 667, Rawatawatta.

Dr. VISVASAM MUTHUMANI to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wellawatta division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from November 6, 1931, during the absence of the Medical Registrar, Dr. (Miss) VERONA F. WIRASEKERA, on leave. Place of office: 65, Leelands, Galle road, Bambalapatiya.

DON ABRAHAM ABEYASINGHE GOONAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udugaha north division, and of Marriages (General) of Udugahapattu of Hapitigam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on November 6, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, RANASINGHE APPUHAMILLAGE DON ARNOLIS, on leave. Place of office: Delgahawatta in Hakurukumbura.

DON PAULES DE CUNRAT SAMARATUNGA RANDUNU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gampaha division, and of Marriages (General) of Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale south division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from November 10, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, GARDIEROLEMALWATTAGE DON WELUN JAYAWARDANA, on leave. Place of office: Bogahawatta in Gampaha-Medagama.

HETTIARACHCHIGE DON BRAMPY JAYASEKERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Horawala division, and of Marriages (General) of Iddagoda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, on October 30, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, KATHRIARACHCHIGE DON JAMIS SIRIWARDANE, on leave. Place of office: Millagahawatta in Kirantidiya.

NANAYAKKARAWASANKAGODA-ARATCHIGE DON HARMANIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Weragoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, on November 5, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, HIKKADUWE VIDANERALALAGE DON ARTHUR ABEYRATNE WICKRAMASINGHE, on leave. His offices will be at Pingahawatta in Godagama and Gorakagahawatta in Alutwala.

DON BARIAS WIJAYATUNGA JAYAWARDHANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Watagedara division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for fifteen days from November 1, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DON ALWIS WEERASINGHA, retired. Places of office: Malinagodawatta in Palatuwa and Midella Arambewatta in Paranadugala.

DON ANDRAYAS WIJAYAWARDHANA WIJEPALA PALIHAWADANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pategama division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from November 4, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DON PEDRICK MERENCHI ABEYSEKARA, on leave. Places of office: Hunnawatta in Pategama and Weligamageruppa in Kottagoda.

KURU HENRY JAYASINGHE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medawalakada division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for seven days from November 4, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, DIONYSIUS MUTUMALA JAYASURIYA, on leave. Place of office: Nugagahawatta in Gonagamuwala.

HETTINARAYANA MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY PADIWELA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Karandapattu korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Katugampola hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for four days from November 5, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar HETTINARAYANA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA PADIWELA, on leave. Place of office: Udawela.

HITHAMILLAGE AWUSADAHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tiragandahe West korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Wann hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, on November 7, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, ALGAMA HITHAMILLAGE DINGIRI BANDA, on leave. Place of office: Wandenagala.

HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE RANHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hatalispaha West korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Wann hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, on November 25, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, ERIYAWE RANGE BANDARA SINHA PRATAPA WANNINAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE MUDIYANSE, on leave. Place of office: Monnankulama.

TENNAKON MUDIYANSELAGE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mawata pattuwa north division, and of Marriages (General) of Paranakuru korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for ten days from November 10, 1931, during the absence of the Registrar, H. PUNCHIRALA, on leave. Place of office: Hitinawatta in Paragammana.

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931. Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

Min. A. L. 54/31

"THE ROAD ORDINANCE, 1861."

Order.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section 9 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," that it shall be lawful for the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council, and on the application of the Provincial Committee, to order that any existing road or canal be stopped up, diverted, or turned, and to substitute some shorter or more commodious course for any road or canal so diverted or turned, as the public advantage may require:

And whereas the Provincial Committee of Uva has applied for an order that the existing road described in Schedule A hereto be diverted and that the road described in Schedule B hereto be substituted therefor:

And whereas the substitution of the said road described in Schedule B for the said road described in Schedule A is to the public advantage:

Know Ye that We, the Governor, by virtue of the powers in Us vested by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, do hereby under section 9 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," order that the said road described in Schedule A be diverted and the said road described in Schedule B hereto be substituted therefor.

By His Excellency's command,

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.  
Colombo, November 4, 1931.

### SCHEDULE A.

The road running through lots 59AM, 59AK, 59F, and 59AH1 in final village plan No. 31, situated in the village Pattiagedera in Dehiwipalata korale of Udukinda division, in the District of Badulla, Province of Uva.

### SCHEDULE B.

The road running through lot 59Aq1 and lot 59A1 in final village plan No. 31, situated in the village Pattiagedera in Dehiwipalata korale of the Udukinda division, in the District of Badulla, Province of Uva.

"THE ROAD ORDINANCE, 1861."

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Order.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section 9 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," that it shall be lawful for the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council, and on the application of the Provincial Committee, to order that any existing road or canal be stopped up, diverted, or turned, and to substitute some shorter or more commodious course for any road or canal so diverted or turned, as the public advantage may require:

And whereas the Provincial Committee of the Southern Province has applied for an order that the existing road described in Schedule A hereto be diverted and that the road described in Schedule B hereto be substituted therefor:

And whereas the substitution of the said road described in Schedule B for the said road described in Schedule A is to the public advantage:

Now therefore, We the Governor by virtue of the powers in Us vested by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, do hereby under section 9 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," order that the said road described in Schedule A be diverted and the said road described in Schedule B be substituted therefor.

Queen's House, GRAEME THOMSON,  
Colombo, November 7, 1931. Governor.

### SCHEDULE A.

The road leading from Nayimana to Diyagaha in the Matara District, Southern Province, represented by lots 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 15 in preliminary plan No. 14,267.

### SCHEDULE B.

The two roads represented respectively by lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and by lots 12, 13, 14, in this said preliminary plan No. 14,267.

"THE ROAD ORDINANCE, 1861."

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Order.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section 9 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," that it shall be lawful for the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council, and on the application of the Provincial Committee, to order that any existing road or canal be stopped up, diverted, or turned, and to substitute some shorter or more commodious course for any road or canal so diverted or turned, as the public advantage may require:

And whereas the Provincial Committee of the Central Province has applied for an order that the existing road described in Schedule A hereto be diverted and that the road described in Schedule B hereto be substituted therefor:

And whereas the substitution of the said road described in Schedule B for the said road described in Schedule A is to the public advantage:

Now therefore, We the Governor by virtue of the powers in Us vested by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, do hereby under section 9 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," order that the said road described in Schedule A be diverted and the said road described in Schedule B be substituted therefor.

Queen's House, GRAEME THOMSON,  
Colombo, November 7, 1931. Governor.

### SCHEDULE A.

The old Gansabhawa road from Kukuloya to Waragahanda Factory at Arattana in Pallispattuwa West, Lower Dumbara, Central Province, represented by the lot marked A. B. in plan of September 8, 1930, made by P. Spenser, Licensed Surveyor.

### SCHEDULE B.

The road represented by lot C. D. in the said plan referred to in Schedule A.

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

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

Colombo, November 3, 1931. **GRAEME THOMSON,**  
Governor.

## SCHEDULE.

Column I.	Column II.
No. 22 of 1889, An Ordinance relating to Criminal Breach of Trust by Public Servants, section 1.	Financial Secretary.

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IT is hereby notified for general information that HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been pleased to entrust to the Right Honourable Sir PHILIP CUNLIFF LISTER, G.B.E., P.C., M.P., the Seals of the Colonial Department.

Queen's House, Secretary to the Governor.  
Colombo, November 10, 1931.

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WITH reference to the Notification dated October 24, 1931, published on pages 1864 and 1865 of the Gazette of October 30, 1931, and the Notification dated November 4, 1931, published on page 1901 of the Gazette of November 6, 1931, it is hereby notified for general information that the under-mentioned clerk in Class II. of the Clerical Service has also completed the examination qualifying him for promotion.

Mr. W. A. D. G. Dissanayake, Registrar-General's Office, Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,  
Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,  
Colombo, November 12, 1931. Chief Secretary.

**"THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**

HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor has been pleased, under section 7, sub-section (c), of "The Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912," to appoint with effect from November 1, 1931, Mr. A. A. SCOTT, Hayes Estate, Deniyaya, to perform throughout the Island acts and duties mentioned in sections 32, 34, and 45 (a) of the said Ordinance.

D. B. JAYATILAKA,  
Minister for Home Affairs.

The Ministry of Home Affairs,  
Colombo, November 9, 1931.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 6 (1) of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 19 of 1931, to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Advisory Board referred to in section 5 of the Ordinance:—

E. A. ELAPATA, Dissawa, J.P., L. NUGAWELA, Dissawa, and Mr. T. B. MAMPITIYA, J.P., U.P.M., for a period of five years from November 6, 1931; and Messrs. D. H. KOTALAWALA and E. A. P. WILFERYERATNE for such period as they are members of the State Council, not exceeding five years from November 6, 1931.

D. B. JAYATILAKA,  
Minister for Home Affairs.

The Ministry of Home Affairs,  
Colombo, November 11, 1931.

**"THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, 1899."**

NOTICE is hereby given that on the recommendation of the "proper authority," to wit, the Government Agent of the Eastern Province, the Governor has, by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, ordered under section 6 (2) of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899, that from the date hereof no burials and cremations should take place within the limits of the Mosque premises situated at Valaichchenai in Koralai pattu of the District of Batticaloa, Eastern Province, and more fully described in the schedule hereto.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colombo, November 6, 1931. T. B. PANABOKKE,  
Minister for Health.

## SCHEDULE.

An allotment of land situated in the village of Valaichchenai of Koralai pattu in the District of Batticaloa of the Eastern Province, containing in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 4 perches, and shown as lot No. 11749 in preliminary plan No. 944, and bounded as follows:—

North by the Village Committee cemetery road, east by Batticaloa-Trincomalee main road, south by lot No. 11748 in preliminary plan No. 944, and west by lot No. 11743 in preliminary plan No. 944 and garden of M. Kalendar and others

**"THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCE, 1892."**

BY-LAWS made by the Sanitary Board of the Matale District, under section 9E (2) of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," and approved by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,  
CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWA,  
Minister for Local Administration.

Ministry of Local Administration,  
Colombo, November 9, 1931.

## BY-LAW.

1. By-law 1 in Chapter XIII. of the by-laws published in Gazette No. 7,232 of December 9, 1921, is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "artificial manures" in line 7 and the substitution therefor of the words "manures, artificial or natural".
2. Schedule A of the by-laws published in Gazette No. 7,232 of December 9, 1921, is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "artificial manures" in line 21 of the table of fees included therein and the substitution of the words "manures, artificial or natural" therefor.

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

BY-LAWS made by the Matara Urban District Council, under sections 164 and 168 (8) (c) of "The Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920," and approved by the Local Government Board and confirmed by the Governor under section 164 by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,  
CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWA,  
Minister for Local Administration.

Colombo, November 10, 1931.

## BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. The by-laws published by Notification dated July 2, 1930, in Government Gazette No. 7,789 of July 4, 1930, are hereby cancelled.
2. The use by motor buses of any roads within the limits of the Matara Urban District Council other than those named in Schedule A hereto is prohibited; and any person committing a breach of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding Rs. 25.

3. Motor buses shall not be driven at a greater speed than 12 miles an hour on any street or thoroughfare within the limits of the Matara Urban District Council area; and any person committing a breach of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence and be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

4. The driver of a hiring car shall not permit it to stand for hire in any street within the limits of the Matara Urban District Council area except at one of the stands mentioned in Schedule B, or at any other place specially appointed for such purpose; and any person committing a breach of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

*Schedule A.*

(1) Old Galle road from First Cross road junction up to junction with Broadway near the Star Fort.

Open for motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 6 tons gross load.

(2) First Cross road, Kadeweediya.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(3) Broadway, being the Main road from Galle to Matara.

Open for motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 6 tons gross load.

(4) The approach road to the Railway Station from the Broadway.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(5) The approach road to the Railway Goods Shed from Matara-Hakmana road.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(6) Matara-Hakmana road.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(7) Matara-Tangalla road, being the main road from Matara to Tangalla.

Open for motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 4 tons gross load.

(8) Portion of Esplanade road from Matara-Hakmana road to existing motor bus garage on Esplanade road.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(9) Matara-Akuressa road.

Open for motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 6 tons gross load.

(10) Road from bridge to the new bus stand.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(11) Fourth Cross road, Kadeweediya.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(12) That portion of Cemetery road from the junction of Hakmana road up to the western end of the General Cemetery.

Open for motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 6 tons gross load.

(13) The approach road to the Railway Station from Matara-Hakmana road.

Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons.

(14) Pallimulla Middle road.

Open for motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 4 tons gross load.

*Schedule B.*

- (1) Bus stand near the Railway Station.
- (2) Bus stand at Gabadaweediya.
- (3) Bus stand opposite the Police Station.
- (4) Bus stand at Kotuwegoda.
- (5) Bus stand at Nupe.

THE CEYLON (STATE COUNCIL ELECTIONS)  
ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1931.

No. 29—Hambantota Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the revised register of voters relating to the above-named electoral district has been certified, and that such register is open for inspection during office hours at the Kachcheri, Hambantota.

P. SARAVANAMUTTU,  
Registering Officer, No. 29, Hambantota  
Electoral District.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, November 9, 1931.

THE CEYLON (STATE COUNCIL ELECTIONS)  
ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1931.

No. 30—Kayts Electoral District.

No. 31—Kankesanturai Electoral District.

No. 32—Jaffna Electoral District.

No. 33—Point Pedro Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the revised registers of voters relating to the above-named electoral districts have been certified, and that such registers are open for inspection during office hours at the Jaffna Kachcheri.

E. T. DYSON,

Registering Officer for Nos. 30, 31, 32, and 33,  
Kayts, Kankesanturai, Jaffna, and Point Pedro  
Electoral Districts, respectively.

The Kachcheri,  
Jaffna, November 13, 1931.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling refreshments (excluding intoxicating liquor), preferably on Hindu lines, to 3rd class passengers at Talaimannar Railway Station, from date of acceptance of tender to September 30, 1932, subject to conditions which can be obtained on application at the Office of the General Manager of the Railway.

All tenders should reach the Office of the General Manager not later than midday on Tuesday, December 8, 1931.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 7, 1931.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase, from the Ceylon Government Railway, of 40/45 gallon empty steel oil barrels during the period January 1 to June 30, 1932.

Tenders are due at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper not later than Monday, November 23, 1931.

All other necessary information can be obtained on application to the Railway Storekeeper, Colombo.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931.

T. E. DUTTON,  
General Manager.

SCHEDULES of rates are hereby invited for the maintenance of the following canals in the Negombo District for a period of ten months from December 1, 1931, viz.:

- (a) Ja-ela canal.
- (b) Old Hendala canal.
- (c) Canal from Negombo to Kammal.
- (d) Canal from Colombo to Pamunugama.
- (e) Dredging Negombo canal.

2. The work included in each canal will have to be separately tendered for and undertaken on a separate agreement entered into by the District Engineer, Negombo, and the contractor on the basis of the accepted tendered rates.

3. Specifications, schedule of prices, and form of tender can be seen, and all information obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Negombo, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays, 9 A.M. and 1.30 P.M.).

4. Tenders (in the shape of a percentage "Off" or "On" the prices shown on the schedules of prices) must be submitted separately for each service given above on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Negombo, in duplicate, together with a copy of schedule of prices. The forms duly filled in, signed, and dated to be forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Negombo, endorsed on the outside "Schedule of Rates for Maintenance of Ja-ela Canal, Old Hendala Canal, Canal from Negombo to Kammal, Canal from Colombo to Pamunugama" (as the case may be), so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on November 27, 1931.

5. In the event of the contractor failing to provide materials necessary for the execution of the works within the periods named by the Engineer as he may from time to time direct, Government reserves to itself the right to



supply such materials at the cost as indicated in the Government Stores Price List, plus 25 per cent., and also Customs duty, transport, &c. In the case of timber supplied through the Forest Department, royalty and freight will similarly be charged.

6. Before tender forms can be issued the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 50 in favour of the District Engineer, Negombo, either at the General Treasury or any local Kachcheri. The receipt must be handed to the District Engineer, Negombo. The deposit will be refunded to all *bona fide* tenderers after the agreement has been signed by the successful tenderer. If a tenderer fails to enter into an agreement on the basis of his tender when called on to do so, the deposit will be forfeited.

7. Before any contract is signed the successful tenderer will be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary as security for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

8. Any alterations made in the quotations should bear the initials of the tenderer.

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

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

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

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 100 bridge planks 14 ft. by 6 in. by 4 in. in palu, satin, na, halmilla, or ranai timber to be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard, Dandagamawa.

2. The tenders should state the species of timber that is to be supplied, giving rate per cubic foot. The whole of the timber is required to be supplied within two months from the date of acceptance of the tender. Planks supplied must be of good quality, and those found not suitable will be rejected, and the tenderer will have to make his own arrangements for the immediate disposal of such timber. The Department will not hold itself responsible for the payment of compensation for any planks delivered and rejected as unsuitable. No free permit will be issued.

3. Tenders must be submitted on forms to be obtained from the Office of the District Engineer, Dandagamawa, in duplicate, duly signed and dated, and forwarded in securely sealed envelopes, the original addressed to the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, and the duplicate addressed to the District Engineer, Dandagamawa, endorsed on the outside "Tender for Supply of Timber," so as to reach the offices of the foregoing officers on or before 12 noon on December 4, 1931.

4. Before tender forms can be issued the intending contractor must deposit a sum of Rs. 10 at the General Treasury or any local Kachcheri, and hand the receipt for such deposit to the District Engineer, Dandagamawa. Such deposit will be refunded to all tenderers who have submitted *bona fide* tenders after the contract has been signed by the successful tenderer.

5. The successful tenderer may be called upon to deposit Rupees One hundred (Rs. 100) for the due fulfilment of the contract in the Ceylon Savings Bank in the name of the Deputy Financial Secretary within ten days of the receipt of notice to do so.

6. Any other particulars can be obtained at the Office of the District Engineer, Dandagamawa, any week day between the hours 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays 9 A.M. and 1 P.M.).

7. Any alterations made in the quotations should bear the initials of the tenderer.

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

9. Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

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

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931.

#### Lease of the Right to Collect Tea Seeds from Miyanaowita Estate.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the lease of the right to collect tea seed on the land described in the annexed schedule for one year commencing from January 1, 1932.

2. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied on application to the Divisional Forest Officer, Sabaragamuwa Division, Ratnapura. No tender will be recognized unless it is on this form.

3. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman, Tender Board, Office of the Deputy Financial Secretary, General Treasury, Colombo, or be deposited in a box provided for that purpose in the Office of the Deputy Financial Secretary.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Right to collect Tea Seed from Miyanaowita Estate" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Deputy Financial Secretary, not later than midday on Tuesday, December 1, 1931.

5. Tenderers should quote the rental offered both in words and figures.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the necessary lease-bond, or fail to furnish the required security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Divisional Forest Officer, Sabaragamuwa Division, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to Crown and the tender will be considered void.

7. Each tender should be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become sureties for the tenderer, and they will be required to join in the lease-bond for the due fulfilment of the contract.

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

9. The successful tenderer shall be required to deposit a cash security of Rs. 200 with the Divisional Forest Officer, Sabaragamuwa Division, and enter into an agreement with the Conservator of Forests. The designation of such officer shall mean and include the officer for the time being holding such office and his successors in office for the time being under the Government of Ceylon.

10. The rent shall be paid in four equal instalments, the first instalment to be paid before signing the agreement, the second, third, and fourth instalments at intervals of two months from the date of payment of the first instalment.

11. The lessee shall not assign or otherwise transfer or sublet his obligations and rights under the lease without the consent or authority of the Conservator of Forests obtained previously in writing.

12. The lessee shall not issue a power of attorney to any person who is not previously approved in writing by the Conservator of Forests, authorizing him to carry on or to supervise the work which the lessee is authorized or obliged to perform under this lease.

13. The lessee shall not employ any person who is not previously approved in writing by the lessor, or to whom the lessor, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

14. The lessee shall not put up any buildings or sheds for the housing of employees or for any other purpose without the written permission of the Divisional Forest Officer, Ratnapura.

15. The lessee shall keep the boundaries of the land, in respect of which the privilege is granted clearly defined.

16. The lessee shall not have or make any claim for compensation against the lessor or His Majesty the King, His Heirs or Successors for or on account of any alleged expenses, or on any account whatsoever.

17. The lessee shall permit any Agricultural or Forest Officers at any time, without notice, to enter into and upon the land for the purpose of inspecting the state and condition thereof.

18. The lessee shall maintain the area as one for the production of tea seed to the satisfaction of the Director of Agriculture, and with this object in view, shall remove any interfering growth and perform other cultural operations. The lessee shall not appropriate any growth so cut, which shall be deemed Crown property.

19. The lessee shall not cut or injure any trees or the plantations in the said land, save such trees as he is hereby authorized to cut. Any growth or trees cut or the purposes of meeting the ends of this lease shall be carefully removed from the land in respect of which the right is granted, and a report thereof made to the Divisional Forest Officer.

20. The lessee shall make and pay reasonable satisfaction and compensation for all injury which may be done by him or his servants to the land in respect of which the right is granted, or to any trees or plantations thereon save such removal of growth above-mentioned, for the purpose of cultivating tea seed.

21. The lessee shall hand over the area to the lessor or his duly authorized agent, at the expiry of the lease, in a condition satisfactory in the opinion of the said officer.

22. If any payment due under the lease-bond is not made within ten days of the due date, whether the same shall be lawfully demanded or not, or in any case of any breach by the lessee of any condition of the lease, or if the lessee shall become bankrupt or compound or make any arrangement with his creditors, the lessor may thereupon determine the lease and re-enter upon the land in respect of which the right is granted and take possession thereof for and on behalf of His Majesty the King. Thereupon the lease shall be liable to cancellation and the security shall be forfeited to the benefit of the lessor without prejudice to his right to recover any further damages that the lessee may become liable by reason of breach of any condition of the lease. Further it shall be in the absolute discretion of the lessor to sue both or either of the sureties who have joined in the bond without first suing the lessee for recovery of any sum which may become due by reason of breach of any condition of the lease bond.

23. In the event of the lessee duly and punctually observing and performing all the covenants of the lease, the lessor shall, at the determination of the lease, return to the lessee the security deposited or so much as the lessee shall be entitled to then.

#### Schedule.

All that portion of land about 25 acres in extent more or less, planted with tea, known as Miyanaowita Tea Estate of and from that allotment of land called Walankandamukalana, situated in the village of Miyanaowita in Pannil pattuwa of Atakalan korale in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, shown as lot 18 in F. V. P. No. 35; and bounded on the north by Miyanaowita-ganga, on the east by Muttettuhena-dola, on the south and south-west by lot 1 in F. V. P. No. 35, and on the west by Yakatu-dola and lot 1 in F. V. P. No. 35; containing in extent 129 acres.

J. D. SARGENT,

Colombo, November 6, 1931. Conservator of Forests.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply during the calendar year 1932 of about 810,000 planting baskets (more or less) of the various dimensions shown in the sub-jointed schedule.

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

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Chairman, Tender Board, Office of the Financial Secretary, Colombo, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Supply of Planting Baskets" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and reach the Office of the Chairman, Tender Board, Office of the Financial Secretary, Colombo, not later than midday on Tuesday, December 1, 1931.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Colombo. No tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form; alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tender will be treated as informal and rejected. A tender form can be issued in the name of one person only.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Conservator of Forests or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

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

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

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

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

12. No contract will be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person.

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

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

15. In the case of persons who have carried out contracts of this nature with the Forest Department they should state so.

16. In the case of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Forest Department the names of such departments should be given.

#### Schedule.

The contractor shall supply baskets immediately on receipt of requisitions from the different Divisional Forest Officers, in strict conformity with the required specifications and quantity, within the time and at the points of delivery mentioned in their requisitions. Any failure to comply with the above requirements will render the contractor liable to a penalty for unsatisfactory completion of work.

2. The Divisional Forest Officers concerned shall, at their discretion and convenience, pay for the baskets supplied to them at the accepted rates. The sizes of the baskets referred to in paragraph 9 of the notice are as follows:—

(a) 5 in. × 3 in.	(c) 8 in. × 3½ in.
(b) 8 in. × 3 in.	(d) 9 in. × 4 in.

3. The contractor shall deliver the baskets loaded into Railway trucks at the nearest Railway Station which is more convenient to him and obtain receipts from the local Range Forest Officer, who will be present at the time of loading, for each consignment of baskets giving the quantity and the sizes of the baskets loaded and dispatched. Railway warrants will be issued by the Range Forest Officer for the purpose of dispatch per rail when required.

4. A draft contract can be seen at the office referred to in section 8 above. The supply should commence as soon as the tenders are settled and be completed on or before December 31, 1932.

J. D. SARGENT,  
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,  
Colombo, November 7, 1931.

#### Sale of Foreign Liquor Licences : Passara and Lunugala.

**SEALED** tenders will be received at the Badulla Kacheheri by the Government Agent, Province of Uva, until 10 A.M., on Friday, November 27, 1931, for the privilege of selling, subject to the usual conditions on which licences are issued under the Excise Ordinance, No. 8 of 1912, under a retail licence, Foreign Liquor (including locally made Malt Liquor) not to be consumed on the premises at each of the under-mentioned places for a period of ten months from December 1, 1931, in suitable premises to be approved by the Government Agent:—

Within the town of Passara.  
Within the town of Lunugala.

2. A separate tender should be sent in for each licence.
3. No tender will be considered unless the person making such tender be present in person at 10 A.M. on Friday, November 27, 1931. A tender may be sent by post, but the envelope must be sealed and marked "Foreign Liquor Retail Licence Tender" in red ink.
4. No person is permitted to send in more than one tender for each licence.
5. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders and of putting up immediately to public auction such licence or licences for which satisfactory tenders have not been received.
6. The hours during which the licensed premises will be allowed to be kept open will be from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M.
7. The person or persons declared by the Government Agent to be the purchaser or purchasers of any licence will be required to deposit forthwith the full purchase amount in cash.
8. Further information can be obtained on application from the Badulla Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,  
Badulla, November 9, 1931.

E. T. MILLINGTON,  
Government Agent.

## SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction on Wednesday, the 18th instant, at 2.30 P.M., in the ground floor of the old Audit Office building, Prince street, Fort:—

Ten arm chairs, 3 dining chairs, 1 revolving chair, 1 typewriter stool, 1 pigeon-hole, 1 almirah, 1 fire extinguishing appliance, 1 lamp holder and shade, 5 buckets, 1 enamel jug, 2 enamel plates, 1 bicycle inflater, 2 flit sprays, 19 brushes with handle, 5 wooden poles, a heap of unserviceable timber.

Audit Office,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931.

J. JOS. JACOB,  
for Auditor-General.

THE under-mentioned unserviceable surgical instruments will be sold by public auction at the Civil Medical Stores, Francis road, Maradana, on Friday, the 20th instant, at 2.30 P.M.:—

Six saws, finger, wooden handle; 4 saws, circular, wooden handle; 17 scalpels, wooden handle; 4 bistouries, hernia, wooden handle; 10 bistouries, single, curved and straight; 3 paget knives; 6 needle aneurism; 3 needle naevus; 8 hooks, blunt and sharp, wooden handle; 2 scoop and spoon volkams; 5 trephines with wooden handle; 2 trocar and canula hydrocele.

W. H. D. PEREIRA,  
for Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.  
Office of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services,  
Colombo, November 3, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles of the Commissioner of Lands' Department, Colombo, will be sold by public auction at the ground floor of the old Audit Office, Prince street, Fort, on Wednesday, November 18, 1931, at 2.30 P.M.:—

Two writing tables, 1 almirah.

E. R. SAMARAKOON,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931. for Land Commissioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned articles will be sold by public auction at the Office of the Registrar of Motor Cars, Colombo, on Saturday, November 21, 1931, at 1.35 P.M.:—

1 blotter, hand; 2 brush, sweeping; 2 cabinets, wooden; 1 chair, arm; 2 chairs, common; 3 inkstands, pewter; 1 letter box; 1 letter clip; 3 letter files, wall; 1 measuring tape; 1 oil cloth; 2 punchers, wooden; 3 sign boards; 1 stamp damper; 1 stand for iron safe; 1 inflater, cycle; 3 lots of old newspaper; 60 ink bottles, empty.

M. SINNETAMBY,  
for Registrar of Motor Cars.  
Office of the Registrar of Motor Cars,  
Colombo, November 7, 1931.

UNCLAIMED and confiscated productions such as wooden boxes, old steel trunks, clothes, jars, hurricane lanterns, hairpins, rings, &c., will be disposed of by public auction on Monday, November 30, 1931, at 11 A.M. within the premises of this court.

2. A list of the articles so intended to be disposed of will be available for inspection at the Office of this court, during all office hours.

Police Court,  
Matara, November 5, 1931.

M. CHINNAIYAH,  
Police Magistrate.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

### Registrar-General's Report on Vital Statistics of the City of Colombo for the Week ended November 7, 1931.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 193 (4 Europeans, 12 Burghers, 115 Sinhalese, 22 Tamils, 32 Moors, 5 Malays, and 3 Others). The birth rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1931, viz., 289,150) was 34.8, as against 35.3 in the preceding week, 39.2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 32.5 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 129 (2 Burghers, 75 Sinhalese, 14 Tamils, 24 Moors, 8 Malays, and 6 Others). The death rate per 1,000 per annum was 23.3, as against 26.3 in the previous week, 24.3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28.2 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 129 total deaths, 30 were of infants under one year of age, as against 39 in the preceding week, 33 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 32 the average for last year.

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

**Principal Causes of Death.**—1. (a) Ten deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 3 in Maradana North, 2 each in Kotahena North and Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident), and 1 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena South, and Maradana South, as against 13 in the previous week and 18 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Ten deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 4 in Slave Island, 2 each in St. Paul's and San Sebastian, and 1 each in Kotahena South and New Bazaar, as against 11 in the previous week and 8 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Three deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena North, and Maradana North, as against 8 in the previous week and 4 the weekly average for last year.

2. (a) Thirteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 7 in Maradana hospitals (including 5 deaths of non-residents) and 1 each in San Sebastian, New Bazaar, Maradana South, Slave Island, Wellawatta North, and Wellawatta South, as against 14 in the previous week, and 12 the weekly average for last year.

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

3. One death from *Enteric Fever* was registered in Maradana hospitals, as against nil in the previous week and 4 the weekly average for last year.

4. Ten deaths from *Debility* were registered, 7 from *Enteritis*, 6 from *Worms*, 3 each from *Diarrhoea* and *Puerperal Septicaemia*, 2 each from *Dysentery*, *Infantile Convulsions*, and *Accidents*, 1 each from *Suicide* and *Homicide*, and 55 from *Other Causes*.

5. **Reported Cases.**—Seven cases of *Chickenpox* and 5 of *Enteric Fever* were reported during the week, as against 16 and 3 respectively of the preceding week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 80.0° against 79.9° in the preceding week and 79.6° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.898 in. against 29.876 in. in the preceding week, and 29.944 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2.73 in. against 1.15 in. in the preceding week and 3.68 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office, P. D. RATNATUNGA,  
Colombo, November 10, 1931. for Registrar-General.

**UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.****The Orient Club Company, Limited.**

*Second Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders  
to be held on Friday, November 27, 1931,  
at 7 p.m.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, at Cambridge place, Racecourse Avenue, Colombo, on Friday, November 27, 1931, at 7 p.m.

1. To receive the reports of the Directors and accounts for the year ended September 30, 1931.
2. To elect two Directors.
3. To appoint an Auditor for 1931/32.
4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from November 21 to 27, 1931, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

R. J. V. DE S. WIJEYERATNE,  
Colombo, November 5, 1931. Agent and Secretary.

**The Ceylon Morning Leader Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at "Sravasti," Edinburgh crescent, Colombo, on Saturday, November 21, 1931, at 9 a.m.

1. To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution:—

The Ceylon Morning Leader Co., Ltd. be wound up.

2. Any other business.

By order of the Directors,

T. EBERT FERNANDO,  
Colombo, November 11, 1931. Secretary.

**Auction Sale.**

UNDER mortgage decree in case No. 45,286, D. C., Colombo, a valuable house property No. 22 in Ward No. 606 at Gintupitiya street, Colombo, belonging to Sivalanji Achary and 3 others.

The sale will be held at 2 p.m. at the spot, on Friday, November 20, 1931, instead of 5 p.m. at the spot as stated in the advertisement on page 1872 of Part I. of the Government Gazette of October 30, 1931.

161, Hulftsdorp,  
Colombo.

A. V. PERERA,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

**Auction Sale.**

*Very Valuable and Extensive Property with Two Houses,  
and several Building Blocks at Wellawatta.*

In the District Court of Colombo.

Donald McGeachy presently of Messrs. Brown & Company, Limited, Kandy ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 45,770. Vs.

- (1) Beruwallegge James Fernando of High street, Wellawatta, in Colombo.
- (2) J. A. de Silva, executor of the estate of the late A. S. Williams of Kandy, presently of the Telegraph Engineers Office, Fort, Colombo ..... Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, and for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree, I shall sell by public auction on December 11, 1931, at 5 p.m. at the spot:—(1) All that allotment of land with the buildings thereon, situated at Wellawatta in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province, now within the Municipality of Colombo, and bearing assessment Nos. 975/472 and 976/472A, now Nos. 167 and 167 (1), Pamankadde-Cotta road and High street; bounded on the north by lot No. 54, on the east by lot No. 61E, on the south by a road, and on the west by lot No. 61C; containing in extent 2 roods and 27 perches, according to plan dated October 5, 1891, authenticated by Francis J. Day, Major,

R.E., Acting Surveyor-General, and all the right, title, and interest of the 1st defendant in and to the following two properties, viz.:—

(2) All that allotment of land called Kelankaduwa watta bearing lot No. 61E in the registered plan No. 2 bearing assessment No. 974/473, Pamankadde-Cotta road, now High street, situated at Wellawatta aforesaid; bounded on the north by lot No. 54, on the south by a road, on the east by lot No. 61F, and on the west by lot No. 61D; containing in extent 3 roods and 25/100 perch, according to plan dated January 23, 1891, authenticated by the said Francis J. Day, Major, R.E., Acting Surveyor-General.

(3) All that allotment of land called Kelankaduwa watta bearing No. 61E1 (being a divided portion of lot 61E bearing assessment No. 974/473, Pamankadde-Cotta road, now High street), situated at Wellawatta aforesaid; which said lot No. 61E1 is bounded on the north by the lot No. 54; on the south by Pamankadde-Cotta road, on the east by lot No. 61E2, and on the west by lot No. 61D; containing in extent 1 rood and 20 125/1000 perches. The above forming one property, has 2 road frontages and a road reservation. Title deeds and other particulars from Messrs. Vancuylenberg & De Witt, Proctors and Notaries, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

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

**Auction Sale.**

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kalutara, case No. 16,953, of the under-mentioned property on Saturday, December 5, 1931, commencing at 4 p.m. at the spots:—

1. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the allotment of land called Gorakagahakanatta and of the buildings and everything thereon, situated at Minuwampitiya in the Panadure badda of the Panadure totamne, in the Kalutara District; containing in extent 4 acres and 30 perches.
2. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the allotment of land called Gorakagahakanatta and of the buildings and everything thereon, situated at Minuwampitiya aforesaid; containing in extent 2 roods.

For further particulars please apply to K. J. R. Kuruppu, Esq., Panadure, or to me—

H. THOMAS FERNANDO,  
Panadure, November 10, 1931. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kalutara, case No. 16,275, of the under-mentioned property on Thursday, December 3, 1931, commencing at 3 p.m. at the spots:—

1. All that allotment of land called Duwelanda with the plantations, buildings, and everything else thereon, situated at Galpothawala in the pattu of Pasdun korale west, Kalutara District; containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 28 perches.
2. All that allotment of land called Kuruppugodadeniya alias Galkumbure-Udumulla with the plantations and everything thereon, situated at Galpothawala aforesaid; containing in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 27 perches.

For further particulars please apply to C. S. Perera, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Panadure, or to me—

H. THOMAS FERNANDO,  
Panadure, November 10, 1931. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.**

UNDER and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in case No. 5,775, D. C., Negombo, and decree entered in favour of Suna Pana Lena Raman Chettiar of Kochchikade against Warnakulasuriya Inaciam Fernando, of Mirisankotuwa in Chilaw District, K. K. N. Suppramanian Chettiar by his attorney, Muna Sundaram Pulle of Sea street, Negombo and Muna Vera Suppaiah Naidu by his attorney, Muna Letchumanan Pulle of Kochchikade, for the recovery of Rs. 10,750 due in respect of mortgage bond No. 4,932 of November 22, 1930, attested by S. K. Wijeratnam, Notary Public, with further interest on Rs. 10,000 at 18 per cent. per annum from August 21, 1931, till September 24, 1931, and thereafter on the aggregate amount legal interest till payment in full and costs, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, December 5, 1931, the following properties mortgaged as a primary mortgage, to wit:—

Commencing at 9 a.m.

1. All that land now called Kahatagahawatta, comprised of the divided  $\frac{1}{5}$  share of Kahatagahawatta and a portion of the land marked A 44, at Kiragare in Gonawila in Otaru

palata of Pitigal korale in Chilaw District, North-Western Province; in extent 10 acres and 12 perches, with buildings and plantations thereon.

2. All that land called Katekellagahawatta at Boralessa in Kammal pattu of Pitigal korale aforesaid; in extent about 1 acre and 2 roods, with buildings and plantations thereon.

3. The undivided  $\frac{7}{9}$  shares of Lunumidellagahawatta at Boralessa aforesaid; in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 24 perches, with buildings and plantations thereon.

4. The undivided  $\frac{2}{3}$  shares of divided  $\frac{1}{3}$  share of Kohombagahawatta at Boralessa aforesaid; the said  $\frac{1}{3}$  share in extent 3 roods, with buildings and plantations thereon.

At 2.30 p.m.

5. The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Kahatagahahena, at Kadawalagedara in Yatikaha korale of Katugampola hatpattu, in Kurunegala District; North-Western Province; in extent about 4 lahas of kurakkan sowing ground, with buildings and plantations thereon.

Further particulars apply to S. K. Wijeratnam, Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Negombo, or to me—

Negombo, November 9, 1931. K. H. PERERA,  
Licensed Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

*Valuable Properties at Assennawatta and Horampella in the District of Negombo.*

UNDER decree in case No. 5,762, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff, Sina Thana Kana Nana Sana Ana Nana Ramasamy Chettiar by his attorney Pina Vellaseemy Palle of Negombo, against the defendant, Anuragapdigge Peta of Horampella, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 6,325, with interest on Rs. 5,500 at 24 per cent. per annum from August 23, 1931, to September 24, 1931, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged by bond No. 328 dated July 8, 1930, and attested by J. E. de Croos, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on Saturday, December 12, 1931, to wit:—

1. At 1.30 p.m.—The land called Thalagahawatta, situated at Assennawatta in Dasiya pattu of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo, Western Province; containing in extent about 1 acre, with the buildings standing thereon.

2. At 1.45 p.m.—The land called Thalagahawattukebella, situated at Assennawatta aforesaid; containing in extent about 2 roods, with the buildings standing thereon.

3. At 2 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of the land called Thalagahawatta, situated at Assennawatta aforesaid; which said land is in extent about 3 roods, with the buildings standing thereon.

4. At 2.15 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{2}{3}$  shares of the land called Thalagahawattukebella, situated at Assennawatta aforesaid; which said land is in extent about 1 acre.

5. At 2.30 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of the land called Thalagahawattepanguwa, situated at Assennawatta aforesaid; which said land is in extent about 3 roods, with the buildings standing thereon.

6. At 2.45 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of the land called Kongahawattukebella, situated at Assennawatta aforesaid; which said land is in extent about 2 roods.

Commencing at 3.30 P.M.

7. The land called  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Nugagahawatta alias Nugagahawatta, situated at Horampella in Dasiya pattu aforesaid; containing in extent about 1 acre, with the buildings standing thereon.

8. An undivided  $\frac{35}{50}$  shares of the contiguous land called Siyambalagahawatta and Kongahawatta, situated at Horampella aforesaid; which said land is in extent about 4 acres, with the buildings standing thereon.

9. The field called Millagahakumbura, situated at Horampella aforesaid; containing in extent about 1 parrah of paddy sowing ground.

10. The portion of land called Nugagahawatta, situated at Horampella aforesaid; containing in extent about 1 acre and 1 rood, with the buildings standing thereon.

11. The land called Bogahawatta, situated at Horampella aforesaid; containing in extent 2 roods and 36 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

12. The land called Nugagahawatta, situated at Horampella aforesaid; containing in extent about 20 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

13. The divided western  $\frac{4}{6}$  shares of the land called Nugagahawatta, situated at Horampella aforesaid; containing in extent about 1 rood and 13 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

14. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of the land bearing No. 5,412, situated at Horampella aforesaid; which said land is in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 24 perches, with the buildings standing thereon.

15. An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share from and out of the undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Kajugahalanda, situated at Horampella aforesaid; which said land is in extent about 1 acre and 3 roods, with the buildings standing thereon.

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

Negombo, November 7, 1931.

C. M. LEITAN,  
Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

*Valuable Properties at Thamarakuliya and Metikotuwa in the District of Chilaw, and at Kohombapola in the District of Kurunegala.*

UNDER decree in case No. 3,943, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Seena Ana Runa Seena Thana Sidambaram Chettiar of Negombo, against the defendant Ratnake, Mudiyansele Gumatilake Engonona Hamine of Metikotuwa, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 7,310, with interest on Rs. 5,885 at 18 per cent. per annum from January 9, 1930, to March 24, 1930, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties mortgaged as a primary mortgage by bond No. 1,746, dated July 10, 1929, and attested by H. Paul Silva, Notary, by public auction at the respective spots on the following days, viz:—

On Saturday, December 5, 1931.

1. At 2.30 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Kahatagahahena bearing O 341, situate at Thamarakuliya in Otara palata of Pitigal korale south, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province; containing in extent 5 acres and 1 rood, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

2. At 3 p.m.—All that and those the lands and plantations, buildings, and premises now called and known as Bangalawewatta comprised of the contiguous allotments, to wit: Kajugahawatta, portion of Madangahawatta, portion of Hurigahawatta, and Kadurugahawatta, situate at Metikotuwa in Otara palata aforesaid, containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 28 perches.

3. At 3.15 p.m.—The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Maragahahena, situate at Metikotuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 22 perches, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

4. At 3.30 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Kadumberiyagahahena, situate at Metikotuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 6 acres 2 roods and 30 perches, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

5. At 3.45 p.m.—An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Diulgahawatta, situate at Metikotuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 3 acres and 2 roods, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

6. At 4 p.m.—All that land called Kosgahawatta, situate at Metikotuwa aforesaid, containing in extent about 3 roods, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

On Monday, December 7, 1931.

7. At 3 p.m.—All that land called Botalaowita, situate at Kohombapola in Katugampola hatpattu of the Meda-palata korale east, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province; containing in extent 1 acre more or less, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share.

8. At 3.15 p.m.—All that land called Halmullagahakotuwa, situate at Kohombapola aforesaid, containing in extent 1 acre more or less, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share.

9. At 3.30 p.m.—All that land called Imbulgahawatta, situate at Kohombapola aforesaid, containing in extent 1 acre more or less, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share.

10. At 3.45 p.m.—All that land called Ketakalagahawatta, situate at Kohombapola aforesaid, containing in extent 1 acre more or less, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share.

11. *At 4 p.m.*—All that portion depicted as lot B in plan No. 2,605 dated February 25, 1921, made by J. C. Fernando, Licensed Surveyor, of the land called Deniyawatta, situate at Kohombapola aforesaid, the said portion depicted as lot B is in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 6 perches, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share.

12. *At 4.15 p.m.*—All that portion depicted as lot B in plan No. 2,606, dated February 25, 1921, made by J. C. Fernando, Licensed Surveyor, of the land called Malagorakawatta, situate at Kohombapola aforesaid, the said portion depicted as lot B is in extent 7 acres according to the said plan, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share.

13. *At 4.30 p.m.*—All that portion depicted as lot B in plan No. 2,604, dated February 17, 1921, made by J. C. Fernando, Licensed Surveyor, of all that land called Kosgahawatta and Delgahawatta, situate at Kohombapola aforesaid, the said portion marked lot B is in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 22 perches according to the said plan, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share.

14. *At 4.45 p.m.*—All that portion depicted as lot B in plan No. 417, dated February 17, 1921, made by J. C. Fernando, Licensed Surveyor, of the land called Muruthawalawatta, situate at Kohombapola aforesaid, the said portion marked lot B is in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 26 perches according to the said plan, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon; of this an undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share.

Further particulars from H. Paul Silva, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

Negombo, November 6, 1931.

C. M. LEITAN,  
Auctioneer.

#### Sale under Mortgage Decree.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Valuable Tea Estate called and known as St. Clive Estate.*

(1) Savanna Rawanna Mana Mana Rawanna Mana Rawanna Mana Valiapa Chettiar of 162, Sea street, Colombo, (2) Rawanna Mana Ana Runa Ana Runa Rawanna Mana Valliappa Chettiar of 93, Sea street, in Colombo ..... Plaintiffs.

No. 39,934.

(1) Samarapunga Wimaladasa Wijayatillake of Matale, (2) S. T. Ponumbalam Pillai, (3) M. T. Andipapa Pillai, and (4) M. T. Weerappa Pillai, all of Candy ..... Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above action, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, December 5, 1931, at 12 noon at our rooms, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 137,968.75, with interest on Rs. 125,000 at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum from August 26, 1930, to date of decree, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and to the 2nd plaintiff the sum of Rs. 137,968.75, with interest on Rs. 125,000 at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum from August 26, 1930, to date of decree, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of this action, within three months from date thereof.

All that and those the estate, plantations, and premises formerly called and known as St. Clive, Shoreham, and St. James Mount, and Koladeniya estates, now forming one property called and known as St. Clive estate, comprising the following premises which adjoin each other and from their situation as respects each other can be included in one survey, namely:—

*First.*—All that estate called and known as St. Clive, comprising the following premises, namely:—(1) An allotment of land called Kitulkolapatnam, situated in the village Ambegamuwa in Ambegamuwa korale, in the District of Uda Bulatgama, Central Province; bounded on the east by a road, on the south by land described in plan No. 97,628, and on the north-west and north-east by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 9 acres 1 rood and 30 perches. (2) An allotment of land called Lennethena, situated in the village Rambukpitiya in Ambegamuwa korale aforesaid; bounded on the south-east by land said to belong to the Crown and by a road, and on all other sides by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 26 acres 1 rood and 17 perches. (3) An allotment of land called Kitulkolapatana, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 97,629, on the east by a road, and on all other sides by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 11 acres and 30 perches, save and except therefrom a portion in extent 3 roods and 11 perches transferred to the

Medical Aid Committee for hospital purposes. (4) An allotment of land called Dangahawalapatana, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the east and south-east by a road, south-west by land described in plan No. 97,629, and on all other sides by Crown land; containing in extent 11 acres and 23 perches. (5) An allotment of land called Kalugala, situated in the village Rambukpitiya aforesaid; bounded on the north by Crown land called Kalugala, water-course, and a path, east by a water-course, the Rattehena-ela, and land described in plan No. 58,911, south by a reservation along the road, west by land described in plan No. 97,627; containing in extent, exclusive of the water-course passing through the land, 3 acres 3 roods and 16 perches. (6) An allotment of land called Kalugalpatna, situated in Rambukpitiya aforesaid; bounded on the north by land described in plans Nos. 97,629 and 109,090, north-east by lands described in plans Nos. 97,627 and 109,090 and by a road, east by Crown land called Ketawalahaenapatana and land described in plan No. 132,975, south-east by a road and by lands described in plans Nos. 97,629 and 97,628, and on the south by land described in plan No. 132,975, and on the west by Crown land called Tenwanapatana; containing in extent 29 acres and 1 rood. (7) An allotment of land called Ketawelapatana, situated in the village Rambukpitiya aforesaid; bounded on the north by Lenahena-ela and Liyanagekumbura claimed by R. M. Punchirala, east and south-east by a road and by land described in plan No. 132,975, west by lands described in plans Nos. 139,157 and 109,090, and on the north-west by land described in plan No. 109,090; containing in extent 5 acres 2 roods and 38 perches. (8) An allotment of land called Kaluwelahena, situated in the village Rambukpitiya aforesaid; bounded on the north-west and north by a road, north-east by land described in plan No. 58,911 and Liana-hena-ela, east and south-east by land said to belong to the Crown and a road; containing in extent 11 acres 3 roods and 36 perches, together with all the buildings, stores, machinery, crops, produce, and everything thereto.

*Second.*—All that estate called Shoreham estate, comprising the following allotments, namely:—(1) An allotment of land called Kitulkolapatna, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 97,628, on the east by a road, and on the south and west by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 11 acres 3 roods and 10 perches. (2) An allotment of land called Kitulkolepatana, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the west by a road and on all other sides by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 11 acres 3 roods and 28 perches. (3) All that piece of land called Gurugalawatta, situated at Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the east by the property of Mr. Skinner, on the south by the high road, and on the west by the property belonging to the Arachchi of Nawalapitiya, and on the north by Karane tree; containing in extent 6 acres 3 roods and 34 perches. (4) All that piece of land stained pink and marked A; containing in extent 3 roods and 11 perches, which said piece of land forms part and parcel of all that allotment of land called Kitulkolapatana, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 97,629; on the east by a road, and on all other sides by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 11 acres 1 rood and 30 perches. (5) All that piece of land situated at Ambegamuwa aforesaid, called Guruluella; containing in extent about 3 amunams of paddy sowing; bounded on the east by the limit of the garden Koladeniyakopiawatta and patana, on the south by the limit of Geeris Appu's land, and on the west by Guruluella, and on the north by patana and Mukalangamuwa. (6) An allotment of land called Kitulkolapatana, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by Crown land, east, south-east, and south by land described in plan No. 45,253, south-west and west by path; containing in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 16 perches. (7) All that piece of land called Akuruketugala, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by Crown land, east by a road, south by land described in plan No. 149,638, and on the west by Gurugala-ela; containing in extent 38 perches. (8) A piece of land called Shoreham estate, situated at Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by Gurugalawatta claimed by A. Banda Arachchi and lands described in plans Nos. 149,636 and 45,253, east by land described in plan No. 45,253, south by a road and a water-course, and on west by Kombegekotuwa claimed by S. Punchi Appu and others; containing in extent, exclusive of the water-course and the path passing through the land, 4 acres 1 rood and 12 perches, save and except therefrom a portion sold to Patrick Rolland Shand, extending from the western boundary to the path running through the land sufficient for the purposes of cutting a road eight feet wide and six and a half chains in length and not exceeding a  $\frac{1}{2}$  of an acre. (9) A piece of land called Shoreham estate, situated at Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north

by Crown land called Akrukutugalapatana, east by a path and land described in plan No. 45,253, south by land described in plan No. 149,637, and west by water-course; containing in extent 1 acre and 13 perches. (10) An allotment of land situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north and north-east by Crown land called Kitulkolapatana, east by Crown land called Kitulkolapatana and reservation along the Mahaweli-ganga, south-east by the Mahaweli-ganga and land described in plan No. 45,253, west and north-west by reservation along the road; containing in extent, exclusive of the water-course passing through the land, 6 acres 2 roods and 19 perches. (11) An allotment of land called Kitulkolapatana, situated in Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 109,091, north-east by Crown land called Tirivanapatana, east by the lands described in plans Nos. 97,628 and 109,091 and reservation along the road, south-east and south by reservation along the road, south-west by land described in plan No. 45,253, and on the north-west by Crown land called Tirivanapatana; containing in extent 19 acres 1 rood and 4 perches, together with all the buildings, stores, machinery, crops, produce, and everything thereto belonging.

*Third.*—All that estate called St. James Mount comprising the following premises, namely:—(1) All those allotments of lands called Galpitiyaya, situated in the village Rambukpitiya aforesaid; bounded on the north by reservation along the road, Balantota-oya, and lands claimed by Uduma Levvai Habibu Lavvai and M. G. Sellappa, north-east by land claimed by Nicholas Pieris, east and south-east by reservation along the Mahaweli-ganga, south by land reserved, south-west by land described in plan No. 109,092, and on the west by Crown land and reservation along the road; containing in extent, exclusive of the Balantota-oya and the paths passing through the land, 113 acres 3 roods and 5 perches, excluding however therefrom a portion in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 6 perches about to be acquired by the Crown and road and reservation ten links wide to the quarry, A804½. (2) Two allotments of land being lot No. 12870 and 12870½ in plan No. 192,961, situated in the district of Uda Bulatgama aforesaid; bounded on the north by reservation for a path, on the east by land described in title plan No. 134,062, on the south by land described in title plan No. 109,092, and on the west by reservation 50 links wide; containing in extent 1 acre and 30 perches. (3) An allotment of land called Kitulpatana marked lot No. 12871 in plan No. 192,962, situated in the district of Uda Bulatgama aforesaid; bounded on the north by title plan No. 109,092, on the east by a stream, south by a stream No. 7556½ in P. P. No. 2,241 and title plan No. 139,827, and on the west by title plan No. 192,963; containing in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 28 perches. (4) An allotment of land marked lot No. 12871½ in plan No. 192,963, situated in the district of Uda Bulatgama aforesaid; bounded on the north by title plan No. 109,092, on the east by title plan No. 192,962, on the south by title plan No. 139,827, and on the west by reservation 50 links wide; containing in extent 2 acres, together with all the buildings, stores, machinery, produce, and everything thereto belonging.

*Fourth.*—All that estate plantation and premises called and known as Koladeniya, comprising the following allotments of land forming one property and which from their situation as respects each other can be included in one survey, to wit:—(1) An allotment of land called Blackwater estate, situated in the village Ambegamuwa korale, in the district of Uda Bulatgama, Central Province of the Island of Ceylon; bounded on the south-west and west by land described in plan No. 44,072, on the north by reservation along the path, and on all other sides by land described in plan No. 127,468; containing in extent 6 acres and 3 roods, according to the survey and description thereof No. 128,272 dated September 24, 1883, authenticated by G. Stoddart, Acting Surveyor-General. (2) All that tract of land situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; containing in extent 127 acres 2 roods and 10 perches, set forth in the plan dated April 28, 1865, annexed to the title deeds and described therein as containing in extent 127 acres 2 roods and 19 perches, and reputed to be bounded as follows: on the north by Mahaweli-ganga, east by Agra-oya, south by Agra-oya road leading to Dekinda by part of the same land, hena claimed by Kehelgamuwa Kapurāla and road, and on the west by Gonagala-oya and Mahaweli-ganga. (3) All that tract of land called Koladeniya, situated in the village Ambegamuwa aforesaid; bounded on the north by waste land, on the south and east by Mahaweli-ganga, and on the west by path from Ambegamuwa to Nawalapitiya; containing in extent 92 acres and 21 28/100 perches according to the survey and description thereof No. 45,253 dated November 11, 1841, authenticated by J. R. Norris, Surveyor-General, save and except a portion in extent 1 rood and 39 perches, which was conferred by the Ceylon Co., Ltd., to

Her Majesty Queen Victoria by deed No. 1,858 dated April 19, 1877, and attested by O. A. Joseph of Colombo, Notary Public, registered L 18/57 in the Kandy District Land Registry Office, together with all the buildings, stores, machinery, fixtures, tools, implements, crops, produce, and everything appertaining thereto.

Phone : 289. A. Y. DANIEL  
Telegrams : "Lions." of A. Y. DANIEL & SON,  
19, Baillie street, Fort. Auctioneers and Brokers.

#### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

- (1) Anne Edith de Kretser of Barnes place in Colombo,  
(2) D. A. Dharmadasa of Batuwandara in Kesbewa;  
and (3) Owen Brace of the New Town Hall,  
Colombo ..... Plaintiffs.

No. 43,443. 41 Vs.

- (1) Khadija Ahamed, wife of M. Cassim Ismail, and  
(2) M. Cassim Ismail, wife of Thomas Hopman of  
203, Egoda Kolonnawa, in Colombo, (4) John Wilson  
of Dam street in Colombo, and (5) Agnes Gordon  
Marsh of St. Agatha's, Nuwara Eliya ..... Defendants.

**B**y virtue of the commission and decree issued to me in the above action, I shall put up for sale by public auction at 4.30 P.M. at the spot on Friday, December 11, 1931, for the recovery of the sum of (1st plaintiff) Rs. 5,282.88, with interest thereon at 9 per centum per annum from date hereof till payment in full and to the 2nd plaintiff the sum of Rs. 3,169.73, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per centum per annum from date hereof, till payment in full and to the 3rd plaintiff the sum of Rs. 2,113.15, with interest thereon at 9 per centum per annum from date hereof, till payment in full, and costs of this action, the following properties:—

All that defined portion of land marked "B" with the buildings thereon bearing assessment No. 74 now No. 228/74 (1-2), situated along Sea street in the Pettah, within the Municipality of Colombo, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the east and south-east by Sea street, on the south and south-west by the property of Suliman Hadjar bearing assessment No. 73, on the north-west by the other portion of this land marked "A", and on the north-east by the property of M. M. Saliu, presently belonging to O. L. M. Hassam Tamby bearing assessment No. 75; containing in extent 5 65/100 perches, according to the survey and description thereof bearing No. 57 dated April 20, 1926, made by C. H. Frida, Licensed Surveyor.

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

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Case No. 42,518, Colombo.

**B**y virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,575, with interest on Rs. 1,500 at 12 per cent. per annum from January 15, 1931, till the date of the decree and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full and costs of this action on Thursday, December 10, 1931, at 4 P.M. at the spot the under-mentioned property:—

All that allotment of land called Hapugahakandewatta alias Weralugahawatta, with the buildings, trees, and plantations thereon, situated at Heyantuduwa, in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 15 acres 3 roods and 38 perches.

Further particulars from Malcolm E. Wickremesinghe, Esq., Proctor, Hulftsdorp.

Phone No. 173. L. A. WICKREMESINGHE,  
34, Baillie street. Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

**U**NDER instructions from the District Court of Colombo, in Testamentary case No. 4,757, I shall sell by public auction at the respective spots commencing from 4 P.M. on Saturday, November 21, 1931.

1. All that allotment of land called Siyambalagahawatta alias Dombagahawatta bearing Local Board assessment No. 257, together with the buildings, trees, and plantations thereon, situated at Uyana in Moratuwa, in extent 11 perches.

2. Allotment of land called Dombagahawatta, situated at Uyana aforesaid, in extent 11.2 perches.

3. Allotment of land called Moderapola Dombagahawatta, situated at Uyana aforesaid, bearing assessment No. 175, in extent 12·95 perches, together with the buildings and plantations thereon according to the plan No. 1,429, dated March 9, 1931, made by A. H. Fernando, Licensed Surveyor.

Further particulars from J. V. de Silva, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, "Verdun," Moratuwa.

Phoné: 1784.  
167, Hulstsdorp.

FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI,  
Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale.

*Substantial and Beautiful House with well arranged Accommodation "Kailayangiri" at Barnes Place, Colombo, and the Mortgage Rights in respect of a Property at Kalubowila also in Colombo.*

BY virtue of the commission issued to me from the District Court of Colombo in hypothecary action No. 44,225, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction on Monday, December 7, 1931, viz. —

(1) *At the spot at 4 p.m.*—All that divided portion towards the east out of the lot marked E from and out of the land described in title plan No. 63,754, which said divided portion towards the east is marked lot E 2 on survey plan No. 5,001 dated August 29, 1927, made by G. S. Weeraratna, Licensed Surveyor, Colombo; in extent 1 acre, situated at Barnes place, Cinnamon Gardens, within the Municipality and District of Colombo, with the buildings standing thereon, called and known as Kailayangiri, formerly bearing assessment No. 1873/1 and now No. 1872A/2/3(2), Barnes place.

(2) *Immediately after the sale of the land aforesaid and at the same spot.*—All the right, title, and interest of the defendants above named, on mortgage bond No. 137 dated February 20, 1930, attested by J. S. Vanlangenberg of Colombo, Notary Public, and executed by J. Alfred Victor Duncan Ferdinand of Colombo, in favour of the 1st defendant, together with the mortgage and hypothecation of the land and premises covered by the said bond, viz. —All that divided portion of land marked "C" from and out of all that land called Kahatagahawatta, situate at Kalubowila, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo aforesaid; which said portion marked C is containing in extent 1 acre.

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

Negombo, November 11, 1931.

M. P. KURERA,  
Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

*Valuable Properties at Lansigama in the District of Chilaw.*

UNDER decree entered in case No. 5,495, D. C., Negombo, in favour of the plaintiff, Pena Reena Pena Reena Narayanan Chettiyar by his attorney, Ana Karuppaiya of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Warnakulasuriya Ichampullage Alphonsu Fernando of Lansigama and (2) P. L. R. K. N. Sathapathy Chettiyar of Kochehikade, and by virtue of the order to sell issued to us for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 19,460 interest and costs from the 1st defendant above named, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction at the respective spots on Wednesday, December 9, 1931:—

(1) *At 3.30 p.m.*—All that allotment of land now called and known as Lawrals formed of the two contiguous portions called Thalghayaya, situate at Lansigama in Meda palata of Pitigal korale, in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province; containing in extent 12 acres 3 roods and 10 perches, together with the tiled house and other buildings and plantations standing thereon.

(2) *At 4 p.m.*—All that divided portion towards the north-east of the land called Thalghayaya, in extent about 175 acres, situate at Lansigama aforesaid; which said divided portion is in extent about 300 coconut trees plantable ground, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

(3) *At 4.30 p.m.*—All that divided portion from and out of the land called Thalghayaya, in extent about 175 acres, situate at Lansigama aforesaid; which said divided portion is in extent about 112 coconut trees plantable ground, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon.

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

Negombo, November 11, 1931.

M. P. KURERA & Co.,  
Auctioneers.

#### Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, case No. 41,584, entered in favour of M. R. M. L. Letchimenen Chettiar by his attorney Ramasamy Pillai of Kandy against the defendant C. B. Panabokke of Panabokke in Udunuwara, shall sell by public auction commencing at 12 noon each day the following lands to wit:—

*On December 6, 1931, at Panabokke.*

1. One-third share of Dambaghamulawatta of 3 pelas.
2. Half share of Polwatta of 1 yelamuna.
3. Medadepelakumbura of 1 pela.
4. Lindawatta of 2 pelas with the buildings, all situate at Panabokke.
5. Delgahayatapelakumbura of 12 lahas, situate at Werawela.
6. Delgahayatapela 12 lahas.
7. Half share of Meegasangekumbura of 1 amunam, situate at Moladanda.

*On December 7 at Hindendruwawa in Kotmale.*

8. Nayakumbura of 12 lahas paddy sowing extent.
9. Nayakumbura of 12 lahas.
10. Benduwehena of 3 amunams.
11. Arusalehena of 2 pelas.
12. Delgahagommanawatta of 1 pela.
13. Hitinagederawatta of 4 seers kurakkan sowing extent.

For further particulars apply to H. A. C. Wickramaratne, Esq., Proctor, Kandy, or to—

117, Trincomalee street, A. R. WICKREMESEKERE,  
Kandy, November 10, 1931. Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Sale of a Valuable Property situate in Sedawatta, Colombo.*

Harry Peter Cosmas of Colombo ..... Plaintiff.  
D. C., Colombo, Vs.  
43,636.

George Theobald Pieris of Wellawatta in Colombo ..... Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above action, I will sell by public auction on Wednesday, December 9, 1931, at 4.30 P.M. at the spot for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 25,944, together with further interest on Rs. 24,000 at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from April 1, 1931, to date of decree and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of this action:—

All that garden and grassland with the buildings standing thereon bearing Sanitary Board assessment No. 1, Weragoda, situated at Sedawatta, in the Adikari pattu of Hewagama korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north-east by the Kelani river, on the south-east by the canal, on the south-west by the high road, and on the north-west by the canal; containing in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 35 perches, according to the survey plan thereof bearing No. 2,012 dated September 27, 1907, and made by G. P. Weeraratne, Licensed Surveyor and Leveller.

Tel. No. 101. F. J. HILLS,  
Telgs: "Hillside." Auctioneer and Broker.  
"York House," York street, Fort.

#### Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Sale of House Property in Colpetty and Allen Avenue, Dehiwala.*

(1) R. N. Watkins and (2) Robert Ford, both of Colombo, assignees of the insolvent estate of Messrs. Freudenberg & Company of Colombo ..... Plaintiffs.  
D. C., Colombo, Vs.  
No. 46,226.

Francis F. Krishnapillai, assignee of the insolvent estate of W. M. Salem of 240, Main street, in Colombo ..... Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above action, I will sell by public auction the following:—

1. All that allotment of land with the buildings standing thereon bearing assessment Nos. 159A1 and 159A2, situated at Colpetty, within the Municipal limits



of the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by the premises bearing assessment Nos. 159B1 and 159B2, on the east by premises bearing assessment No. 159, on the south by the lane and premises bearing assessment No. 158, and on the west by premises bearing assessment No. 159B3; containing in extent 6 14/100 perches as per plan No. 665 dated February 4, 1920, made by S. S. Rutnam, Licensed Surveyor, which said premises are held and possessed by the defendant under and by virtue of the certificate of sale bearing No. 566 dated March 31, 1922, under the hand of A. Beven, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, at 4 P.M. on Tuesday, December 8, 1931, at the spot.

2. All that allotment of land called Poropuwahena marked B1 with the buildings, trees, and plantations standing thereon, situated at Karagampitiya, in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north by lot A part of the same land, on the east by Allen avenue (new road), on the south by lot B2 remaining part of the same lot, and on the west by the property of R. A. Jan Perera and others; and containing in extent 1 rood according to the survey plan No. 1,371 dated March 1, 1924, made by A. Daniel, Licensed Surveyor and Leveller, which said premises are held and possessed by the defendant under and by virtue of the deed No. 318 dated March 30, 1925, attested by C. A. B. Wanigesooriya, Notary Public, at 5 P.M. on Tuesday, December 8, 1931, at the spot.

Tel.: No. 101. F. J. HILLS,  
Telgs.: "Hillside." Auctioneer and Broker.  
"York House," York street, Fort.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Kalutara.

K. Arthur Fernando of Panadure ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 16,994. Vs.

Bodahandi Jeesan de Silva of Andadola ..... Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case I shall sell by public auction the under-mentioned properties for the recovery of Rs. 1,310.67 interest and costs at the respective spots, on Saturday, December 12, 1931:—

At Paragahatota in Ambalangoda at 3 p.m.—All that land called Nawaratnagama-Etwalawela (high and low land) at Paragahatota; bounded north by a portion of this land, east by wela belonging to this land and land whereon I. Wattu Baba resides, south by land belonging to G. Balaguru and Andiris, west by portion of this land; in extent about 1 acre.

At Walagedara in Balapitiya at 3.45 p.m.—An undivided eight-ninth shares of the soil, soil share trees together with planters share of all plantations and tiled house 33 feet 9 inches in length and 32 feet 6 inches in breadth standing thereon of the land called Kapugewatta, situated at Walagedara; bounded north by Vitharana Rakinepadinchiwawatta and Adonachchirepadinchiwawun Ambagahawatta, east by Bulugahawatta alias Enderekapuwegewatta, south by Emappugoiyegewatta and another portion of land, west by garden belonging to Hakkinu Bastian and wela; in extent about 1 acre and 1 rood.

For further particulars from H. Leo Perera, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Panadure, or—

"Senani," A. H. SENARATNE,  
Wadduwa. Commissioner and Auctioneer.

#### Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

Valuable House and Garden with 5 Acres Rubber and  
Coconut at Watareka.

In the District Court of Galle.

D. A. Jayasundera of Kapuhenpola in Galle as administrator of the estate and effects of Don Siyadoris de Silva Danganawe Appuhamy, late of Galle, deceased ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 27,805.

Edith Marguerita Senarathne alias Abecyratne of Kitulampitiya in Galle as executrix of the last will and testament of George Edward Deonysius Seneviratne late of Kitulampitiya, Galle, deceased ..... Defendant.

UNDER decree in the above styled action and by virtue of the commission issued to me therein, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, December 12, 1931, at 4 P.M., at the spot the following property declared by the said decree bound and executable for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 4,947.91, being the aggregate amount of the principal and interest due in respect of mortgage bond

No. 23,428 dated March 5, 1924, attested by E. A. Gurusinghe, Notary Public, with further interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from January 28, 1931, till payment in full, and costs of this action, to wit:—

All the soil, trees, plantations, and buildings standing on the defined lot No. 1 (allotted in case No. 10,061 of this court) of the land called Kohomanwatta, situated at Wataraka, within the Four Gravets of Galle, Galle District, Southern Province; bounded on the north by lot No. 2A of this land, south-east, east, and south by Kodituwakku-udumulla, and west by Kodituwakku-udumulla and the high road to Wakwella, and containing in extent 5 acres 27.09 perches.

Further particulars from F. W. E. de Vos, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Galle.

Ambalangoda. UPASIRI W. KODIKARA,  
Licensed Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Auction Sale Under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Matara, Case No. 4,885.

(1) Hewavisenthi Emanuel de Silva, (2) Hewavisenthi Albert de Silva, (3) Hewavisenthi Edwin de Silva, all of Denepitiya, (4) Bessie Evar de Zoysa Gunawardene, substituted 1st plaintiff ..... Plaintiffs.

Against  
(1) Lewis Herford Christian Jayawickrama, (2) Basil Eugene Alexander Jayawickrama, both of Deranagala, presently of Matara ..... Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of the amount decreed therein, I shall offer for sale on December 5, 1931, commencing at 2.30 P.M. at the spot the following property in one lot:—All that and those the estate plantations and lands called and known as Deranagala estate comprising of the following allotments which from their situation as regards each other form one property and can be included in one survey, to wit:—

(a) All that the defined lot 1 as depicted in plan made by Mr. W. S. Armstrong, Licensed Surveyor, and file of record in case No. 6,976 of D. C., Matara, of the land Tantirigewatta and Paranawatta alias Mahapelawatta in extent 2 acres and 8 perches, situated at Deranagala, in the Palle pattu of Morawak korale.

(b) All that the defined lot 3 as depicted in the aforesaid plan of the land Tantirigewatta and Paranawatta alias Mahapelawatta aforesaid, in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 20 perches.

(c) All that the defined lot 2 appearing in the plan of survey filed in the said case 6,976 of the land Tantirigewatta and Paranawatta alias Mahapelawatta aforesaid, in extent 2 acres and 8 perches.

(d) All that the defined lot 4 appearing in the plan filed of record in the aforesaid case No. 6,976 of the lands Tantirigewatta and Paranawatta alias Mahapelawatta aforesaid, in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 20 perches.

(e) All that the defined lot 5 as depicted in plan of survey filed of record in case No. 6,976 of the land Tantirigewatta and Paranawatta alias Mahapelawatta aforesaid, in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 24 perches.

(f) All that the defined lot C of the land called Banganwilehena Katadikanda and Karanketiyetantirigewatta, situated at Deranagala aforesaid, in extent 22 acres and 31 perches.

(g) All that the defined lot D of the lands called Banganwilehena Katadikanda and Karanketiyetantirigewatta aforesaid, in extent 3 acres 2 roods and 20 perches.

(h) All that the defined lot E of the land called Banganwilehena Katadikanda and Karanketiyetantirigewatta aforesaid, in extent 77 acres 3 roods and 9 perches.

(i) All that the land called Lindagawaliyadda being lot F in the plan filed in the case No. 7,949 aforesaid, situated at Deranagala aforesaid, 1 rood and 10 perches.

For further particulars please apply to A. Gunaratna, Esq., Proctor, Matara, or to—

K. M. THOROLIS SILVA,  
Matara, November 6, 1931. Auctioneer and Broker.

#### Application for Appointment as a Notary Public.

I, SOKKANATHER KARTIGESU of Delft Centre do hereby give notice of my intention to apply for appointment as Notary Public to practise in the Tamil Language, throughout the division of Delft.

Delft Centre, S. KARTIGESU,  
Jaffna, October 30, 1931.

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## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying in the Baggage Office, B 1 Warehouse and the Indian Goods Shed, beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, December 15, 1931, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. All goods sold but not cleared within three clear days after the approval of the sale will become liable to the payment of rent and dues at the rates prescribed in the Customs Tariff:—

## BAGGAGE OFFICE.

Serial No. and Date.	Name or Marks.	Vessel.	Number and Description of Packages.
9,487 of July 1, 1931 ..	Mr. Wigglesworth ..	Found in Baggage Office ..	1 camp bed
9,506 of July 4, 1931 ..	Nil ..	ss. Chitral ..	1 parcel containing 6 gramophone records
9,579 of July 6, 1931 ..	Nil ..	Found in Baggage Office ..	1 walking stick
9,689 of July 8, 1931 ..	Mr. G. C. Chelliah ..	ss. Kashima Maru ..	1 revolver
9,718 of July 9, 1931 ..	Madam D'Az ona ..	ss. Dempô ..	do.
9,760 of July 11, 1931 ..	Nil ..	Unknown ..	1 basket
9,987 of July 21, 1931 ..	Nil ..	ss. Athos II. ..	1 package 2 bottles lotion

## B 1 WAREHOUSE.

Entry No. 1,620 of Sept. 18, 1929 ..	ALMS upon 2987 upon SQB all within a square ..	ss. Lichtenfels ..	4 casks tee hinges
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## INDIAN GOODS SHED.

Way Bill No. 13/14 ..	Trichy Junction to Madhu Road ..	..	} 1 case glass bangles
Way Bill No. 13/192 ..	Madhu Road to Colombo ..	..	
Invoice No. 59 of September 24, 1931 ..	..	..	

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

G. S. WODEMAN,  
for Principal Collector.

## Tenders for the Right to Gem in Crown Lands.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, will receive sealed tenders for the right to gem for a period of one year in the under-mentioned Crown land, situated in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

2. The tenders, which must be enclosed in sealed envelopes superscribed "Tender for the right to gem" will be received at the Ratnapura Kacheheri until 10 A.M. on December 9, 1931, when they will be opened, and all persons making tenders will be required to be present or satisfy the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, by some duly accredited agent or agents that the tender is *bona fide*.

3. The person whose tender is selected by the Government Agent for submission to the Land Commissioner will be required to deposit the full amount of his tender at once in cash, and should his tender be accepted by the Land Commissioner, to enter into a lease bond for the due fulfilment of the conditions on which the tender is accepted.

4. The Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

5. The tenderers whose tenders are accepted should deposit in respect of each land such security, not exceeding Rs. 100, as is approved by the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa, for filling up of pits and against breaches of the conditions of the permit.

6. Tenders must be made for each land separately.

7. The lessees should notify the Government Mineralogist, Colombo, the date on which they commence to gem and to stop work and give access to the workings at any time for inspection.

8. Further information can be obtained from the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

## Lands referred to.

(1) A portion of the bed of the stream called Induruganga, situated at Gilimale, in Kuruwiti korale, and bounded as follows:—

North-east: Kanathariyanahena.

South: Indurugangamodara.

South-west: Deyawalahenyaya and Owita.

West: Eluwamalaella

(2) A strip of the bed of the stream called Hangomuweganga, five chains in length, situated in the village of Kolombugama, in Nawadun korale, within the following boundaries:—

North: Heetamahukete.

East: Tembilideniyekumbura and rubber estate.

South: Gallenawala.

West: Kankananhena.

(3) A portion of the land called Wannigedeniya, being part of lot 2r in F. V. P. 74, about one acre in extent, situated in Muwagama village, in Nawadun korale, within the following boundaries:—

North-west: Gulanewatte Medakella.

North-east: Ellege-dola.

South-east: Lots 2r and 2q.

South-west: Lots 2v and 25.

(4) A portion of the bed of the stream called Miriyan-dola, 15 chains in length, situated in Yainne village, in Atakalan korale, within the following boundaries:—

North: Houpe Tea Estate (Yainne village).

East: Godaparagaha and Omigahalangawala.

South: Watapota rubber estate (Nawadun korale).

West: Ambagahahene-dola.

The Kacheheri, Ratnapura, November 5, 1931. GEO. H. PERERA,  
for Government Agent.

## Post of Ratemahatmaya, Dambadeni Hatpattu.

APPLICATIONS for the post of Ratemahatmaya, Dambadeni hatpattu of the District of Kurunegala, will be received by me up to 1 P.M. on Friday, November 20, 1931.

No interviews to applicants or others on behalf of any applicant will be granted.

The Kacheheri, Kurunegala, October 31, 1931. J. R. WALTERS,  
Acting Government Agent.

**Notice re Sale of Firearms.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following confiscated and surrendered guns, lying in deposit at the Kachcheri, Hambantota, will be sold by public auction, or otherwise disposed of, on November 21, 1931, at 11.30 A.M. Guns will only be sold to persons holding a permit under the Firearms Ordinance to purchase a gun.

W. A. DE SILVA,  
for Assistant Government Agent.  
The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, November 10, 1931.

*Guns referred to.*

M 2098, D. B. B. L.; M 1848, D. B. B. L.; M 2301, D. B. B. L.; M 2122, D. B. B. L.; Z. A. B., rifle;—, .22 rifle; E 1801, rifle;—, D. B. M. L.; M 2122/3443, D. B. B. L.; 1, S. B. M. L.; 2, S. B. M. L.; 3, S. B. M. L.; 4, D. B. B. L.; 5, D. B. B. L.; 6, S. B. M. L.; 7, S. B. B. L.; 8, S. B. M. L.; 9, S. B. M. L.; 10, D. B. B. L.; 11, S. B. M. L.; 12, S. B. M. L.; 13, S. B. B. L.

for recording votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the inhabitants of the area mentioned below are in favour of re-opening an arrack tavern at Talawakele:—

Tavern: Arrack tavern at Talawakele.

Date of Poll: December 17, 1931 (8 A.M. to 12 noon and 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.).

Place of Poll: Government School at Talawakele.

Area served: Sanitary Board Town of Talawakele and the following estates coming within the two-mile radius, viz.:—(1) Talawakele estate, (2) St. Clair estate, (3) Troup estate, (4) Katukelle estate, (5) Coombewood estate, (6) Middleton estate, (7) Logie estate, (8) Nanu-oya estate, (9) East Holyrood estate, (10) St. Andrew's estate, (11) Great Western (excluding Louisa Division), (12) Palmerston estate, (13) Glenomera estate.

W. J. L. ROGERSON,  
The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.  
Nuwara Eliya, November 5, 1931.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned confiscated liquor will be sold by public auction on Friday, November 20, 1931, at 12 noon in 18 lots:—

2 pints Wincarnis wine, 2 pints beer, 44 pints brandy (different varieties), 60 bottles brandy (different varieties).

Office of the Excise Commissioner, P. PARSONS,  
Colombo, November 9, 1931. for Excise Commissioner.

Notice re removal of Toddy Tavern at Kitulwala village in terms of Sections 6 and 7 of Excise Notification No. 181 of September 27, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed to remove the toddy tavern at Kitulwala village as from January 25, 1932, to the site hereinafter described in the village of Jankure in Weudawili hatpattu of the Kurunegala District.

I shall be prepared to receive any written objections to the proposed site up to January 5, 1932, on which date any verbal representations may also be made to me regarding the said site at the Kurunegala Kachcheri between the hours of 10 A.M. and 12 NOON.

The Kachcheri, J. R. WALTERS,  
Kurunegala, November 5, 1931. Acting Government Agent.

**Notice regarding a Local Option Poll for re-opening the Arrack Tavern at Talawakele in Kotmale Division of Nuwara Eliya District.**

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya, in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 6 of the rules specified in Excise Notification No. 146 of August 14, 1925 as amended by Excise Notification No. 180 of August 30 1928, has appointed the under-mentioned date and place

*Description.*

"Room 15 ft. 2 in. by 7 ft. 8 in. of a one-roomed wattle and daub cadjan thatched building on Kalindakotuwe in Jankure in Weudawili hatpattu, and is bounded on the east, west, and south by the said land, north by the verandah and the said land adjoining Delwita-Katupilagolla Gansabhawa road, and is situated 52 yards west of the crossing of the above said road with Delwita-oya."

**Local Option Polls, Jaffna District.**

IT is hereby notified that by virtue of the powers vested in him by rule 6 of the rules appearing in Excise Notification No. 146 published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,478 of August 14, 1925, as amended by Excise Notification No. 180 published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,661 of August 31, 1928, the Government Agent of the Northern Province has determined that Local Option Polls for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the voters are in favour of re-granting the licences in respect of the taverns in the annexed schedule, shall be held at the places and on the dates shown in the schedule.

The Kachcheri,  
Jaffna, November 11, 1931.

E. T. DYSON,  
Government Agent.

**SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.**

Name of Tavern.	Date of Polling.	Time of Polling.	Polling Station.	Area.
1. Myliddy North toddy tavern	December 9, 1931	8 A.M. to 12 noon and 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.	(1) Village Committee Court-house at Myliddy North (2) Customs buildings at Kankasanturai	Myliddy North and Myliddy Coast
2. Chiviateru toddy tavern and Chundikuli (Thallalai) toddy tavern	December 12, 1931	do.	The Stanley School, Jaffna	Pallai-Vimankamam and Kankasanturai
3. Kayts arrack tavern and Karampan toddy tavern	December 15, 1931	do.	Customs buildings at Kayts	Kayts East, Kayts West, and Karampan
4. Allaipiddy tavern	December 16, 1931	do.	C. M. S. School at Allaipiddy	Police Vidane's Division of Allaipiddy
5. Narantanai tavern	December 17, 1931	do.	Maheswari Vidyasalai at Saravanai	Narantanai and Saravanai
6. Vannarponnai North-West toddy tavern	December 19, 1931	do.	The Navalar School, Vannarponnai	Urban District Council Division No. 7

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

## General Meeting.

Wednesday, October 7, 1931, at 3 p.m.

The Council met this day at 3 p.m., pursuant to notice, dated September 30, 1931.

*Present*:—Mr. W. T. Stace, B.A., Litt. D., C.C.S., J.P., Chairman; Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader; Dr. E. V. Ratnam; Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando; Dr. E. A. Coorey; Mr. G. W. Dodds; Mr. T. G. Jayewardene, V.D., J.P.; Mr. N. R. Blande; Mr. A. H. G. Dawson; Mr. M. L. M. Reyal; Dr. S. Muttiah; Mr. T. C. Dyball; Mr. F. Dadabhoy, J.P.; Mr. W. J. Thornhill; Mr. J. S. Collett; and Mr. F. J. Soertsz.

1. The Minutes of the Adjourned General Meeting of September 9, 1931, having been previously printed and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read.

Resolved that the Minutes of the Adjourned General Meeting of September 9, 1931, be confirmed.

(a) With the permission of Council, Dr. E. A. Coorey presented a petition from the owners of a block of land of about 4 acres in extent abutting on Longden place, regarding the maintenance of a short length of Longden place, and moved that it be referred to the Four Standing Committees. Mr. M. L. M. Reyal seconded.—Carried.

2. Pursuant to notice, Dr. S. Muttiah asked the following questions which the Chairman answered:—

(1) Q.—Have applications been made for installing drainage by residents on the new connection between Short's road and Kew road, Slave Island?

(2) Q.—If so, will the Chairman take steps to have a sewer laid on this portion as early as possible?

(1) and (2) A.—All the properties on this road, except one, already have drainage to existing sewers. The owner of the one outstanding property has applied for drainage. If he moves his lavatory from its existing site on his property to another site on the same property, connection could be made from it to the sewer in Kew road. He is unwilling to do this and demands instead a connection with his present lavatory. To connect the lavatory at the existing site to the sewer in Kew road is considered unsafe. In order to comply with his wishes, therefore, the Council would have to construct a new sewer in De Mel street, which would drain only this one property, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,250. The Chairman is not prepared to recommend this to the Council. - But, if the property owner will consent to move the lavatory as explained above, the question of connection with the existing sewer in Kew road can be re-opened.

3. Pursuant to notice, Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader moved—With reference to the notice of motion given in the State Council by Mr. G. K. W. Perera, Member for Matara, to the effect that:—“ This Council is of opinion that members of the State Council should be granted the privilege within their respective electoral divisions of attending and addressing upon any subject the meetings of all local bodies such as Municipalities, Urban District Councils, Sanitary and Local Boards, Village Committees, Education Committees, Excise Advisory Boards, and District Road Committees, and request the Hon. the Attorney-General to introduce legislation for this purpose ” the Colombo Municipal Council desires to enter an emphatic protest against the suggested intervention by members of any other body in its affairs. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded.

Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando, Mr. N. R. Blande, and Mr. F. J. Soertsz supported the motion. Mr. T. G. Jayewardene spoke to the motion.

The motion was put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

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

*Council in Committee—*

*The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of September 22, 1931, were considered.*

## MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider the petition presented by Mr. M. L. M. Reyal in Council on September 9, 1931, from the stall holders of the Central Market, Pettah, praying for a reduction of rents. Registered No. 010,794.—Recommended that the rent be reduced to Rs. 4.50 per month.

## PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(5) To consider—(a) A letter, dated July 3, 1931, from Mr. M. D. Cockburn for permission to erect a cold storage depôt outside the Wellawatta market premises. (b) Reports thereon of the Medical Officer of Health, dated July 10, 1931, and the Municipal Engineer, dated July 13, 1931. (c) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman. Registered No. 614.—Recommended that the application be allowed on the understanding that no machinery be introduced.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

Resolved that the matter be considered in connection with the recommendation of item No. 3 of the extracts from the Minutes of Standing Committee on Finance of September 23, 1931.

(8) To consider a memorandum of the Medical Officer of Health (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) recommending the grant of 3 months' leave, on half-pay to Dr. M. D. Carolis, Medical Officer, San Sebastian Dispensary, as he has exhausted all his available full-pay leave on July 24, 1931, from which date he has been placed on half-pay and requesting authority to engage a substitute as this is too long a period for the Relief Apothecary to act. Registered No. 09,961.—Recommended that the leave be granted on half-pay and that a substitute be appointed.

(10) To consider—(a) Memoranda of the Medical Officer of Health, and the Municipal Treasurer, regarding the fee to be charged for the use of cremation pyre at Kanatta cemetery. (b) A memorandum of the Chairman. Registered No. 956.—Recommended that a fee of Rs. 7.50 be charged for cremation with the use of the pyre and Rs. 5 for cremation without the use of the pyre.

*The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of September 23, 1931, was considered.*

(2) To consider a report of the Engineer Buildings, dated August 10, 1931, requesting sanction to lay street lines at No. 22, Castle lane, Bambalapitiya (marked D-E on street line plan No. 1,282, dated April 24, 1929, and signed by Mr. Stanley Fernando, Works Engineer), in order to allow an application to build. Registered No. 09,637.—Recommended.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

Dr. E. A. Coorey moved that the matter be postponed and referred to the Special Committee regarding Housing and Town Improvement. Mr. T. G. Jayewardene seconded.—Carried.

*The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of September 23, 1931, were considered.*

## MUNICIPAL ASSESSOR'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Assessor, dated September 11, 1931, on the advisability or otherwise of retaining Mr. E. G. Eastman as an additional expert to support his valuations in the Kochchikadde Slum Scheme acquisition cases. Registered No. 961.—Recommended that he be not retained.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

Resolved that the matter be considered in connection with the recommendation of item No. 4 of the extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of September 26, 1931.

## MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

(5) To consider—(a) The suggestion of the Superintendent of Police, Colombo, that Kachcheri road from Saunders' place to Gasworks street be made a "one-way" street. (b) A memorandum of the Chairman, dated September 3, 1931. Registered No. 737.—Recommended and that the following by-law be passed:—All vehicular traffic in that portion of Kachcheri road between Saunders' place and Gasworks street, within the Municipality of Colombo, shall, when proceeding, proceed in the direction of Gasworks street and when halted, halt facing Gasworks street.

(6) To consider a report of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) recommending that, in terms of Clause 12 of his agreement, Mr. D. W. E. Meegama, Engineer, Grade II., be appointed to the permanent staff. *Note.*—His agreement terminates on February 1, 1932. Registered No. 904.—Recommended.

(7) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 20, 1931, requesting the sanction of Council to cancel the vote of Rs. 15,000 for construction of a Public Lavatory, Galle Face, which was passed in the 1930 Budget under Vote I-96, as the work for which it is voted cannot be carried out owing to lack of a site. Registered No. 861.—Recommended.

(8) To consider a detailed estimate of Rs. 6,000 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for the widening of a section of Buller's road from Longden place to Cemetery road to a width of 30 feet carriageway, the provision of a footway and open concrete drains. *Note.*—Provision has been made in the 1931 Budget under Vote I-77 "Widening of Buller's road opposite Torrington place." Registered No. 876.—Recommended.

(9) To consider—(a) A report of the Municipal Treasurer, dated August 19, 1931, requesting the rescission of Council's resolution of May 6, 1931, accepting the tender of Messrs. The Drainage and Water Pipe Co., amounting to Rs. 1,174 for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 154<sup>1</sup>·7, Chapel place, as subsequent to the acceptance of the tender certain alterations were found necessary and this necessitated fresh tenders being called for on the amended plan. (b) The recommendation of the Drainage Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) that the tender of Messrs. P. B. Fernando & Co., of No. 139, Dam street, amounting to Rs. 1,080·40 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 154<sup>1</sup>·7, Chapel place. Registered No. 09,938.—Recommended (a) and (b).

(10) To consider the recommendations of the Drainage Engineer that the tenders of—(1) Messrs. P. B. Fernando & Co., of No. 139, Dam street, amounting to Rs. 2,795 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises No. 49, "Victoria Mills," Hyde Park Corner, Slave Island. Registered No. 010,098. (2) Messrs. Samarakone Bros., of Kinross avenue, South Bambalapitiya, amounting to Rs. 1,267 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 39, 41, and 43, Shoe road, Kotahena. Registered No. 010,384. (3) Messrs. Samarakone Bros. of Kinross avenue, South Bambalapitiya, amounting to Rs. 1,467 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 102/108, 1st Cross street. Registered No. 010,650. (4) Messrs. Dharmalingam Ramen & Co. of No. 21, Silversmith lane, amounting to Rs. 1,133·13 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises No. 124, Layard's Broadway. Registered No. 010,818.—Recommended.

(11) To consider—(a) Memoranda of the Municipal Engineer, dated July 28, 1931, and March 8, 1931, regarding the construction of a sewer through premises No. 36, Moors' road, Wellawatta. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman, dated September 8, 1931. Registered No. 010,657.—Recommended that, in terms of section 188 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, a sewer be laid as proposed in the Municipal Engineer's report of July 28, 1931.

(12) To consider a plan and a detailed estimate of Rs. 2,150 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer), for metalling and surface painting compounds of two hospital sheds at the Cattle Mart. Funds are available on Vote I-102/1930, "Improvements to Slaughter-house and Quarantine Station." Registered No. 964.—Recommended.

(13) To consider a plan and detailed estimate of Rs. 14,100 from the Municipal Engineer, for the construction of 12 single storey "A" type tenements at the premises opposite Kanatta Cemetery. *Note.*—The work is proposed to be done on Vote I-102 Housing of Council's Labour, on which there is an unallotted balance of Rs. 20,780. Registered No. 011,154.—Recommended.

(15) To consider a plan and detailed estimate of Rs. 6,000 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for the construction of rain water drain at St. Mary's lane, Mutwal. Funds are available under I-83/1929, Rain Water Drain, St. Mary's lane, Mutwal (construction). The sum of Rs. 12,000 voted for the purpose in the 1929 Budget under I-83/1929 has been allotted as follows:—Acquisition, Rs. 5,000; construction, Rs. 7,000.—Total Rs. 12,000. Registered No. 1,020.—Recommended.

## PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(16) To consider—(a) Memoranda of the Medical Officer of Health, and the Municipal Treasurer, regarding the fee to be charged for the use of cremation pyre at Kanatta Cemetery. (b) A memorandum of the Chairman. Registered No. 956.—Recommended that a fee of Rs. 7·50 be charged for cremation with the use of the pyre and Rs. 5 for cremation without the use of the pyre.

## WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

(18) To consider—(a) An application from Miss V. E. Cadenski for water service to premises No. 23, new building, Anderson road, Bambalapitiya. (b) A plan and an estimate of Rs. 516 from the Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for extending the existing main for a distance of 58 yards, in terms of Ordinance No. 9 of 1916. Only the applicant has expressed her willingness to contribute half the estimated cost of laying the main, the surplus payments to be refunded to her proportionately when recovered from the other owners. The Waterworks Engineer recommends the laying of the main. Registered No. 914.—Recommended.

(19) To consider the recommendation of the Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer), that the quotation of Messrs. the Jewell Export Filter Co., Calcutta, amounting to Rs. 5,250 for the supply of 3,000 "D" Type Strainers (c.i.f., Colombo) for the filters at Labugama, be accepted. The cost will, in the first instance, be charged to Advance Account, Stores, Waterworks, and debited to Vote K-24 "Maintenance of Filtration Works," when the materials are drawn for use. *Note.*—The articles are "proprietary" and can only be purchased from the Jewell Export Filter Co. Registered No. 965.—Recommended.

## VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

(20) To consider—(a) The recommendation of the Veterinary Surgeon that his three dog overseers, who were appointed in September, 1928, be each supplied with 6 peppercill drill suits, 1 white helmet, and 7 Municipal Council buttons. The cost is approximately Rs. 150. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Municipal Treasurer stating that the proposal will require the sanction of Council, as the list already sanctioned will be affected. *Note.*—Funds are available on saving under Vote E-20 "Capture of dogs." Registered No. 939.—Recommended.

## FIRE BRIGADE.

(21) To consider an application from the Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 3,000 on Vote G-8 "Upkeep of Motor Ambulances" for reasons stated in his application. Registered No. 09,072.—Recommended.

(22) To consider—(a) The quotations received, through the Council's Agents, for the supply of spares for Fire Engines, &c. (b) The recommendation of the Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) that the quotations be accepted as follows:—(1) From Messrs. George Angus & Co., Ltd., items 1, 2, 3, 6 (part) 8, 9, and 10 at £113. 15s. 7d., f.o.b. (2) From Messrs. Reddaway & Co., Ltd., item 6 (part) at £67. 13s. 9d., f.o.b. (3) From Messrs. John Morris & Co., Ltd., items 4, 5, 7, and 11 at £19. 13s., f.o.b. The total c.i.f. cost of the materials is £210 (approximately Rs. 2,835) excluding Agent's Commission. The Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade, in recommending the purchase as above, states that the cheapest in each case has not been recommended, but quality has been given first consideration. The cost will, in the first instance, be charged to Advance Account, Stores, and then debited to votes as and when the materials are used. Registered No. 926.—Recommended (1), (2), and (3).

(23) To consider—(a) A memorandum of the Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade stating that calls have recently been made for the Fire Brigade Ambulances from private parties as they are unable to procure the General Hospital Ambulance and requesting an amendment of the rules to permit of this. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Municipal Treasurer suggesting that approval be obtained for the draft rules, dated June 8, 1931, with the addition thereto. Registered No. 949.—(a) Recommended. (b) Recommended that the draft rules, as submitted by the Municipal Treasurer (as per annexure B) be approved, substituting the words "any medical institution" for the word "hospital."

## MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(24) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated September 17, 1931, requesting that Council's sanction may now be obtained to proceed with the Kochchikade Slum Scheme acquisitions which are estimated to cost Rs. 150,000. *Note.*—Plans and estimates for the construction work will be submitted in due course. Registered No. 1,007.—Recommended.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

The Chairman moved that the recommendation of the Standing Committees be adopted, subject to the alteration of the estimated cost from Rs. 150,000 to Rs. 205,000. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded.—Carried.

(26) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated September 17, 1931, stating that Council on June 10, 1931, sanctioned the purchase of 75 tons first class teak from the General Produce Co., at Rs. 204.75 per ton. The suppliers, in executing the order, have supplied 15.13 cubic feet in excess of the order placed. The cost of this excess quantity is Rs. 61.96. The Mechanical Engineer recommends the acceptance of the excess as it is not possible to supply exactly the 75 tons. Registered No. 525.—Recommended.

(27) To consider—(a) An application from Dr. H. Ratnarajah, 3rd Assistant Medical Officer of Health, for free passages according to the scheme for himself and his family, as his wife's domicile is England. (b) Report thereon of the Municipal Treasurer. (c) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman, dated September 17, 1931. Registered No. 955.—Recommended.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

Dr. S. Muttiah opposed the recommendation of the Standing Committees, and recorded his dissent.

Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando spoke in explanation of the recommendation of the Standing Committees, and pointed out that the principle involved was considered by the Standing Committees and the Council in connection with a similar application from Mr. Walter de Silva, Engineer, House Drainage.

Mr. T. G. Jayewardene spoke to the recommendation of the Standing Committees.

The Chairman explained facts in connection with the Passage Schemes of the Government and the Council.

Resolved that the recommendation of the Standing Committees be adopted.

28. To consider—(a) The tenders received for the purchase of empty Bitumen, Spramax, and Colas drums at the Suduwella Stores. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Treasurer that the tender of Mr. H. D. Fernando at cents 6½ each drum be accepted. *Note.*—The current rate is 5 cents and the contract expires on October 31, 1931. Registered No. 1,006.—Recommended.

*The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of September 23, 1931, were considered.*

## SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider—(a) An application from the Division II. Clerks in the Municipal Clerical Service requesting that, as the waiting list of Division I. Clerks is now exhausted, the Director of Education be asked to hold a special examination for those in the Municipal service who are qualified to take up the examination as there is no likelihood of an open Clerical Examination being held in the near future. (b) Memoranda thereon of the Secretary, Municipal Council, and the Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 010,603.—Recommended, on the understanding that the concession regarding the filling of the 4th vacancy on a lower percentage of marks should not apply, if there are sufficient candidates who have passed with the higher percentage to fill these vacancies.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

The Chairman stated that, through an oversight, the Standing Committees, when making their recommendation, overlooked the claims of those officers whose names already appear in the waiting list for the 4th vacancy and he, therefore, moved that the following resolution be substituted for the recommendation of the Standing Committees:—

“That the application be approved, on the understanding that the concession regarding the filling of the 4th vacancy on a lower percentage of marks should not apply in the results of this examination or any examination held in future among Municipal employees only, but that those on the waiting list for the 4th vacancy posts from the results of previous examinations open to the whole Island should obtain their appointments, in succession, to the 4th vacancy till that list is exhausted.”

Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader seconded. Mr. T. G. Jayewardene opposed. The motion was put to the meeting and carried.

## PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(3) To consider a letter, dated July 3, 1931, from Mr. M. D. Cockburn for permission to erect a Cold Storage dépôt outside the Wellawatta market premises. (b) Reports of the Medical Officer of Health, and the Municipal Engineer. (c) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman. Registered No. 684.—Recommended that the application be allowed, on the understanding that no machinery be introduced, and that only imported food be sold.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

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

(4) To consider an application from the Medical Officer of Health (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 4,614 on the following votes for reasons stated in his application. *Child Welfare*—H-15 salaries, Rs. 2,620; H-16 Allowances, Rs. 570; H-17 Wages of coolies, Rs. 884; H-19 Equipment and Maintenance, Rs. 540. Total, Rs. 4,614. *Note.*—Funds are available. Registered No. 010,152.—Recommended.

(6) To consider a memorandum of the Medical Officer of Health (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) recommending the grant of 3 months' leave, on half-pay, to Dr. M. D. Carolis, Medical Officer, San Sebastian Dispensary, as he has exhausted all his available full-pay leave on July 24, 1931, from which date he has been placed on half-pay and requesting authority to engage a substitute as this is too long a period for the relief apothecary to act. Registered No. 09,961.—Recommended that the leave be granted on half-pay and that a substitute be appointed.

## MUNICIPAL ASSESSOR'S DEPARTMENT.

(7) To consider—(a) Letter No. L. G. 113, dated September 12, 1931, from the Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara, seeking permission to appoint Mr. C. Stewart Orr, Municipal Assessor, as Assessor for the Crown in D. C. Kalutara, case No. 318. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Municipal Assessor. Registered No. 966.—Recommended, on the usual terms.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

(8) To consider an application from the Librarian (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 472 under vote M-1 “Salaries, Public Library” for reasons stated in his application. Registered No. 010,552.—Recommended.

## MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(10) To consider the petition presented by Mr. M. L. M. Reyal in Council on September 9, 1931, from the stall holders of the Central Market, Pettah, praying for a reduction of rents. Registered No. 010,794.—Recommended that the rent be reduced to Rs. 4.50 a month.

(11) To consider—(a) Letter dated August 20, 1931, from the Acting Controller of Labour inquiring whether the Council is prepared to consider the request of Mr. P. Peethamparam that his service under the Council be included for pension purposes. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Treasurer stating that in order to comply with this request the Council's sanction may be obtained, in terms of rule 18 (1) of the Pension Rules, to have Mr. Peethamparam's service under the Council counted for pension purposes and that his appointment under Government be considered as a transfer with the permission of the Council. Mr. Peethamparam's date of appointment in the Municipality is August 5, 1924. He left the Council's service on December 13, 1925, and joined Government on December 14, 1925. Registered No. 08,673.—(a) Considered. (b) Recommended.

(12) To consider—(a) Letter dated August 6, 1931, from Mr. P. W. F. Hettiarachchy, requesting that his service under the Council be counted for pension purposes. (b) A report of the Municipal Treasurer stating that Mr. Hettiarachchy's date of appointment in the Municipality is February 8, 1929, and that he left the Council's service on September 30, 1930, and joined the Excise Department on October 1, 1930, and requesting that sanction of Council be obtained, in terms of Rule 18 (1) of the Pension Rules, to have his service under the Council counted for pension purposes and that his appointment under Government be considered as a transfer with the permission of the Council. Registered No. 09,971.—(a) Considered. (b) Recommended.

(13) To consider the schedule of taxes and fees proposed to be levied for 1932 (as per annexure C). Registered No. 010,638.—Recommended.

(14) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated September 16, 1931, recommending that the lease of Municipal Council land at the junction of Skinner's road north and Jampettah street, in extent 13 perches, marked pink in plan No. 1,722, dated September 4, 1931, be sold by public auction. Registered No. 1,002.—Recommended that the lease of the land be sold by public auction, for a period of seven years, with the right to the lessee to erect a building on the land which should be removed at the expiry of the lease if the land is required by the Council.

(15) To consider the question of Insurance of Motor Vehicles, purchased by officers of the Council from advances made by the Council. Registered No. 969.—Recommended that the present rule remain in force with the following proviso: "That if the amount or the amount still due to the Council is less than one month's salary of the borrower no insurance or re-insurance shall be deemed necessary."

#### FIRE BRIGADE.

(16) To consider an application from the Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 50 on vote G-2 "Allowances" for reasons stated in his application. Registered No. 010,804.—Recommended.

#### APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES.

(17) To consider—(a) Applications from (1) Mr. G. Thiedeman, Playground Instructor of the Municipal Engineer's Department, for an advance of Rs. 300 to enable him to purchase a motor cycle for official duties. Registered No. 010,345. (2) Mr. E. B. Fernando, Sanitary Sub-Inspector, for an advance of Rs. 300 to enable him to purchase a rickshaw for official duties. Registered No. 010,820. (3) Mr. W. E. Labrooy, Veterinary Inspector, for an advance of Rs. 300 to enable him to purchase a rickshaw for official duties. Registered No. 011,162. (b) The recommendations of the Municipal Treasurer that the advances be granted on the usual terms, viz., that the amount be repaid in twelve equal monthly instalments and that 5 per cent. per annum be charged as interest on the balances outstanding from time to time.—Recommended (1), (2), and (3).

#### LEAVE.

(18) To recommend that, under section 10 (iii.) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 6 days granted to Mr. E. H. Joseph, Secretary, Municipal Council, be set off against the 28 days lapsed vacation leave available for the two years 1928 and 1929. Registered No. 010,065.—Recommended.

(19) To recommend that, under section 10 (iii.) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 19 days over 42 days (6 weeks) granted to Mr. M. R. A. de Zoysa of the Municipal Treasurer's Department, be set off against the lapsed leave of 81 days, available in respect of 1924 and 1925. Registered No. 010,096.—Recommended.

(20) To recommend that, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of further 3 days, making 4 days over 42 days, granted to Mrs. F. E. M. Harris, Public Health Nurse, be sanctioned. Registered No. 010,791.—Recommended.

(21) To recommend—(a) That under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 28 days over 42 days granted to Mr. R. C. Thiedeman, Foreman, Works, of the Municipal Engineer's Department, be sanctioned. (b) That, under section 10 (i.) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, he be granted 91 days accumulated vacation leave. (c) That, under section 10 (iii.) he may be granted excess leave of 3 days over 91 days to be appropriated out of the lapsed vacation leave of 48 days available in respect of 1928 and 1929. Registered No. 011,193.—Recommended.

#### PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

(22) To recommend, under Rules 21A and 2 and 2A (1) of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a reduced retiring allowance, with effect from August 3, 1931, of Rs. 503·44 per annum and a gratuity of Rs. 1,678·12, as computed below, to Mr. J. E. Francke of the Municipal Engineer's Department:—Retiring allowance payable per annum, Rs. 671·25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  Commuted at 10 years' purchase, Rs. 1,678·12; Reduced retiring allowance payable per annum from August 3, 1931, Rs. 503·44. Registered No. 911.—Recommended.

(23) To recommend, under Rules 18 (1) and 2A (1) of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a reduced pension of Rs. 1,621·50, with effect from April 1, 1931, and a gratuity of Rs. 5,405·02, as computed below, to Mr. C. D. S. A. Wijenayake of the Veterinary Department:—Pension payable per annum, Rs. 2,162·01;  $\frac{1}{4}$  Commuted to 10 years' purchase, Rs. 5,405·02. Registered No. 910.—Recommended.

(24) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 805·19 to Mr. C. B. Jayaratna, Rat Overseer of the Public Health Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 166 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 87·31. Registered No. 931.—Recommended.

(25) To recommend, under Rule 21 of Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 228·01 to cooly Madan, No. 4 B. T. (Public Health Department), 242 (Veterinary Department), 43 of the Public Health Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 147 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 27·92. Registered No. 928.—Recommended.

(26) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 176·64 to cooly Appawan, B. T. 3990 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 128 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 24·84. Registered No. 975.—Recommended.

(27) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 256·68 to cooly Deen, B. T. 3,989 of the Municipal Engineers Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 186 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 24·84. Registered No. 974.—Recommended.

(28) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 1,512·37 to Pakeer, Head Mason, B. T. 1452 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who retires on the ground of age. The gratuity is based on his service of 403 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 67·55. This cooly's service had been interrupted by breaks aggregating 13 months in all and there is no reliable evidence as to their real cause. But they can be condoned under second proviso to rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, which runs as follows:—"It shall, however, be competent for the Council, with the consent of His Excellency the Governor, to award such gratuities in cases in which the service has not been continuous." Registered No. 972.—Recommended.

(29) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 885·32 to Don Satan, Chainman, B. T. 4261 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who is condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 322 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 49·49. This cooly's service had been interrupted by breaks aggregating 2 months in all and there is no reliable evidence as to their real cause. But they can be condoned under second proviso to rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, which runs as follows:—"It shall, however, be competent for the Council, with the consent of His Excellency the Governor, to award such gratuities in cases in which the service has not been continuous." Registered No. 973.—Recommended.

## WRITE OFF OF ARREARS OF RATES.

(30) To consider a report of the Municipal Treasurer, dated September 14, 1931, recommending that arrears of rates amounting to Rs. 480.50, as per list attached to his report, be written off (101 cases, all on grounds of poverty). Registered No. 010,913.—Recommended.

*The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of September 26, 1931, were considered.*

## MUNICIPAL ASSESSOR'S DEPARTMENT.

(4) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Assessor, dated September 11, 1931, on the advisability or otherwise of retaining Mr. E. G. Eastman, as an additional expert to support his valuations in the Kochchikade Slum Clearance acquisition cases. Registered No. 961.—Recommended that the services of Mr. E. G. Eastman be retained.

*Resolution of Council in Committee.*

Mr. T. G. Jayewardene moved that the services of Mr. E. G. Eastman be not retained. Mr. M. L. M. Reyal seconded. The Chairman moved, as an amendment, that the Council authorize the Chairman to retain the services of an additional valuation expert in cases in which it is considered desirable to do so. Mr. F. Dadabhoy seconded.

Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader opposed the amendment.

Mr. F. J. Soertsz and Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando supported the amendment. Mr. T. G. Jayewardene spoke against the amendment.

The amendment was put to the meeting and carried.

Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader called for a division and the Council divided as follows :—

*Ayes.*—(1) The Chairman, (2) Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando, (3) Dr. E. A. Coorey, (4) Mr. G. W. Dodds, (5) Mr. A. H. G. Dawson, (6) Dr. S. Muttiah, (7) Mr. T. C. Dyball, (8) Mr. F. Dadabhoy, (9) Mr. W. J. Thornhill, (10) Mr. J. S. Collett, (11) Mr. F. J. Soertsz. *Noes.*—(1) Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader, (2) Dr. E. V. Ratnam, (3) Mr. T. G. Jayewardene, (4) Mr. M. L. M. Reyal. (Mr. N. R. Blande declined to vote).

The amendment was then put to the meeting as the substantive motion and carried.

## MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(8) To consider :—(a) The suggestion of the Superintendent of Police, Colombo, that the by-laws relating to tax on vehicles and animals be amended so as to make the surrender of indistinct or defaced bicycle licence number plates to the Chairman by the owners thereof legally compulsory. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Municipal Treasurer recommending that the following proviso be added to by-law 7 of the said by-laws :—“ Provided further that when any plate becomes indistinct or defaced by use or otherwise, the owner shall return it to the Chairman and shall be entitled, on making a payment of 25 cents, to receive a fresh plate. The Chairman may, on his being satisfied by affidavit or otherwise, that any plate has been lost or stolen, issue a fresh plate on the application of the owner and on payment by him of twenty-five cents.” Registered No. 947.—Recommended, but that the charge for a fresh plate in place of one lost or stolen be one rupee and fifty cents instead of twenty-five cents.

## SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

(9) To consider :—(a) An application from the Division II. Clerks in the Municipal Clerical Service requesting that, as the waiting list of Division I. Clerks is now exhausted, the Director of Education be asked to hold a special examination for those in the Municipal Service, who are qualified to take up the examination as there is no likelihood of an open Clerical Examination being held in the near future. (b) Memoranda thereon of the Secretary, Municipal Council, and the Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 010,603.—Recommended, on the understanding that the concession regarding the filling of the 4th vacancy on a lower percentage of marks should not apply, if there are sufficient candidates who have passed with the higher percentage to fill these vacancies.

(*Vide* resolution of Council in Committee on page 772 of these minutes in connection with item No. 2 of the extracts from the minutes of the Finance Committee of September 23, 1931.)

## FIRE BRIGADE.

(10) To consider a memorandum of the Chairman, dated July 31, 1931, regarding amendment to by-laws for the recovery of charges for the services of the Colombo Fire Brigade. Registered No. 08,228.—Recommended that the by-laws (as per annexure D), be adopted.

*The following Extract from the Minutes of the Special Committee regarding the Public Library of October 3, 1931, was considered.*

(3) To nominate a member to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Prof. Leigh Smith. Registered No. 010,087.—Recommended that—(a) Prof. Leigh Smith be thanked for the valuable services rendered by him. (b) Prof. D. M. Hussey be appointed in his place, if willing.

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

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

7. The Council proceeded to elect by ballot a member in place of the late Mr. H. H. Bartholomeusz for the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects. The Chairman declared Mr. F. J. Soertsz unanimously elected.

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

(1) Statements of Receipts and Disbursements from January 1 to August 31, and Progress Reports showing expenditure for August, 1931.

(2) Weekly statements of Plague.

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

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

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

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

(7) The Drainage Engineer's Report on House Drainage, No. 245 for August, 1931.

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

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



*Waterworks Department.*—The Waterworks Engineer; and the Chief Assistant Waterworks Engineer; the Second Assistant Engineer is on leave.

*Public Health Department.*—The Medical Officer of Health; the Chief Assistant Medical Officer of Health; Second Assistant Medical Officer of Health; the Third Assistant Medical Officer of Health; Assistant Medical Officer-in-charge of Maternity and Child Welfare and the City Microbiologist.

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

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

*Municipal Assessor's Department.*—The Municipal Assessor, the Assistant Municipal Assessor, and the Second Assistant Municipal Assessor.

(9) The Charity Commissioner.

(10) Monthly Reports of work done by the following officers for the month of September, 1931 :—The City Analyst and the City Microbiologist.

W. T. STACE,

Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

Confirmed on November 4, 1931.

W. T. STACE,

Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

#### ANNEXURE B.

##### *Ambulance Service in Colombo.*

1. Three Motor Ambulances are kept at the Fire Station, Reclamation road, in charge of the Superintendent, Fire Brigade (Telephone 1 or 2) for the following services :—

- To remove to any medical institution free of charge all accident cases occurring in Colombo, including the Harbour premises and ships in the Harbour, and also all accident cases brought by train to Colombo.
- To remove to any medical institution from any part of Colombo as above, free of charge, at the request of a Government or Municipal Officer, indigent persons and minor Government or Municipal employees who require such removal owing to accident or serious sickness.
- To remove to any medical institution all medical and surgical cases landed from ships in the Harbour on payment of Rs. 10 a journey or Re. 1 a mile whichever is greater.
- To remove to or from any medical institution private medical or surgical cases, as described in paragraph 3 below, if the Superintendent, Fire Brigade, is satisfied that the Ambulance kept at the General Hospital has been applied for and is not available, at a charge of Rs. 10 a journey or Re. 1 a mile whichever is greater.

2. *Infectious Diseases.*—Four Motor Ambulances are kept at the Ambulance Station in Destructor road in charge of the Ambulance Station Officer (Telephone 1157), two for cases of infectious diseases, one for contacts and one for dead bodies found in streets, suicides and drowning fatalities, &c. These transport all such from within Colombo and the Harbour. No charge is made for cases taken to the Infectious Diseases Hospital at Angoda, except for cases from ships in the Harbour, and no charge is made for removing dead bodies.

For all infectious and contact cases from ships, and for all infectious and contact cases in Colombo taken to destinations within the city, the charge is Rs. 10 a journey or Re. 1 a mile whichever is greater.

3. *Private Medical or Surgical Cases (other than infectious or accidents).*—One Motor Ambulance is kept at the General Hospital belonging to the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services (Telephone 1280) for these private cases from the City (except from the Harbour) and for these private cases arriving by train. This ambulance will convey all such private medical or surgical cases (other than infectious and accidents) to any Medical Institution in Colombo at a charge of Rs. 10 a journey or Re. 1 a mile whichever is greater.

#### ANNEXURE C.

##### *Taxes and Fees, 1932.*

(1) Taxes under Sections 127 and 132 of Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910.

Description of Tax.	Maximum leviable under the Ordinance. Rs. c.	Amount at present levied. Rs. c.	Amount proposed to be levied in 1932. Rs. c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, hand-cart, jinrickshaw, bicycle or tricycle .. .. .	5 0	5 0	5 0
For every bicycle or tricycle, bicycle car or cart, or tricycle car or cart .. .. .	3 0	3 0	3 0
For every cart .. .. .	4 0	4 0	4 0
For every hand-cart .. .. .	4 0	4 0	4 0
For every jinrickshaw .. .. .	2 50	2 50	2 50
For every horse, pony or mule .. .. .	2 50	2 50	2 50
For every bullock or ass .. .. .	1 0	1 0	1 0
Children's vehicles, the wheels of which do not exceed 26 inches in diameter, wheel-barrows and hand-carts, not used for trade purposes, are exempted from payment.			

(2) Registration Fees under Section 5 of Ordinance 25 of 1901 as amended by Section 2 of Ordinance 21 of 1921.

Details. (Dogs under six months are exempted from registration.)	Maximum leviable under the Ordinance. Rs. c.	Amount at present levied. Rs. c.	Amount proposed to be levied in 1932. Rs. c.
For every dog .. .. .	5 0	2 50	2 50
For every bitch .. .. .	7 50	5 0	5 0

#### ANNEXURE D.

##### *By-laws referred to.*

- The Municipal Fire Brigade shall attend ordinary fires, free of charge, within the Municipal area.
- The Brigade will only attend fires outside the limits at the discretion of the Superintendent and if, in his opinion, the work can be undertaken without risk to the city. This by-laws shall also apply to ship fires in the Harbour. The discretion of the Superintendent shall be exercised subject to the control of the Chairman or the Council.
- The following shall be the charges for fire calls :—

	Rs. c.
For calling out and attendance .. .. .	30 0
For first hour or part thereof, if motor pump is used .. .. .	65 0
For every additional part thereof, if motor pump is used .. .. .	50 0
Hydrant only each .. .. .	15 0
Each man per hour .. .. .	2 50
Superintendent per hour .. .. .	10 0

		Rs.	c.
<i>Ship Fires in the Harbour.</i>			
Attendance .. .. .		100	0
First hour .. .. .		75	0
Each man per hour after first hour .. .. .		4	0
Superintendent per hour .. .. .		20	0
Watching duty per man per hour .. .. .		1	50
Time is calculated in all cases from time of call to return to Fire Station.			
<i>Ship Fires in the Graving Dock.</i>			
Attendance .. .. .		100	0
For the first or part of an hour for each motor pump in use .. .. .		65	0
For every additional hour or part of an hour for each motor pump in use .. .. .		50	0
Each Fireman per hour after first hour .. .. .		2	50
Superintendent per hour after first hour .. .. .		20	0
Plus cost of Town mains water when used, as per meter reading.			
<i>Salvage Work, or work of similar nature inside or outside Municipal Limits.</i>			
For calling out and attendance .. .. .		150	0
For first hour or part thereof, if motor pump is used .. .. .		65	0
For every additional hour or part, if motor pump is used .. .. .		50	0
Motor tender and crew only .. .. .		25	0
<i>Fires Outside Municipal Limits.</i>			
For calling out and attendance .. .. .		150	0
For the first or part of an hour for each motor pump in use .. .. .		65	0
For every additional hour or part thereof motor pump in use .. .. .		50	0
Motor tender or Departmental car .. .. .		25	0
Each man per hour after first hour .. .. .		2	50
Superintendent .. .. .		20	0
<i>Fire Protection.</i>			
For written report by Superintendent by request per day or part of a day .. .. .		75	0
Consultation .. .. .		45	0
Training of staff in fire extinction duties per man .. .. .		15	0
Examination of staff in fire extinction duties .. .. .		5	0
Inspection of fire appliances .. .. .		20	0

4. The charges prescribed under these by-laws shall be paid within fifteen days from the date of demand and in case of failure the Chairman shall report such non-payment to the Municipal Court and the Court shall proceed to recover from the person liable to pay the same as if it were a fine imposed by the Court.

#### Summary of Income and Expenditure from January 1 to September 30, 1931.

HEAD OF INCOME.	Estimated Income for 1931.		Income from January 1 to August 31, 1931.		Income for September, 1931.		Total	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Taxes .. .. .	84,700	0	74,899	5	935	20	75,834	25
B.—Licences .. .. .	511,600	0	453,516	81	13,937	99	467,454	80
C.—Judicial fines .. .. .	100,000	0	55,049	47	7,159	2	62,208	49
D.—Tolls .. .. .	2,500	0	625	7	265	0	890	7
E.—Markets .. .. .	165,400	0	108,861	95	14,181	82	123,043	77
F.—Slaughter-house .. .. .	73,000	0	43,806	55	5,467	40	49,273	95
G.—Conservancy .. .. .	3,700	0	3,341	0	262	0	3,603	0
H.—Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station .. .. .	44,500	0	23,264	75	2,360	65	25,625	40
I.—Consolidated rate .. .. .	4,080,000	0	3,290,788	60	303,657	71	3,596,446	31
K.—Water .. .. .	1,046,500	0	597,084	53	94,620	63	691,705	16
L.—Rents .. .. .	93,850	0	66,722	60	8,096	41	74,819	1
M.—Drainage .. .. .	27,250	0	20,531	71	1,624	1	22,155	72
N.—Miscellaneous .. .. .	152,716	0	112,644	67	10,182	67	122,827	34
O.—Government refunds .. .. .	125,000	0	110,860	63	—	—	110,860	63
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>6,510,716</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,961,997</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>464,750</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>5,426,747</b>	<b>90</b>

  

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1931, including unspent balances at 31.12.30 brought forward.		Expenditure from January 1 to August 31, 1931.		Expenditure for September, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Non-effective charges .. .. .	928,954	34	537,352	31	9,983	0	547,335	31
B.—Chairman .. .. .	27,600	0	18,399	99	2,300	0	20,699	99
C.—Secretariat .. .. .	125,296	0	81,556	81	9,812	90	91,369	71
D.—Treasurer's Department .. .. .	412,337	77	250,610	44	33,111	37	283,721	81
E.—Veterinary Department .. .. .	149,027	0	77,050	94	9,345	81	86,396	75
F.—Municipal Court .. .. .	34,370	0	22,759	68	2,861	47	25,621	15
G.—Fire Brigade and Ambulances .. .. .	76,609	0	48,335	91	4,715	19	53,051	10
H.—Public Health Department .. .. .	626,146	0	359,776	85	55,050	66	414,827	51
I.—Engineer's Department .. .. .	4,220,558	58	1,980,093	21	361,971	38	2,342,064	59
K.—Waterworks Department .. .. .	740,938	80	561,953	25	45,823	5	607,776	30
L.—Assessing Department .. .. .	441,214	71	168,814	13	38,545	77	207,359	90
M.—Public Library .. .. .	25,721	0	14,838	29	2,064	47	18,902	76
N.—Charity Commissioner .. .. .	11,972	0	7,613	21	983	94	8,597	15
							4,705,724	3
Excess of income over expenditure carried to Balance Sheet .. .. .	—	—	—	—	—	—	721,023	87
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>7,820,745</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4,129,155</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>576,569</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5,426,747</b>	<b>90</b>

The Town Hall,  
Colombo, October 20, 1931.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.

## Statement of Receipts and Payments on Current Capital Works, September 30, 1931.

HEAD OF RECEIPTS.	Receipts to December 31, 1930.		Receipts to Septembdr 30, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration Works :—						
(a) Loan funds ..	3,000,000	0	—	—	3,000,000	0
(b) Revenue contributions ..	554,463	87	—	—	554,463	87
2. Colombo Drainage Works :—						
(a) Loan funds ..	11,072,980	0	—	—	11,072,980	0
(b) Grant-in-aid ..	7,100,000	0	—	—	7,100,000	0
(c) Revenue contributions ..	1,336,354	4	145,731	74	1,482,085	78
3. Amount received on realization of sinking funds investment and interest thereon* ..	2,105,978	39	—	—	2,105,978	39
4. Town Hall at Victoria park :—						
Revenue contributions ..	330,526	37	—	—	330,526	37
* From this amount was met part :—						
(1) Cost of drainage works and public lavatories, &c., over and above the loan, grant-in-aid and revenue contributions ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
(2) Raising of Labugama Reservoir dam ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
(3) Construction of Town Hall at Victoria park ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	25,500,302	67	145,731	74	25,646,034	41

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1930.		Payments to September 30, 1931.		Total	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works ..	3,554,463	87	3,554,463	87	—	—	3,554,463	87
2. Colombo drainage works :—								
(a) Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme ..	17,830,564	12	17,830,564	12	—	—	17,830,564	12
(b) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922 ..	1,558,323	30	1,431,188	40	127,134	90	1,558,323	30
(c) Public lavatories and house connections ..	759,174	50	740,577	66	18,596	84	759,174	50
3. Raising of Labugama Reservoir dam ..	319,293	76	319,293	76	—	—	319,293	76
4. Town Hall at Victoria park ..	1,624,214	86	1,624,214	86	—	—	1,624,214	86
Total	25,646,034	41	25,500,302	67	145,731	74	25,646,034	41

## Kochchikade Slum Improvement Scheme.

HEAD OF RECEIPT.	Receipts to December 31, 1930.		Receipts to September 30, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Contribution from Municipal fund ..	105,628	22	100,000	0	205,628	22
Loan funds ..	50,000	0	100,000	0	150,000	0
Total	155,628	22	200,000	0	355,628	22

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1930.		Payments to September 30, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Architect's fee ..	1,500	0	1,500	0	—	—	1,500	0
Land ..	86,653	22	52,476	8	22	50	52,498	58
Buildings ..	167,563	28	17,463	28	48,000	91	65,464	19
Interest on Advance from Municipal Fund ..	1,191	42	548	12	643	30	1,191	42
Balance in hand ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	120,654	19
Total	256,907	92	71,987	48	48,666	71	355,628	22

The Town Hall,  
Colombo, October 20, 1931.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.

## Balance Sheet, September 30, 1931.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	ASSETS.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Loans outstanding :—											
(a) Government of Ceylon, duplication of 30-inch water main, &c. .. 3,000,000 0											
Less redemption of loan .. 359,190 5											
2,640,809 95											
(b) Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works .. 11,072,980 0											
Less redemption of loan .. 1,325,768 24											
9,747,211 76											
2. Kochchikade Slum Improvement Scheme :—											
(a) Loan from Government of Ceylon .. 150,000 0											
(b) Contribution from Municipal Fund .. 205,628 22											
355,628 22											
3. Grant-in-aid :—											
Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works .. — 7,100,000 0											
4. Waterworks reserve fund .. — 392,773 60											
5. Redemption of Debt Account :—											
(a) Loan redeemed—Waterworks. 359,190 5											
(b) Loan redeemed—Colombo Drainage Works .. 1,325,768 24											
1,684,958 29											
6. Permanent works executed out of revenue :—											
(a) Waterworks .. 554,463 87											
(b) Colombo Drainage Works (extensions to scheme) .. 1,482,085 78											
(c) Town Hall at Victoria park .. 330,526 37											
2,367,076 2											
7. Amount received on realization of sinking funds, investment and interest thereon .. — 2,105,978 39											
8. Child Welfare Centre :—											
(a) Contribution from War Memorial Fund and interest .. 94,259 93											
(b) Revenue contributions .. 65,674 8											
159,934 1											
9. Insurance Fund and interest thereon .. — 95,858 41											
10. Depreciation Fund :—											
Workshop Plant .. 26,527 90											
Workshop Vehicles .. 42,295 56											
68,823 46											
11. Pettah Library Bequest and interest thereon .. — 3,440 34											
12. Deposits :—											
(a) Pending execution of works .. 20,632 88											
(b) Miscellaneous .. 17,526 17											
38,159 5											
13. Securities :—											
(a) Tenders .. 9,955 0											
(b) Market Stalls .. 41,747 14											
(c) Contractors (General) .. 19,380 0											
(d) Contractors (Drainage) .. 19,464 0											
(e) Water supply to shipping .. 35,000 0											
(f) Municipal Council officials .. 18,151 4											
(g) Rate Collectors .. 23,975 0											
(h) Lands .. 21,379 80											
(i) Miscellaneous .. 468 63											
(j) Upkeep of graves .. 4,865 0											
(k) Public Library borrowers .. 5,677 54											
200,063 15											
14. Gratuities to minors held in trust .. — 1,538 55											
15. Suspense account .. — 1,162 86											
16. Receipts in advance .. — 6,858 19											
17. Sundry Creditors .. — 17,861 36											
18. Surplus or Deficit Account .. 1,289,330 40											
19. Excess of Income over Expenditure up to September 30, 1931, as per Statement of Income and Expenditure .. 721,023 87											
2,010,354 27											
Total .. 28,998,489 88											
1. Capital expenditure :—											
(a) Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works .. — 3,554,463 87											
(b) Colombo Drainage Works :—											
(1) Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme .. 17,830,564 12											
(2) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922 .. 1,558,323 30											
(3) Public lavatories and house connections .. 759,174 50											
20,148,061 92											
(c) Raising of Labugama reservoir dam .. — 319,293 76											
(d) Town Hall at Victoria park .. — 1,624,214 86											
(e) Child Welfare Centre :—											
(1) Land .. 52,500 0											
(2) Buildings .. 107,434 1											
159,934 1											
(f) Kochchikade Slum Improvement Scheme .. — 120,654 19											
25,926,622 61											
2. Amounts advanced to Municipal Council officials for purchase of vehicles .. — 4,036 37											
3. Workshop Account .. — 48,869 30											
4. Advance accounts :—											
(a) Miscellaneous .. 13,879 64											
(b) Municipal quarries .. 3,880 14											
(c) Works pending recovery .. 45,003 98											
(d) Making articles for stock .. 1,949 57											
64,713 33											
5. Sundry debtors .. —											
(a) On Open Account .. — 3,709 80											
6. Expenditure on laying water mains in private streets .. 174,194 90											
Less recoveries from land owners .. 142,512 64											
31,682 26											
7. Expenditure on aided house drainage .. 541,874 1											
Less recoveries from owners .. 332,738 87											
209,135 14											
8. Stores on hand :—											
(a) General .. 446,930 80											
(b) Waterworks .. 300,131 7											
747,061 87											
9. Investments :—											
Ceylon Government 4 per cent. inscribed stock .. 930 0											
Ceylon Savings Bank .. 2,360 26											
3,290 26											
10. Fixed deposit at Imperial Bank of India, Ltd. :—											
Waterworks Reserve Account 392,773 60											
Insurance Fund Account .. 95,858 41											
Depreciation Fund Account .. 68,823 46											
Kochchikade Slum Scheme Account .. 234,974 3											
792,429 50											
11. Fixed Deposit (General) at—											
Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd. .. 500 0											
National Bank of India, Ltd. 10,000 0											
Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, Ltd. 9,000 0											
Imperial Bank of India, Ltd. 818,605 50											
838,105 50											
12. Cash :—											
(a) At Imperial Bank of India, Ltd., on Current Account .. 327,648 94											
(b) In hand :—											
(1) With Shroff, Municipal Council 850 0											
(2) With Municipal Council officials 335 0											
328,833 94											
Total .. 28,998,489 88											

**Municipal Election, New Bazaar Ward.**

NOTICE is hereby given in terms of Rule 10 of Schedule B of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, that the election of a Councillor for the New Bazaar division of the Municipality of Colombo, for the 3 years next succeeding from January 1, 1932, will be held at the Old Municipal Court, Kachcheri road, Colombo, on December 5, 1931.

The Poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and will be closed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon on the date aforesaid.

By order,

Municipal Council Office,  
Colombo, November 9, 1931.

E. H. JOSEPH,  
Secretary.

**Auction Sale of Articles.**

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

The movable property is on view at the Municipal Stores, Darley road, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M.

November 11, 1931.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
Municipal Treasurer.

**SCHEDULE.**

Premises No. and Street : 293, Maradana road ; Quarter and Year : 2nd quarter, 1931 ; Property seized : 1 Sinhalese-English Dictionary ; Place of Sale : Municipal Council Stores, Darley road, Colombo ; Time of Sale : At 8.30 A.M. on Saturday, November 21, 1931.

Premises No. and Street : 17, Mews street ; Quarter and Year : 2nd quarter, 1931 ; Property seized : 2 wooden boxes, 2 empty oil drums ; Place of Sale : Municipal Council Stores, Darley road, Colombo ; Time of Sale : At 8.45 A.M. on Saturday, November 21, 1931.

Premises No. and Street : 7, Mews street ; Quarter and Year : 2nd quarter, 1931 ; Property seized : 1 kitchen plate stand ; Place of Sale : Municipal Council Stores, Darley road, Colombo ; Time of Sale : At 8.45 A.M. on Saturday, November 21, 1931.

**Sale of Immovable Property.**

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

The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, November 11, 1931.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,  
for Chairman.

**SCHEDULE.**

Premises No. and Street : G459 (1-9), Narahenpitiya road ; Quarter and Year : 1st quarter, 1931 ; Time of Sale : At 9.45 A.M. on Saturday, December 5, 1931.

Premises No. and Street : 9, Arethusa lane ; Quarter and Year : 2nd quarter, 1931 ; Time of Sale : At 8.15 A.M. on Saturday, December 5, 1931.

Premises No. and Street : 49, 41st lane ; Quarter and Year : 2nd quarter, 1931 ; Time of Sale : At 8.30 A.M. on Saturday, December 5, 1931.

Premises No. and Street : 10, 43rd lane ; Quarter and Year : 2nd quarter, 1931 ; Time of Sale : At 8.45 A.M. on Saturday, December 5, 1931.

Premises No. and Street : 1198/56, 1st Mosque lane ; Quarter and Year : 2nd quarter, 1931 ; Time of Sale : At 8.30 A.M. on Tuesday, December 8, 1931.

**MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.****Sale of Properties.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Kandy, in terms of the 137th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of consolidated rates due on the premises for the period mentioned in the subjoined list, and of which particulars are given in the under-mentioned lists, will be sold by public auction on the spot in the order and time stated, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and taxes, and costs be duly paid.

By order,

The Municipal Office,  
Kandy, November 10, 1931.

E. B. PEIRIS,  
Acting Secretary.

**2nd Quarter, 1931.**

To commence at the first-named premises at 8 a.m.

List Q on Wednesday, December 9, 1931.

Lady Anderson road : 10A, 11, 16.

Lady McCarthy's road : 7.

Lewella road : 57c.

Malabar street : 44, 56, 58, 62A and B, 84A.

Hewahetta Talwatta : 30A and B.

Lady Torrington road : 6A.

Watapuluwa : 11, 12, 18, 18A, 21, 25, 56, 82, 108, 119, 129, 140.

**Draft Budget for 1932.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the draft budget for 1932, which is to be laid before the General Meeting of the Municipal Council fixed for November 21, 1931, is now open to public inspection at the Municipal Office.

H. P. KAUFMANN,  
Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy.

The Municipal Office,  
Kandy, November 10, 1931.

**TRADE MARK NOTICES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that any person who has grounds of objection to the registration of the following Trade Mark may, within two months from the date of this Gazette, lodge Notice of Opposition on Form T. M. No. 7 bearing an uncanceled or impressed stamp of Rs. 20. The period for lodging Notice of Opposition may be enlarged by the Registrar if he thinks fit and upon such terms as he may direct.

(1) Trade Mark No. 5,469. (2) Date of Receipt : October 19, 1931. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : Abdulkayum Abdhusain Galeley, Shaikhadam Abdhusain Galeley, Abdulkader Abdulkayum Galeley, and Salehbhoy Shaikhadam Galeley, trading as A. N. GALELEY AND COMPANY, 134, Dam street, Colombo ; general merchants. (4) Class : 48. (5) Goods : Hair oil. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark :



Registration of this trade mark shall give no right to the exclusive use of the device of a woman's bust.

Registrar-General's Office,

C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, November 4, 1931. Registrar of Trade Marks

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(1) Trade Mark No. 5,474. (2) Date of Receipt: October 29, 1931. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): Kana Ana Kuna Kuppusamy Mudaliyar trading as K. A. K. KUPPUSAMY MUDALIYAR & COMPANY, 138 and 140, Second Cross street, Pettah, Colombo: cloth and silk merchant. (4) Class: 38. (5) Goods: Palayakat sarongs and camboys. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:



Registration of this Trade Mark shall give no right to the exclusive use of the letters and abbreviations "K. A. K. & Co."

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, November 4, 1931. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 5,475. (2) Date of Receipt: October 31, 1931. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): Kana Ana Kuna Kuppusamy Mudaliyar trading as K. A. K. KUPPUSAMY MUDALIYAR & COMPANY, 138 and 140, Second Cross street, Pettah, Colombo; cloth and silk merchant. (4) Class: 38. (5) Goods: Palayakat sarongs and camboys. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:



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(1) Trade Mark No. 5,472. (2) Date of Receipt: October 22, 1931. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): STANCO INCORPORATED (a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware), Wilmington, Delaware, United States of America; refiners and marketers of petroleum specialty products. (4) Address for service in the Island: C/o Julius & Creasy, Prince street, Fort, Colombo. (5) Class: 47. (6) Goods: Lubricating oils. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

**Koto**

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
Colombo, November 4, 1931. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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

### Taxes for the Year 1932.

IT is hereby notified that the Matara Urban District Council has, in terms of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, imposed for the year 1932, the following taxes, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Matara Urban District Council, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance.

Under section 173 (1) (b), a tax in respect of the following vehicles and animals, payable on or before March 31, at the rates specified.

	Rs.	c.
For every carriage of whatever description other than cart, hackery, or jinrickshaw	4	0
For every double bullock cart or hackery of whatever description	3	0
For every single bullock cart or hackery	2	50
For every jinrickshaw	1	0
For every horse, pony, or mule	2	6
For every bicycle	1	0

Under section 5 of "The Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901," an annual registration fee of Re. 1 on every dog kept within the Urban District Council limits of Matara, payable on April 1.

Urban District Council Office, W. BALASUBRIYA,  
Matara, November 5, 1931. Chairman.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

### Rabies.

WHEREAS danger of rabies exists at present in the administrative limits of the Local Board of Trincomalee.

(1) It is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 10A (1) and (2) of the Rabies Ordinance, No. 7 of 1893, as amended by Ordinance No. 6 of 1929, that the Trincomalee Local Board area is one within which danger of rabies exists.

(2) Any dog found in any public place or road or any place other than a private building, compound, or garden within any part of the Trincomalee Local Board area and not being tied up, or led, shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith by any person authorized by me in writing.

Local Board Office, T. G. WILLET,  
Trincomalee, November 9, 1931. Chairman.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

### Karambe Oya-Molaeliya Estate Road.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 11 of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, 1902, that a general meeting of the proprietors or resident managers of the estates interested in the above road will be held at the Office of the Government Agent, Kurunegala, on November 21, 1931, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of electing a Local Committee.

S. D. SAMARASINHE,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office, for Chairman  
Kurunegala, October 31, 1931.

**UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

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

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

*Schedule.*

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

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

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

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

FRAMROZE PARAKH.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 28, 1931, applied to the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1932, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.

*Schedule.*

Name and address of applicant: E. J. S. de S. Wijeyeratne, "Winnington," Kanatta road.

Description of licence or licences applied for: King's Hotel and Public bar.

State whether application is for renewal of existing licence or for a new licence or licences: Change of premises from 42, King's street.

Situation of premises to be licensed: 57 (3-4), King's street.

E. J. S. DE S. WIJYERATNE.

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

*Schedule.*

Name and address of applicant: Santiago Fernando, building Assessment No. 66, Trincomalee street, Matale.

Description of licence or licences applied for: For the sale of medicated wines.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: 66, Trincomalee street, Matale.

SANTIAGO FERNANDO.