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PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

GRAEME THOMSON.

WHEREAS it seems advisable to the Governor to establish in Kadawala in Ambagamuwa korale of Uda Bulatgama, Kandy District, 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,
Secretary to the Governor.

Nuwara Eliya, March 4, 1932.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE A.

An allotment of land called Meeyanakolatenna *alias* Alliwatta, situated at Kadawala village in Ambagamuwa korale of Uda Bulatgama, Kandy District, Central Province, containing in extent 1 acre and 1.5 perches; bounded on the north by lot 10 in block survey preliminary plan No. 106; east by lot 11 in block survey preliminary plan No. 106; south by lot 10A in block survey preliminary plan No. 106; west by lot 10c in block survey preliminary plan No. 106 (footpath), and more particularly described as lot 10b in block survey preliminary plan No. 106.

SCHEDULE B.

Kadawala village bounded on the north by Blackstone estate, Inginne-ela, and Blackwater estate; east by Pasbage korale boundary; south by Watawala village; and west by Kanduregoda (block survey preliminary plan No. 111), Ambatalawa (block survey preliminary plan No. 109), Tiniyagala (block survey preliminary plan No. 108), Gonawala (block survey preliminary plan No. 104), and Padupola (block survey preliminary plan No. 100) villages.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 88 of 1932.

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

J 29/32

Mr. F. C. GIMSON to act, in addition to his own duties, as Government Agent, Eastern Province; Fiscal, Eastern Province; Additional District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate, Batticaloa; Superintendent of the Prison at Batticaloa; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Eastern Province; Member of the Board of Health, Eastern Province; Collector of Customs for the Eastern Province; and Receiver of Wrecks for the District of Batticaloa, from March 8, 1932, until the arrival of Mr. W. E. Hobday.

J 29/32

Mr. R. B. JANSZ to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, Additional Assistant Superintendent of Police, Trincomalee, and Additional Assistant Collector of Customs, Trincomalee, from March 5, 1932, until further orders.

J 9/32

Mr. N. J. LUDDINGTON to be Additional Controller of Labour from March 7, 1932, until further orders.

J 16/32

Mr. R. M. DAVIES to be Deputy Fiscal, Colombo, and a Justice of the Peace for the District of Colombo, from March 4, 1932, until further orders, in place of Mr. J. A. MULHALL who is acting in the post.

J 47/31

Mr. S. H. WADIA to be Additional Commissioner of Local Government, Additional President, Local Government Board, and Additional Secretary to the Minister for Local Administration, from March 5, 1932, until further orders.

J 52/31

Mr. S. S. C. FERNANDO to be, in addition to his own duties, extra Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, from March 12, 1932, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Chief Secretary.

No. 89 of 1932.

N 11/32

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Ceylon Supply and Transport Corps, with effect from March 24, 1932:—

To be Commanding Officer.—Major CHARLES JOSEPH DANE LANKTREE.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Chief Secretary.

No. 90 of 1932.

N 11/32

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve the retirement of Lieutenant-Colonel GERALD OWEN HUNT from the Command of the Ceylon Supply and Transport Corps and that he be posted to the Reserve of that Corps, with effect from March 24, 1932.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Chief Secretary.

No. 91 of 1932.

N 8/32

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to accept the resignations tendered by Major FREDERICK JAMES HAWKES and Lieutenant WILLIAM TENNANT MILLER of their Commissions in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps Reserve, with effect from February 18, 1932.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Chief Secretary.

No. 92 of 1932.

IN accordance with section 3 (1) (a) of the Income Tax Ordinance, No. 2 of 1932, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following members of the State Council to be members of the Board of Income Tax, with effect from March 11, 1932:—

Mr. W. A. DE SILVA (Moratuwa).
Sir STEWART SCHNEIDER, K.C. (Nominated Member).

The Treasury, W. W. WOODS,
Colombo, March 9, 1932. Financial Secretary.

No. 93 of 1932.

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

Mr. E. W. JAYEWARDENE, K.C., to act as a Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court with effect from March 16, 1932, during the absence of Mr. Justice LYALL GRANT on leave, or until further orders.

CF 32/29

Mr. L. V. B. DE JACOLYN to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Avissawella, during the absence of Mr. W. SANSONI, on March 9, 1932, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

CF 31/29

Mr. S. RODRIGO to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate, Mannar, on March 12, 1932.

Notification No. 80 of 1932 appearing in *Gazette* No. 7,910 of March 4, 1932, relating to the appointment of Mr. J. N. VETHAVANAM to be Additional District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate, Mannar; on March 5, 1932, is hereby cancelled.

CF 87/29

Mr. S. J. C. SCHOKMAN to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Police Magistrate, Kurunegala; Additional District Judge, Kegall; and a Visitor of the Prison at Kurunegala, from March 7 to 23, 1932, or until further orders.

CF 6/29

Mr. R. M. DAVIES to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Teldeniya, on March 11, 1932.

CF 63/29

Mr. S. SUBRAMANIAM to be Additional Commissioner of Requests, Point Pedro, on March 12, 1932.

CF 64/29

Mr. C. P. WIJERATNE to be Additional Police Magistrate, Kalutara, on March 5, 1932.

CF 96/29

Mr. A. V. VANLANGENBERG to be Additional Police Magistrate, Gampola, on March 18, 1932.

By His Excellency's command,

STANLEY OBEYSEKERE,
Acting Attorney-General.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, March 7, 1932.

No. 94 of 1932.

K 45/32

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to appoint Mr. HENRY PERCY OSWALD PERERA to be, in addition to his own duties, an Inquirer for Kandaboda pattu in the District of Matara, Southern Province, *vice* Mr. W. A. WIJESINHE, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,

STANLEY OBEYSEKERE,
Acting Attorney-General.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, February 27, 1932.

No. 95 of 1932.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to appoint Mr. DON NIKULAS WICKRAMARATNE to be an Inquirer for the Vidane Arachchies' divisions of Kahawatta Lower and Getamanna palata

in West Giruwa pattu of the District of Hambantota, Southern Province.

Notification No. 315 in *Gazette* No. 7,208 of September 2, 1921, is cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

STANLEY OBEYSEKERE,
Acting Attorney-General.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, February 27, 1932.

No. 96 of 1932.

K 45/32

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to appoint Mr. DON SAMUEL ABEYGUNAWARDENA to be an Inquirer for the Vidane Arachchies' divisions of Nakulugamuwa and Galagam palata in West Giruwa pattu of the District of Hambantota, Southern Province.

Notification No. 385 in *Gazette* No. 7,137 of October 29, 1920, is cancelled, in so far as it relates to the appointment of Mr. DON SAMUEL ABEYGUNAWARDENA as an Inquirer.

By His Excellency's command,

STANLEY OBEYSEKERE,
Acting Attorney-General.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, February 27, 1932.

No. 97 of 1932.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to appoint Mr. C. WIRASINHA to act, in addition to his own duties, as an Inquirer for the Vidane Arachchies' divisions of Baddegama, Akuratiya, Diviture, and Majuwana, during the absence of Mr. R. B. GUNATILAKA, from March 8 to 11, 1932, inclusive, or until the resumption of duties by that Officer.

By His Excellency's command,

STANLEY OBEYSEKERE,
Acting Attorney-General.

Attorney-General's Chambers,
Colombo, March 5, 1932.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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.

Dr. SIMON REGINALD GUNewardene has been appointed as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Trincomalee town within Local Board limits division, in the Trincomalee District of the Eastern Province, with effect from March 7, 1932, *vice* Dr. CANAGASABAI CANDIAH, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Trincomalee.

SENARATNA KALUARACHCHIGE HERAT APPUHAMI, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dehigampal korale Egodapota division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, will, with effect from April 1, 1932, hold his additional office at Ketatote-watta in Morawatta instead of at Palliyewitewatta in Morawatta as notified in *Government Gazette* No. 7,662 of November 2, 1925.

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.

AMARATUNGA ACHCHI MADDUMAGE DON ELIAS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kahatuduwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for four days from March 1, 1932, during the

absence of the Registrar, BELLANTUDA ACHCHIGE DON BASTIAN JAYATILAKA, on leave. Place of office: Gammedewatta in Kahatuuduwa; Additional office: Elibisewatta in Jamburaliya.

DON HENRY PATHMAPERUMA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Waga division, and of Marriages (General) of Meda pattu of Hewagam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from March 1, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, DON EDMUND WELIKALA, on leave. Place of office: Bogahawatta in Galagedara.

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 March 2, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, GARDIEROLEMAL-WATTAGE DON WELUN JAYAWARDANA, resigned. Place of office: Kongahawatta in Gampaha Medagama.

EDWARD PERERA JAYAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pitakotte division, and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Salpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for eight days from March 15, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, WAHALATANTRIGE DON JOSEPH MARTINUS PERERA SENANAYAKA JAYAWARDANA, on leave. Place of office: Kahatagahawatta in Pitakotte; additional office: Mera-wara-achchigewatta in Boralesgomuwa.

MALAWIGE HENDRICK DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Dimbula korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Kotmale division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for eleven days from March 10, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, MADUWAGE ABRAHAM SILVA JAYASURIYA, on leave. Places of office: House No. 2, Holbrook Agrapatana; Additional office at house No. 178, Gansabhawa building, Talawakele, on Fridays and Saturdays.

TIKIRI BANDA ARAWWAWELA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matale Medasiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, on March 3, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, EKANAYAKA MARASINGHA WASALA MUDIYANSE RALAHAMILLAGE NUGAPITIYE WALAWWE ABBYRATNA BANDARA NUGAPITIYA, on leave. Place of office: Kalalpitteyewatta in Bowatta.

PUNCHI BANDA ETIPOLA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Asgiri Udasiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for two days from March 3, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, KARUNA JAYATILAKA RAJAGURU WASALA MUDIYANSE RALAHAMILLAGE ETIPOLA MEDAWALAWWE RATNAYAKA LOKU BANDA, on leave. Place of office: Medawalawwa in Etipola.

UKKU BANDA RATNAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Asgiri Pallesiya pattu division, and of Marriages (General) of Matale South division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for twenty-one days from March 7, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, RATNAYAKA MUDIYANSE RALAHAMILLAGE LOKU BANDA RATNAYAKA, on leave. Place of office: Ratnayaka Mudiyanse-lage Walawwa in Urulewatta.

WILLIAM BLOCK to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Weihena division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for fifteen days from March 1, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, DON PROLIS JAYASEKERA, on leave. Place of office: Dehigahahena, Pollewewatta in Wattehena.

HALUKIRTI DIANET WIJEGUNAWARDENE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Balapitiya division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from March 4, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, HALUKIRTI LYRIS WIJEGUNAWARDENE, on leave. Place of office: Maswatta in Randombe.

WEIHENEGE DON CAROLIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Induruwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from March 8, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, RANCHAGODA ARACHCHIGE DON JOHN KARUNARATNE, on leave. Place of office: Wellewatta at Yalgama.

CHARLES HECTOR WIJESINGHE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Diviture division, and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from March 18, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, ANDRAYAS HECTOR WIJESINGHE, on leave. Places of office: Pinitaragodellawatta in Ampegama, Putuwegodawatta in Waduveliwitiya, and Radawaliyadda at Akuratiya.

WILSON WICKRAMA-ARATCHY KARUNARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Talaramba division, and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from March 7, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, DON WILLIAM WICKRAMA-ARACHCHI RAJAKARUNARATNA, interdicted. Place of office: Yaddhegiewatta in Talaramba.

DON CHARLES WANIGARATNA MANAMPERY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Four Gravets No. 3 division, and of Marriages (General) of Matara town and gravets division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for twenty-one days from March 11, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, DON JAMES WIJESINGHE, on leave. Places of office: Ganga-addarawatta in Pallimulla and Sattambigewatta in Weraduwa.

SAMMY JAYAWARDANA AMADORU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for three days from February 25, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, RICHARD JAYASINGHE, on leave. Place of office: Police Court buildings, Hambantota.

AENEAS ABRAHAM DISANAYAKE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kirama division, and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from March 1, 1932, vice Registrar, PROLIS JOHN DISANAYAKE, deceased. Place of office: Medakoratuwa in Walgam-mulla.

SINNAPPAH SUBRAMANIAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mallakam division, and of Marriages (General) of Valikamam North division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for twenty-five days from March 7, 1932, vice the Registrar, SUPPIRAMANIYER SINNAPPAH deceased. Place of office: Kotakaladdi in Mallakam.

NILAMADEEN MOHAMAD IBRAHIM ABDUL CASSIM MARAKAZAR to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Mannar Island division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for twenty-eight days from March 4, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, SEEMAMPILLAI MUDALIYAR MUTTUTAMPI, on leave. Place of office: Udaiyavalavu in Moor street, Mannar.

SINNAKKUDDI ABRAHAM VETHANAYAGAM SINNATHAMBY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Akkarai pattu south division, and of Marriages (General) of Akkarai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from February 27, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, VYKALIAR JOSEPH KUNJITAMBY, since deceased. Place of office: Tirukovil.

MOHOTALLAGEDARA APPUHAMY TENNAKON to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Katuwanna korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Wannu hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, on March 7, 16, and 17, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, RATNAMALALA BANDARALAGE PUNCHI BANDA WANNINAYAKA, on leave. Place of office: Hangilipola.

JOHN NEWTON AMARASEKERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal korale north division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for thirteen days from March 11, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, PALEWALA ARACHCHIGE DON ARTHUR HERAT PERERA, on leave. Place of office: Ihalagama in Madampe.

LIYADIPITIYE RATNAYAKAMUDIYANSELAGE SUDU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wiyaluwa division, and of Marriages (General) of Wiyaluwa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for three days from March 3, 1932, during the absence of the Registrar, LIYADIPITIYE RATNAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE APPUHAMY, on leave. Place of office: Siyambalagahakumburawatta, in Ritigahakumbura.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, March 7, 1932.

C. COOMARASWAMY,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

AL7/32

"THE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES ORDINANCE,
No. 34 OF 1921."

Order.

I GRAEME THOMSON, Governor, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 3 of the Co-operative Societies Ordinance, No. 34 of 1921, do by this special order confer on Messrs. Cathiravelupillai Ragunathan, Somisara Banda Yatawara, and Siri Bara Banda Yatawara, who have been duly appointed to assist the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, the following powers of the Registrar under the Ordinance, namely:—

- (1) Power to register societies under sections 6, 7, 8, and 14;
- (2) Power to register amendments of the by-laws of registered societies under section 9;
- (3) Power to sanction the distribution of profits under section 31 (2); and
- (4) Power under sections 32 and 33 to inspect and dissolve registered societies.

GRAEME THOMSON,
Governor.

Nuwara Eliya, March 5, 1932.

N 151/31

"THE CEYLON DEFENCE FORCE ORDINANCE, 1910."

REGULATION under section 12 of the Defence Force Ordinance, 1910, made by the Officer Commanding Troops, after consultation with the Commandant and approved by His Excellency the Governor.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 4, 1932. Chief Secretary.

REGULATION.

The Rules and Regulations of the Ceylon Light Infantry made under "The Defence Force Ordinance, 1910," dated April 26, 1927, and published in *Gazette* No. 7,579 of April 29, 1927, as amended by the Regulations dated March 15, 1929 (*Gazette* No. 7,701 of March 22, 1929); June 2, 1930 (*Gazette* No. 7,783 of June 6, 1930); July 19, 1930 (*Gazette* No. 7,797 of August 8, 1930); August 27, 1931 (*Gazette* No. 7,879 of September 4, 1931); and November 12, 1931 (*Gazette* No. 7,894 of November 20, 1931) are hereby further amended by the insertion of the following new Regulation 118A immediately below Regulation 118:—

118A. Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers will automatically be placed on the Reserve, if otherwise eligible, on completing the period of service in their substantive rank as shown below.

An extension of one year may be granted by the Commanding Officer at his discretion.

Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers will not be permitted to revert to a lower rank in order to avoid this automatic transference to the Reserve List.

If not desirous of being placed on the Reserve under this paragraph, or if not eligible, such Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers will be struck off the strength of the Regiment.

Regimental Sergeant Major ..	} After 5 years' service as such
Regimental Quartermaster ..	

Sergeant ..	} After 7 years' service as such
Quartermaster Sergeant ..	

(O. R. S.)	} After 7 years' service as such
Company Sergeant Major ..	

Company Quartermaster ..	} After 7 years' service as such
Sergeant ..	

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APPLICATIONS on form General 187 (F 2) from officers in Class I. of the Clerical Service for transfer to the post of Chief Interpreter, Kandy Kachcheri, will be considered if forwarded through the Head of the applicant's Department and received in the Secretariat on or before March 23, 1932.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Chief Secretary.

G 140/32

APPLICATIONS on form General 187 (F 2) from officers in Class III. of the Clerical Service who have passed the Second Efficiency Bar and have had experience as Recordkeeper in a Court for transfer to the post of Recordkeeper, District Court, Jaffna, will be considered if forwarded through the Head of the applicant's Department and received in the Secretariat on or before March 19, 1932.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Chief Secretary.

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Department of Labour.

THE LABOUR ORDINANCE, NO. 1 OF 1923.

Notification No. 56.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by Regulation No. 1A in Chapter I. of Regulations dated July 12, 1923, and published in *Gazette* No. 7,339 of July 13, 1923, as amended by Notification No. 8 dated October 24, 1923, and published in *Gazette* No. 7,358 of October 26, 1923, has been pleased to fix the quarterly instalments in respect of acreage fees payable to the Controller of Indian Immigrant Labour by employers of Indian immigrant labourers on estates of the description named in Schedule A attached to the said Regulations on the following scale, to be in force till further notice:—

- 50 cents per acre for tea; and
16½ cents per acre for rubber, cacao, or cardamoms.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 3, 1932. Chief Secretary.

N 18/32

THE following rules for the Ceylon Mounted Rifles Sergeants' Mess, made by the members in terms of section 20 (i.) of the Defence Force Ordinance, 1910, and approved by His Excellency the Governor under the said section, are published for general information:

Chief Secretary's Office, B. H. BOURDILLON,
Colombo, March 2, 1932. Chief Secretary.

RULES REFERRED TO.

Rules for the Ceylon Mounted Rifles Sergeants' Mess.

1. *Object.*—The Mess is established for the comfort and wellbeing of the Warrant Officers and Sergeants of the Regiment.

2. *Management.*—(a) It shall be managed by a Committee consisting of the Regimental Sergeant-Major as President, a Mess Secretary and three others of the rank of Warrant Officer or Sergeant, one of whom shall be elected from each Squadron. (Five in all.)

(b) The R. S. M., or acting R. S. M., shall preside at all meetings.

(c) The Mess Secretary shall have charge of all accounts of the Mess, all Mess property, be responsible for the cleanliness and general comfort of the Mess and shall control all the Mess Servants.

3. *Membership.*—Every member of the Regiment whether on the Active list or on the Reserve, on attaining the rank of Sergeant and as long as he holds such rank, or the rank of a Warrant Officer, shall *ipso facto* be a member of the Mess and shall be required to conform to its rules.

4. *Subscriptions.*—Every member of the Mess shall pay an annual subscription of Rs. 10, or such amount as may be decided by a General Meeting which shall be payable not later than August 1 in every year. In addition to the annual subscription, the following fees shall be levied on members:—

	Rs.	c.
In first admission as a member	15	0
On promotion to S. Q. M. S., or equivalent rank	7	50
On promotion to Warrant Officer Class 2	10	0
On promotion to Warrant Officer Class 1	15	0

5. *Meetings.*—(a) The financial year shall run from June 1 to May 31.

(b) The Annual General Meeting shall be held in June or during the period of the annual Camp at which the Mess Secretary and Committee for the ensuing year shall be elected.

(c) Seven days before the Annual Meeting the Secretary shall send to every member an Agenda for this meeting together with his report on the working of the Mess and an audited statement of accounts for the past year.

(d) Only members whose subscriptions and other dues are up to date shall have the privilege of voting at any meeting.

(e) At all General Meetings six shall form a quorum and at all Committee Meetings a quorum shall be three.

(f) At the Annual Meeting an Auditor shall be appointed for the ensuing year who shall not be a member of the Committee, but who shall be a member of the Mess.

6. *Penalties.*—Any member who shall not have paid his subscription, or any other dues, by April 30, shall be reported to the Commanding Officer for such action as he may think fit to take.

7. *Powers of the Committee.*—(a) The Committee shall have power to reduce or remit entirely the subscription of any member who may have been a member for only a part of the year or who may have been out of the Island for the whole or part of the year, but such reduction shall be entirely at their discretion.

(b) No property belonging to the Mess shall be disposed of or lent to other Messes without the consent of the Committee.

(c) Members shall not bring ladies or members of the Regiment below the rank of Sergeant into the Mess without the permission of the Committee obtained through either the President or Secretary.

(d) The Committee shall have power to accord the privilege to Officers of the Regiment of paying for drinks in the Sergeants' Mess.

8. *Breakages.*—(a) Any member breaking or damaging any article of Mess property shall pay the cost of replacement or repair of such article and in the case of wilful damage he shall pay treble the cost of replacement or repair.

(b) Members shall be responsible for all damage done by their guests or their servants.

9. *Guests.*—Any member bringing a guest to meals shall notify the Secretary beforehand.

10. *Complaints.*—All complaints in regard to food, service, &c., shall be made to the Secretary and members shall not personally reprimand or abuse any servant.

11. *Discipline.*—(a) The President (The Regimental Sergeant Major) is responsible to the Commanding Officer that order and good discipline is at all times maintained in the Mess and in case of doubt he shall have power to interpret these rules.

(b) All members shall bear in mind that the tone of the Regiment is very largely taken from the Sergeants' Mess and shall comport themselves accordingly.

12. *Property.*—Furniture, pictures, plate, china, cutlery, or any other movable property in the Mess which has been donated to the Mess or which has been purchased from funds other than Government funds are the absolute property of the Mess, and in the event of disbandment of the Regiment the disposal of such property shall be at the absolute discretion of the Committee and the Trustees.

13. *Trustees.*—(a) The Commanding Officer and the Quartermaster shall be appointed Trustees for the Sergeants' Mess and it shall be the duty of the Secretary to submit the Minutes of all meetings to them and they shall at all times have access to the books kept by the Secretary.

(b) Copies of the annual accounts shall be sent to them and they shall be invited to attend all meetings.

14. *Extract from C. D. F. Regulations, Paragraph 100.*—If an Officers', or a Warrant Officers' and Sergeants' Mess is established in a unit under the authority of the Commanding Officer, that Officer will be responsible that discipline is maintained and that the accounts are properly kept and audited.

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

WHEREAS by Notification dated December 18, 1931, information of the intention to constitute an Urban District Council for the area specified in the schedule to the said Notification was duly published in the *Government Gazette* of December 23, 1931, January 8, 1932, and February 5, 1932, and locally proclaimed as required by section 9 (2) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920: And whereas all representations made to His Excellency the Governor with respect to the constitution of the said Council have been duly considered:

It is hereby notified that by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, His Excellency the Governor has, under section 9 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, constituted an Urban District Council for the said area, to be called the Beruwala Urban District Council, the local administrative limits whereof shall be those specified in the schedule hereto.

By His Excellency's command,

CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWA,
Minister for Local Administration.

The Ministry of Local Administration,
Colombo, March 7, 1932.

SCHEDULE.

Beruwala.

North.—The village limits of Marakkalahawatta and Karandagoda.

East.—The village limits of Pannila, Ambepitiya, and Hettimulla.

South.—The village limits of Moragalla.

West.—The sea.

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

WHEREAS by Notification dated December 9, 1931, information of the intention to constitute an Urban District Council for the area specified in the schedule to the said Notification was duly published in the *Government Gazette* of December 11, 1931, January 8, 1932, and February 5, 1932, and locally proclaimed as required by section 9 (2) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920:

And whereas all representations made to His Excellency the Governor with respect to the constitution of the said Council have been duly considered:

It is hereby notified that by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, His Excellency the Governor has, under section 9 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, constituted an Urban District Council for the said area, to be called the Nuwara Eliya Urban District Council, the local administrative limits whereof shall be those specified in the schedule hereto.

By His Excellency's command,

CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWA,
Minister for Local Administration.

The Ministry of Local Administration,
Colombo, March 4, 1932.

SCHEDULE.

Nuwara Eliya.

North-west.—Along the north-west boundary of T. Ps. 73,338 and 73,339 at the Kodigaha Gap.

North-east and North.—Along the north-east and northern boundaries of private property till it reaches the Talagala-oya up the right bank of that stream and western edge of the reservoir of the waterworks to the point where the stream enters the reservoir, from that point straight to the waterfall at the north-west corner of Lovers' Leap estate.

East and North-east.—Along the eastern boundary of the old Military reserve till it reaches the boundary of T. P. 87,650, along a portion of the northern and eastern boundaries of T. P. 87,650 as far as the landmark 3½ chains north of the railway line.

North and East.—From the said landmark along the landmarked boundary passing through T. Ps. 55,925, 90,516, 90,517, and 100,035 to the water-course about 2½ chains east of road within T. P. 87,649.

East and South-east.—Along the said water-course from point last mentioned and landmarked boundary passing through Pedro estate and the eastern boundary of the Sewage Farm, Pedro estate, and Crown forest as far as the dam of the Barrack Plains reservoir, along the top of the dam and its direction produced in a straight line until it reaches a point 66 feet from the centre of the Moon Plains road, and on the outer side of that road. From the last mentioned point taking a south-easterly course along a line 66 feet distant from and parallel to the centre of the Moon Plains road on its outer side for a distance of 27 chains along this line as far as the patana, and then due

south across the stream to the edge of the forest, thence south and east along the forest to the extreme south-east corner of the tongue of the patana which comprises the Rifle Range. From this corner in a direct south-westerly line to the north-east corner of T. P. 78,049, then following the south-east boundary of T. P. 78,049 to the main road from Nuwara Eliya to Badulla, across the road in a direct line to the south-east corner of the wire fence enclosing Baker's Farm private lands, then following the wire fence to include Baker's Farm as far as Baker's Farm Triangulation Station.

South.—From this point in a direct line to the Gregory Lake dam, thence down the course of the Nanu-oya to Blackpool.

South-west.—From Blackpool straight to One Tree Hill Triangulation Station, thence along the top of the ridge overlooking Nuwara Eliya to a point due west of Queen's Cottage, from that point straight to Kikilimana Triangulation Station, thence straight to the north-west corner of T. P. 73,338.

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

BY-LAW made by the Matara Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 (4) (f), 173, and 175 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. BATUWANTUDAWÉ,
Minister for Local Administration.

Colombo, March 8, 1932.

BY-LAW.

By-law No. 5 of the by-laws published by Notification dated March 3, 1931, in *Government Gazette* No. 7,833 of March 6, 1931, is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

“The annual tax prescribed under the provisions of section 175 of the Ordinance shall be paid on or before the Thirty-first day of March in every year in respect of all vehicles, other than those exempted by the Ordinance, and in respect of every horse, pony, or mule kept or used for the purpose of drawing vehicles within the limits of the Matara Urban District Council.”

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

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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.

Colombo, March 8, 1932.

By His Excellency's command,

CHAS. BATUWANTUDAWÉ,
Minister for Local Administration.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. The by-laws published by Notification dated November 10, 1931, in *Government Gazette* No. 7,892 of November 13, 1931, 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.

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| (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 motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 6 tons gross load. |
| (7) Matara-Tangalla road, being the main road from Matara to Tangalla. | Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons. |
| (8) Portion of Esplanade road from Matara-Hakmana road, to existing motor bus garage on Esplanade road. | Open for motor cars other than lorries and trailers up to 6 tons gross load. |
| (9) Matara-Akuressa road. | Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons. |
| (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. |
| (15) Third Cross road, Kadeweediya. | Open for omnibuses having a tare not exceeding 1½ tons. |

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.

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

BY-LAW made by the Moratuwa Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 (4) (f), 173, and 175 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, March 8, 1932.

BY-LAW.

By-law No. 6 of the by-laws published by Notification dated October 14, 1931, in *Government Gazette* No. 7,889 of October 23, 1931, is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

“The annual tax prescribed under the provisions of section 175 of the Ordinance shall be paid on or before the Thirty-first day of March in every year in respect of all vehicles, other than those exempted by the Ordinance, and in respect of every horse, pony, or mule kept or used for the purpose of drawing vehicles within the limits of the Moratuwa Urban District Council.”

“THE PLANT PROTECTION ORDINANCE,
No. 10 of 1924.”

REGULATIONS under section 9 of “The Plant Protection Ordinance, No. 10 of 1924,” made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,
Minister of Agriculture and Lands.

Office of the Minister for Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, March 8, 1932.

REGULATIONS.

1. No tea plants or parts of tea plants (other than tea seed or leaf for manufacture) may be removed or received by any person from any plantation or garden without a permit in writing from the Director of Agriculture, except in the case of plants required for the purpose of scientific investigation in the laboratories of the Department of Agriculture or of the Tea Research Institute of Ceylon.

2. All tea plants or parts of tea plants (other than tea seed or leaf for manufacture) transported or caused to be transported or offered or received for transportation beyond the limit of the plantation or garden of origin must be packed and the package or packages plainly marked with the nature of the contents, the name and address of the sender, and the name of the plantation or garden of origin.

3. No permits will be granted for the removal of any tea stumps or plants from any infested area to or through any area which is not infested, and no person in an area which is not infested shall receive any tea plants or parts of tea plants from an infested area.

4. Any person who commits a breach of any of the above regulations shall be guilty of an offence.

5. The regulations dated January 10, 1929, and published in *Gazette* No. 7,685 of January 11, 1929, are hereby rescinded.

“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 33 of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899, that on and after April 1, 1932, 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.

The notice appearing in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,892 of November 13, 1931, page 1929, is hereby cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

T. B. PANABOKKE,

Colombo, February 29, 1932.

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 (A. 1-R. 3-P. 04), and shown as of No. 11749 in preliminary plan No. 944, and bounded as follows:—

North by 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 following regulation made under section 43 (1) of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, 1931, by His Excellency the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, is published for general information.

D. B. JAYATILAKA,
Minister for Home Affairs.

The Ministry of Home Affairs,
Colombo, March 2, 1932.

REGULATION MADE UNDER SECTION 43 (1) OF THE BUDDHIST TEMPORALITIES ORDINANCE, 1931, BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN HIM BY ARTICLE 93 OF THE CEYLON (STATE COUNCIL) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1931.

The forms of declaration A. and B. in the schedule to the Ordinance are hereby modified to read as follows:—

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FORM A.

Declaration regarding Upasampada Bhikshu under Section 41 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 19 of 1931.

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1. Place of Birth: Province, District, Korale, Pattu or other Division and Village උපන් ස්ථානය: දිසාව, පළාත, කෝරළේ, පත්තුව හෝ වෙනත් කොටසක සහ ගම	..
2. Lay Name in full සම්පූර්ණ භික්ෂුව	..
3. Date of Birth* උපන් දිනය*	..
4. Name of Father in full පියාගේ සම්පූර්ණ නම	..
5. Date of Robing* මහණකල දිනය*	..
6. Samanera Name සාමගෞර නම	..
7. Name of Robing Tutor or Names of Robing Tutors and residence මහණකල ආචාර්ය භික්ෂුවගේ නම හෝ භික්ෂූන්ගේ නම් සහ වාසස්ථාන	..
8. Temple where Robing took place† මහණකල විහාරයේ නම†	..
9. Place of Ordination† උපසම්පදා කල ස්ථානය†	..
10. Date of Ordination උපසම්පදා කල දිනය	..
11. Name of Karmacharya කර්මාචාර්ය භික්ෂූන්වහන්සේගේ නම	..

* If exact date is not known, state year only.
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† The situation of these places should also be stated.
† මේ ස්ථාන පිහිටි තැන්ද ලිය යුතුයි.

12. Name of Upaddhyaya at Ordination .. උපසම්පදාදේශී උපාධිකයා වෙරුන් නාන්දේශේ නම ..
13. Name of Nikaya .. නිකායේ නම ..
14. Name of Maha Nayaka Thera or Nayaka Thera of the Nikaya and his full Postal Address .. නිකායේ මහා නායක හෝ නායක වෙරුන් නාන්දේශේ නම සහ නැපැලෙස් ලිපුම් ලැබෙන පිළිවෙල ..
15. Name assumed at Ordination .. උපසම්පදාදේශී ගත් නම ..
16. Residence at time of Ordination* .. උපසම්පදාද වන කාලයේ වාසස්ථානය* ..
17. Permanent Residence* .. නිත්‍ය නේවාසික විහාරය* ..
18. Residence at time of declaration and full Postal Address .. මේ ප්‍රකාශ පත්‍රය ලියන කාලයේ වාසස්ථානය සහ නැපැලෙස් ලිපුම් ලැබෙන පිළිවෙල ..
19. Name of Tutor or Names of Tutors presenting for Ordination .. උපසම්පදාදේශී ගුරු වූ වෙරුන් නාන්දේශේ නම හෝ වෙරුන් නාන්දේශ්‍රාගේ නම ..
20. Name of Bhikshu presiding at Ordination .. උපසම්පදාදේශී ප්‍රධාන කියු ඉසුලු හිසුදුන්වහන්සේගේ නම ..
21. Serial Number in Samanera Register, if any .. සාමනේර ලේඛනයක් තිබේ නම් එහි අංකය ..
22. Date of making the declaration .. මේ ප්‍රකාශය කරන දින ..
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3. Date of Birth* .. උපන් දිනය* ..
4. Name of Father in full .. පියාගේ සම්පූර්ණ නම ..
5. Date of Robing .. මහණකල දින ..
6. Name assumed at Robing .. මහණවීමේදී ගත් නම ..
7. Name of Robing Tutor or Names of Robing Tutors and Residence .. මහණකල ආචාර්ය හිසුදුවගේ නම හෝ හිසුදුන්ගේ නම සහ වාසස්ථානය ..
8. Temple where Robing took place† .. මහණකල විහාරයේ නම† ..
9. Temple of Residence after Robing† .. මහණවූ පසු වාසය කරන විහාරය† ..
10. Name of Viharadhipati of Temple of Residence .. වාසය කරන විහාරයේ විහාරධිපති හිසුදුවගේ නම ..
11. Residence at time of declaration† .. මේ ප්‍රකාශ පත්‍රය ලියන කාලයේ වාසස්ථානය† ..
12. Name of Nikaya .. නිකායේ නම ..
13. Name of Mahanayaka Thera or Nayaka Thera of the Nikaya and his full Postal Address .. නිකායේ මහා නායක හෝ නායක වෙරුන් නාන්දේශේ නම සහ නැපැලෙස් ලිපුම් ලැබෙන පිළිවෙල ..
14. Date of making the declaration .. මේ ප්‍රකාශය කරන දින ..
15. Remarks .. වෙනත් කියුතු කරුණු ..

Signatures to correctness of above particulars :—
ඉහළ සඳහන් කරුණු සැබෑ බවට අත්සන් කළේ :—

- Signature of Upasampada Bhikshu
උපසම්පදාද උන් හිසුදුවගේ අත්සන
 - Signature of Tutor presenting for Ordination †
උපසම්පදාදේශී ගුරු වූ වෙරුන් නාන්දේශේ අත්සන †
 - Signature of Mahanayaka Thera or Nayaka Thera or of District Nayaka of the Nikaya
නිකායේ මහා නායක හෝ නායක වෙරුන් නාන්දේශේ හෝ පළාතේ නායක වෙරුන් නාන්දේශේ අත්සන
- Date of Registration)
ලියාපදිංචි කල දින)

Signatures to correctness of above particulars :—
ඉහළ සඳහන් කරුණු සැබෑ බවට අත්සන් කළේ :—

- Signature of the Samanera
සාමනේර හිසුදුවගේ අත්සන
 - Signature of Robing Tutor †
මහණකල ආචාර්ය හිසුදුවගේ අත්සන †
 - Signature of Viharadhipati of Temple of Residence
වාසය කරන විහාරයේ විහාරධිපති හිසුදුවගේ අත්සන
- Date of Registration)
ලියා පදිංචි කල දින)

* If exact date is not known, state year only.
* හරි දින නොදන්නේ නම් අවුරුද්ද පමණක් සඳහන් කරණ.
† The situation of these places should also be stated.
† මේ ස්ථාන පිහිටි තැන්ද ලිය යුතුයි.
‡ This signature is not essential in the case of a person who was a Samanera at the commencement of the Ordinance.
‡ මෙම ආකූපණය පවත් ගැනීමේදී සාමනේර හිසුදුවක්ව සිටි කෙනෙකු සම්බන්ධව මෙම අත්සන අවශ්‍ය නොවේ.

* The situation of these places should also be stated.
* මේ ස්ථාන පිහිටි තැන්ද ලිය යුතුයි.
† This signature is not essential in the case of a form filled in respect of a person who was an Upasampada Bhikshu at the commencement of the Ordinance.
† ආකූපණය පවත් ගැනීමේදී උපසම්පන්න හිසුදුවක්ව සිටි කෙනෙකු පිළිබඳව පූර්වික ආකාරී පත්‍රයකට මේ අත්සන අවශ්‍ය නොවේ.

THE INDIAN LABOUR ORDINANCE, No. 27 OF 1927—
NOTIFICATION.

Estate Wages Board, Matale,

NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of section 8 (1) of Ordinance No. 27 of 1927 that the Estate Wages Board for the revenue district of Matale intends, after the expiry of a month from date, to proceed in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by section 8 (3) of the said Ordinance to vary the minimum rates of wages already fixed for time work performed on Dromoland and Karagahateme estates within its jurisdiction. Any interested person who wishes to be heard should inform the Chairman of his intention to be present.

C. E. JONES,
Chairman, Estate Wages Board, Matale.
The Kachcheri,
Matale, March 1, 1932.

FORM B. No)
අංකය)

Declaration regarding Samaneras under Section 41 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 19 of 1931.
1931 ජන 19 වන බෞද්ධ විහාර දේවාලය ගම් පණතේ 41 වන වගන්තිය අනුව කල යුතු සාමනේර හිසුදුන් පිළිබඳ ප්‍රකාශය.

1. Place of Birth: Province, District, Korale, Pattu or other Division and Village උපන් ස්ථානය: දිසාව, පළාත, කෝරළේ, පත්තුව හෝ වෙනත් කොටසක සහ ගම ..
2. Lay Name in full සම්පූර්ණ ගිහි නම ..

NOTIFICATION UNDER LAND SALE AND LEASE
REGULATIONS 58 AND 59.

IN pursuance of Land Sale and Lease Regulations 58 and 59, notice is hereby given that it is proposed to sell the following lots of land in preliminary plan No. 8,814, situated at Iriyagama in Gangapalata korale of the Yatinuwara division in the Kandy District preferentially:—

- (a) Lots 2, 3, and 5 of the aggregate extent of 20·8 perches to Mr. P. B. Rambukwelle, lots 2 and 3 at Rs. 1,010 an acre, and lot 5 at Rs. 1,635 an acre;
- (b) Lot 4 in extent 12·4 perches to Messrs. H. J. P. Samarasekara, T. P. Samarasekera, and V. P. Samarasekera at Rs. 1,140 an acre.

These lots adjoin and provide access to the properties belonging to the persons named above. They lie between the high road and these properties and are of no use to the Crown or any one else.

The lands will be sold without competition to the above-named persons, unless valid reasons to the contrary are adduced in writing to the undersigned within 6 weeks from the date hereof.

Land Commissioner's Office, C. V. BRAYNE,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Land Commissioner.

NOTIFICATION UNDER LAND SALE AND LEASE
REGULATIONS NOS. 58 AND 59.

IN pursuance of Land Sale and Lease Regulations Nos. 58 and 59, notice is hereby given that application has been made by the General Manager, Maha Bodhi Society Schools, Colombo, for the sale to the Society, without competition, of lot 341 in final village plan No. 69, in extent 2 acres, situated in Kotakitulegama in Dambawinipalata korale of Udukinda division, Badulla District, Province of Uva, for the purpose of erecting a school.

It is hereby notified that—

- (a) In consideration of the fact that the land is to be used expressly for the purpose of erecting a school.
- (b) And that the breach of the above condition will involve forfeiture of the land,

the said land will be sold to the Society without competition at the appraised value Rs. 100 per acre, unless valid reasons to the contrary are adduced in writing to the satisfaction of the undersigned within six weeks from the date thereof.

Land Commissioner's Office, C. V. BRAYNE,
Colombo, March 5, 1932. Land Commissioner.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1895,
AND THE MARRIAGE REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1907.

RULES made under section 9 of the Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, No. 1 of 1895, and section 9 of the Marriage Registration Ordinance, No. 19 of 1907, by His Excellency 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,

PERI SUNDARAM,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.

Office of the Minister for Labour, Industry
and Commerce,
Colombo, March 3, 1932.

Rules for the guidance of Registrars of Births and Deaths
framed under section 9 of the Births and Deaths
Registration Ordinance, 1895.

BIRTH, STILLBIRTH, AND DEATH ENTRIES.

Correction of errors before the completion of
entries.

Manner of
correcting
errors before
completion
of entries.

1. Where a Registrar has to correct at the time of registration and before the completion of the entry an error in an entry of birth, stillbirth, or death he shall make the correction in the manner following and not otherwise:—

- (1) Every excision of a word, or letter, or figure should be made by so drawing a line through it as to leave the word, letter, or figure still legible;
- (2) Every added word, letter, or figure should be added by interlineation and not by superposition or alteration;
- (3) Every excision and interlineation shall be initialled by the Registrar as well as by the person or persons signing the entry;
- (4) (a) In order to prevent initials to corrections being mixed up with the writing in an entry they should be inserted on the opposite left hand margin.

Note.—The space occupied by the printed heading of the cage concerned may be utilized whenever there is not sufficient space for the purpose.

- (b) Where a party is unable to write he or she must be required to make a mark to the correction and the Registrar should insert immediately after such mark the initial letters of the name of such party.

Correction of errors in completed entries.

Errors
discovered
after comple-
tion of entries.

2. After an entry has been made, signed, and completed, no error discovered in it shall under any circumstances be corrected except in accordance with the following rules:—

Classes of
errors.

3. For the purposes of these rules such errors are classified as—

- (1) Clerical errors; and
- (2) Errors of fact or substance.

Definition of
clerical
errors.

4. Clerical errors consist of certain errors and omissions made through want of care in entering the particulars or signing the entries or through misunderstanding on the part of the informant or of the Registrar.

Clerical
errors which
may be
corrected by
Registrar and
authenticated
by Provincial
Registrar or
Assistant
Provincial
Registrar.

5. The clerical errors of the kind enumerated below appearing in any completed entry in a register may be corrected in red ink in the manner prescribed in rule 1 and with the permission of the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar, but every such correction shall be initialled by the Registrar and authenticated by the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar. Such errors discovered in any such entry filed of record in the Registrar-General's Office or in the Provincial Registrar's or Assistant Provincial Registrar's Office may be corrected by the Registrar-General, an Assistant Registrar-General, or by the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar.

Dates.

(1) Year wrong or omitted in cage 1 or in cage headed "when registered" (but not in both) of entry.

(2) Month wrong in cage headed "when registered" of entry when the necessity for the correction is evident from the preceding and succeeding entries.

Cause of
death.

Error or omission in copying cause of death from medical practitioner's certificate.

Signature of
informant.

Omission of "Registered upon" in cage 9 of Birth or Death entry made upon a written document.

Particulars copied from an inquirer's certificate.

Particulars copied from a statutory document.

Other particulars.

Error or omission in copying any particulars from an inquirer's certificate.

Error or omission in copying the particulars contained in a declaration, estate report, magistrate's certificate or affidavit.

An error in the mere spelling of any word which is not a name of a person or the misplacement, or the unnecessary repetition of any words.

Kandyan marriages not to be entered in church register.

Imperfections in register books.

Entries to be in good ink and in progressive order. Particulars to be entered in full.

Spelling of names.

The particulars regarding the age, civil condition, &c.

The particulars regarding the witnesses to be entered.

Unnecessary information not to be recorded.

Serial number to be continued by successive ministers.

Signature not to be taken before entering of particulars.

Where signatures are illegible.

Where signature differs from name.

Where signature is in characters not understood by the minister.

Where an alias is disclosed.

Errors discovered before signing the register.

2. Marriages under the Kandyan Marriage Ordinance should not be entered in the marriage registers supplied to churches. These registers are intended only for general marriages under the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907. Registrars' certificates of notice under the latter Ordinance are issued on pink paper and unless the certificate produced by parties is on paper of that colour it should not be accepted and no action should be taken on it.

3. Before a minister begins to use a marriage register book he shall satisfy himself that its folios are consecutively numbered and are otherwise in order. Any imperfections that may be discovered shall be forthwith reported to the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar from whom the book was received.

4. Every entry in the register shall be made in good black ink and in consecutive order according to the date on which it is made.

5. (1) Every particular in the register shall be written in full. Ages and dates shall be expressed in words, but the year of the Christian era may be written in figures, thus: Fifth May, 1897.

(2) Names shall be written in full; initial letters are not sufficient, e.g., John Arthur Brown, not J. A. Brown; Balapuwaduge James Bernard Mendis, not B. J. B. Mendis.

Note.—This rule does not apply to a person's ordinary signature.

6. The names and surnames of the contracting parties and of their parents shall be transcribed by the minister into his register as given in the registrar's certificate or as spelt by the parties themselves.

7. The particulars entered in the register regarding the age, civil condition, rank or profession, nationality, and residence of the parties should correspond with the particulars given in the registrar's certificate.

8. The full names, rank or profession, and places of residence of the two witnesses to the marriage shall be entered in the register.

9. Nothing except the particulars required by the heading of each column of the register shall be written in the column, care being taken that the particulars belonging to one column do not extend into the adjoining column or into the margin of the register.

10. A minister making entries in a register book which had been in use by his predecessor shall continue the series of numbers already commenced.

11. The signing of blank or partly written folios is strictly forbidden. All the necessary particulars shall be entered in the register in both foil and counterfoil before the entry is signed.

12. (1) If any party or witness signs illegibly, or affixes a mark, the minister shall write immediately after such signature or mark the full name of such party or witness, prefixing the words "This is the signature or mark (as the case may be) of _____".

(2) Where there is a difference between the name of a person already entered and his signature the minister shall, after the person's signature, add the words "This is the signature of _____", inserting the full name of such person.

(3) If a person signs his name in characters not understood by the minister, he shall get such person to read out the signature, and if there is any discrepancy between it and the name already entered, shall add an attestation as required in the preceding paragraph.

(4) Where a signature of a person discloses an alias to his name, the minister should after the signature add "This is the signature of _____" inserting the full name of such person and the alias.

13. Any error discovered before the signing of the entry must be corrected by the minister by drawing a line clearly over the erroneous word or words so as to leave them legible and

Correction of "other clerical errors".

Definition of error of fact or substance.

Correction of errors of fact or substance.

Manner of correcting errors before completion of entries.

Clerical errors in marriage entries.

Errors in marriage entries which exist also in certificates.

Each Church or group of Churches in each revenue district to have a separate church register.

6. Clerical errors other than those described in the preceding rule 5 occurring in any entry may similarly be corrected, but the corrections should also be initialled by the informant whenever his or her presence can be secured.

7. Errors of fact or substance comprise all errors and omissions which are not clerical errors as defined in rule 4.

8. Errors of fact or substance discovered after the completion of an entry must be reported through the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar to the Registrar-General without whose order they cannot be corrected.

Rules for the guidance of Registrars of Marriages framed under section 9 of the Marriage Registration Ordinance, 1907.

MARRIAGE ENTRIES.

Correction of errors before the completion of entries.

1. Where a Registrar has to correct at the time of registration and before the completion of the entry an error in a marriage entry, he shall make the correction in the manner following and not otherwise:—

- (1) Every excision of a word, or letter, or figure should be made by so drawing a line through it as to leave the word, letter, or figure still legible;
- (2) Every added word, letter, or figure should be added by interlineation and not by superposition or alteration;
- (3) Every excision and interlineation shall be initialled by the Registrar as well as by the parties to the marriage;
- (4) (a) In order to prevent initials to corrections being mixed up with the writing in an entry they should be inserted on the opposite left hand margin.

Note.—The space occupied by the printed heading of the page concerned may be utilized whenever there is not sufficient space for the purpose.

- (b) Where a party is unable to write he or she must be required to make a mark to the correction and the Registrar should insert immediately after such mark the initial letters of the name of such party.

Correction of errors in completed entries.

2. Any clerical errors committed in copying a Registrar's certificate of notice into a marriage register and discovered after completion of the entry may be corrected in red ink in the manner hereinbefore prescribed in rule 1 but the correction should also be initialled by the contracting parties, whenever their presence can be secured.

3. Any other errors discovered in a marriage entry, which exist also in the Registrar's certificate should be reported through the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar to the Registrar-General without whose order they cannot be corrected.

Rules for the guidance of Ministers framed under section 9 of the Marriage Registration Ordinance, 1907.

1. A separate marriage register book in form Registration B 54 should be used for each place of public Christian worship registered under the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907 for the solemnization of marriages or for a group of such registered places in each revenue district which are in charge of a minister.

by writing above them the correct word or words, and the correction shall be initialled by him.

14. After an entry has been made and perfected by the signature of the parties, witnesses, and minister, no amendment shall be made, except in the following manner:—

- (1) Every correction above the signatures of the contracting parties shall be initialled and dated by the contracting parties and the minister. If, however, the error is in the number or the heading of the entry, or in the mere spelling of any word which is not the name of a person, the correction may be authenticated by the minister only.
- (2) Every correction below the signatures of the contracting parties shall be initialled and dated by the minister.
- (3) After registration of the marriage by the Provincial or Assistant Provincial Registrar no correction whatever shall be made in the minister's book except upon an order of court.

15. No erasures shall be made with a knife nor any word struck out in such manner as to obliterate the words erased or struck out.

16. Section 33 (5) of the Marriage Registration Ordinance, No. 19 of 1907, requires the minister by whom or in whose presence a marriage is registered to transmit within seven days, the duplicate statement of the marriage entry to the Provincial Registrar or to the Assistant Provincial Registrar, within whose territorial jurisdiction the marriage was solemnized, to be recorded in his register. The entry recorded by the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar constitutes the valid legal registration and is the best proof in law of the marriage.

17. The acknowledgment which the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar is required to furnish to the minister under section 33 (6) of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907 of any duplicate statement forwarded by him shall be filed with the connected entry in the minister's register. If not received, the attention of the Provincial Registrar or Assistant Provincial Registrar should be at once invited.

18. The registrar's certificate (or certificates) produced to a minister under section 32 for solemnization of a marriage shall be preserved for one year, and be available for reference by the Registrar-General, the Provincial Registrar, or Assistant Provincial Registrar within that period.

19. If a marriage under "The Marriage of British Subjects (Facilities) Act, 1915," is to be solemnized in Ceylon, the certificate for marriage issued in England and Wales by a Superintendent Registrar, or in Scotland or Ireland by a Registrar, or a certificate of publication of banns in Scotland will be sufficient without any of the usual preliminaries being gone through by the party in Ceylon. But it is necessary that such party should have been resident in the Island at the date of notice in the United Kingdom; and the minister solemnizing the marriage should satisfy himself as to this residence.

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

No 28—Matara 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, or a copy thereof, is open for inspection during office hours at the under-mentioned Government offices:—

1. The Kachcheri, Matara.
2. The Kachcheri, Hambantota.

H. J. L. LEIGH-CLARE,
Registering Officer, No. 28, Matara

The Kachcheri, Electoral District.
Matara, March 11, 1932.

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CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR ASSISTED ENGLISH SCHOOLS.

THE following amendment to the Code of Regulations for Assisted English Schools, which has been passed by the Board of Education and confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, is hereby published for general information in accordance with section 10 (3) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

L. MACRAE,
Chairman, Board of Education.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1932.

AMENDMENT REFERRED TO.

Clause 47.—Alter the first sentence to read as follows:—

A maintenance grant of Rs. 75 may be paid to the Manager of an approved Orphanage or Home on account of each orphan or destitute child who is between the ages of 5 and 17 at the beginning of the school year and who has been in residence at an Orphanage or Home for a period of not less than 9 months and has regularly attended a registered school during this period.

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CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS.

THE following amendments to the Code of Regulations for Government Schools, which have been passed by the Board of Education and confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, are hereby published for general information in accordance with section 10 (3) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

L. MACRAE,
Chairman, Board of Education.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1932.

AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO.

Clause 7.—In line 3 alter "may be appointed . . . three years" to "may be employed temporarily as teachers."

Clause 8.—In line 7 alter "be registered as provisionally certificated teachers" to "be provisionally registered for a period of three years".

Clause 14.—In line 2 after "Certificate" insert "or the English School-Leaving Certificate with Sinhalese or Tamil or the Cambridge Junior Certificate with Sinhalese or Tamil".

In line 3 alter "may be appointed . . . three years" to "may be employed temporarily as teachers".

Clause 15.—In line 2 after "Certificate" insert "or the Cambridge Senior examination with Sinhalese or Tamil or the London Matriculation examination with Sinhalese or Tamil".

In line 3 alter "be registered as provisionally certificated teachers" to "be provisionally registered for a period of three years".

Clause 21A.—After Clause 21 insert a new clause as follows:—

Special Qualifications 21 A. Teachers who are employed on the scale of salaries applicable to Vernacular teachers and who hold a certificate granted on passing an approved test in one of the following:—

- (i.) Advanced Sinhalese or Pali or Sanskrit;
- (ii.) Advanced Tamil or Sanskrit or Arabic;
- (iii.) English (approved course)

will be allowed two years' increment on the scale to which their other qualifications entitle them, in the case of those who have passed the final or pundit examinations, and one year's increment in the case of those who have passed the intermediate or bala pundit examinations. Provided that such teachers are employed in teaching the subjects relating to their special qualifications.

The approved courses for the above certificates are as follows:—

- (i.) Intermediate or Final Examinations (Oriental Studies Society);
- (ii.) Bala Pundit or Pundit Examinations (Jaffna Oriental Society and the Madura Tamil Sangams) and final certificate in Arabic of recognized Madrassas;
- (iii.) Courses prescribed or approved by the Director.

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CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR ASSISTED VERNACULAR AND BILINGUAL SCHOOLS.

THE following amendment to the Code of Regulations for Assisted Vernacular and Bilingual Schools, which has been passed by the Board of Education and confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, is hereby published for general information in accordance with section 10 (3) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

L. MACRAE,
Chairman, Board of Education.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1932.

AMENDMENT REFERRED TO.

Clause 65.—Alter the first sentence to read as follows:—

A maintenance grant of Rs. 75 may be paid to the Manager of an approved Orphanage or Home on account of each orphan or destitute child who is between the ages of 5 and 15 at the beginning of the school year and who has been in residence at an Orphanage or Home for a period of not less than 9 months and has regularly attended a registered school during this period.

Income Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 44 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 1932, any person in Ceylon who after March 31, 1932, pays or credits to any person out of Ceylon any sum falling due after that date, being—

- (a) interest on debentures, mortgages, loans, deposits, or advances or
- (b) rent, ground rent, royalty, annuity or other annual payment, which is payable either in respect of property in Ceylon or out of income arising in Ceylon,

is entitled to deduct tax therefrom at ten per cent., and, whether he does deduct tax accordingly or not, is liable to pay the tax so deductible to the Government of Ceylon.

2. Further, any person who so deducts tax is required by law to issue to such person out of Ceylon a statement in writing showing—

- (a) the gross amount of such payment;
- (b) the rate and amount of the tax so deducted; and
- (c) the nett amount actually paid.

Failure to comply with this requirement is punishable under section 85 (1) (a) with a fine not exceeding Rs. 500.

3. It is to be noted that these provisions apply to any person who pays any sum of interest, &c., to a person out of Ceylon, whether such sum is due from him or from another person.

4. For the purposes of section 44 payment in Ceylon to the agent of an individual residing outside Ceylon is not payment to a "person out of Ceylon".

5. Under section 2 of the Income Tax Ordinance "person" is defined as including a company or body of persons. Payment in Ceylon to the Branch or Agent of a company whose registered or principal office is outside Ceylon is not payment to a "person out of Ceylon" for the purposes of the section.

6. All tax deductible under section 44 is a debt due to the Government of Ceylon, and any person so deducting tax should immediately remit the same to the Income Tax Office by cheque or money order payable to the Commissioner of Income Tax.

7. No special form is prescribed for the statement referred to in paragraph 2 above, but for the convenience of taxpayers a printed form will be available in the Income Tax Office and copies will be issued on application.

T. D. PERERA,

Acting Commissioner of Income Tax.

Income Tax Office,
Colombo, March 3, 1932.

Income Tax Department.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the posts of Assessors, Assistant Assessors, and Probationers in the Income Tax Department. Particulars of salary, &c., are given below.

2. All appointments will be on two years' probation. In the case of assessors, appointments will be subject to approval by the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

3. Applicants must be natural-born British subjects of European or Ceylonese descent or of mixed European and Ceylonese descent. No applicant will be regarded as of Ceylonese descent unless he is the son of Sinhalese, Burgher, Ceylon Tamil, Ceylon Moor, or Ceylon Malay parents.

4. There will be no competitive examination for the purposes of selection, but any applicant may be required to undergo such literary or *viva voce* test as may be deemed necessary for the purpose of testing his intelligence and general knowledge.

5. Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof that he is of good health and moral character.

6. Applications must be addressed to the Commissioner of Income Tax and must be made on the prescribed forms. Applications from persons already in Government Service will be considered if forwarded through the Heads of their Departments. Copies of forms of application may be obtained on application at the Income Tax Office, Echelon Barracks, Block No. 5. All applications must be received before noon on Thursday, March 31, 1932.

7. Applications which have already been made will not be considered unless the applicants forward fresh applications on the prescribed forms.

ASSESSORS.

8. *Salary and conditions of service.*—Rs. 7,600 to Rs. 12,720 per annum by two annual increments of Rs. 400 per annum and eight annual increments of Rs. 540 per annum. An Assessor will, in due course, be eligible for promotion to the grade of Assistant Commissioner which carries a salary of £1,050 to £1,300 per annum by annual increments of £50.

A higher initial salary than Rs. 7,600 may, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, be paid to an individual officer possessing special qualifications and experience.

Officers appointed will be subject to the same general conditions of service as other officers of the Ceylon Government.

9. *Conditions of eligibility.*—Subject to the exception mentioned below, every applicant must furnish proof—

- either (a) that he is a qualified Chartered or Incorporated Accountant,
- or (b) that he is qualified as an Advocate of the Supreme Court in Ceylon and holds a degree of a University in the United Kingdom.

Applications will, however, be entertained from applicants who do not possess any of the above mentioned qualifications, but who, by reason of practical experience in Accountancy work or for other reasons, may be considered suitable for appointment.

10. *Number of vacancies.*—There will probably be six vacancies, but some of the vacancies may be filled by persons already in Government Service, and it may be decided that a number of vacancies should, for the present, remain unfilled.

ASSISTANT ASSESSORS AND PROBATIONERS.

11. *Salary and conditions of service.*—Rs. 2,700 per annum during the probationary period of two years; on confirmation, Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 8,000 by eight annual increments of Rs. 250 and five annual increments of Rs. 400.

Before confirmation, an Assistant Assessor will be required to pass a first departmental examination in Ceylon Income Tax Law, simple Accountancy, and Ceylon Income Tax practice. In the case of an officer who fails to pass such examination within two years of appointment, the probationary period may be extended by a further two years.

Before Rs. 6,000 there will be an efficiency bar coupled with a second departmental examination in General Income Tax Law and Advanced Accountancy. An Assistant Assessor who has passed the second examination will be eligible for promotion to the grade of Assessor on the occurrence of a vacancy.

An Assistant Assessor who is a Chartered or Incorporated Accountant will be entitled, on appointment, to an initial salary of Rs. 6,000 per annum. He will be exempt from the first departmental examination, but will be required to pass the second examination before reaching Rs. 6,800.

A higher initial salary than the initial salaries above referred to may be paid to an individual officer possessing special qualifications and experience.

Officers appointed will be subject to the same general conditions of service as other officers of the Ceylon Government.

12. *Conditions of eligibility.*—Subject to the exception mentioned below, every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof—

- (a) that on March 1, 1932, he was over the age of eighteen years and under the age of twenty-five years, and
- (b) that he has passed the Intermediate Examination of the University of London in Arts, Science, or Economics.

Applications will, however, be entertained from applicants who do not conform to either or both of the above conditions, but who by reason of practical experience in Accountancy work or for other reasons may be considered suitable for appointment.

13. *Number of vacancies.*—There will probably be ten vacancies, but some of the vacancies may be filled by persons already in Government service, and it may be decided that a number of vacancies should, for the present, remain unfilled.

T. D. PERERA,
Acting Commissioner of Income Tax

Income Tax Office,
March 8, 1932.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the lease of Pattipola Resthouse premises, situated near the Railway Station, Pattipola, for a period of five years from July 1, 1932.

(1) The extent of the premises is 1 acre 2 roods and 13 perches (lot 1 in preliminary plan 8,194).

(2) The building thereon may be utilized for residential purposes.

(3) The building should be maintained in good order and all necessary repairs thereto done at lessee's expense.

(4) On the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, no compensation will be paid to the lessee for any additions or improvements to the resthouse building or for any new buildings erected on the premises; but in the case of the latter the lessee will be allowed to pull down at his own expense any such buildings and remove the materials.

(5) The premises can be inspected by any intending tenderer on giving due notice to the present occupant, Mrs. A. G. Palliser. It is recommended that this be done.

(6) The present lessee, Commander A. G. Palliser, pays a rental of Rs. 300 per annum.

(7) The successful tenderer will be required to enter into a lease substantially in the form of the existing lease.

(8) Further particulars regarding the premises and the terms of the lease can be obtained from the Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya, and plans of the premises from the Surveyor-General.

(9) The tenders should reach the Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya, on or before March 31, 1932. They should be sealed and marked "Tender for the Lease of Pattipola Resthouse Premises".

Office of the Land Commissioner,
Colombo, March 1, 1932.

C. V. BRAYNE,
Land Commissioner.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

IT is hereby notified that a quantity of old newspapers, weighing about 2 cwt. will be sold by public auction at the Office of the Director of Electrical Undertakings, Torrington Square, Colombo, at 9 A.M. on Tuesday, March 22, 1932.

E. F. LYNN,
Director of Electrical Undertakings.

Office of the Director of Electrical Undertakings,
Colombo, March 4, 1932.

THE under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Colombo Museum on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 11 A.M. :—

1 lot cane matting.

Colombo Museum,
March 7, 1932.

JOSEPH PEARSON,
Director, Colombo Museum.

Comparative Monthly Return of Revenue from October, 1927, to September, 1931.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
October ..	11,259,848	7,622,239	8,773,569	7,148,091
November ..	10,310,627	8,058,993	8,328,489	6,518,337
December ..	9,275,821	6,861,348	7,198,824	7,107,763
January ..	12,684,384	10,769,650	11,166,690	9,308,940
February ..	11,215,801	8,244,088	8,048,732	7,455,232
March ..	11,901,741	11,269,056	11,112,419	9,479,925
April ..	10,584,277	8,305,809	7,636,176	6,385,154
May ..	10,998,992	8,354,681	7,172,719	7,272,898
June ..	10,814,952	8,265,786	7,161,087	6,523,126
July ..	11,560,204	9,248,623	8,385,338	6,822,060
August ..	10,865,279	8,507,417	7,579,534	6,484,740
September ..	12,663,027	12,310,584	18,363,286	21,261,287
Total ..	134,134,953	107,818,274	110,926,863	101,767,556

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General Treasury,
Colombo, March 5, 1932.

E. RODRIGO,
Acting Deputy Financial Secretary.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

THE KALUTARA BASKET SOCIETY, LIMITED.

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1931.

CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Capital account—		Land and building account—	
As per last statement	72,491 57	As per last statement	19,087 69
Profit for this year	821 70	Furniture and fittings account—	
		As per last statement	2,644 36
	73,313 27	Fixed deposits—	
Sundry creditors—		Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation—	
As per schedule attached	313 50	As per last statement	11,397 96
		Interest for year	455 69
			11,853 65
		Eastern Bank, Limited—	
		As per last statement	8,217 30
		Interest for year	328 64
			8,545 94
		National Bank of India, Limited—	
		As per last statement	—
		Imperial Bank, Limited—	
		As per last statement	6,270 6
		Interest for year	219 42
			6,489 48
		P. & O. Bank, Limited—	
		As per last statement	—
		Ceylon Savings Bank—	
		As per last statement	5,782 89
		Interest for year	173 46
			5,956 35
		Sundry debtors—	
		As per schedule attached	—
		Stocks account	2,319 62
		Per list attached	1,519 63
		Cash account—	
		In Kalutara Kadcheri	1,426 24
		Petty cash	34 94
		Stamps	8 87
			1,470 5
			73,626 77
			73,626 77

*Rs 361
as per proof
set up
14/3/32*

*Rs 361
98179*

I the undersigned, Public Auditor appointed under provisions of the Society's Ordinance, hereby report that I have examined the books and accounts of the Society for the year 1931, and I certify that this statement correctly shows the affairs of the Society to the best of my belief and as shown by the books.
February 15, 1932.

True copy :
ALLANSON H. GOMES.
L. L. HUNTER,
President, Kalutara Basket Society, Ltd.

Mahagama Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-third Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, The National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, March 18, 1932, at 3.15 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor for the current year, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 11 to 19, 1932, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
BOSANQUET & SKRINE, LTD.,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Blackwater Estate (Klang) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, The National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, March 18, 1932, at 3.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor for the current year, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 11 to 19, 1932, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
BOSANQUET & SKRINE, LTD.,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Hunugalla Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twentieth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, The National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, March 18, 1932, at 2.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor for the current year, and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 11 to 19, 1932, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
BOSANQUET & SKRINE, LTD.,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

Kaloogala (Uva) Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, March 17, 1932, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors and to transact such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 11 to 18, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
BOSANQUET & SKRINE, LTD.,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Jebong (Perak) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-sixth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1931.
 2. To elect a Director.
 3. To appoint an Auditor and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.
- (The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 17 to 23, 1932, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

BOSANQUET & SKRINE, LTD.,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Rakwana Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, National Mutual building, Chatham street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
 2. To elect a Director.
 3. To appoint Auditors and to transact such other business as may be duly brought before the Meeting.
- The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 17 to 23, 1932, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

BOSANQUET & SKRINE, LTD.,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Talgaswella Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Forty-fourth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's offices, The Darley buildings, Union place, Colombo, on March 19, 1932, at 11 A.M., for the following purposes, viz.

- (a) To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ending December 31, 1931.
- (b) To declare a dividend.
- (c) To elect a Director in the place of Mr. G. Northey.
- (d) To appoint an Auditor for the current year.

The Share Transfer Books will be closed from March 8 to 19, 1932.

By order of the Directors,

J. J. VANDERSPAR & Co.,
Colombo, February 29, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Strathspey Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, 45, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, March 19, 1932, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other competent business that may be brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 11 to 20, 1932; both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,
Colombo, March 5, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Moolgama Estate Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, 45, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, March 24, 1932, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. In terms of Article No. 65, to instruct the Agents and Secretaries to give notice to Shareholders of future General Meetings, Ordinary or Extraordinary, by post, and not by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.
6. To transact any other competent business that may be brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 16 to March 25, 1932, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,
Colombo, March 9, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Colombo Hotels Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Grand Oriental Hotel, York street, Colombo, on Saturday, March 19, 1932, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect two Directors.
3. To appoint an Auditor and to transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 12 to 21, 1932, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

T. S. ROWE,
Colombo, March 9, 1932. Secretary.

The Hulandawa Rubber and Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 57, Pedlar street, Galle, on Wednesday, March 23, 1932, at 10 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

THE HULANDAWA RUBBER & TEA CO., OF
CEYLON, LTD.

Per Pro CHAS P. HALEY & Co.,

W. J. AGAR,
Galle, March 8, 1932. Secretaries and Agents.

The Falmham Estate, Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at 11 A.M. on Thursday, March 24, 1932, at the registered office of the Company, Lloyd's building, Prince street, Fort, Colombo.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors and transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

CLARK, YOUNG & COMPANY,
Colombo, March 5, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Uva Highlands Tea Company, Limited

WE hereby give notice that the private cart road from the boundary of Uva Highlands State will be closed on March 20, 1932.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, March 11, 1932.

MACKWOODS, LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

The Uva Katawella Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's registered office, Gaffoor's building, Main street, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors.
4. Any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, March 11, 1932.

MACKWOODS, LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

The Katiapola Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor.
4. In terms of Article No. 64, to instruct the Agents and Secretaries to give notice to Shareholders of future General Meetings, Ordinary or Extraordinary, by post, and not by advertising in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 15 to 22, 1932, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

Bois Brothers & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, March 10, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

Allerton Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 99, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, March 21, 1932, at 3 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor.
4. In terms of Article No. 64, to instruct the Agents and Secretaries to give notice to Shareholders of future General Meetings, Ordinary or Extraordinary, by post, and not by advertising in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 14 to 21, 1932, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

Bois Brothers & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Stafford Tea Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the

Company, 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 3.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint an Auditor.
4. In terms of Article No. 64, to instruct the Agents and Secretaries to give notice to Shareholders of future General Meetings, Ordinary or Extraordinary, by post, and not by advertising in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.
5. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 15 to 22, 1932, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

Bois Brothers & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Mulhalkelle Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 10 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. In terms of Article No. 64, to instruct the Agents and Secretaries to give notice to Shareholders of future General Meetings, Ordinary or Extraordinary, by post, and not by advertising in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.
6. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 15 to 22, 1932, inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,

Bois Brothers & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Upper Maskeliya Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fortieth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 2.30 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
5. To transact any other business of which due notice has been given.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from March 15 to 22, 1932, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

Whittall & Co.,
Colombo, March 11, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Gollada Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Nineteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, March 21, 1932, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
4. To transact any other business of which due notice may have been given.

By order of the Directors,

Whittall & Co.,
Colombo, March 11, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Sunderland (Ceylon) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-fifth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, March 24, 1932, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
4. To transact any other business of which due notice has been given.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, March 11, 1932.

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Pimbura Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-third Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 3 P.M.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the year ended December 31, 1931.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
4. To transact any other business of which due notice has been given.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, March 11, 1932.

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Karandupona Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered office of the Company, York street, Colombo, on Tuesday, March 22, 1932, at 11 A.M.

Business.

- (1) To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts of the Company for the year ended December 31, 1931.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director.
- (4) To appoint Auditors for the current year.
- (5) In terms of Article No. 65 to instruct the Agents and Secretaries to give notice to Shareholders of future General Meetings, Ordinary or Extraordinary, by post, and not by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.
- (6) To transact any other competent business.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, March 8, 1932.

DODWELL & Co., LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

The Diwala (Kegalla) Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-second Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, March 24, 1932, at 12.45 P.M.

Business.

- (1) To receive and consider the annual statement of accounts and balance sheet and the report of the Directors for the past year.
- (2) To elect a Director.
- (3) To elect Auditors for 1932.
- (4) To transact any other ordinary business that may arise.

(In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, the Transfer Books will be closed from March 21 to 24 1932, both days inclusive).

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, February 9, 1932.

HARRISONS & CROSFIELD, LTD.,
Agents and Secretaries.

The Fairlawn Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of The Fairlawn Estates, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, March 31, 1932, at 10.30 in the morning for the following purposes:

- (1) To consider and, if thought fit, approve the draft new Articles of Association (a copy whereof is lying for inspection at the registered office of the Company) which will be submitted to the Meeting, and in the event of the approval thereof, with or without modification.

- (2) To consider and, if thought fit, to pass a resolution to the effect,

That the new Articles already approved by the Meeting, and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof, be approved, and that they be adopted as the Articles of Association of the Company in substitution for, and to the exclusion of, all the existing Articles thereof.

And notice is hereby also given that a further Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office, 14, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Thursday, April 28, 1932, at 10.30 in the morning for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceedings at the above-mentioned Meeting, and of confirming, if thought fit, the above-mentioned resolution as a special resolution.

By order of the Board,

HARRISONS AND CROSFIELD, LTD.,
Colombo, February 8, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

The Fairlawn Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-first Annual Ordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, March 19, 1932, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

- (1) To receive and consider the Annual Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet, and the Report of the Directors for the past year.
- (2) To declare a dividend.
- (3) To elect a Director, in place of the one retiring, who offers himself for re-election.
- (4) To elect Auditors for 1932.
- (5) To transact any other ordinary business that may arise.

(In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, the Transfer Books will be closed from March 14 to 19, 1932, both days inclusive).

By order of the Directors,

HARRISONS & CROSFIELD, LTD.,
Colombo, February 29, 1932. Agents and Secretaries.

*Amended Notice.***Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Colombo.
The Public Trustee in his capacity of administrator with a copy of the Will annexed of Michael Thomas Walker of Colombo, deceased Plaintiff.
No. 46,047. Vs.

- (1) Abdul Majeed Mohamado Cassim of Colombo,
- (2) The Chettinad Corporation, Limited, Kurunegala Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission and decree issued to me in the above action, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 73,195-89, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from the date of decree till payment in full and costs of suit, I shall put up for sale by public auction the following property, to wit:—

1. On Wednesday, April 20, 1932, at 5 p.m. at the Spot.— All that allotment of land marked lot 2 in the plan thereof with the buildings standing thereon called and known as Hampstead Lodge, presently bearing assessment No. 116/196 and formerly erroneously described as bearing assessment No. 197, situated at Kollupitiya, within the Municipality and in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north-east by the road from Colombo to Galle, on the north-west by the property of C.A. Perera bearing assessment No. 198, on the south-west by lot No. 1 of the premises called Suriyagahawatta, and on the south-east by a road reservation fifteen links wide; containing

in extent 1 rood and 32 33/100 perches, according to the figure of survey thereof dated August 22, 1904, made by C. A. O. Buyzer.

2. On Thursday, April 21, 1932, at 5 p.m. at the Spot.— All that allotment of land marked A with the buildings thereon being a divided portion of premises bearing assessment No. 75A, situated at Main street, within the Municipality and in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north-west by Main street, on the north-east by a portion of this property bearing assessment No. 75 of N. D. H. Umma Hama and lot "B," on the south-east by lot D, and on the south-west by the property of A. L. M. Idroos Lebbe Marikar now of N. D. H. Mohamado Sali; containing in extent 4 97/100 perches, according to the plan No. 779 dated October 8, 1925, made by G. L. Schokman, Licensed Surveyor.

Phone: 289.
19, Baillie street, Fort.

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

Auction Sale.

THE sale in D. C., Colombo, case No. 43,364 under mortgage decree is postponed for Wednesday, April 20, 1932, at the spot at 5.15 p.m. and not as previously advertised in Government Gazette of March 1, 1932.

R. C. McEYLER,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

New Upside Bungalow fitted with all modern conveniences at Selborne road off Bagatelle road, presently occupied by Mr. E. H. Heelis.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Colombo, case No. 47,572 entered in favour of the plaintiffs, the trustees of Brown & Co., Ltd., European Staff Benefit Association, Colombo, against the defendant, Mrs. May Joseph of Bagatelle road, Colpetty, Colombo, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 16,129-86 with interest on the said sum at the rate of 9 per cent per annum from January 25, 1932, till payment in full, and costs, I shall sell by public auction at the spot at 3 p.m. on Saturday, April 9, 1932.

All that house and ground called and known as Edelweiss, situate at Selborne road off Bagatelle road, bearing assessment No. 1055F/94A/7, Colpetty Road; in extent 36-48 perches.

For further particulars application may be made either to Messrs. Julius & Creasy, Solicitors, Colombo, or to me—

CHAS. H. PIERES, A.A.L.P.A.,
2, Ferry street, Hulftsdorp. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

UNDER commission in case No. 46,414, D. C., Colombo, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, April 9, 1932, at 3 and 3.15 p.m. respectively at the spot:—All that portion of land called Delgahawatta marked lot D in plan No. 395 dated Mary 3, 1915, and made by P. W. Amere-sekera, Licensed Surveyor, situated at Hekandara, which said lot D is bounded on the north by and appearing in T. P. No. 127,634, east by lot E, south-east by land belonging to P. Don Pabilis, and west by the lots A, B, and C; containing in extent 5 acres 2 roods and 16 perches. (2) All the leasehold rights to and in the land Delgahawatta lot D and 200 coconut trees standing thereon of the second defendant created in his favour by deed No. 25,025 dated May 6, 1927, and attested by T. D. S. A. Dissanayake, Notary Public.

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

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Matara.

Chandradasa Wickramasinghe of Weliveriya . . . Plaintiff.
No. 6,837. Against

Vidana Gamatchige Don Theodoris Appuhamy of Kamburugamuwa . . . Defendant.

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 the following properties on March 30, 1932, at the respective spots as mentioned below, commencing at 9 a.m. at the spot:—

1. All that the land called Ambagahawatta, situated at Kamburugamuwa, in extent 2 roods and 36 perches.

2. All that the land called Panugawatta with the buildings thereon, and situated at Kamburugamuwa, in extent 1/4 of an acre.

For further particulars please apply to W. J. Serasingha, Esq., Proctor, or to—

K. M. THOROLIS SILVA,
Matara, February 29, 1932. Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Matara.

Kondarage Andirisappuhamy of Jalaramba . . . Plaintiff.
No. 6,805. Against

Vidana Gamatchige Don Theodoris Appuhamy of Kamburugamuwa . . . Defendant.

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 the following properties on March 30, 1932, at the respective spots as mentioned below:—

1. Commencing at 10.30 a.m. at the spot.—The entire soil and plantations of the divided and separated lot B of the land called Danwalawatta alias Mawatawatta, situated at Kamburugamuwa, in extent 2 roods and 13-34 perches.

2. Commencing at 2 p.m. at the spot.—All that undivided 2/5 part of the field called Dewelukwatta, situated at Malimboda, in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 36 perches.

For further particulars please apply to W. J. Serasingha, Esq., Proctor, or to—

K. M. THOROLIS SILVA,
Matara, February 29, 1932. Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Matara.

Don Samel Weerasingha of Madiba . . . Plaintiff.
No. 6,572. Against

Don Carolis Samarasingha, Overseer Arachchi of Nupe . . . Defendant.

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 the following properties on April 2, 1932, at the respective spots as mentioned below.

(1) Commencing at 2 p.m., at the spot.—All that the soil and fruit trees and the 9 cubit tiled house standing thereon of lot B of the land called Walawewatta alias Maga-addara-pelawatta, situated at Nupe, in extent 37-35 perches.

(2) Commencing at 3-30 p.m., at the spot.—All that the lot B of the field called Muhandirangekumbura, situated at Watagedera, in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 15 perches.

For further particulars please apply to W. J. Sarasinghe, Esq., Proctor, or to—

K. M. THOROLIS SILVA,
Matara, March 7, 1932. Commissioner.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Matara.

Peyanna Eswanna Mana Chettiar, and Peyanna Rawaanna Mana Periyakarupan Chettiar, both of 106, Sea street, Colombo . . . Plaintiffs.

No. 6,935. Against

Mohamed Abdul Cader, Mohamed Thahir of Kade-weedya in Matara, insolvent in D. C., insolvency Case No. 80, P.L. Suppiah Pillai of Kaluwella, Galle; assignee appointed in the above insolvency case . . . Defendant.

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 the following properties on April 2, 1932, at the respective spot as mentioned below.

Commencing at 9.30 a.m., at the spot.

1. All that the soil and plantations including rubber and the entirety of the rubber store and all the buildings and houses standing thereon of the land called Horaketiyehena, situated at Vitiyala, in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 21 perches.

2. All that the entirety of the soil and all the plantations including rubber and all the buildings standing thereon of the land called Iriyagahadeniyeatmaga alias Diyaparagahadeniyeatmaga, situated at Karagoda Uyan-goda, in extent 5 acres 3 roods and 12 perches.

3. All that the entirety of the soil and all the plantations including rubber and all the buildings standing thereon of the land called Iriyagahadeniyeatmaga alias Diyaparagahadeniyeatmaga, situated at Karagoda, Uyan-goda, in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 23 perches.

4. All that the soil and plantations including rubber of the land called lot D of Linadgawadeniyawatta, situated at Karagoda Uyangoda, in extent 1 acre and 38.75 perches.

5. All that the undivided 93/132 share of the soil and paraveni fruit trees and an undivided 1/2 part of the planter's share of all the plantations of the land called Horaketiya-owita, situated at Ihala Vitiyala, in extent 2 roods and 6 perches.

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

Matara, March 7, 1932. K. M. THOROLIS SILVA, Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, case No. 739/981 entered in favour of the plaintiff, Edith E. Addams-Williams of Kandy, against the defendants, Charlotte E. Mahakoon and another of Kandy, I shall sell by public auction at the spot at 4 P.M. on Friday, April 8, 1932:—

All that eastern lot No. 3 being the divided two-fifth shares, in extent 1 acre 22.6 perches, out of the land bearing assessment No. 219, situate at Katugastota road, Kandy, with the tiled house and everything thereon.

For further particulars apply to V. M. Guruswamy, Esq., Proctor, Kandy, or to—

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

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

(1) William Adams Clough and his wife (2) Anna-ledehumy, both of Tellipalai. Plaintiffs. No. 26,828. Vs. Sinnatamby Subramaniam of Mallagam. Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction the under-mentioned land on Saturday, April 2, 1932, at 4 P.M.:—

All that piece of land situated at Mallakam called Kaththaravathai, in extent 22 lachams varagu culture, with houses, spontaneous and cultivated plantations, palmyras, and well; and bounded on the east by the property of Thangaratnam, daughter of Subramaniam, north by the property of Thangaratnam, daughter of Subramaniam, west by the property of Sellam, wife of Elaiyatamby, and by lane, and on the south by lane.

March 8, 1932. J. D. VEERASINGHAM, Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

P. L. S. L. P. L. Palaniappa Chettiar by his attorney P. R. M. Malayandi Chettiar of Marampe. Plaintiff. No. 9,463. Vs.

(1) Warnakula Aditta Arsanilatta Ropina Lowa and wife (2) Ponnage Vithora Fernando both of Thalwila, (3) Avenna Thana Ana, Ruma Appa Chettiar of Negombo. Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, April 2, 1932, commencing at 1 P.M. at the spots, the lands mentioned hereunder:—

1. The undivided 1/3 share of the garden called Paliyagarawatta alias Gorakagahawatta, situate at Kuthairippuwa in Katugampola korale in Katugampola pattu in Kurunegala District, in extent 4 acres and 1 rood, end of the plantations and buildings standing thereon. Registered in C 74/374.

2. The land called Kahatagahahena alias Halpanagara, situate at Kuthairippuwa aforesaid, in extent 10 acres and 3 roods, together with the plantations and buildings standing thereon. Registered in C 151/374.

3. The undivided 1/3 share of the contiguous lands called Bakmeegahamulahena and the divided portion in extent 600 coconut trees plantable soil of the land called Gorakagahamulahenyaya, situate at Kuthairippuwa aforesaid, in extent about 12 acres and of the plantations and buildings standing thereon. Registered in C 133/384.

4. At 4 p.m.—The undivided portion in extent 48 coconut trees plantable soil from and out of the land called Thalagahawatta planted by Silvestri Tissera of the land called Bogahayawa, situate at Thalwila in Yatakalam pattu in the District of Chilaw, in extent about 100 coconut trees plantable soil or about 1 1/2 acres and of the plantations and buildings standing thereon. Registered in M 107/135.

5. The undivided 2/5 share of the land called Bogahayawa, situate at Thalwila aforesaid, in extent about 25 coconut trees plantable soil and of the plantations and buildings standing thereon. Registered in M 107/136, and all the right, title, interest, and claim whatsoever of the said 1st and 2nd defendants.

Chilaw, March 5, 1932. B. M. CARRIM, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Matara.

Situge Dona Francina de Silva of Henegama (curatrix over the minors—Situge Juliyas de Silva, Situge Vincent de Silva, and Situge Beatrice de Silva, appointed in curator case No. 98, in D.C., Matara) Plaintiff. No. 5,541. Vs.

(1) Mohamed Abdulla Davud Marikkar, (2) Davud Marikkar Anima Umma, (3) Davud Marikkar Kadija Umma, (4) Davud Marikkar Fatima Umma, (5) Davud Marikkar Uma Aisha, (6) Davud Marikkar Saifa, (7) Davud Marikkar Rahuma, (8) Uduma Lebbe Marikkar Sahudiya Natchaya, (9) Kotuwagoda, (9) K. C. Abeysooriya of Talijjaya, (10) A. N. Adimoolan Chettiar of Kaluyella, Cilla. Defendants.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, April 9, 1932, at 4 P.M. at the office of D. Atapattu, Esq., Proctor, Tangalla, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 12,000, with further interest and costs, the following property, to wit:—

1. All that undivided 5/36th parts together with an undivided 1/3 part of the citronella plantation and of the boiler and of the appertenances, and an undivided 1/3 part of all the buildings standing thereon of the land called south-eastern portion of Kammalabendi-tuduwa at Tangalla, in West Giruwa pattu of Hambantota District, in extent about 230 acres.

2. All that undivided 1/3 part of the soil and fruit trees of the divided and separated portion marked lot C of the land called Marakolliyemulane Palugahawewa at Marakolliya in West Giruwa pattu aforesaid, in extent 10 acres 3 roods and 38.84 perches.

3. All that undivided 1/3 part of the soil and fruit trees of the divided and separated portion marked lot No. 1 of lot A of the land called Marakolliye Palugahawewa alias Marakolliyemulane Palugahawewa, situated at Marakolliya aforesaid, in extent 18 acres 1 rood and 27 perches.

4. All that undivided 1/3 part of the soil and fruit trees of the divided and separated portion marked lot 3 of lot A of Marakollimulle Palugahawewa alias Marakolliyemulane Palugahawewa, situated at Marakolliya aforesaid, in extent 9 acres 2 roods and 27 perches.

5. All that undivided 1/3 part of the divided and separated portion marked lot A of the land called Walawe Irrigation Lands, situated at Mahadeniya in Giruwa pattu east, in Hambantota District, in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 6 1/2 perches.

6. All that undivided 1/3 part of the divided and separated portion marked lot D of the land called Walawe Irrigation Lands, situated at Mahadeniya aforesaid, in extent 27 acres 1 rood and 1 perch.

7. All those contiguous lands called Deniyekatuwehena and Pahaladeniyekatuwekumbura at Medadeniya in Giruwa pattu east aforesaid, in extent 1 rood and 13 perches.

8. All that land called Deniyekatuwa, situated at Mahadeniya aforesaid, in extent 3 roods and 15 perches.

9. All that land called Walawe lands alias Wattagawakumbura, situated at Minietillye in Giruwa pattu east aforesaid, in extent 4 acres 3 roods and 22 perches.

10. All that land called Ihaladeniyekatuwa, situated at Medadeniya in Giruwa pattu east aforesaid, in extent 2 roods.

11. All that land called Paragawakumbura at Medadeniya aforesaid, in extent 1 acre and 8 perches.

12. All that land called Walawe Lands, situated at Medadeniya aforesaid, in extent 5 acres.

Matara, March 1, 1932. D. P. JAYAWARDENE, Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Mullaittivu.

Senanayake Mudiyanseelage Appuhamy Senanayake of Kebitigollewa by his attorney C. R. Wattewewa of ditto in Kunchuttu korale Plaintiff.

No. 422. Vs.

Arumugam Kathiresu of Vavuniya Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case for the recovery of Rs. 1,475 with interest on Rs. 1,285 at 12 per cent. from October 23, 1930, till November 15, 1930, and thereafter on the aggregate amount at 9 per cent. till payment in full, and costs Rs. 126.05, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, April 9, 1932, from 10 A.M., the following lands, viz. :—

(1) All that south-eastern portion in extent 23 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches out of land lot No. 6023 described in plan No. 178,973 called Kurumankadu, situated at Vavuniya in Kilakkumoolai South in Vavuniya South, Mullaittivu District, Northern Province, in extent 1 acre 1 rood 21 perches; and bounded on the east and south by road, north by land of Thangam widow of Sinnathamby and others, and west by the second land described below.

(2) All that south-eastern portion in extent 125 feet in length from north to south and 76 feet in breadth from east to west, in extent 35 perches out of land lot No. 6023 described in plan No. 178,973, called Kurumankadu, situated at ditto; and bounded on the east by the first land described above, north and west by the lands of S. M. A. Senanayake, and south by road, with the use of the well in the compound in the north and the right of way thereto

M. SELVADURAI,
Deputy Fiscal's Office, Additional Deputy Fiscal.

Mullaittivu, March 8, 1932.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

R. RAJALINGAM SINGANADURAI of Vavuniya, presently of "Mareder," Silver Street, Colombo, do hereby give notice that I shall six weeks hence apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Hon. Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

R. RAJANADURAI.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

H. J. F. VAN LANGENBERG of Colombo, do hereby give notice, that six weeks from the date hereof, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Hon. the Supreme Court to be enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

March 2, 1932.

H. J. F. VAN LANGENBERG.

APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCE, &c.

I hereby give notice that I have on March 7, 1932, applied to the Government Agent, Central Province, for the licences shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1932 :

Schedule referred to

Name and address of applicant: A. A. Bowler, Grand Hotel, Kandy.

Description of licence or licence applied for: Hotel Licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Grand Hotel (former King's Hotel).

March 7, 1932.

A. A. BOWLER.

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 uncancelled 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. B5468. (2) Date of Receipt: October 13, 1931. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): Arthur Humbert, Francis Humbert Taylor, Charles Dingwall Williams, Charles Francis Morten Humbert and Herbert Henry Winterbottom trading as WILLIAMS & HUMBERT, 39, Crutched Friars, London, England; wine shippers and merchants. (4) Address for service

in the Island: c/o F. J. & G. de Saram, Colombo. (5) Class: 43. (6) Goods: Sherry wine. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark :

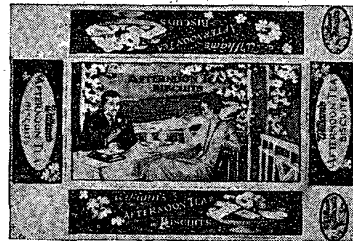
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This trade mark is claimed to have been used in the Island since December 30, 1923. The application is transferred from Part A and allowed to proceed under section 67 (2) of the Trade Marks Ordinance No. 15 of 1925.

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,
Colombo, March 1, 1932. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 5,536. (2) Date of Receipt: February 9, 1932. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): KALUACHCHI KANKANAMAGE WILLIAM, trading as Lanka Biscuit Manufactory, 22, Maligawatta, Colombo; general merchant and manufacturer of biscuits, &c. (4) Class: 42. (5) Goods: Biscuits. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark :



Registration of this trade mark shall give no right to the exclusive use of the word "WILLIAM'S".

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,
Colombo, February 23, 1932. Registrar of Trade Marks

TRADE MARKS MONTHLY LIST FOR FEBRUARY, 1932.

Trade Mark		Advertised in Gazette		Proprietors.		Class.
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424.	5988.	27.	5.1904.	Nestle & Anglo Swiss Condensed Milk Co.		42
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430.	5986.	13.	5.1904.	Do.		43
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1902.	6941.	10.	5.1918.	Meyer Bridgens & Co., Ltd.		42
1903.	6941.	10.	5.1918.	Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd.		42
1904.	6941.	10.	5.1918.	Do.		42
1909.	6944.	24.	5.1918.	Venesta, Limited		50
1919.	6950.	21.	6.1918.	A. J. Caley & Son, Ltd.		42

Registrations Expired.

551.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	T. C. Williams Co. (Incorporated)		45
552.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	Do.		45
553.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	Do.		45
554.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	Do.		45
555.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	Do.		45
556.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	Do.		45
557.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	Do.		45
558.	5971.	26.	2.1904.	Do.		45
1870.	6926.	22.	2.1918.	H. W. Cave & Co.		39
1872.	6926.	22.	2.1918.	The Caribonum Co., Ltd.		39
1874.	6927.	1.	3.1918.	A. V. R. A. Adaikappa Chetty		48
1877.	6928.	8.	3.1918.	Bethlehem Steel Co. of New York Inc.		5
1879.	6928.	8.	3.1918.	A. V. R. A. Adaikappa Chetty		47
1880.	6928.	8.	3.1918.	Do.		47
1963.	6990.	17.	1.1919.	Tobacco Products Corporation of Great Britain & Ireland, Ltd.		45

Registrar-General's Office, C. COOMARASWAMY,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. Registrar of Trade Marks.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Sale of Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages, which have been lying in the Baggage Office, B. 2 Warehouse and the Indian Goods Shed, beyond the time allowed by law, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday April 12, 1932, at 1 P.M., unless previously cleared. All goods sold, but not cleared within three 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.

Date.	Serial No.	Names or Marks.	Vessel.	Number and Description of Packages.
November 1 1931.	3,570	Mr. Fernando	ss. "Amboise"	1 bundle, 2 chairs
November 9	4,027	Mrs. B. B. Benison	ss. "Yorkshire"	1 chair
November 14	4,211	Nil	Found in Baggage Office	1 hat
November 19 1932.	4,436	Mr. S. Omar	Talaimannar train	1 tin snuff
January 10	247	F.O.	ss. "Chakdina"	1 bundle tobacco
February 3	1,250	William Singho	ss. "Ville D. Amiens"	1 tin tobacco
B. 2 WAREHOUSE.				
Entry No. 1,487 of December 17, 1929		H D C around a triangle	ss. "Chindwara"	1 case paperware
INDIAN GOODS SHED.				
Waybill No. 19/18 of October 21, 1931			ss. "Irwin"	1 parcel tobacco
				W. HOLMES, for Principal Collector.

C/Borukgamuwa and Pattalagedara Private Schools.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with clause 32 (iii.) of the Code for Assisted Vernacular and Bilingual Schools, the management of C/Borukgamuwa S. M. and C/Pattalagedara S. G. Private Schools has been taken over temporarily by Government as from March 1, 1932, until further notice.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. S. P. Jayatunga has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, in place of Rev. J. A. Ewing.
Schools referred to: C/Makewita S. M. S., Ng/Uggalboda S. M. S.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. F. V. de A. Jayasinghe has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below, in place of Rev. J. A. Ewing.
School referred to: C/Gonawala S. M. School.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Very Rev. Father D. B. Galassi, O.S.B., has been appointed Manager of the Schools mentioned below in place of Rev. Father D. A. Weerasinghe, O.S.B.

Schools referred to: (1) St. Anthony's College, Kandy, (2) Kandy Convent Girls' English School, (3) Kandy St. Scholastica's Girls' English School, (4) Kandy Convent Girls' Sinhalese School, (5) Kandy St. Clement's Boys' Sinhalese and Tamil School.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 1, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Rev. H. M. Greet has been appointed Manager of the School mentioned below in place of the Rev. A. S. Paynter.
School referred to: Nuwara Eliya I. C. M. English school.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 5, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. D. J. Bartholomeusz has been appointed Manager of the Schools mentioned below in place of Rev. W. O. Bevan.

Schools referred to: Mr/Sultanagoda, Mr/Matara Fort, Mr/Pallimulla, Mr/Meddawatte Mixed, Mr/Dondra, Mr/Gandara, Mr/Malimbada.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 3, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. K. Dhammananda has been appointed Manager of the Schools mentioned below in place of Mr. P. K. M. Punchi Banda.
School referred to: Kg/Kanangamuwa Bud. M. School.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 8, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. D. F. Lanadown has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below, in place of Rev. W. O. Bevan.

Schools referred to: Mr/Weligama, Mr/Mirissa, Mr/Dikwella, Mr/Urugamuwa, Mr/Meddawatta Girls' Bilingual, H/Tangalla, H/Marakolliya, H/Kahawatte, Mr/Hakmana, Mr/Sonigaspe, Mr/Tihagoda.

Education Office,
Colombo, March 3, 1932.

L. MACRAE,
Director of Education.

The Manana Mines, Limited.

In the matter of The Manana Mines, Limited, and in the matter of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, No. 4 of 1861, and Ordinance No. 22 of 1866.

WHEREAS there is reason to believe that The Manana Mines, Limited, which was incorporated on March 28, 1925, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, No. 4 of 1861, is not carrying on business or in operation, and is not capable of being formally wound up:

Now know Ye that I, Chinnappah Coomaraswamy, Registrar of Companies, do, in terms of the provisions of the Ordinance No. 22 of 1866 and section 295 (4) of the Companies Act, 1929, hereby give notice that, at the expiration of three months from this date, the name of The Manana Mines, Limited will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register of Joint Stock Companies kept in this office, and the Company will be dissolved.

Dated at Colombo, this 2nd March, 1932.

C. COOMARASWAMY,
Registrar of Companies.

Sale of Standing Trees.

WRITTEN offers are invited for the purchase of standing trees described in the annexed schedule.

2. Offers should be made subject to the following conditions, by letter, preferably under sealed and registered cover, addressed to the Divisional Forest Officers concerned and posted or handed over personally not later than midday on Friday, April 8, 1932, the envelope being marked on the left hand top corner "Offer for Purchase of Standing Timber," and signed by the tenderer.

3. Lump sum offers should be made for each item or lot in the schedule written both in words and in figures. Offers may be made for more than one item or lot in the same letter but rates should be quoted for each item or lot separately.

4. Offers should accompany a remittance of Rs. 10 by Money Order or Cheque; this remittance will be returned to those whose offers are rejected, and the successful tenderer will be given credit for the amount in the final payment for the timber.

5. Prospective tenderers should inspect the trees to be tendered for. The cubical contents given in the schedule are approximate.

6. Any tenderer whose offer is accepted shall within 10 days of notification of acceptance of his offer pay the full purchase amount. In the event of failure to pay the full purchase amount the sum of Rs. 10 previously paid shall be forfeited and the timber revert to Crown.

7. The Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the right, without question of rejecting any or all offers and of accepting any offer or part of an offer.

8. All material purchased shall be at the risk of the purchaser until its removal by him on a removal permit.

9. The buyer, his agent, or his representative shall be liable for punishment under the Forest Ordinance for commission of any forest offence in the course of completing the transaction.

10. Any purchaser violating the conditions of purchase shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 25 per cent. of purchase amount, and to be included in the list of persons to whom no permits are to be issued.

11. Should any tender or offer be accepted and should the successful tenderer after due notification decline or fail to pay any sum or sums stipulated for within the time allowed or in reasonable time he will be held pecuniarily liable for any resultant loss to Government. Tenders and offers are made and received on this distinct understanding. The Conservator of Forests reserves the discretionary power to waive the terms of this clause in any degree as he may consider the circumstances justify.

SCHEDULE.

Eastern Division, Batticaloa.

Mahaoya Range.

Item No.	No.	C. Ft.	
1. Satin	3	192	} Ten acre coupe. In Tiralioidai forest Neweragala Reserve, 2 miles east of Badulla-Batticaloa road between the 76th and 77th mile. Distance of transport 17 miles P. W. D. road and 2 miles forest cart track to the Eravur Railway Station.
2. Milla	5	164	
3. Ranai	30	375	
4. Chalambai	25	911	
5. Makil	3	120	
6. Tirucondal	2	15	

North-Western Division, Kurunegala.

Chilaw Range.

1. Nedun	1	5	In Wadura-ela at Medagoda, 3 miles by V. C. road and 7 miles by P. W. D. road to Nathandiya Railway Station.
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Central Division, Nuwara Eliya.

Naula Range.

1. Ranai	3	55	} In Ereula Ihalagama in Waga Pallesiya pattu, 21 miles to Kekirawa Railway Station. Distance from forest to Dambulla-Matale road is 7 miles.
2. Halmilla	3	67	
3. Kadumberiya	3	109	
4. Milla	2	134	

Kandy Range.

1. Jak	1	59	} Unsound } Sound } Sound { In Udawattukelle Reserve. 4 chains from main road at Boowelikade. 2 miles to Kandy Railway Station.
2. Milla	1	42	
3. Welan	1	25	

Sabaragamuwa Division, Ratnapura.

Kegalla Range.

1. Del trees	8	167	} Sound. Standing on land leased to L. William Perera of Kegalla and adjoining Kegalla-Andaramada road, and 8½ miles to Polgahawela Railway Station.
2. Milla trees	9	156	
3. Jak trees	2	33	
4. Etamba trees	1	14	
5. Kadumberiya	1	66	
6. Welan	1	28	
7. Katukon	1	11	
8. Dunumadala	1	12	
9. Gonna	1	104	
10. Batadomba	1	41	
11. Del trees	90	3,302	} Standing in lot 124 in F. V. P. No. 151, about 2½ miles from Rambukkana-Deliwala D. R. C. road and 4 miles from Rambukkana Railway Station.
12. Jak trees	65	2,804	
13. Milla trees	25	503	

Sale of Timber, North-Western Division.

WRITTEN offers are invited for the purchase of all standing and fallen, dead and girdled enumerated trees in the service appearing in the annexed schedule.

2. Offers should be made by letter, under sealed and registered cover, addressed to the Divisional Forest Officer, North-Western Division, Kurunegala, and posted to reach the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, Kurunegala, not later than midday on Tuesday, April 5, 1932, the envelope being marked on the left hand top corner "Offer for the Purchase of Timber, North-Western Division," and signed by tenderer. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the offers may be treated as informal and rejected.

3. A deposit of Rs. 20 is required, and should be forwarded with the offer by a money order in favour of the Divisional Forest Officer, Kurunegala.

4. (a) Tenderers should satisfy themselves by inspection before tendering about the contents of the material in the annexed schedule, as the figures given therein are estimated only and their correctness is in no way guaranteed. The material in the areas will be pointed out by the local Forest Ranger.

(b) For every forest plant that is damaged by the wilful neglect or gross carelessness of the workman in the process of the felling operations, a fine not exceeding the double royalty of the material involved will be recovered from the purchaser.

(c) Felling should be carried out on the lines directed by the officer who will be in charge of the felling.

(d) Felling as far as possible should be done by lopping off the branches before felling the stem and such lopped branches should be lowered by means of ropes. The felling of the stem also should be guided by means of ropes.

5. The successful tenderer will be required to execute a purchase agreement in respect of the lots. A copy of this agreement can be seen at the Office of the Divisional Forest Officer, Kurunegala.

6. Before execution of the agreement the purchaser will be required to pay the full purchase amount.

7. After payment of the purchase amount, deposit of the security, and execution of the agreement, the purchaser will be entitled on application to refund of his tender deposit. Should the successful tenderer fail to carry out the requirements of clauses 5 and 6 of this notice, within fourteen days of receiving notice in writing from the Divisional Forest Officer that his tender has been accepted, the Rs. 20 deposited will be forfeited to the Crown.

8. Tenderers should make offers, written both in words and figures, for the material contained in the lots.

9. No offer will be considered unless the procedure laid down above has strictly been complied with.

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

11. The security to be deposited is 25 per cent. of the offer accepted.

12. Should any offer be accepted and should the successful tenderer after due notification decline or fail to pay any sum or sums stipulated for and to enter into the necessary contract within the time allowed, he will be held pecuniarily liable for any resultant loss to Government. Offers are made and received on this distinct understanding. The Conservator of Forests reserves the discretionary power to waive the terms of this clause in any degree as he may consider the circumstances justify.

13. For any further information application should be made to the Divisional Forest Officer, Kurunegala.

Special Conditions.

(1) On payment of the full purchase amount, the purchaser will be entitled to fell and remove before July 31, 1932, in the manner specified below, all the material enumerated in the annexed schedule. Any material not removed by the expiry date shall *ipso facto* revert to the Crown. No extension of time will be allowed under any circumstances.

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

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

(4) The purchaser or his agent or workmen shall not damage any Forest plant, boundary pillars, or block up the boundaries by depositing any brushwood or branches. All lines so blocked must be recleared by the purchaser.

(5) Removal permits will be issued by the Range Forest Officer authorizing the purchaser to remove the material.

(6) The purchaser shall agree that for each and every infringement of the above conditions, he shall become liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 100 to be imposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, in writing at his discretion, and to be recovered from the purchaser's security money.

SCHEDULE.

Service No. 1—Dickelle: 50 acres.

The area to be exploited is a portion of the Dickelle Reserved Forest in Katugampola hatpattu, Kurunegala District, in Dandagamuwa Range. The distance to Dankotuwa is about 5 miles, to Bolawatte about 10 miles, to Negombo about 12 miles. The area contains approximately the following timber and firewood:—

	Class I.		Class II.		Class III.	
	No.	C. Ft.	No.	C. Ft.	No.	C. Ft.
Del	61	1935	44	557	6	37
Kekuna	2	369	—	—	—	—
Daulkurundu	1	26	—	—	—	—
Kahata	3	120	10	155	—	—
Dawata	2	113	—	—	—	—
Hedawaka	1	19	—	—	—	—
Etamba	1	73	1	11	—	—
Hik	2	62	—	—	—	—
Ketakala	1	9	—	—	—	—
Badulla	1	13	—	—	—	—
Welan	—	—	1	12	—	—

Firewood: 150 cubic yards.

In situ value Rs. 500.

J. D. SARGENT,
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Colombo, March 7, 1932.

The Colombo-Labugama Junction High Level Road.

WESTERN PROVINCE.

Colombo District.

IT is notified for general information that the Colombo-Labugama junction high level road will be opened to through traffic from 9 A.M. on Saturday, March 19, 1932.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, March 3, 1932.

W. J. PRICE,
for Director of Public Works.

Kudagama and Kelaniya Checking Stations.

I do hereby give notice that the under-mentioned checking stations established in terms of regulation No. 1 made under section 24 (1) (f) of the Forest Ordinance No. 16 of 1907 by Proclamation in *Government Gazette* No. 6,631 of June 26, 1914, have been closed:—

Kelaniya in Siyane korale west: between the 6th and 7th mileposts, Colombo-Biyagama road.

Kadugama in Hewagam korale on the Colombo-Avissawella road (north of 29th milepost).

J. D. SARGENT,
Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Colombo, March 7, 1932.

Rinderpest—Protective Zones.

WHEREAS rinderpest has broken out in Dandubendiruppa in Dandubendiruppa wasama and Bulanawewa and Kumbukgolla in Belyakanda wasama in the Matale District, the under-mentioned wasamas in the District of Matale of the Central Province, are hereby declared "Protective Zones" in terms of section 6, subsections (1) and (2), of Ordinance No. 25 of 1909, as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1923.

1. Bambaragaswewa wasama in Kandepalle korale of Matale North, which said wasama is bounded on the north by Palurotawewa wew-wana spill, village limits of Kirimeti-yawa and Moragolla, on the east by Hewanella-oya, on the south by village limit of Paluhombawa and Bambaruwanahana-ela at Andalagala, and on the west by the village limit of Inihaminnegama, the district boundary of Kurunegala, and the village limit of Alutwewa.

2. Galewela wasama in Kandepalle korale of Matale North, which said wasama is bounded on the north by palu tree on the village limit of Nabadagahawatta and the Gansabhawa road leading from Dambulla-Kurunegala road to Batalakotuawewa, on the east by Alukandehinna at Dambagolla and Kalugala-oya, on the south by Rankirulputa and Kalugala-oyamedabeddeganima, and on the west by the village limit of Ranwediya and Tibbotugalahinna.

3. Nabadagahawatta wasama in Kandepalle korale of Matale North, which said wasama is bounded on the north by the village limit of Walaswewa and the tank bund of Lokugaswewa, the spill of Galpita Puwakpitiya tank and Dalupotawewa, on the east by Talagahawalemukalana and Malawa-oya, on the south by the village limit of Nikawehera and Egodawela, and on the west by the spill of Puwakpitiya tank and Kuppayangala.

4. Walaswewa wasama in Kandepalle korale of Matale North, which said wasama is bounded on the north by the village limit of Silvatgama and Belyakanda, on the east by Ketiganehinna and Unagollehinna, on the south by the village limit of Makulamulla and Millagahamula-ela, and on the west by Gangodagala and village limit of Damunumulla.

This declaration is to take effect from this date.

The Kachcheri, C. E. JONES,
Matale, March 4, 1932. Assistant Government Agent.

Lease of Landing Place at Kirillapone Canal Reservation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Western Province will receive tenders for the purchase of the lease of the under-mentioned Crown land for a period of one year and nine months from April 1, 1932.

2. The tenders, which must be in sealed envelopes, will be received at the Colombo Kachcheri until 1 P.M. on Wednesday, March 23, 1932, when they will be opened. All persons making the tenders will be required to be present, or to satisfy, the Government Agent by some duly accredited agent that the tender is made *bona fide*.

Conditions.

1. The purchase amount shall be paid in full on the day of sale.
2. The purchaser or his workmen shall not cut any tree or interfere with an existing fence or boundary.
3. The purchaser shall not assign, transfer, or sublet without permission previously obtained in writing from the Government Agent.
4. The purchaser shall pay all Municipal taxes.
5. The Government Agent or any one acting under his authority will be entitled to re-enter into occupation at any time on giving one month's notice to the lessee.
6. The purchaser shall keep the premises clean and in good order, and also comply with the Municipal regulations.
7. The Government Agent shall have the liberty to cut as many trees as are found to be necessary, for which proportionate refunds will be made to the lessee.
8. The purchaser shall not erect huts or buildings of any description without the permission of the Government Agent.

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9. In the event of any breach of the foregoing conditions, the Government Agent will resume possession of the land and eject the purchaser from the premises without compensation.

10. The Government Agent reserves the right to reject any bid or all bids.

The Kachcheri, N. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, March 7, 1932. Government Agent.

Land referred to.

An extent 50 ft. by 75 ft. of the Kirillapone Canal Reservation, situated on the western bank of the Kirillapone canal and to the south of the Kirillapone bridge.

VITAL STATISTICS.**Registrar-General's Report on Vital Statistics of the City of Colombo for the Week ended March 5, 1932.**

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 178 (4 Europeans, 13 Burghers, 103 Sinhalese, 21 Tamils, 24 Moors, 8 Malays, and 5 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1932, viz., 291,260) was 32.0, as against 33.0 in the preceding week, 32.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.1 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 145 (6 Europeans, 6 Burghers, 81 Sinhalese, 19 Tamils, 22 Moors, 4 Malays, and 7 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 26.0, as against 25.0 in the previous week, 21.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25.2 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 145 total deaths, 37 were of infants under one year of age, as against 26 in the preceding week, 23 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 29 the average for last year.

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

Principal Causes of Death.—1. (a) Fourteen deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, 8 in Maradana hospitals (including 5 deaths of non-residents), 2 in Kotahena South, and 1 each in Fort, Maradana North, Maradana South, and Kollupitiya, as against 21 in the previous week and 17 the weekly average for last year.

(b) Thirteen deaths from *Influenza* were registered, 4 in Slave Island, 3 in St. Paul's, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in Pettah, Kotahena North, Kotahena South, and Kollupitiya as against, 6 in the previous week and 10 the weekly average for last year.

(c) Eight deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered, 4 in Maradana hospitals (including 1 death of a non-resident) 2 in Maradana North, and 1 each in Maradana South and Slave Island, as against 4 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

2. (a) Thirteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, 8 in Maradana hospitals (including 4 deaths of non-residents), 2 in Kotahena South, and 1 each in St. Paul's, New Bazaar, and Maradana North, as against 9 in the previous week and 12 the weekly average for last year.

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

3. One death from *Plague* was registered in San Sebastian. The number registered during the preceding week as also the weekly average for last year was 1.

4. Twelve deaths from *Enteritis* were registered, 4 from *Debility*, 2 each from *Diarrhoea*, *Infantile Convulsions*, and *Homicide*, 1 each from *Dysentery*, *Worms*, *Puerperal Septicaemia*, and *Accidents*, and 70 from *Other Causes*.

5. **Reported Cases.**—Forty-two cases of *Chickenpox* (including 2 in Port), 5 of *Enteric Fever*, 4 of *Whooping Cough*, 2 of *Plague*, and 1 of *Measles* were reported during the week, as against 64, 8, 6, 1, and 4 respectively, of the preceding week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 78.9°, against 79.3° in the preceding week, and 82.4° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.977 in., against 29.954 in. in the preceding week and 29.920 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was nil, against 2.26 in. in the preceding week and 0.39 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office, P. D. RATNATUNGA,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. for Registrar-General.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.

General Meeting.

Wednesday, February 3, 1932, at 3 p.m.

THE Council met this day at 3 p.m., pursuant to notice, dated January 27, 1932.

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. N. R. Blande ; Mr. M. L. M. Reyal ; Dr. S. Muttiah ; Mr. T. C. Dyball ; Mr. F. Dadabhoy, J.P. ; Mr. J. S. Collett, Lt.-Col. N. W. Napier-Clavering, D.S.O., R.E. ; Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe, M.S.C. ; Mr. Aelian W. Pereira ; Mr. A. R. A. Razik ; and Mr. T. A. Owles.

1. The minutes of the General Meeting of January 13 and of the adjourned General Meeting of January 15, 1932, having been previously printed and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read. Resolved that the minutes of the General Meeting of January 13 and of the adjourned General Meeting of January 15, 1932, be confirmed.

2. Pursuant to notice, Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe presented a petition from Mr. Peter de Silva of No. 30/32, Silver-smith street, Colombo, relating to a claim by him on the Council in respect of the sale in 1915 of property bearing assessment No. 714/18, Nagalagam street in Grandpass, for arrears of rates, and asked that it be referred to the appropriate Committees.

3. Pursuant to notice, Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe presented a petition from Mr. P. C. M. Yoosooof of Dematagoda, regarding premises No. 38, Maradana, praying that he be allowed to re-build under the first sanctioned street line or that the whole land be acquired by the Council and re-sell what is not wanted without compelling him to suffer for no fault of his, and asked that it be referred to the appropriate Committees.

4. Pursuant to notice Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando asked the following questions which the Chairman answered :—

(1) Q. Will the Chairman place before the appropriate Committee all papers in connection with the alleged over-charging by the Gas Company for gas supplied to consumers, together with a report from the Municipal Engineer and suggestions as to what steps should be taken by the Council to prevent a recurrence of this in the future ?

A. Yes.

(2) Q. Will the Chairman place before the Four Standing Committees for consideration the question of making illegal pillion-riding on motor cycles within the City of Colombo ?

A. Yes.

5. Pursuant to notice, Mr. M. L. M. Reyal asked the following question which the Chairman answered :—

Q. "Will the Chairman be pleased to state why he refused to grant a licence to take an elephant in the Buddhist procession on the 22nd instant ?"

A. On January 18, I received an application from one H. Upasena for a licence to take three elephants in procession through the City. Some of the busiest and most congested streets in the City were mentioned in the application, for example, Kachcheri road, Dam street, Dematagoda road, Union place, Panchikawatta road and others.

Whether applications of this kind should be allowed or not mostly depends upon questions of traffic control, and the application was, therefore, as usual, forwarded to the Superintendent of Police, Colombo, for his observations. The Superintendent of Police reported as follows :—

"Processions with elephants are most undesirable in the City as they disorganize traffic and require a large force of Police to control them. Where there is precedent for including elephants in a procession we do not oppose it, but do our best to control traffic and help the procession along.

In this case there is no precedent. This is not a regular annual procession for which a permit to use elephants has been granted in the past and I do not recommend the application."

It appeared to me that the principle laid down by the Superintendent of Police was right and that, though we should not refuse applications, the allowing of which has been customary in the past, and which might be regarded as having a kind of prescriptive right, it was undesirable to encourage new applications. I accordingly refused the licence on January 19.

On January 21, I received a further letter from the Superintendent of Police, the relevant portion of which is as follows :—

"I have the honour to state that I am instructed by the Minister for Home Affairs to withdraw the objection on the grounds of creating a precedent as the Hon. the Minister has held that the occasion is one of considerable importance in the Buddhist Religion, and he recommends that permission be given for one elephant only."

After carefully reconsidering the matter I replied as follows :—

"I have the honour to inform you that the permit has already been refused and I see no reason to alter my decision. Permit accordingly will not be issued."

The reasons for this final decision were as follows :—

Under the by-law, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 6,525 of October 4, 1912, the Chairman of this Council is the sole authority entrusted with issuing licences for taking elephants through the streets. A decision cannot be made either by the Hon. the Minister for Home Affairs or by the Superintendent of Police. I regard it as my duty under the by-law to use my own discretion in the matter after taking any advice that I consider desirable. In the present instance, the only reason which the Hon. the Minister for Home Affairs suggested for altering my decision was that the occasion is one of considerable importance in the Buddhist Religion. I did not consider that this was a sufficient reason for varying the decision already arrived at. The question has to be decided on grounds of traffic control and not on religious grounds. It appeared to me that similar considerations might be put forward in the future on behalf of processions considered to be important by Hindus, Muslims, Roman Catholics, Protestants of various denominations, adherents of other religious and possibly secular bodies. To allow this application would, therefore, have formed a precedent which it would have been difficult not to follow and which would have entirely abrogated the policy of discouraging new applications for elephants in the busy streets of Colombo. It appeared to me, in short, that if the present application were allowed on the ground that it is of importance to the Buddhist Religion, it would become practically impossible to draw the line anywhere, and that processions of elephants through the City with their attendant disorganisation of traffic, blocking of the roads, nuisance and annoyance to the ordinary users of the roads, would become frequent. It is true that while the original application was for three elephants, the Minister suggested allowing only one. But this did not appear to me in any way to affect the principle at issue.

I need hardly add that the decision was not intended, and should not be regarded, as in any sense derogatory to Buddhism. The processions of all religious bodies must and will be treated alike. And to introduce religious opinions into what is purely a matter of traffic control is to confuse the issue.

I would point out that before the Hon. the Minister for Home Affairs intervened in this matter I had already received the disinterested advice of the Superintendent of Police who had, presumably, given the matter full consideration and exercised his discretion in what he considered the right way in giving that advice. On receiving his second letter stating that he was instructed by the Minister for Home Affairs to withdraw his objection I was unable to feel that I was any longer receiving a genuine expression of opinion from the Police. I was receiving not their real advice, but advice which they had been ordered to give, whether they agreed with it or not. If I desire any advice upon the subject, it would certainly be that of the Superintendent of Police and not that of the Minister for Home Affairs. For the Superintendent of Police is intimately acquainted with the traffic conditions of Colombo and fully competent to give valuable advice upon the question at issue. I had asked for the advice of the Police and had received it. I had not asked for the advice of the Minister. Nevertheless, as already stated, I gave full consideration to the argument urged by the Hon. the Minister for Home Affairs, but was, and still am of opinion that I had already received better advice from the Superintendent of Police before he was ordered by the Hon. the Minister to change his opinion.

I would add finally that I regard it as essential that the Chairman of this Council should, in exercising the powers vested in him by law, be free from anything which might be considered as interference by high officers of the Government or others. As the Members of this Council are aware, there are a number of powers which are vested in the Chairman personally and not in the Council. In this particular case it was the Council itself which, by its own by-law, vested this power in its Chairman.

In exercising these powers, therefore, I have always regarded myself as representative of the Council and have endeavoured, as far as possible, to identify myself with what I conceived to be its interests, and in resisting anything which might have the appearance of interference in such matters I conceive myself as resisting interference, not with personal or arbitrary powers, on which I have no desire unreasonably to insist, but with the autonomy and dignity of this Council.

6. The following motion stood in the name of Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe :—“ This Council condemns, as arbitrary, the action of the Chairman in disallowing the licence to take an elephant through certain streets of the City on January 22 in connection with a great Buddhist festival even though the Police withdrew their objections through the intervention of the Minister for Home Affairs.”

Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe asked for permission of Council to withdraw the motion. The permission having been granted the motion was withdrawn.

6a. With the permission of Council, Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader moved :—“ That this Council do record its cordial appreciation of the valuable services of Mr. N. M. Ingram, Municipal Engineer, to the Council during the past 28 years. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded. The Chairman associated himself with the remarks made by the proposer and seconder, and added his own tribute to the valuable services of Mr. Ingram and his obligation, while he has been occupying the post of Chairman, to Mr. Ingram, for his co-operation and advice.—The motion was put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

7. 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 Law and General Subjects of January 18, 1932, were considered.

SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider a letter, dated December 10, 1931, from the Hon. Secretary, C. P. Dias' Portrait Fund, inquiring if the Council would permit Mudaliyar A. C. G. S. Amerasekera to send Mr. C. P. Dias' portrait to exhibitions in Paris and London. Reg. No. 014,098.—Recommended that the Council should regret its inability to accede to the request.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(3) To consider :—(a) Letters, dated August 1, 3, and 4, 1931, from Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader demanding Rs. 93,100, with all costs and damages due, on behalf of Mr. U. L. M. Mohideen for the alleged invalid sales and the consequent transfers of premises Nos. 565/54, 566/28, new Nos. 191-197, Norris road. No. 489/62, new Nos. 132 and 134, Maliban street, No. 658-664/53-45, new Nos. 4-24, 2nd Cross street. (b) A report thereon of the Municipal Treasurer. (c) A Memorandum of the Chairman. (d) The opinion of Mr. E. J. Samarawickreme, K.C. Registered No. 1,250.—Recommended that the Council do offer, without prejudice, to Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader's client to re-pay to him the consideration paid for the transfer of these premises and the cost of the transfer in his favour, provided he re-conveys the property to the Council.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe wished to know the facts about this matter which the Chairman detailed.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe, Mr. M. L. M. Reyald and Dr. E. A. Coorey spoke to the recommendation.

Mr. M. L. M. Reyald moved that the consideration of the matter be deferred, the papers be circulated to all members of Council, except Mr. Abdul Cader, and placed before the Four Standing Committees. Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe seconded.—Carried.

(4) To consider the suggested amendment to rule 19 of the M. C. Leave By-laws regarding half-pay leave out of the Colony. Registered No. 011,721.—Recommended that the amendments be approved.

Rule 19. The amendments are shown in italics :

Subject to the necessities of the Service leave of absence on half-pay may be granted without any special grounds after *four* years' resident service from first appointment in the Municipal Service, or in the case of seconded or transferred officers a period of *four* years' total service with the Government and the Council. It may be given after a less duration of service in cases of serious indisposition or of urgent private affairs, if the Council is satisfied that the indulgence is indispensable. In cases of serious indisposition the state of the Officer's health must be certified by his medical attendant, or, if required by the Council, by a medical board. In cases of urgent private affairs the nature of such private affairs must be stated confidentially to the Chairman.

(5) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated October 29, 1931, regarding D. C. Colombo, case No. 32,265—N. Ratnasabapathy v. C. M. C. suggesting that the costs due to the Council taxed at Rs. 480.40, be waived. Registered No. 1,550.—Recommended.

(6) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated January 6, 1932, regarding amendment to Colombo Fire Brigade Rules relating to leave and conditions of service. Registered No. 22.—Recommended that the amendment be approved.

Rule 13. The amendment is shown in italics :

Sick leave on full pay will be allowed for one month in every year in addition to other leave available. During such period free medical attendance and a free supply of medicines will be provided, except when the illness is due to misconduct. After six weeks' continuous illness a medical board shall examine the patient to ascertain if he is fit for further service in the Brigade, *and if the medical board so recommends, further sick leave, on full pay, not exceeding two months in any year will be allowed with the sanction of the Council.*

RECONVEYANCE OF A PROPERTY, VESTED IN THE COUNCIL.

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

The following Extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of January 19, 1932, was considered.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(5) To consider :—(a) The petition, presented through Dr. S. Muttiah, M.M.C., in Council on December 2, 1931, by certain unlicensed female fish vendors of Colombo, of Kochehikade in particular, praying that during these hard times the application of the Municipal by-laws regarding this matter be relaxed. (b) A report thereon of the Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 62.—Recommended that the petitioners be informed that it is regretted that the by-laws cannot be relaxed.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe asked for information on the subject and the Chairman detailed the position at length.

Dr. E. V. Ratnam and Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe spoke to the recommendation.

Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando moved that the matter be placed before the Four Standing Committees. Mr. A. R. A. Razik seconded. Mr. N. R. Bande spoke to the motion. The motion was put to the meeting and carried.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works and Finance (meeting together) of January 20, 1932, were considered.

SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider a letter, dated December 10, 1931, from the Hony. Secretary, C. P. Dias' Portrait Fund inquiring if the Council would permit Mudaliyar A. C. G. S. Amerasekera to send Mr. C. P. Dias' portrait to exhibitions in Paris and London. Registered No. 014,098.—Recommended that the Council should regret its inability to accede to the request.

(3) To consider an application, dated January 15, 1932, from the Secretary, Education District Committee, for an extension of the period for which a room has been made available in the Town Hall to be used as an office by the Committee. Registered No. 0,726.—Recommended that the period be extended by one year.

MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

(4) To re-consider :—(a) The tenders received for the supply of Bitumen for 1931. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) that the tenders be accepted as follows :—*Standard Oil Co.*—Grade 104 at 45 cents per gallon (about 90,000 gallons) and Emulsion containing 70 per cent. bitumen at 65 cents in drums, and 52 cents in bulk, per gallon (about 30,000 gallons). *Texas Co., Ltd.*—Texaco No. 65 Paving Cement at 43½ cents per gallon (20,000 gallons) and No. 65 Texaco for cold application at 66 cents per gallon (10,000 gallons). *Colas, Ltd.*—Colas in bulk at 45 cents per gallon ex works (about 15,000 gallons). *Note.*—The quantities mentioned may be subject to variation, as conditions may arise. The cost will be met, in the first instance, from Advance Account, Stores, and then debited to sanctioned estimates when materials are drawn for use. Funds are available. Registered No. 1,341.—Recommended that the following tenders be accepted :—*Texas Co., Ltd.*—Texaco No. 65 Paving Cement at 43½ cents per gallon (20,000 gallons). No. 65 Texaco for cold application at 66 cents per gallon (10,000 gallons). *Colas, Ltd.*—Colas in bulk at 45 cents per gallon ex works (about 15,000 gallons). *The Shell Co.*—Bitumen, grade 60/70, at 42 cents per gallon (about 90,000 gallons). *The Standard Oil Co.*—Emulsion containing 70 per cent. bitumen at 65 cents in drums, and 52 cents in bulk per gallon (20,000 gallons). It being understood that the quantities mentioned may be subject to variations as conditions may arise.

(6) To consider the recommendations of the Drainage Engineer that the tenders of (1) Messrs. Samarakone Bros, of Kinross avenue, South Bambalapitiya, amounting to Rs. 1,995 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises No. 695/16a New Urugodawatta road and Nos. 17 and 18, Galkapanawatta road. Registered No. 014,673. (2) Messrs. Samarakone Bros. of Kinross avenue, South Bambalapitiya, amounting to Rs. 4,996 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 26/22 and 26/23, Temple lane. Registered No. 014,618.—Recommended (1) and (2).

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. M. L. M. Reyal inquired whether this drainage was voluntary or compulsory. The Chairman, after reference to the Drainage Engineer, stated that the drainage was in one case voluntary, and in the other, though originally compulsory, the owner had recently consented to the work going on.—Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committees be adopted.

(7) To consider detailed estimates from the Municipal Engineer for making up of streets not hitherto made up or maintained from which selections should be made to an amount not exceeding Rs. 36,900 :—Charlemont road Rs. 12,500 ; Alexandra road Rs. 15,500 ; Ridgeway place Rs. 10,500 ; Clifford place Rs. 14,000 ; Nelson place Rs. 12,000 ; Summer place Rs. 5,600 ; Shady Grove avenue Rs. 6,750 ; Ford place, Kolonnawa Rs. 2,750. Registered No. 1,337.—Recommended that the following roads be made up in the order given :—Clifford place Rs. 14,000 ; Ridgeway place Rs. 10,500 ; Summer place Rs. 5,600 ; Shady Grove avenue Rs. 6,750. Total : Rs. 36,850.

(8) To consider :—(a) The quotations received for the supply of 75 tons First Class teak, (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer), that the lowest offer that of Messrs. Aitken Spence & Co., at Rs. 178.50 per ton delivered be accepted. *Note.*—The total cost will be Rs. 13,387.50. The rate paid on the last purchase was Rs. 204.75 per ton delivered and the suppliers were the General Produce Co. The cost on the purchase to be made will be met, in the first instance, from Advance Account, Purchase of Stores, and debited to sanctioned votes as and when the timber is drawn. Funds are available. Registered No. 23.—(a) Considered. (b) Recommended.

(9) To consider a plan and a detailed estimate of Rs. 1,100 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for the provision of a Boundary Wall and Fence round the new Disinfecting Station. *Note.*—Rs. 1,200 is provided in the 1932 Budget under vote I (κ) 77. Registered No. 25.—Recommended.

(10) To consider plans and detailed estimates from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) in support of the following votes included in the 1932 Budget :—(a) I 84—Estimate of Rs. 9,500, for proposed 9 in. soil sewer in 14th lane, from Manhole No. 3 of W 39 and through private property ; (b) I 78—Estimate for a Public Lavatory at Alutmawatta road, Kotahena, Rs. 6,000 and Estimate for Sewer Extension, Rs. 5,000 ; (c) I 79—Estimate for a Public Lavatory at Floors lane, Maradana Rs. 6,000. Registered No. 18.—Recommended (a), (b), and (c).

(11) To consider the recommendation of the Mechanical Engineer (supported by the Municipal Engineer and the Municipal Treasurer) that the quotation of Messrs. Tangye's, Ltd., for an engine to the Northern Destructor, similar to the one supplied by them for the New Destructor, at £124 f.o.b. (approximately Rs. 1,674), be accepted. The cost will, in the first instance, be met from the Advance Account, Purchase of Stores, and the sanctioned estimates debited when the engine is installed for use. Registered No. 31.—Recommended.

MUNICIPAL ASSESSOR'S DEPARTMENT.

(12) To consider :—(a) Letter, dated November 9, 1931, from Mr. H. J. Soysa of Modera street, requesting that the new approach road to Rajamalwatta be called "Hubert place," after Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando, the Ward Member. (b) A report thereon of the Municipal Assessor. Registered No. 013,006.—Recommended that the road be called "Hubert Place."

(13) To consider a memorandum of the Chairman, dated December 12, 1931, regarding the street names required in connection with the Kochchikade Slum Scheme. Registered No. 1,519.—Recommended that the Central Square be called "Newnham Square" and the 40-foot road outside it be named "Ratnam road."

WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

(14) To consider a detailed estimate of Rs. 335,300 from the Waterworks Engineer for the laying of a 30 in. diameter water main from Wellampitiya to Maligakande Reservoir. *Note.*—This amount is provided in the 1932 Budget under K 27 "Additional 30 in. main between Wellampitiya and Maligakanda." Registered No. 1,600.—Recommended.

(15) To consider the recommendation of the Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer), that the quotations of Messrs. Glenfield and Kennedy, Ltd., at £276.12s. (Rs. 3,688 approximate cost in local currency), c.i.f., Colombo, be accepted for the supply of special castings. *Note.*—The cost will, in the first instance, be charged to Advance Account, Purchase of Stores, Waterworks, and debited to sanctioned estimates when the materials are used. Registered No. 24.—Recommended.

(16) To consider a detailed estimate from the Waterworks Engineer amounting to Rs. 40,000 for improvements to Distribution mains. *Note.*—Provision is made in the 1932 Budget. Registered No. 26.—Recommended.

(17) To consider the recommendation of the Waterworks Engineer that the quotation, dated October 23, 1931, from the Manchester Water Meter Co., for £70. 8s. 5d. (Rs. 939 approximate cost) c.i.f., Colombo, for the supply of fittings for Frost's "Ordinary" type patent positive Water Meters be accepted. *Note.*—The materials are proprietary articles. The cost of the materials may be met from Advance Account, Purchase of Stores, Waterworks. The current expenditure votes will be debited when the materials are drawn from Stores. The cost is likely to exceed Rs. 1,000. Registered No. 28.—Recommended.

(18) To consider the recommendation of the Waterworks Engineer that the quotation of Messrs. Stewarts and Lloyds, Ltd. (sole manufacturers of their patent bitumen lined pipes) for the supply of 3,500 yards of 30 inch steel main and 10 tons lead wire for jointing purposes at the rate of 89 shillings per yard run for the pipes and at £25 per ton for lead wire c.i.f., Colombo, the approximate cost in local currency being Rs. 211,000 be accepted. *Note.*—The cost will, in the first instance, be charged to Advance Account. Purchase of Stores, Waterworks, and debited to sanctioned Vote K 27, when the materials are drawn. Registered No. 39.—Recommended.

(19) To consider the recommendation of the Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) that the quotation of Messrs. Glenfield & Kennedy, Ltd., of £1,233. 10s. 0d. (approximately Rs. 16,449) c.i.f. Colombo, be accepted for the supply of special castings for 30-inch diameter water main between Wellampitiya and Maligakanda. *Note*.—The cost will, in the first instance, be charged to Advance Account, Stores, Waterworks, and debited to sanctioned Vote K 27 when the castings are issued. Registered No. 58.—Recommended.

(20) To consider the recommendation of the Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) that the quotation from the Palatine Engineering Co., Ltd., Bootle, be accepted for the supply of a 30-inch Venturi Meter Tube for the 30-inch Venturi Meter at Maligakanda, for £120 (approximately Rs. 1,600 in local currency), c.i.f., Colombo. The cost will, in the first instance, be met from Advance Account, Purchase of Stores, Waterworks, and debited to the sanctioned Vote K 7 "City Piping Maintenance," when the tube is drawn for use. Registered No. 70.—Recommended.

(21) To consider—(a) An application from Mr. M. S. M. Thahir for water service to his premises No. 31, Manning place off Hampden lane, Wellawatta. (b) A plan and an estimate of Rs. 434 from the Waterworks Engineer, to extend the existing water main for a distance of 62 yards in terms of Ordinance No. 9 of 1916. *Note*.—Mr. Thahir applies to pay the cost of the main by instalments of Rs. 7.25 per mensem spread over a period of 5 years with interest at 6 per cent. per annum on balances outstanding. Registered No. 94.—Recommended.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(22) To consider :—(a) The petition presented through Dr. E. A. Coorey, M.M.C., by the owners of lime kilns praying that the licence fee for lime kilns be reduced in view of the present depression. (b) A memorandum thereon by the Chairman. Registered No. 1,469.—Recommended that no reduction be made. Dr. E. A. Coorey dissents.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe, the Chairman and Dr. E. A. Coorey spoke to the recommendation.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe moved that the consideration of the matter be deferred and that the papers be referred to the Four Standing Committees for consideration. Dr. E. A. Coorey seconded. Mr. M. L. M. Reyal supported.

Dr. E. V. Ratnam gave the reasons which prompted the Committees to refuse the application. The motion was put to the meeting and carried.

(23) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated December 9, 1931, regarding fire protection outside Municipal limits. Registered No. 1,330.—Recommended (a) that the Chairman, Urban District Council, Panadure, be informed that the matter has been placed before the Council and that the Council regrets that it is unable to approve the suggested agreement, owing to the long distance of Panadure from Colombo. (b) That the Fire Brigade shall not, in future, go outside the Colombo Municipal limits, unless the parties calling for it have deposited the necessary money. (c) That in any case the Fire Brigade is not to proceed beyond five miles outside the Colombo Municipal limits.

(24) To consider—(a) The application of Messrs. Muller & Cooray, Brokers of No. 13, Chatham street, for fire protection for two coconut oil mills situated at Kelaniya. (b) Memoranda of the Acting Superintendent of Fire Brigade and the Municipal Treasurer thereon. Registered No. 17.—Recommended that the application be granted on the following conditions :—(1) That the Brigade will only turn out for a call (a) from an authorised person employed at the Mills acting on behalf of the owners of the Mills, (b) if engine and apparatus are at the moment available, and (c) at the discretion of the Superintendent, who will not authorize the use of the Brigade, if, in his opinion, there is any good reason for not sending it. (2) That the owners of the Mills pay the charges for each turn-out as laid down in the authorized scale of charges, copy of which will be forwarded to them. (3) That they place a deposit with this Council, as security, the sum of Rs. 200. (4) That the owners of the Mills inform the Chairman who are the persons authorized to call for the Brigade on its behalf.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of January 20, 1932, were considered.

GENERAL.

(2) To consider copy of letter No. J 9/32 of January 13, 1932, from the Hon. the Chief Secretary to Mr. W. L. Murphy, C. C. S., appointing him as Chairman of the Municipal Council and Mayor of the City of Colombo in succession to Mr. W. T. Stace, C. C. S., and to approve the salary and allowance as follows :—(a) Salary at the rate of £1,600 per annum. (b) Personal (house) allowance of Rs. 300 per mensem. Registered No. 47.—Recommended.

MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

(4) To approve the rates of pay fixed by the Special Committee on Unemployment for different classes of unemployed. Registered No. 1,551. Women, 30 cents per day; Adult labourers, 50 cents per day; Kanganies, 75 cents per day; Clerks and Storekeepers, Re. 1 per day; Overseers, Re. 1 per day; Special Artificers, Re. 1 per day; Head Overseers, Re. 1.25 per day.—Recommended.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(7) To approve the payment of the sum of Rs. 14, in terms of section 232 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for articles destroyed at a Cholera infected house. Registered No. 1,557.—Recommended.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

(10) To consider—(a) The tenders received for the supply of books for 1932 for the Public Library. (b) The recommendation of the Acting Librarian (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) that the tenders be accepted as follows :—(1) Items 1–23 in section 1 of schedule flagged "A," non-fiction books from Messrs. Coop, Ltd., at a flat rate of 60 cents, a shilling, delivered to the Library. Items 1–3 in section 2 of above schedule, books of fiction from Messrs. Jones and Evans' Bookshops, Ltd., at 3/6, 2/8, and 1/11 plus 2½ per cent. for collection and packing, postage and registration extra. *Note*.—The total cost, which is estimated by the acting Librarian at Rs. 5,500, will be met from the sanctioned vote. Registered No. 0,683.—Recommended.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(12) To consider the suggested amendment to Rule 19 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws regarding half-pay leave out of the Colony. Registered No. 011,721.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Law Committee (item No. 4) of January 18, 1932, be adopted.

(13) To consider—(a) The request of the unemployed at Thimbirigasyaya that the use of the Municipal Hall on December 18, 1931, for the purpose of the concert be allowed free. (b) Memoranda thereon of the Charity Commissioner and the Chairman. Registered No. 014,092.—Recommended.

(14) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated December 10, 1931, regarding the Insurance of Motor Vehicles of Municipal Council officers purchased from advances granted by the Council. Registered No. 013,243.—Recommended that officers be given the option of paying an additional 2½ per cent. interest on the loans in lieu of being called upon to insure.

(15) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated December 11, 1931, stating that the lessee of the 5 boutiques and 4 upstairs rooms at Kochchikade has given notice that he will give up the tenancy by December 31, 1931, and recommending that the boutiques be let as follows :—Upstairs tea boutique, Rs. 45 a month; 2nd boutique, Rs. 30 a month; 3rd, 4th, and 5th boutiques, Rs. 25 each a month; 4 rooms at Rs. 12.50 each a month. Registered No. 1,514.—Recommended.

(16) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Treasurer, dated January 6, 1932, regarding amendment to Colombo Fire Brigade Rules relating to leave and conditions of service. Registered No. 22.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Law Committee (item No. 6) of January 18, 1932, be adopted.

(18) To consider—(a) The petition, presented through Dr. S. Muttiah, M.M.C., in Council on December 2, 1931, by certain unlicensed female fish vendors of Colombo, of Kochchikade in particular, praying that during these hard times the application of the Municipal by-laws regarding this matter be relaxed. (b) A report thereon of the Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 62.—Recommended that the petitioners be informed that it is regretted that the by-laws cannot be relaxed.

(*Vide* resolution of Council in Committee in connection with item No. 5 of the extract from the minutes of the Sanitation Committee of January 19, 1932).

(19) To consider :—(a) A request from the Ceylon Brokers' Association that the fees now levied for Auctioneers, Brokers, and Auctioneers & Brokers, be reduced to Rs. 50, Rs. 50, and Rs. 75 respectively, instead of the fees levied at

present as follows:—Auctioneers Rs. 100; Brokers Rs. 100; Auctioneers and Brokers, Rs. 125. (b) A report thereon of the Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,435.—Recommended that the Council regrets that it cannot see its way to accede to the request.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

(20) To recommend, under rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 517.68 to Pedru Singho, B. T. 917 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who retires on the ground of overage. The gratuity is based on his service of 178 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 52.35. Registered No. 1,598.—Recommended.

(21) To recommend, under rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 277.84 to Madan, Cooly No. 39 of the Waterworks Department, who retires on the ground of overage. The gratuity is based on his service of 179 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 27.94. Registered No. 014,557.—Recommended.

(22) To recommend, under rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 404.39 to Raman, watcher (No. 603) of the Waterworks Department, who retires on the ground of overage. The gratuity is based on his service of 218 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 33.39. Registered No. 54.—Recommended.

(23) To recommend, under rule 2B (1) of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 3,684 to the widow of the late Mr. M. A. Costa, Head Clerk, Veterinary Surgeon's Department. Registered No. 74.—Recommended.

LEAVE.

(24) To recommend—(a) That, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, excess leave of further 2 days making 65 days over 42 days granted to Mrs. M. M. Samarasekera, Public Health Nurse, be sanctioned. (b) That, under section 10 (i.) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, she be granted 91 days accumulated vacation leave. (c) That, under section 10 (iii.) she may be granted further excess leave of 2 days, making 46 days over 91 days to be appropriated out of the lapsed vacation leave of 49 days available in respect of 1928 and 1929. Registered No. 1,594.—Recommended.

(25) To recommend—(a) That, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 45 days over 42 days granted to Mr. J. Victor Mendis, Clerk, Public Health 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 be granted excess leave of 32 days over 91 days to be appropriated out of the lapsed vacation leave of 34 days available in respect of 1926–1927 and 1928–1929. Registered No. 1,390.—Recommended.

(26) To recommend, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 4 days over 42 days granted to Mr. A. T. Weerasekera, Assistant Record-keeper of the Secretary's Department, be sanctioned. Registered No. 013,125.—Recommended.

(27) To recommend, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 5 days over 42 days granted to Mr. J. R. A. Nicholas, Inspector, Madampitiya Treatment Works, be sanctioned. Registered No. 014,148.—Recommended.

(28) To recommend, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 3 days over 42 days granted to Mr. W. P. Jayawardene, Clerk, Public Health Department, be sanctioned. Registered No. 014,147.—Recommended.

(29) To consider—(a) An application from Mr. S. H. Pereira, Revenue Inspector, for 3 months' leave preparatory to retirement as from January 1, 1932. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Treasurer the the leave asked for be granted. Registered No. 1,433.—Recommended.

(30) To recommend that, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 5 days over 42 days granted to Mr. S. H. Pereira, Revenue Inspector of the Municipal Treasurer's Department, be sanctioned. Registered No. 1,478.—Recommended.

(31) To recommend—(a) That, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 50 days over 42 days granted to the late Mr. M. A. Costa, Head Clerk of the Veterinary Department, be sanctioned. (b) That, under section 10 (i.) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, he may be granted 91 days accumulated vacation leave for 1930 and 1931. (c) That, under section 10 (iii.) he may be granted excess leave of 1 day over 91 days to be appropriated out of the lapsed vacation leave of 91 days available in respect of 1930 and 1931. Registered No. 1,470.—Recommended.

(32) To recommend—(a) That, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 80 days over 42 days granted to Mr. C. A. Woutersz, Assistant to the City Microbiologist 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 53 days over 91 days to be appropriated out of the lapsed vacation leave of 64 days available in respect of 1918 and 1919. Registered No. 67.—Recommended.

(33) To recommend that, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 14 days over 42 days granted to Mr. C. A. De Fransz, Sub-Inspector, Drainage, be sanctioned. Registered No. 68.—Recommended.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES.

(34) To consider—(a) Applications from (1) Mrs. Muriel A. d'Silva, Public Health Nurse, for an advance of Rs. 150 to enable her to purchase a rickshaw for official duties. Registered No. 013,564. (2) Mr. K. L. L. Silva, Sub-Inspector, Waterworks Department, for an advance of Rs. 100 to enable him to purchase a rickshaw for official duties. Registered No. 013,675. (3) Mr. A. P. Selvaratnam, Veterinary Inspector, for an advance of Rs. 300 to enable him to purchase a rickshaw for official duties. Registered No. 0,687. (4) Dr. C. H. Gunasekera, Chief Assistant Medical Officer of Health, Public Health Department, for an advance of Rs. 1,100 to enable him to purchase a motor car for official duties. Registered No. 73. (b) The recommendations of the Municipal Treasurer that the advances be granted on the usual terms, viz., that the amounts be repaid in twelve equal monthly instalments and that 5 per cent. per annum be charged as interest on the balances outstanding from time to time.—Recommended.

WRITE OFF OF ARREARS OF RATES.

(35) To consider a report of the Municipal Treasurer, dated January 13, 1932, recommending that arrears of rates amounting to Rs. 317.83, as per list attached to his report, be written off (48 cases, 47 on grounds of poverty and 1 irrecoverable). Registered No. 0,702.—Recommended.

RECONVEYANCE OF PROPERTIES, VESTED IN THE COUNCIL.

(36) To recommend reconveyance of the premises, vested in the Council, mentioned in the annexed list (as per annexure A attached to the minutes of the Law Committee of January 18, 1932), to the parties named, on payment of all rates and costs which would have been due up to the quarter in which the reconveyance may be signed, had the property not been vested in the Council.—Recommended.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Four Standing Committees (meeting together) of January 22, 1932, were considered.

(2) To consider—(a) The question of filling up the post of Municipal Engineer on the retirement of Mr. N. M. Ingram. (b) The applications received from (1) Mr. S. D. Meadows, (2) Mr. T. B. Stewart, Chief Assistant Waterworks Engineer, (3) Mr. H. Wijanathan, Drainage Engineer, (4) Mr. P. Stanley Fernando, Works Engineer.—Recommended that Mr. Hallock Wijanathan should act as Municipal Engineer until the question of the appointment is settled.

(3) To consider—(a) The question of filling the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. P. H. Lanaway, Superintendent, Fire Brigade. (b) A memorandum thereon of the Chairman, dated December 22, 1931. Registered No. 1,543.—Recommended that, if possible, a Superintendent be obtained on contract from England for a period of 3 or 5 years, and that during his tenure of office, arrangements be made to send a Ceylonese for training to the London Fire Brigade with a view to his succeeding to the post at the end of the contract above referred to.—Recommended further that, with a view to implementing this policy, the Council's Agents be asked to advise as to the salary and terms of the suggested contract and also whether, as an alternative, the London Fire Brigade would second a man under contract with the Council and on what terms, and to make inquiries as to the condition under which the London Fire Brigade would undertake to train a suitable Ceylonese, and the cost of such training.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. N. R. Blande moved that Mr. Stanley Mack be appointed to succeed Mr. P. H. Lanaway as Superintendent of the Fire Brigade. Mr. M. L. M. Reyal seconded.

Dr. E. A. Coorey moved, as an amendment, that the matter be referred back to the Four Standing Committees for further consideration. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded.

Mr. Aelian W. Pereira spoke to the recommendation.

The Chairman explained the position.

Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando spoke against the motion and supported the amendment.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe spoke in support of the motion.

The amendment was put to the meeting and carried.

(8) To consider the case of Mr. A. T. Weerasekera, Assistant Record-keeper of the Secretariat. Registered No. 2.—Recommended that he be retired, under section 12 of the Municipal Pension Minute.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

The Chairman moved that the recommendation of the Standing Committees be adopted and that Mr. Weerasekera be granted three months' leave preparatory to retirement, under section 32 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded.—Carried.

The following Extract from the Minutes of the Special Committee regarding Housing and Town Improvement of January 27, 1932, was considered.

(4) To consider a report of the Engineer Buildings, dated November 30, 1931, requesting sanction of Council to lay street lines at No. 131/23, Model Farm road (marked A-B on street line plan No. 1,668 dated May 28, 1931, and signed by Mr. Stanley Fernando, Works Engineer) in order to allow an application to build. Registered No. 1,451.—Recommended.

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

9. 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. Dr. E. V. Ratnam seconded.—Carried.

10. The Council proceeded to elect by ballot a member in place of Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando, resigned, for the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects.

The Chairman declared Mr. M. L. M. Reyal duly elected.

11. To appoint a member in place of Mr. G. W. Dodds, resigned, for the following Special Committees:—(a) The Special Committee on Unemployment; (b) The Special Committee regarding the Charity Commissioner's Department.

(a) Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe moved that Mr. M. L. M. Reyal be appointed to the Special Committee on Unemployment. Mr. A. R. A. Razik seconded.—Carried. (b) Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe moved that Mr. Aelian W. Pereira be appointed to the Special Committee regarding the Charity Commissioner's Department. Mr. M. L. M. Reyal seconded.

Mr. Aelian W. Pereira expressed his unwillingness to serve on the Committee.

Dr. E. A. Coorey moved that Dr. S. Muttiah be appointed. Mr. A. E. Goonesinghe seconded.—Carried.

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

(1) Weekly statements of Plague.

(2) Attendance Return of Committees of the Municipal Council for 1932.

(3) C. L. I. Band Programme for February, 1932.

(4) Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for December, 1931.

(5) The Municipal Engineer's Report for January, 1932, on the condition of Tramway routes.

(6) The Drainage Engineer's Report on House Drainage, No. 249 for December, 1931.

(7) Diaries of the following officers for the month of January, 1932, 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 2nd Assistant Drainage Engineer; the Engineer, House Drainage; the Engineer, Pumping Stations; the Assistant Engineer (Mr. R. Kumaranayagam); the Maintenance Inspectors (four); and the Chief Playground Instructor.

Waterworks Department.—The Waterworks Engineer, and the Chief Assistant Waterworks Engineer, the 2nd Assistant Engineer is on leave.

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

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

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

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

(8) The Charity Commissioner.

(9) Monthly Reports of work done by the following officers for the month of January, 1932:—The City Analyst and the City Microbiologist.

W. T. STACE,

Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

Confirmed on March 2, 1932.

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ANNEXURE A.

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

Premises.	To be Reconveyed to	Sum Paid. Rs. c.	Quarter up to which Payment is Made.
(1) Nos. 88/54-55, new Nos. 178 and 180, Bankshall street, Pettah (registered No. 013,306)	(1) Safia Umma, 9/48 shares; (2) Mamoojee, Es-mialjee, 154/2160 shares; (3) Adamally Mamoojee, 154/2160 shares; (4) Hasanally Mamoojee, 154/2160 shares; (5) Kursambai, 154/2160 shares; (6) Abdul Aziz Mohamed Idroos, 77/540 shares; (7) Abdul Aziz Mohamed Sittie Ayisha, 52/540 shares; (8) Abdul Aziz Mohamed Thawfeek, 77/540 shares; (9) Mohamed Gyas Mohideen, 14/672 shares; (10) Mohamed Abdul Sharkar Mohideen, 14/672 shares; (11) Mohamed Ummul Faleela, 7/672 shares; (12) Mohamed Zahir Mohideen, 14/672 shares; (13) Mohamed Abdul Hye Mohideen, 14/672 shares; (14) Mohamed Lahir Mohideen, 14/672 shares; (15) Mohamed Idroos Mohideen, 14/672 shares; (16) Abdul Haddad Mohamed Sadoon, 14/739 ² shares; (17) Mohamed Abdul Cader Mohamed Sadoon, 14/739 ² shares; (18) Mohamed Idris Mohamed Sadoon, 14/739 ² shares; (19) Mohamed Sitti Ummul Kyre, 7/739 ² shares; (20) Mohamed Eynnul Marlia, 7/739 ² shares; (21) Mohamed Sitti Lariffa, 7/739 ² shares; (22) Mohamed Mohideen Sadoon, 14/739 ² shares	5,933 19	3rd quarter, 1931

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1931.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	ASSETS.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.					
1. Loans outstanding :—				1. Capital expenditure :—												
(a) Government of Ceylon, duplication of 30-inch water main, &c.	3,000,000	0		(a) Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works	—		3,554,463	87								
Less redemption of loan	383,169	80		(b) Colombo Drainage Works :—												
			2,616,830	20	(1) Workcarried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme	17,830,564	12									
(b) Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works	11,072,980	0		(2) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922	1,609,850	56										
Less redemption of loan	1,414,277	34		(3) Public lavatories and house connections	759,779	40	20,200,194	8								
			9,658,702	66	(c) Raising of Labugama reservoir dam	—		319,293	76							
2. Kochchikade Slum Improvement Scheme :—				(d) Town Hall at Victoria park				1,624,214	86							
(a) Loan from Government of Ceylon	150,000	0		(e) Child Welfare Centre :—												
(b) Contribution from Municipal Fund	205,628	22		(1) Land	52,500	0										
			355,628	22	(2) Buildings	107,434	1	159,934	1							
3. Grant-in-aid :—				(f) Kochchikade Slum Improvement Scheme				371,551	28							
Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works	—		7,100,000	0												
4. Waterworks reserve fund				392,773	60	26,229,651										
5. Redemption of Debt Account :—				2. Amounts advanced to Municipal Council officials for purchase of vehicles								5,092	62			
(a) Loan redeemed—Waterworks	383,169	80		3. Workshop Account				19,789	4							
(b) Loan redeemed—Colombo Drainage Works	1,414,277	34		4. Advance Accounts :—												
			1,797,447	14	(a) Miscellaneous	4,903	72									
6. Permanent works executed out of revenue :—				(b) Municipal quarries				5,460	48							
(a) Waterworks	554,463	87		(c) Works pending recovery	45,058	11										
(b) Colombo Drainage Works (extensions to scheme)	1,534,217	94		(d) Making articles for stock	7,722	27	52,223	62								
(c) Town Hall at Victoria park	330,526	37		5. Sundry debtors :—												
			2,419,208	18	(a) On Open Account	136,474	47									
7. Sinking fund, investment and interest thereon				2,105,978	39	(b) On Government Account	7,915	82	144,390	29						
8. Child Welfare Centre :—				6. Expenditure on laying water mains in private streets								182,839	97			
(a) Contribution from War Memorial Fund and interest	65,674	8		Less recoveries from land owners				147,053	83	35,786	14					
(b) Revenue contributions	94,259	93		7. Expenditure on aided house drainage				564,727	0							
			159,934	1	Less recoveries from owners				353,658	19	211,068	81				
9. Insurance Fund and interest thereon				96,825	86	8. Stores on hand :—										
10. Depreciation Fund :—				(a) General								405,744	63			
Workshop Plant	26,527	90		(b) Waterworks				283,046	22	688,790	85					
Workshop Vehicles	42,295	56		9. Investments :—												
			68,823	46	Ceylon Government 4 per cent. inscribed stock				930	0						
11. Pettah Library Bequest and interest thereon				3,474	86	Ceylon Savings Bank				2,360	26	3,290	26			
12. Deposits :—				10. Fixed deposit at Imperial Bank of India, Ltd. :—												
(a) Pending execution of works	5,931	66		Waterworks Reserve Account				392,773	60							
(b) Miscellaneous	15,427	79		Insurance Fund Account				96,825	86							
			21,359	45	Depreciation Fund Account				68,823	46						
13. Securities :—				Kochchikade Slum Scheme Account								558,422	92			
(a) Tenders	4,675	0		11. Fixed Deposit (General) at—												
(b) Market Stalls	41,660	49		Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.				500	0							
(c) Contractors (General)	21,700	0		National Bank of India, Ltd.				10,000	0							
(d) Contractors (Drainage)	18,222	0		Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, Ltd.				9,000	0							
(e) Water supply to shipping	35,000	0		Imperial Bank of India, Ltd.				755,737	8	775,237	8					
(f) Municipal Council officials	17,424	4		12. Cash :—												
(g) Rate Collectors	24,850	0		(a) At Imperial Bank of India, Ltd., on Current Account				368,544	34							
(h) Lands	20,892	30		(b) In hand :—												
(i) Miscellaneous	400	0		(1) With Shroff, Municipal Council				310	0							
(j) Upkeep of graves	5,240	0		(2) With Municipal Council officials				—		368,854	34					
(k) Public Library borrowers	5,870	24														
			195,934	7	Total				29,092,597	83						
14. Gratuities to minors held in trust				1,538	55											
15. Suspense account				2,785	77											
16. Receipts in advance				407,353	64											
17. Sundry Creditors				269,877	3											
18. Surplus or Deficit Account				1,289,330	40											
19. Excess of Income over Expenditure up to December 31, 1931, as per Statement of Income and Expenditure				128,792	34											
			1,418,122	74												
Total			29,092,597	83												

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G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

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

HEAD OF INCOME.	Estimated Income for 1931.		Income from January 1 to November 30, 1931.		Income for December, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
	A.—Taxes	84,700	0	76,775	35	66	25	76,841	60
B.—Licences	511,600	0	475,412	76	26,093	23	501,505	99
C.—Judicial fines	100,000	0	76,726	18	7,229	17	83,955	35
D.—Tolls	2,500	0	995	7	190	0	1,185	7
E.—Markets	165,400	0	151,402	94	14,235	58	165,638	52
F.—Slaughter-house	73,000	0	59,873	35	6,410	20	66,283	55
G.—Conservancy	3,700	0	4,664	0	15	0	4,679	0
H.—Cattle Mart and Quarantine Station	44,500	0	30,097	20	3,094	5	33,191	25
I.—Consolidated rate	4,080,000	0	4,380,270	87	169,721	41	4,549,992	28
K.—Water	1,046,500	0	866,752	24	64,617	63	931,369	87
L.—Rents	93,850	0	91,768	6	12,412	77	104,180	83
M.—Drainage	27,250	0	28,406	34	3,361	7	31,767	41
N.—Miscellaneous	152,716	0	148,480	57	33,724	17	182,204	74
O.—Government refunds	125,000	0	110,860	63	7,915	82	118,776	45
Total	6,510,716	0	6,502,485	56	349,086	35	6,851,571	91

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1931, including unspent balances at 31.12.30, brought forward.		Expenditure from January 1 to November 30, 1931.		Expenditure for December, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
	A.—Non-effective charges	959,622	34	587,228	75	365,836	24	953,064	99
B.—Chairman	27,600	0	25,299	99	2,300	0	27,599	99
C.—Secretariat	125,996	0	108,619	14	11,199	33	119,818	47
D.—Treasurer's Department	421,268	3	352,816	82	42,847	30	395,664	12
E.—Veterinary Department	149,027	0	106,451	99	14,565	15	121,017	14
F.—Municipal Court	35,041	0	30,336	77	3,900	13	34,236	90
G.—Fire Brigade and Ambulances	82,014	0	63,396	38	7,324	88	70,721	26
H.—Public Health Department	641,396	95	508,149	34	74,029	31	582,178	65
I.—Engineer's Department	4,326,858	58	2,893,765	24	518,812	74	3,412,577	98
K.—Waterworks Department	742,173	80	674,954	2	728,616	58	728,570	60
L.—Assessing Department	494,724	71	226,282	9	15,549	73	241,831	82
M.—Public Library	26,193	0	19,674	92	4,047	44	23,722	36
N.—Charity Commissioner	11,972	0	10,411	97	1,363	32	11,775	29
							6,722,779	57
Excess of income over expenditure carried to Balance Sheet	—	—	—	—	—	—	128,792	34
Total	8,043,687	41	5,607,387	42	1,115,392	15	6,851,571	91

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Municipal Treasurer.

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

HEAD OF RECEIPTS.	Receipts to December 31, 1930.		Receipts to December 31, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
	1. Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration Works :—					
(a) Loan funds	3,000,000	0	—	—	3,000,000	0
(b) Revenue contributions	554,463	87	—	—	554,463	87
2. Colombo Drainage Works :—						
(a) Loan funds	11,072,980	0	—	—	11,072,980	0
(b) Grant-in-aid	7,100,000	0	—	—	7,100,000	0
(c) Revenue contributions	1,336,354	4	197,863	90	1,534,217	94
3. Sinking Fund 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	197,863	90	25,698,166	57

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1930.		Payments to December 31, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works ..	3,554,463	87	3,554,463	87	—	—	3,554,463	87
2. Colombo drainage works :—								
(a) Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme ..	17,830,564	12	17,830,564	12	—	—	17,830,564	12
(b) Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922 ..	1,609,850	56	1,431,188	40	178,662	16	1,609,850	56
(c) Public lavatories and house connections ..	759,779	40	740,577	66	19,201	74	759,779	40
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	25,698,166	57	25,500,302	67	197,863	90	25,698,166	57

Kochchikade Slum Improvement Scheme.

HEAD OF RECEIPT.	Receipts to December 31, 1930.		Receipts to December 31, 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
Amount overspent ..	—	—	—	—	355,628	22
Total	155,628	22	200,000	0	371,551	28

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1930.		Payments to December 31, 1931.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Architect's fee ..	1,500	0	1,500	0	—	—	1,500	0
Land ..	291,653	22	52,476	8	200,439	0	252,915	8
Buildings ..	543,078	28	17,463	28	96,757	84	114,221	12
Interest on Advance from Municipal Fund ..	2,915	8	548	12	2,366	96	2,915	8
Total ..	839,146	58	71,987	48	299,563	80	371,551	28

The Town Hall,
Colombo, February 19, 1932.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

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, G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. for Chairman.

SCHEDULE.

Premises No. and Street: 919/12 (1-22), Grandpass road; Quarter and Year: 2nd and 3rd quarters, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Tuesday, April 5, 1932, at 8.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 36, Rajasinghe road; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Wednesday, April 6, 1932, at 8.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 9, Arethusa lane; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Wednesday, April 6, 1932, at 8.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 71, Cotta lane; Quarter and Year: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd quarters, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Wednesday, April 6, 1932, at 9.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: G 73/1, Cotta lane; Quarter and Year: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd quarters, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Wednesday, April 6, 1932, at 9.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 73, Cotta lane; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Wednesday, April 6, 1932, at 9.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 75, Cotta lane; Quarter and Year: 2nd and 3rd quarters, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Wednesday, April 6, 1932, at 9.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 3454/53 (1), New Fisher's Quarters; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Saturday, April 2, 1932, at 8.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 4098/65, Mutwal street; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Saturday, April 2, 1932, at 8.45 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 4005/50, Modera street; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Saturday, April 2, 1932, at 9 A.M.

Premises Nos. and street: 39, 39/2-4, 39/5-7, 39/8-16, 41 & 43, Shoe road; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Saturday, April 2, 1932, at 8.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 238, Main street; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Tuesday, April 5, 1932, at 8.30 A.M.

Premises No. and Street: 109/1-6, Panchikawatte road; Quarter and Year: 3rd quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: On Wednesday, April 6, 1932, at 8.30 A.M.

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 drain instalment 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 meantime the amount of the instalment and costs be duly paid.

The Municipal Office, G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Colombo, March 8, 1932. for Chairman.

SCHEDULE.

Premises No. and Street: 265 (old No. 687,) Laybroadway; Quarter and Year: 4th quarter, 1931; Date and Time of Sale: 9 A.M. on April 4, 1932.

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.

Date: March 9, 1932.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

SCHEDULE.

Premises No. and Street: 56, Panchikawatta road; Quarter and Year: 2nd and 3rd quarters, 1931; Property seized: 1 betel tray, 1 hand machine (Singer); Place of Sale: Municipal Council Stores, Darley road; Time of Sale: At 8.30 A.M., on Monday, March 21, 1932.

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

Sale of Properties, Urban District Council, Dehiwala-Mt. Lavinia.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable properties liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 3 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of houses, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Urban District Council, Dehiwala-Mt. Lavinia, in terms of the 140th clause of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for the arrears of assessment rates due on the properties mentioned in the subjoined schedule for 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters, 1930 and 1st and 2nd quarters, 1931, and will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of assessment rates and costs be duly paid.

J. VINCENT MENDIS,

Office of the Urban District Council, Dehiwala, March 5, 1932. Chairman.

SCHEDULE.

Time of Sale: To commence at the first-named Premises at 8 a.m. each day.

Defaulters List for 2nd Quarter, 1931.
Wednesday, March 30, 1932.

Dehiwala: Nos. 22A, 23, 25, 27, 38A, 38C, 38E, 38G, 38G, 43E, 50, 50A, 50C, 58 and 59, 76, 76A, 77C, 82, 84, 86, 95, 98 and 98Q, 99, 100, 101B, 101B1, 102A, 106B, 110, 110A, 111, 117, 117A, 123B, 131, 139, 139A, 140A, 159, 177A, 178, 178A, 192B, 195, 197, 198, 199, 201, 202, and 208.

Thursday, March 31, 1932.

Dehiwala: Nos. 256, 264, 264A, 270, 284, 286, 288A, 303, 313, 315, 319, 333, 333A, 342, 362A, 372, 372A, 373, 374, 393A, 406, 410, 416A, 416B, 416C, 423A, 423D, 428, 428A, 435, 438, 438A, 441, 441A, 445, 447, 447A, 448, 453A, 457, 458B2, 458A1, 465, 467, 468, 473, 484, 484A, 484B, 496.

Friday, April 1, 1932.

Nedimale: Nos. 11, 18, 18A, 18B, 19, 21, 21A, 25, 34, 35A, 36, 57, 59, 61A, 64, 83, 84, 91, 92, 92A, 135, 136, 145, 147, 155A, 156, 167, 171, 174, 176, 177, 180, 200, 207, 208, 208A, 223B, 244A.

Friday, April 1, 1932.

Nikape: Nos. 13, 55, 87A, 87E, 88, 128A, 143, 147.

Monday, April 4, 1932.

Karagampitiya: Nos. 3, 11A, 12, 13, 13A, 20, 20A, 22, 22A, 27A, 33, 37, 37A, 38, 44, 45, 45A, 46A, 47, 49, 49A, 50 and 51, 57, 60D, 62, 62A, 66, 75, 76, 77, 94, 97, 98B, 100, 102, 109, 110, 123, 126, 132, 132A, 133, 134, 135, 140, 143, 144.

Tuesday, April 5, 1932.

Karagampitiya: Nos. 160, 162A, 162B, 173A, 174B, 175, 175A, 176, 177, 185, 186, 192, 216, 217A, 236, 237, 245, 246, 248, 252, 256, 259, 270 and 270A, 273, 275, 275A, 277, 302, 302A, 303, 309, 311, 311A.

Wednesday, April 6, 1932.

Kalubowila West: Nos. 27B, 57, 68A, 70, 104C, 106, 107, 113A, 115, 139, 175B, 185A, 191A, 202, 213, 231, 231A, 233E, 250, 251A, 253A, 269, 272, 278, 279, 287, 305, 305A, 308, 331, 341, 360, 367, 368, 404, 411, 412, 421.

Thursday, April 7, 1932.

Kalubowila West: Nos. 443, 443A, 446, 448, 460, 460A, 473, 476, 490, 497, 497A, 499, 504, 517, 524, 525, 526, 527, 532, 533, 534, 544, 552, 565, 566, 567.

Thursday, April 7, 1932.

Kirillapone: Nos. 4, 5, 10, 17, 27, 28, 29, 30, 37, 44.

Friday, April 8, 1932.

Kalubowila East: Nos. 18, 303, 21, 21B, 36, 36B, 41, 43, 45, 48, 68A, 74, 74B, 74B1, 97, 97A, 115, 115A, 116B, 116E, 124, 125, 125A, 128, 129 and 129A, 135, 136, 148, 149, 150, 151, 151A, 151B, 151C, 152, 153, 156, 157, 158, 159.

Monday, April 11, 1932.

Kalubowila East: Nos. 161, 161A, 163, 164, 164A, 169, 169A, 171B, 171A, 175A, 177A, 181A, 203, 204, 214, 214A, 16, 226, 227, 234, 254, 258, 259, 267, 270, 271, 271A, 271B, 271C, 275A, 284, 284A, 284B, 285, 288, 308.

Tuesday, April 12, 1932.

Kalubowila East: Nos. 336B, 336C, 336D, 340A, 343A, 348, 358, 359, 362H, 364, 367A, 373, 484, 484D, 484E, 487, 488, 390A, 394, 402, 409, 412, 412A, 413, 413A, 421, 423A, 424, 426.

Defaulters Lists of 2nd Quarter, 1930.

Wednesday, March 30, 1932.

Dehiwala: No. 181.

Defaulters Lists of 3rd Quarter, 1930.

Wednesday, March 30, 1932.

Dehiwala: No. 181.

Monday, April 4, 1932.

Karagampitiya: Nos. 22A, 132, 132A, 133, 134, 135.

Defaulters List of 4th Quarter, 1930.

Wednesday, March 30, 1932.

Dehiwala: No. 181.

Monday, April 4, 1932.

Karagampitiya: Nos. 132, 132A, 133, 134, 135.

Defaulters Lists of 1st Quarter, 1931.

Monday, April 4, 1932.

Karagampitiya: Nos. 132, 132A, 133, 134, 135.

Lease of Produce of Trees.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of produce of trees on the under-mentioned premises will be sold by public auction at the Urban District Council Office Ratnapura, on Saturday, March 12, 1932, at 9 A.M., for a period of one year from January 1, 1932, to December 31, 1932.

CONDITIONS.

1. The purchase amount should be paid in full on the day of sale by the purchaser.
2. The Chairman reserves the right to reject any bid or all bids.

Premises referred to.

1. Nindamandiyahena (rubber plantation) bearing assessment No. 56, situated at Weralupe main road, Ratnapura.
2. Acquired lands for play ground across the river, coconut, jak, &c.

Urban District Council Office, Ratnapura, February 26, 1932. A. C. ATTYGALLA, Chairman.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.**Lantern Hill-Somerset Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions, as follows:—

Government moiety	Rs. 2,216.35
Private contributions	Rs. 2,262.90

1st to 2nd section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 2,135½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 559·49—
Sectional rate, ·26215c.—Total rate, ·26215c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
S. T. Kaliappa			
Chetty, Muthu			
Carupen, Chetty, and S. T. Mittiah			
Chetty	Lantern Hill	359	94 11
Do.	Kehelwatte	369	25 0
W. S. Blacket	Jack Tree Hill	322	84 41

1st to 4th section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 1,454½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 559·47—
Sectional rate, ·38478c.—Total rate, ·64693c.

A. B. Rodrigo	Graceland	30	19 41
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1st to 6th section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 1,424½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 559·47—
Sectional rate, ·39289c.—Total rate, 1·03982c.—

Heirs of Mrs. A. E. R.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
Stephens (H. M.)			
Windus)	Hapugahawatte	87	90 46
A. Pate	Galpaya	68½	70 71
Ganekumbure Du- raya	Gedawilhena	25	26 0
G. B. S. Silva	Galpaya (Sinna- pitiya)	60	62 39
A. R. P. R. Aru- mugam Pillai	Girtville	91	94 62

1st to 8th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 1,093—Moiety of cost, Rs. 559·47—
Sectional rate, ·51187c.—Total rate, 1·55169c.—

G. C. S. Hodgson (E. P. Andrews)	Somerset	461	715 30
G. Baiya and Son	Ganekumburewatta, &c.	25	38 79
S. Valoo & S. Pan- dian	Ambagahamulla	30	46 50
A. B. Rodrigo	Graceland	27	41 90
Heirs of Mrs. A. J. Stephens (M. H. Reeves)	Cooroondoowatte	486	754 10
Pandian Kangany & S. Valoo Kangany	Kendagolla	24	37 20
Heirs of Dona Chris- tina Dona Lysa Weerasinghe	Wandurumewatta	20	31 0
S. Pulunga & Sons	Edamewatta	20	31 0
Total			2,262 90

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to Mr. M. H. Reeves, Chairman, Local Committee, Cooroondoowatte estate, Gampola, on or before April 30, 1932.

N.B.—Interest at 9 per cent. will be recovered from estates if their assessments are not paid within the prescribed time.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, February 25, 1932.

Glenlyon Junction-Agra Branch Road.

(Waverly Bridge.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the above bridge for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions at the rate of ·00562 per acre :—

Total acreage, 5,609.		Amount due.
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Rs. c.
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Waverly	157 .. 0 88
Glasgow Estate Company, Ltd.	Nithsdale	242 .. 1 36
Portmore Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Portmore	311 .. 1 85
Do.	Aldourie	269 .. 1 51

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates	Acreage.	Amount. due.
			Rs. c.
Lutyens Bros.	Mornington	417	2 33
Ceylon Tea Plantations Co., Ltd.	Ardallie	209	1 15
Heirs of T. Mackie and P. Meir	Lot 112,364 Powysland	165	0 92
Balmore Ceylon Estates Co., Ltd.	Sandringham and Yarvade	542	3 3
New Dimbula Company, Ltd.	Diyagama	3,125	17 55
Heirs of J. M. Sayres	Nutbourne	172	0 95
Total			31 53

N.B.—Pri ate contribution	Rs. c.
Unexpended balance 1930-31	33 41
	1 88

Amount due .. 31 53

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1932.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, March 1, 1932.

Railway Gorge Branch Road.

(Between Caledonia Gap and the Railway Gorge.)

(Henfold Bridge.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the above bridge for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896" have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the said bridge at the rate of ·00914c. per acre :—

Total acreage, 3,614.		Amount. due.	
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Rs. c.	
Government moiety		Rs. 33·33	
Private contributions		Rs. 33·42	
Geo. Beck (J. E. Baillie Hamilton)	Henfold and St. Regulas	570 .. 5 21	
F. A. & W. N. Fairlie (G. H. Callander)	Kowlahena and Conon	366 .. 3 35	
Sumatravale Estates Co., Ltd.	Maria	297 .. 2 70	
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co., Ltd.	Lippakele	208 .. 1 90	
The Ceylon Estates Invest- ment Association, Ltd.	Maeduff	221 .. 2 2	
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company, Limited (Col. J. A. S. Agar)	Tangakelle	910 .. 8 32	
The Vellekellie Tea Co.	Ouvahkellie	593 .. 5 42	
The Dimbula Valley Tea Company	Elgin	291 .. 2 66	
Do.	Kellyhill	158 .. 1 44	
Total			33 2
N.B.—Private contribution		Rs. c.	
Unexpended balance 1930-31		33 42	
		0 40	
33 2			

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1932.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, March 1, 1932.

Railway Gorge Branch Road.

(Between Caledonia Gap and the Railway Gorge.)

(Kowlahena Bridge.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the above bridge for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the said bridge at the rate of 0.1c. per acre:—

Total acreage, 3,044.

Government moiety	Rs.	33.33
Private contributions	Rs.	33.42

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount.
F. A. & W. N. Fairlie (G. H. Callander)	Kowlahena and Conon	366	3	66	
Sumartravale Estates Co., Limited	Maria	297	2	97	
The Dimbula Valley Tea Co., Ltd.	Lippakele	208	2	8	
The Ceylon Estates Investment Association, Ltd.	Macduff	221	2	21	
Ceylon Tea Plantations Company, Limited (Col. J. A. S. Agar)	Tangakelle	910	9	10	
The Vellekelle Tea Co.	Ouvahkellie	593	5	93	
The Dimbula Valley Tea Company	Elgin	291	2	90	
Do.	Kellyhill	158	1	58	
	Total	30	43		
Private contribution			33	42	
Unexpended balance 1930-31			2	99	
	Amount due		30	43	

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1932.

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, March 1, 1932. Chairman.

Maskeliya-Moray Branch Road.

(Laxapana Bridge.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Laxapana bridge on the above road for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the bridge at the rate of 0.4647c. per acre, as follows:—

Total acreage, 4,306.

Government moiety	Rs.	200.00
Private contribution	Rs.	200.50

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount.
Ceylon and Indian Planters' Association, Ltd.	Laxapana, York, and John's land	866	40	24	
The Laxapana Tea Co.	Blantyre	239	11	10	
Do.	St. Andrews	321	14	92	
C. Johnson	Dalhousie	289	13	43	
Do.	Situluganga	143	6	65	
A. N. Greig	Suluganga	155	7	20	
Ceylon Proprietary Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Forres	387	17	98	
Uplands Tea Estates Co.	Moray and Valladolid	461	21	42	
Do.	Geddes	198	9	20	
Do.	Corfu	187	8	69	
Do.	Rajamalle	212	9	85	
Gartmore Ceylon Tea Co., Ltd.	Gartmore Group, Larchfield, Gartmore, Bevys, and Frogmore	848	39	40	
			200	8	

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1932.

Private contributions	Rs.	200.50
Unexpended balance, 1930-31	Rs.	0.42
Amount to be recovered	Rs.	200.8

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, March 1, 1932. Chairman.

Maskeliya-Cruden Branch Road.

(Maskeliya Bridge.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Maskeliya bridge on the 1st mile of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the bridge at the rate of 0.1252c. per acre, as follows:—

Total acreage, 3,986.

Government moiety	Rs.	50.00
Private contributions	Rs.	50.12

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount due.
Sir Thomas Lipton	Bunyan	298	3	73	
Do.	Ovoca	255	3	19	
J. M. Robertson & Co.	Mocha	588	7	36	
Bois Bros. & Co.	Queensland	281	3	52	
Whittall & Co.	Bloomfield	262	3	28	
Do.	Mottingham	258	3	23	
Whittall & Co.	Dunnottar	187	2	34	
Do.	Brunswick	256	3	21	
Do.	Caskieben	206	2	58	
J. M. Robertson & Co.	Midlothian	244	3	6	
Do.	Deeside	441	5	52	
Geo. Steuart & Co.	Glenguie	382	4	78	
Do.	Bargrove	220	2	75	
G. B. de Mowbray	Dotala	108	1	35	
	Total	49	90		

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1932.

N.B.—Private contribution	Rs.	50.12
Unexpended balance, 1930-31	Rs.	0.22
Amount due	Rs.	49.90

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, March 1, 1932. Chairman.

Branch Road from Maskeliya to Moray.

(Situla-ganga Bridge.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the Situla-ganga bridge on the 35th mile of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions at the rate of 0.2186c. per acre, as follows:—

Total average, 2,2.3.

Government moiety	Rs.	50.00
Private contributions	Rs.	50.13

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount.
Ceylon Proprietary Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Forres	387	8	46	
Uplands Tea Estates Co.	Moray and Velladolid	461	10	8	
Do.	Geddes	198	4	33	
Do.	Corfu	187	4	9	
Do.	Rajamalle	212	4	63	

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount Rs. c.
Gartmore Ceylon Tea Co., Ltd.	Gartmore, Group, Lar-chfield, Gartmoer, Bevys, Frogmore	.. 848	.. 18 54
			50 13

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay to the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1932.

	Rs. c.
Private contribution	.. 50 13
Unexpended balance	.. —
Amount due	.. 50 13

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, March 1, 1932. Chairman.

Rattota-Gammaduwa Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the road, as follows:—

Government moiety	.. Rs. 3,400.00
Private contributions	.. Rs. 3,408.50

1st to 5th section, 5 miles.

Total acreage, 8,404—Moiety of cost, Rs. 2,426.51—
Sectional rate, .28873c.—Total rate, .28873c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount, Rs. c.
Opalgalla Tea and Rubber Estates Company	Ellagalla, including Dawata	879½	253 80

1st to 6th section, 6 miles.

Total acreage, 7,525—Moiety of cost, Rs. 485.31—

Sectional rate, .06449c.—Total rate, .35322c.

Opalgalla Tea and Rubber Estates, Co., Ltd.	Opalgalla Group	1,321½	466 60
Alfred de Silva	Kudaoya	89	31 35

1st to 7th section, 7 miles.

Total acreage, 6,115—Moiety of cost, Rs. 485.30—
Sectional rate, .07936c.—Total rate, .43258c.

Robert de Zoysa	Dromoland, Ewhurst, and Park	504	218 5
Forest Hill Tea Co. (Cumberbatch & Co.)	Mousakanda Group	1,845	798 15
The Deltenne Estates Co., Ltd. (Cumberbatch & Co.)	Gammaduwa Group	1,357	587 2
Ceylon Amalgamated Tea and Rubber Estates, Ltd. (J. M. Robertson & Co.)	Karagahatenna Group	1,233	533 40
Nambena Estates, Ltd. (Carson & Co.)	Naragala Group	767½	331 80
E. L. Ebrahim Lebbe Marikar	Sinna Hinguruwatta	307	132 80
H. F. Ensor Harris	Altwood	102	44 15
Total			3,397 12

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before April 30, 1932:

	Rs. c.
N.B.—Private contribution	.. 3,408 50
Unexpended balance 1930-31	.. 11 38
Amount due	.. 3,397 12

H. W. CODRINGTON,
Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, March 2, 1932. Chairman.

Kadugannawa-Gampola Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the State Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for maintenance of the above road for the year ending September 30, 1932, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate interested in the road to make up the private contribution, as follows:—

Government contribution	.. Rs. 5,000.00
Private contribution	.. Rs. 5,012.50

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 3,306½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 741.89—
Sectional rate, .2244c.—Total rate, .2244c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount, Rs. c.
Geo. G. de Silva	Belungalla	390	87 52

1st to 2nd section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 2,916½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 397.48—
Sectional rate, .13363c.—Total rate, .35803c.

N. D. J. de Silva	St. Helens	125	44 75
Do.	Nuga Ella	81	29 0

1st to 3rd section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 2,710½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 341.98—
Sectional rate, .12619c.—Total rate, .48422c.

M. B. Neangoda	Retela Ella	25	12 11
M. B. Panabokka	Medrup	78	37 77

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 2,607½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 462.48—
Sectional rate, .1774c.—Total rate, .66162c.

T. B. Worthington	Wembley	1,061	701 98
E. H. de Silva	Paranapitiya	22	14 56
Mrs. E. Warakaulle	Sadikka	88½	62 19
K. B. Nillagoda	Seevali Hill	48	31 76

1st to 5th section, 5 miles.

Total acreage, 1,388—Moiety of cost, Rs. 341.98—
Sectional rate, .24638c.—Total rate, .90800c.

M. Babburetty	Mercantile	114	103 51
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1st to 6th section, 5½ miles.

Total acreage, 1,274—Moiety of cost, Rs. 122.23—
Sectional rate, .09594c.—Total rate, 1.00394c.

W. Jordan (S. C. Traill)	Alpitakande	488	489 92
H. O. Rodrigo and P. C. H. Dias	Gadadessa	505	506 99
E. L. Ebrahim Lebbe Marikar	Frankland	281	282 11

7th to 12th section, 5½ miles.

Total acreage, 1,245—Moiety of cost, Rs. 542.84—
Sectional rate, .43602c.—Total rate, 1.76277c.

P. F. H. Bayly	Gona Adika	1,008	1,776 87
Dr. H. I. Fernando	Leangaha	43	75 80
V. E. R. M. M. Vairavan Chettiar & Co.	Lokuanga	55	96 95
Simon de Silva	Polkolagolla	80	141
M. W. R. de Silva	Augric	59	104 0

9th to 12th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 1,341—Moiety of cost, Rs. 420·61—
Sectional rate, ·31365c.—Total rate, 1·32675c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount
S. U. Odayar	.. Maligatenna	.. 30	..	39	80
S. K. R. S. K. R. Dorasamy	.. Rannawella	.. 66	..	87	57

10th to 12th section, 3 miles.

Total acreage, 1,411—Moiety of cost, Rs. 741·98—
Sectional rate, ·52585c.—Total rate, 1·01310c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount
V. R. A. R. Suppiah	.. Dhormapury	.. 36	..	36	47
J. M. Arool Raj	.. Halgola	.. 34	..	34	45

11th to 12th section, 2 miles.

Total acreage, 1,802½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 627·10—
Sectional rate, ·34800c.—Total rate, ·48725c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount
M. S. N. Omer Batcha	.. Delvitiya	.. 40	..	19	49
K. P. A. Carapiah Pillai	.. Hartfields	.. 140	..	68	22
Dr. S. C. Paul	.. Mt. Temple	.. 211½	..	106	68

12th section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 1,835½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 255·52—
Sectional rate, ·13925c.—Total rate, ·13925c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.	Amount
H. Sam de Silva (lessee, T. P. Cunjimoosa)	.. Sanda Siri	.. 33	..	4	60
N.B.—Private contributions	..	..	..	4,996	9
Unexpended balance, 1930-31	..	..	..	—	—
Unexpended balance (flood damages)	..	..	..	16	41
					5,012 50

* (Not available yet ; if any will be adjusted in 1932-33.)

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before June 30, 1932.

H. W. CODRINGTON,

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Chairman.
Kandy, March 8, 1932.