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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

L. D.—B 242/31 M. L. A.—B 830
BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. CALDECOTT.

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

By His Excellency's command,

E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Kandy, November 26, 1937.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY-LAW.

The by-laws relating to leave, published by Proclamation dated November 13, 1926, in *Gazette* No. 7,557 of November 26, 1926, as amended by the by-laws published by Proclamation dated November 26, 1931, in *Gazette* No. 7,896 of December 4, 1931, are hereby further amended by the substitution, for by-law 12A, of the following new by-law:—

“12A. Leave to Daily Paid Employees—

- (i.) Any daily paid employee who has been continuously employed for two years and upwards may be granted leave on full pay not exceeding fourteen days in any one calendar year.
- (ii.) In case of illness due to accidents arising out of his employment, and not due to his own culpable carelessness, any daily paid employee, irrespective of service, may be granted half-pay leave up to a maximum of thirty days in a calendar year. If it is considered desirable that such half-pay leave should be extended beyond thirty days, the sanction of the Council must be obtained.”

L. D.—B 127/32 H. A./B 631/37
BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. CALDECOTT.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, 1931, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, I, the Governor of Ceylon, do hereby amend the Proclamation under the aforementioned section, published in *Gazette* No. 7,896 of December 4, 1931, by including in the schedule thereto the temples described in the schedule hereunder.

By His Excellency's command,

E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Kandy, November 24, 1937.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Dedigama Raja Maha Vihare, situated at Dedigama in Kiraweli east pattuwa of Beligal korale in the Kegalla District.

Ulugala Raja Maha Vihare, situated at Ulugala in the Arachchi's division of Kotawera in Dehiwinipalata korale within the Udukinda division of the Badulla District.

L. D.—B. 18/37 C. & W./G. M. R. OB 22489
BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. CALDECOTT.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers in me vested by section 34 (1) of the Ceylon Railways Ordinance, 1902, I, the Governor of Ceylon, do by this Proclamation declare that the road described in the schedule hereto shall from December 1, 1937, to January 4, 1938, be a “minor crossing,” and that the said “minor crossing” shall be closed by gates.

And I do hereby revoke, with effect from December 1, 1937, the Proclamation published in *Gazette* No. 8,256 of November 13, 1936, declaring that the said “minor crossing” shall not be closed by gates.

By His Excellency's command,

E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, November 29, 1937.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Situation of Crossing.	Description of Road.	Class.
At 67 miles 16 chains between the Dodanduwa and the Gintota Railway Stations	Road leading from the Colombo-Galle road to Kandala village and racecourse	III.

L. D.—B 18/37 C. & W./G. M. R. OB 22489
BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. CALDECOTT.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers in me vested by section 34 (1) of the Ceylon Railways Ordinance, 1902, I, the Governor of Ceylon, do by this Proclamation declare that the road described in the schedule hereto shall on and after January 5, 1938, be a “minor crossing,” and that the said “minor crossing” shall not be closed by gates.

By His Excellency's command,

E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, November 29, 1937.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 642 of 1937.

J 81/35

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the Registrar-General in his capacity as Director of Commercial Intelligence, to be, in addition to his other duties, Food Controller under section 2 of Ordinance No. 22 of 1937.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 23, 1937.

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Chief Secretary.

No. 643 of 1937.

J 43/36

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

J 42/36

Mr. G. DE SOYZA to be Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies from November 22, 1937, until further orders.

J 42/36

Mr. E. J. COORAY to be attached to the office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies from November 22, 1937, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. Chief Secretary.

No. 644 of 1937.

PN 1164 (FSO)

THE Governor has, under section 6 (3) of "The Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, 1898," appointed Mr. C. E. JONES to be a Director of the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund in place of Mr. G. S. WODEMAN, who has left the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

The Secretariat, H. J. HUXHAM,
Colombo, November 27, 1937. Financial Secretary.

No. 645 of 1937.

CJ 9/37

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 24 of the Courts Ordinance, 1889, to appoint Mr. O. L. DE KRETZER to be Commissioner of Assize for a part of the Fourth Criminal Session of the Supreme Court for the Western Circuit, with effect from December 1, 1937, until the conclusion of the said Session, or until His Excellency otherwise directs.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office, J. C. HOWARD,
Colombo, November 29, 1937. Legal Secretary.

No. 646 of 1937.

CJ 9/37

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. A. E. KEUNEMAN, K.C., to act in the office of a Puisne Justice from November 29, 1937, during the absence of the Hon. Mr. F. H. B. KOCH, or until His Excellency otherwise directs.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office, J. C. HOWARD,
Colombo, November 29, 1937. Legal Secretary.

No. 647 of 1937.

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

CJ 32/37

Mr. G. CROSETTE-THAMBYAH to act in the office of District Judge, Colombo, with effect from November 11, 1937, until further orders.

Mr. C. L. WICKREMESINGHE to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Police Magistrate, Galle, during the absence of Mr. N. M. BHARUCHA, from December 24, 1937, to January 7, 1938.

J 71/36

Mr. K. KANAKASABAI to act as Additional District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Police Magistrate, Jaffna, and Additional Police Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Point Pedro, during the absence of Mr. S. RODRIGO, on November 29 and 30, 1937.

CJ 131/36

Mr. K. KANAKASABAI to act as Additional District Judge, Jaffna, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Police Magistrate, Jaffna and Point Pedro, on December 1 and 2, 1937.

J 31/36

Mr. C. SITTAMPALAM to be, in addition to his other duties, an Additional District Judge, Mullaitivu, on December 3 and 4, 1937, to try P. C., Mullaitivu, committed case No. 14,004.

J 59/36

Mr. M. H. JAYATILLEKA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadura, and Additional District Judge, Colombo and Kalutara, during the absence of Mr. MERVYN JOSEPH, from November 24 to 26, 1937.

CJ 131/36

Mr. T. QUENTIN FERNANDO to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, Additional District Judge, Kalutara, and Police Magistrate under section 3 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1891 for the Revenue District of Kalutara, from November 26, 1937, during the employment of Mr. S. RAJARATNAM on other duties, or until further orders.

J 15/36

Mr. EVAN KOCH to be an Additional Commissioner of Requests, Gampaha, on December 4, 1937, to hear C. R., Gampaha, case No. 8,008.

J 15/36

Mr. E. C. RATNAIKE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Gampaha, and Additional District Judge, Colombo and Negombo, and Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo and Negombo, during the absence of Mr. K. D. DE SILVA, on December 9, 1937.

J 28/36

Mr. H. W. E. DIAS-WANIGASEKERA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matale and Dumbara, and Additional District Judge, Kandy, during the absence of Mr. ROLAND DE ZOYSA, on December 7 and 8, 1937.

J 80/36

Mr. G. P. KEUNEMAN to act as Commissioner of Requests, Police Magistrate, and Additional District Judge, Matara, during the absence of Mr. V. H. WIJEYARATNE, from November 26 to 28, 1937.

CJ 131/36

Mr. S. RAJARATNAM to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, and Additional District Judge, Kurunegala, from November 29, 1937, during the employment of Mr. N. SINNETAMBY on other duties, or until further orders.

J 41/36

Mr. R. L. BARTHOLOMEUSZ to act as Police Magistrate, Additional District Judge, and Additional Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, during the absence of Mr. J. N. ARUMUGAM, on November 29, 1937.

J 35/36

Mr. M. H. JAYATILLEKA to be Additional Police Magistrate, Panadure, on December 2, 1937, to record the evidence of Mr. MERVYN JOSEPH in P. C., Panadure, case No. 44,392.

J 35/36

Mr. M. H. JAYATILLEKA to be an Additional Police Magistrate, Panadure, on December 3, 1937, to hear P. C., Panadure, case No. 42,410.

J 21/36

Mr. S. RAJARATNAM to be an Additional Police Magistrate, Kalutara, on November 27, 1937, to try P. C., Kalutara, case No. 32,233.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 30, 1937.

J. C. HOWARD,
Legal Secretary.

No. 648 of 1937.

G 12/37

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR in that behalf, Mr. FRANCIS ANTONY FERNANDO has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, to be an Inquirer for the Udaiyar's division of Karikkaddumulai South in the Chief Headman's division of Maritime pattus in the Mullaittivu District, with effect from November 25, 1937, while holding the office of Udaiyar of Karikkaddumulai South.

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 25, 1937.

J. C. HOWARD,
Legal Secretary.

No. 649 of 1937.

G 31/36

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me in that behalf, Mr. S. M. MARIKKAR has been appointed under section 372 of the Civil Procedure Code, 1889, to be, while holding the office of Fiscal's Marshal, Dandegamuwa, an officer specially authorized to administer the Oaths or Affirmations which are requisite to the making of affidavits mentioned in section 371 of the said Code for the judicial district of Kurunegala, on November 30, 1937.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 29, 1937.

J. C. HOWARD,
Legal Secretary.

No. 650 of 1937.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 11 (2) of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, to nominate Dr. S. SIVALINGAM, Medical Officer of Health, Health Unit, Kalutara, to be a member of each of the Urban District Councils of Kalutara and Beruwala, in place of Dr. W. G. WICKREMASINGHE, with effect from November 15, 1937.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,
Minister for Local Administration.
Colombo, November 25, 1937.

No. 651 of 1937.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. C. E. JONES, Acting Deputy Financial Secretary, has been deputed under section 3 (1) (a) of Ordinance No. 10 of 1936, to represent the Honourable the Financial Secretary on the Rubber Research Board from November 2, 1937.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, November 22, 1937.

No. 652 of 1937.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. DON CHARLES WIJAYASINHA to be a Notary Public throughout Dewameddi hatpattu of Kurunegala District, with residence and office at Hettipola, and to practise as such in the English and Sinhalese languages.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, November 23, 1937.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

THE following appointments made under the proviso to sub-section (3) of section 2 of Ordinance No. 23 of 1927 are hereby notified:—

WALTER DANIEL MIGEL PERERA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for sixteen days from December 8, 1937, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, T. DE S. ABEYWICKREMA, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

BASTIAMPILLAI PHILIP JOSEPH to act as Registrar of Lands, Mullaittivu, for nine days from November 17, 1937, during the absence of the Registrar, S. SWAMINATHAN, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

MERVILLE DIONOECIUS ARYACHANDRA to act as Registrar of Lands, Anuradhapura, for two days from November 29, 1937, during the absence of the Registrar, B. F. NAGAIHAWATTA, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, November 30, 1937.

J. C. W. ROCK,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

L. D. —B 130/37

33/2 (FSO)

THE STAMP ORDINANCE, 1909.

BY virtue of the powers in me vested by section 5 (i) (a) of the Stamp Ordinance, 1909, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Notification rescind the Notification dated February 26, 1931, published in *Gazette* No. 7,833 of March 6, 1931.

Colombo, November 29, 1937.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

A 5/32

THE text of the following Order in Council which amends the Copyright (Rome Convention) Order, 1933, published in *Gazette* No. 8,002 of September 1, 1933, is hereby published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,
Colombo, November 24, 1937.

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Chief Secretary.

Text.

STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

1937 No. 97

COPYRIGHT

International Copyright

THE COPYRIGHT (ROME CONVENTION) (LATVIA)
ORDER, 1937.At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 2nd day of
February, 1937.

Present,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY

Lord President.	Sir Samuel Hoare.
Earl of Granard.	Sir Philip Sassoon.
Lord Hutchison of Montrose.	

WHEREAS His late Majesty King George the Fifth by virtue of the authority conferred upon Him by the Copyright Act, 1911, (a) (hereinafter called "the Act") was pleased to make the Copyright (Rome Convention) Order, 1933, (b) (hereinafter called "the Principal Order"):

And whereas Latvia has acceded to the International Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works signed at Rome on the 2nd day of June, 1928, (c) subject to the reservation that the provisions of Article 5 of the Berne Convention to which reference is made in the Principal Order and which relates to the right of translation, as amended by the Additional Act in the said Order mentioned, shall be substituted for the provisions of Article 8 of the Rome Convention to which the Principal Order refers:

And whereas by Section 32 of the Act it is provided that His Majesty in Council may make Orders for altering, revoking or varying any Order in Council made under the Act, but that any Order made under the said Section should not affect prejudicially any rights or interests acquired or accrued at the date when the Order comes into operation, and should provide for the protection of such rights and interests:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, and by virtue of the authority conferred upon Him by the Act, and of all other powers enabling Him in that behalf, is pleased to direct and doth hereby direct as follows:—

1. The Principal Order shall have effect as if:—

(a) in Article 1 Latvia were included amongst the foreign countries of the Copyright Union named therein;

(b) at the end of the Third Schedule there were inserted the following words and figures:—

Latvia 15th May, 1937 15th May, 1937;

(c) in Article 2, proviso (ii) (b) Latvia were included amongst the foreign countries named therein;

(d) in Article 3 the words and figures "15th May, 1937," were substituted for the words "date of this Order" in the relation of that Article to any work to which the Act is applied by virtue of this Order.

2. Nothing in this Order shall affect prejudicially any rights or interests acquired or accrued at the commencement of this Order by virtue of the Principal Order.

3. The Interpretation Act, 1889, (d) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as if it were an Act of Parliament.

4. This Order shall come into operation on the 15th day of May, 1937.

5. This Order may be cited as the Copyright (Rome Convention) (Latvia) Order, 1937.

M. P. A. HANKEY.

(a) 1 & 2 Geo. 5, c. 46.

(b) S. R. & O. 1933 (No. 253) p. 530.

(c) Treaty Series No. 12 (1932).

(d) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

A 178/37

THE text of the Copyright (North Borneo) Order, 1937, made by His Majesty in Council on February 2, 1937, under section 29 of the Copyright Act, 1911, which was brought into force in Ceylon by the Copyright Ordinance, No. 20 of 1912, is published hereunder for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Chief Secretary.

Colombo, November 24, 1937.

Text.

STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

1937 No. 98

COPYRIGHT

International Copyright

THE COPYRIGHT (NORTH BORNEO) ORDER, 1937.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 2nd day
of February, 1937.

Present,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY

Lord President.	Sir Samuel Hoare.
Earl of Granard.	Sir Philip Sassoon.
Lord Hutchison of Montrose.	

WHEREAS by section 29 of the Copyright Act, 1911 (a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), it is enacted that His Majesty may by Order in Council direct that the Act (except such parts, if any, thereof as may be specified in the Order) shall apply to certain classes of foreign works:

And whereas His Majesty is satisfied that the State of North Borneo has made or has undertaken to make such provision as it appears to His Majesty expedient to require for the protection of works entitled to copyright under the provisions of Part I of the Act:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Him by the Act, and of all other powers enabling Him in that behalf, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to direct and doth hereby direct as follows:—

1. The Act shall apply—

(a) to works first published in North Borneo, in like manner as if they were first published within the parts of His Majesty's dominions to which the Act extends;

(b) to literary, dramatic, musical and artistic works, or any class thereof, the authors whereof were at the time of the making of the work citizens of North Borneo, in like manner as if the authors were British subjects;

(c) in respect of residence in North Borneo, in like manner as if such residence were residence in the parts of His Majesty's dominions to which the Act extends.

2. Where any musical work to which the Act is applied by this Order has been published before the date of this Order but no contrivance by means of which the work may be mechanically performed has before the said date been lawfully made or placed on sale within the parts of His Majesty's dominions to which this Order applies, copyright in such work shall include all rights conferred by the Act with respect to the making of records, perforated rolls and other contrivances by means of which the work may be mechanically performed.

3. In the application of Sections 1 (2) (d) and 19 of the Act, to any work to which the Act is applied by this Order, the date of this Order shall be substituted for "the commencement of this Act" and for "the passing of this Act" in Sections 19 (7) and 19 (8) wherever those expressions occur.

4. Where any person has, before the date of this Order, taken any action whereby he has incurred any expenditure or liability in connection with the reproduction or performance of any work in a manner which at the time was lawful, or for the purpose of or with a view to the reproduction or performance of a work at a time when such reproduction or performance would, but for the making of this Order, have been lawful, nothing in this Order shall diminish or prejudice any rights or interest arising from or in connection with such action which are subsisting and valuable at the said date unless the person who, by virtue of this Order, becomes entitled to restrain such reproduction or performance agrees to pay such compensation as failing agreement may be determined by arbitration.

5. The Interpretation Act, 1889, (b) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

6. This Order may be cited as the Copyright (North Borneo) Order, 1937.

M. P. A. HANKEY.

A 83/37

G 57/36

THE LABOUR ORDINANCE, No. 1 OF 1923.

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by section 9 (1) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1923, has been pleased to appoint Mr. D. T. Richards to be a member of the Board of Indian Immigrant Labour with effect from November 24, 1937, in place of Mr. C. E. Hawes, who has resigned.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, November 26, 1937. Chief Secretary.

THE following amendment to Public Service Regulation 39 is published for general information :—

Public Service Regulation 39 (Correction Slip No. 27).

In Public Service Regulation 39 (Correction Slip No. 27) delete the words " who have passed the second Efficiency Bar in the scale for that class " in lines 2 and 3 thereof and substitute the following therefor :—

" who have passed the second Efficiency Bar in the scale Rs. 480—48—1,200, or the third Efficiency Bar in the scale Rs. 480—30—1,200."

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, November 25, 1937. Chief Secretary.

N 112/37

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the regulations published in the *Gazette* of January 26, 1934, to grant the Efficiency Decoration (Ceylon) to the undermentioned officer of the Ceylon Defence Force :—

Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps.

Captain G. L. Lushington.

Under the regulations published in the *Gazette* of January 26, 1934, Captain G. L. Lushington E.D. is not permitted to wear the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal, which was awarded to him by notification in the *Gazette* of April 29, 1927, with the Efficiency Decoration until further notice.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, November 26, 1937. Chief Secretary.

L.D.—B 130/37

33/2 (FSO)

THE STAMP ORDINANCE, 1909.

RULE made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 8 of the Stamp Ordinance, 1909, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,
H. J. HUXHAM,
Financial Secretary.
Colombo, November 29, 1937.

RULE.

The stamp used for any instrument chargeable with stamp duty under the Stamp Ordinance, 1909, or any other written law in Ceylon—

- (a) in any case where the instrument is a transfer of any share in an incorporated company or other body corporate, shall be an impressed stamp ; and
- (b) in any other case, may be either an impressed stamp or an adhesive stamp issued by the Government of Ceylon.

(D. S. 283)

PN 137

IN terms of section 24 of the Minutes on Pensions dated February 5, 1934, it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officers, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of their temporary employment for pension purposes :—

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Mr. T. R. L. Pieries ..	Clerk, Class II., General Clerical Service	Clerk, Tea Export Control Department
Mr. H. W. Goonetilleke ..	do.	do.

Financial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 24, 1937.

By His Excellency's command,
H. J. HUXHAM,
Financial Secretary.

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

(Article 32.)

Notification.

Election of a Member of the State Council in pursuance of a Proclamation by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government dated the Ninth day of October, 1937.

IN pursuance of Article 32 of the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, it is hereby notified by His Excellency the Governor as follows :—

- (1) In the Electoral District specified in the first column of the schedule hereto the election of a Member of the State Council is contested.
- (2) In the said Electoral District a poll will be taken between 8 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon on the date specified in the second column of the said schedule.
- (3) The names of candidates nominated for election in the said Electoral District are given in the third column of the said schedule, together with the colour allotted to each candidate by which the ballot box for the reception of ballot papers in favour of that candidate shall be distinguished at the poll and the names of the proposer and seconder of each candidate.
- (4) The situations of the polling stations in the said Electoral District are specified in the fourth column of the said schedule.

(5) The sex and areas of residence of the voters on the register of voters allotted to each polling station are specified in the fifth column of the said schedule.

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, November 30, 1937.

By His Excellency's command,

J. C. HOWARD,
Legal Secretary.

SCHEDULE.				
1	2	3	4	5
Electoral District.	Date of Poll.	Names of Candidates nominated, Colour allotted to each, and Names of Proposers and Seconders.	Situations of Polling Stations.	Sex, and Areas of Residence or the Numbers of the Voters on Register allotted to each Polling Stations.
No. 5, Negombo	15th January, 1938	1. De Silva, Charles Edward Perry Ballot Box Colour: Red Proposer: Alexander Nicholas de Abrew Abeyesingha Secunder: Angus Hugh Ignatius de Zoysa	Government Mixed School, Godigomuwa	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 55, Petigoda; 56, Delpakadawara; 57, Balawala; 58, Akaragama; 59, Madampella Pahala; 60, Otarawadiya; and 62, Kongodamulla Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 55, Petigoda; 56, Delpakadawara; 57, Balawala; 58, Akaragama; 59, Madampella Pahala; 60, Otarawadiya; and 62, Kongodamulla
		2. De Silva, Charles Lambert Ballot Box Colour: White Proposer: Kulatilaka Arthanayaka Tudor Ranasingha Secunder: Gallage Valentine Carolis de Silva	Temporary shed on premises of Godigomuwa School, Godigomuwa	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 61, Ambalayaya; 63, Katana East; 64, Katana West; 65, Bambukuliya; 66, Murutana; 67, Udangawa; 68, Etagala; and 69, Welihena Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 61, Ambalayaya; 63, Katana East; 64, Katana West; 65, Bambukuliya; 66, Murutana; 67, Udangawa; 68, Etagala; and 69, Welihena
			Roman Catholic Boys' School, Bambukuliya	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 70, Kandawala; 71, Timbirigaskotuwa; 72, Dalupotha; 73, Ettukala; 74, Palangaturu East; 75, Kattuwa; 76, Pallansena South; 77, Pallansena North; and 78, Kochchikado
			Roman Catholic Girls' School, Bambukuliya	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 70, Kandawala; 71, Timbirigaskotuwa; 72, Dalupotha; 73, Ettukala; 74, Palangaturu East; 75, Kattuwa; 76, Pallansena South; 77, Pallansena North; and 78, Kochchikado
			Roman Catholic Boys' School, Daluwekotuwa	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 79, Udugodagedara; 80, Welangana; 81, Delwagura; 82, Kehelella; 83, Palliyapitiya; 84, Tammita; 85, Barawawila; 86, Hunumulla; and 87, Henpitagodara
			Roman Catholic Convent School, Daluwekotuwa	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 79, Udugodagedara; 80, Welangana; 81, Delwagura; 82, Kehelella; 83, Palliyapitiya; 84, Tammita; 85, Barawawila; 86, Hunumulla; and 87, Henpitagodara
			Government Boys' School, Hunumulla	Males and Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 88, Dunagaha; 89, Alutepola; 90, Katuwellogama; 91, Dagonna; and 96, Kadawala
			Buddhist Infant Girls' School, Hunumulla	Males and Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 92, Kimbulapitiya; 93, Demanhandiya; 94, Kaluayirippuwa West; and 95, Kaluayirippuwa East
			Buddhist Mixed School, Katuwellogama	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 142, Kurana Katunayaka; 143, Katunayaka; 144, Liyanagemulla; 145, Bandarawatta; 146, Ambalanmulla; 147, Secduwa; and 148, Amandoluwa
			Methodist Mixed School, Miriswatta	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 142, Kurana Katunayaka; 143, Katunayaka; 144, Liyanagemulla; 145, Bandarawatta; 146, Ambalanmulla; 147, Secduwa; and 148, Amandoluwa
			Roman Catholic School, Amandoluwa	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 149 and 150, Ewariwatta and Kadirana South; 151, Kowinna; 152, Madawala; 153, Heenatiyana; 154, Dewamottawa; and 155, Andiambalama
			Roman Catholic Girls' School, Amandoluwa	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 149 and 150, Ewariwatta and Kadirana South; 151, Kowinna; 152, Madawala; 153, Heenatiyana; 154, Dewamottawa; and 155, Andiambalama
			Roman Catholic Boys' School, Andiambalama	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 162, Pitipana; 162A, Duwa; 163, Talahena; and 163A, Kepungoda
			Roman Catholic Girls' School, Andiambalama	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 162, Pitipana; 162A, Duwa; 163, Talahena; and 163A, Kepungoda
			Roman Catholic Boys' School, Talahena	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 156, Tammita; Divisions 1 and 2; 158, Sea street; and 159, Periyamulla
			Roman Catholic Girls' School, Talahena	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 156, Tammita; Divisions 1 and 2; 158, Sea street; and 159, Periyamulla
			Temporary shed on the west side of the Esplanade, Negombo	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 157, Bolawalana; 160, Tammita; 3rd and 4th Divisions; and 161, Maha Hunupitiya
			Temporary shed on the east side of the Esplanade, Negombo	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 157, Bolawalana; 160, Tammita; 3rd and 4th Divisions; and 161, Maha Hunupitiya
			Maris Stella College, Negombo	Males. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 157, Bolawalana; 160, Tammita; 3rd and 4th Divisions; and 161, Maha Hunupitiya
			Maris Stella College, Negombo	Females. —Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 157, Bolawalana; 160, Tammita; 3rd and 4th Divisions; and 161, Maha Hunupitiya

THE following additions and amendments to the lists of members of the Divisional Agricultural Associations already published in the *Gazette* are hereby notified for general information :—

Kalutara District.

RAIGAM KORALE DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(c) *Representatives of Co-operative Credit Societies.*
Handapangoda : Mr. D. Tikonis Jayasinghe.

Ratnapura District.

NAWADUN KORALE DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(c) *Representatives of Co-operative Credit Societies.*
Pebotawa : Mr. C. Felsingher.

Matara District.

WELIGAM KORALE DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(d) *Representatives of Village Committees.*
Akuressa : Mr. D. P. W. Yapa vice Mr. A. G. Godevitharane (resigned).

Batticaloa District.

BINTENNE PATTU DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(d) *Representatives of Village Committees.*
Bintenne North : Mr. M. D. William Appuhamy vice Mr. E. S. Velupillai (resigned).

MANMUNAI PATTU NORTH DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(d) *Representatives of Village Committees.*
Manmunai East (North) : Mr. K. N. Selvadurai vice Mr. N. Kasupathipillai.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, November 22, 1937.

THE following additions and amendments to the list of members of District Agricultural Committees already published in the *Gazette* are hereby notified for general information :—

NUWARA ELIYA DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE.

(g) *Representatives elected by the Planters' Associations in the District.*

Mr. F. C. Charnaud.

BATTICALOA DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE.

(i) *Nominated Members.*

Mr. B. W. L. Sortain vice Mr. J. R. C. Backhouse (resigned).

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, November 22, 1937.

WITH reference to the Notification appearing in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 8,322 of October 8, 1937, it is hereby notified that the vacancy in the personnel of the Central Board of Agriculture constituted in terms of the report of the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands, which was approved by the State Council on September 29, 1937, and ratified by His Excellency the Governor, is filled as follows :—

Mr. S. M. K. Madukanda, Dissawa (representative of the Mullaittivu District Agricultural Committee).

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, November 25, 1937.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1917.

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 45 of 1917, approved under section 12 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on April 24, 1937, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Talwatte minor flood protection irrigation work in the Western Province, and sanctioned by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 45 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

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

Colombo, November 22, 1937.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work : Talwatte minor flood protection scheme, situated on the north bank of Kelani-ganga at about 7½ M.P. on the Kelaniya-Biyagama road, Adikari pattuwa, Siyane korale west, Colombo District.

2. Extent and nature of lands irrigable under the scheme :—

Private lands under paddy cultivation	160 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation	—
Crown lands under cultivation	—
Crown lands not under cultivation	—

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, floods bunds and concrete head sluice up to the estimated cost of Rs. 12,300 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) In consideration of the aforesaid undertaking on the part of the Government, the proprietors on their part agree to repay to the Government a sum of Rs. 3,200 in full settlement of the cost, incurred by the Government in the construction of the items of work aforesaid, by a construction rate of Rs. 2 per acre per annum for a period of ten years from the date of completion of the irrigation work or until the said sum has been fully repaid.

(3) The proprietors further agree to contribute, after the completion of the work, all labour required for its maintenance and repair, free of all charges.

(4) The proprietors further agree that in the event of any default on the part of any of them in contributing any uncommutable labour due under this scheme, the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent may cause such labour to be performed by any other person and recover the cost thereof in the manner prescribed in Chapter VIII. of the Ordinance.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1917.

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 45 of 1917, approved under section 12 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on May 1, 1937, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Badduwela amuna irrigation work in the Galle District, and sanctioned by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 45 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

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

Colombo, November 20, 1937.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work : Badduwela amuna, Bentota-Walallawiti korale, Galle District, Southern Province.

2. Extent and nature of lands irrigable under the scheme :—

Private lands under cultivation	116 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation	—
Crown lands under cultivation	—
Crown lands not under cultivation	—

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following item of the necessary work, namely, reconstruction of amuna up to the estimated cost of Rs. 2,000 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) In consideration of the aforesaid undertaking on the part of the Government the proprietors on their part agree to contribute, after the completion of the work, all labour required for its maintenance and repair, free of all charges.

(3) The proprietors further agree that in the event of any default on the part of any of them in contributing any uncommutable labour due under this scheme, the Government Agent may cause such labour to be performed by any other person and recover the cost thereof in the manner prescribed in Chapter VIII. of the Ordinance.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1917.

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 45 of 1917, approved under section 12 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on June 4, 1937, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Kahatagaspitiya bemma irrigation work in the Chilaw District, and sanctioned by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 45 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

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

Colombo, November 16, 1937.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work : Kahatagaspitiya bemma, Medapalata, Nattandiya division, Pitigal South korale, Chilaw District.

2. Extent and nature of lands irrigable under the scheme :—

Private lands under cultivation ..	300 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation ..	231 acres approximately
Crown lands under cultivation ..	—
Crown lands not under cultivation ..	—

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, a flood bund and control sluice, two irrigation sluices and making good the breaches in the main bund up to the estimated cost of Rs. 5,800 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) In consideration of the aforesaid undertaking on the part of the Government the proprietors on their part agree to repay to the Government a sum of Rs. 1,650 in full settlement of the cost, incurred by the Government in the construction of the items of work aforesaid, by a construction rate of Re. 1.10 per acre per annum for a period of five years from the date of completion of the irrigation work or until the said sum has been fully repaid.

(3) The proprietors further agree to contribute, after the completion of the work, all labour required for its maintenance and repair, free of all charges.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE, No. 45 of 1917.

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 45 of 1917, approved under section 12 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on April 8, 1937, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Pelwatta Maha-ela irrigation work in the Buttala division, Province of Uva, and sanctioned by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 45 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

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

Colombo, November 16, 1937.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work : Pelwatta Maha-ela scheme, Buttala korale, Buttala division, Badulla District.

2. Extent and nature of lands irrigable under the scheme :—

Private lands under cultivation ..	128 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation ..	112 acres approximately
Crown lands under cultivation ..	—
Crown lands not under cultivation ..	—

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following item of the necessary work, namely, construction of a siphon across Gomura up to the estimated cost of Rs. 2,140 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) The proprietors agree to contribute, after the completion of the work, all labour required for its maintenance and repair, free of all charges.

(3) The proprietors further agree that in the event of any default on the part of any of them in contributing any uncommutable labour due under this scheme, the Government Agent may cause such labour to be performed by any other person and recover the cost thereof in the manner prescribed in Chapter VII. of the Ordinance.

M. L. A.—B 1016a/L. D.—B 39/36

THE STREET COLLECTIONS REGULATION ORDINANCE,
No. 47 OF 1935.

IT is hereby notified that the following regulations under section 2 of the Street Collections Regulation Ordinance, No. 47 of 1935, made by the Executive Committee of Local Administration, for the area within the administrative limits of the Colombo Municipal Council, have been approved by the State Council, and ratified by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said section.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,
Minister for Local Administration.

Colombo, November 30, 1937.

The Colombo Street Collections Regulations.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Colombo Street Collections Regulations, 1937.

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

“Board” means the Board of Control established by these regulations for the area within the administrative limits of the Colombo Municipal Council;

“Charity” means the charitable institution or purpose for the use or benefit of which a collection or sale is held;

“collecting committee” means the body of persons organizing or promoting and conducting or supervising any collection or sale;

“collection” means the collection of money for any charitable or other similar purpose;

“collector” means a person participating in any collection by taking money from the public for the purposes of such collection;

“Fund” means the fund which is or is to be set apart for any charitable or philanthropic purpose and for which a collection or sale is held;

“sale” means a sale of articles held for any charitable or other similar purpose;

“vendor” means a person participating in any sale by selling to the public the article or articles provided for the purposes of such sale.

3. For the purpose of supervising and controlling the collection of money or sale of articles for charitable or other similar purposes in any street or other public place within the administrative limits of the Colombo Municipal Council, there shall be a Board of Control, which is hereby established, consisting of—

(a) The Mayor of Colombo as Chairman of the Board,
(b) Two persons nominated from time to time by the Associated Board of Charities with the approval of the Executive Committee of Local Administration, and

(c) Two persons nominated from time to time by the Executive Committee of Local Administration.

4. (1) No person shall organize or promote any collection or sale in any street or public place within the administrative limits of the Colombo Municipal Council—

- (a) unless he is a member of a collecting committee of not less than three persons appointed with the object of organizing or promoting such collection or sale by any society or association, or by the managing body of any Charity or Fund, or by a representative meeting of the section of the public interested in any charitable purpose or institution; and
- (b) unless such collecting committee has obtained from the Board, in the manner hereinafter prescribed, a permit authorizing the collection or sale;

Provided, however, that nothing in this regulation shall be deemed to prohibit or affect in any other way—

- (i.) any collection taken at an open-air meeting; or
- (ii.) the sale of any article in any street or public place in the ordinary course of trade, or for the purpose of earning a livelihood, without any representation being made by or on behalf of the seller that any part of the proceeds of sale will be devoted to any charitable purpose.

(2) No person who is a member of a collecting committee to which a permit is issued under these regulations shall cause or permit the collection to be taken or the sale to be held otherwise than in accordance with the conditions of the permit.

5. Every application for a permit shall—

- (a) be substantially in Form A set out in the Schedule hereto;
- (b) be signed by every member of the collecting committee organizing the collection or sale for which the permit is required;
- (c) be addressed to the Chairman of the Board; and
- (d) be made not later than the first day of the month preceding the month fixed for the collection or sale;

Provided, however, that the Board may in the special circumstances of any case entertain an application notwithstanding that such application is made later than the aforesaid date.

6. The following shall be conditions attached to every permit issued by the Board:—

- (1) The collection shall be taken or the sale held only on the day and between the hours and in the districts, streets or places specified in the permit.
- (2) No person under the age of fourteen years shall be authorized or permitted to act as a collector or vendor.
- (3) Every person authorized to act as a collector or vendor shall, before the hour fixed for the commencement of the collection or sale, be given a written authority in that behalf under the hand of the secretary or other member empowered by the collecting committee to issue such authority.
- (4) All boxes or other receptacles in which the collection or the purchase money is to be placed shall be numbered serially and shall be securely closed and sealed in a manner capable of preventing the extraction of money placed therein without breaking the seal, and a record shall be kept of the serial number of each box or receptacle issued to each person who is authorized to act as collector or vendor.
- (5) Every such box or receptacle shall bear prominently displayed thereon—
 - (a) the name of the Charity or Fund or the purpose for which the collection is taken or the sale is held;
 - (b) the date of the collection or sale; and
 - (c) the serial number assigned by the collecting committee to that box or receptacle.
- (6) No payment shall be made or reward given—
 - (a) to any collector or vendor for his services in connection with the collection or sale; or
 - (b) directly or indirectly to any other person connected with the promotion or conduct of the collection or sale, unless the name of that person and the nature of the payment or reward have been specified in the application made for the permit.

7. No person shall act as a collector or vendor in connection with any collection or sale—

- (a) if he is under fourteen years of age; or
- (b) if he is not the holder of a written authority in that behalf under the hand of the secretary or other member empowered by the collecting committee to issue such authority; or
- (c) if he knows or has reason to believe that the collection or sale has not been authorized by a permit issued by the Board.

8. No person acting as a collector or vendor in connection with any collection or sale shall—

- (a) carry or use any collecting box or receptacle for money which is not securely closed and sealed and which does not bear prominently displayed thereon—
 - (i.) the name of the Charity or Fund or the purpose for which the collection is taken or the sale is held;
 - (ii.) the date of the collection or sale; and
 - (iii.) the serial number assigned by the collecting committee to that box or receptacle;
- (b) carry on the collection or sale on any date, or at any time, or in any district or street or place, other than that specified in the permit issued in that behalf; or
- (c) carry on the collection or sale in any part of the carriage-way of any street, or in such manner on any part of the foot-way of a street or in any public place as to cause obstruction or annoyance to any person lawfully using such street or public place; or
- (d) use for the purposes of the collection or sale any table exceeding 30 inches in length or 20 inches in width, or use any table in a manner which causes or is likely to cause obstruction to the public; or
- (e) keep any animal with him at the place where he is to carry on the collection or sale; or
- (f) in the course of the collection or sale importune any person to the annoyance of that person; or
- (g) fail to place any money received in the course of the collection or sale in the sealed box or receptacle or one of the sealed boxes or receptacles issued to him for the purpose; or
- (h) fail or refuse for any reason after the close of the collection or sale to deliver each of the boxes or receptacles issued to him, with the seals intact, to the person authorized by the collecting committee to take charge of such boxes or receptacles.

9. Every person acting as a collector or vendor shall produce forthwith for inspection, on the demand of any Police Officer, the written authority issued to him by the collecting committee.

10. (1) Within one month after the date of any collection or sale the collecting committee shall—

- (a) cause a statement of the amount received and the expenditure incurred in connection with such collection or sale to be prepared substantially in Form B set out in the Schedule hereto, and to be signed by two of the office-bearers authorized in that behalf by the committee;
- (b) cause the statement to be audited by the auditor appointed by the committee, or where there is no such auditor, by a responsible person who is not a member of the committee; and
- (c) forward to the Chairman of the Board the original of the statement so audited, together with receipts or vouchers in proof of the items of expenditure set out in the statement.

(2) In any case where the expenses of a collection or sale are defrayed wholly or in part by any contributions distinct from the amount collected or realized, particulars of such contributions shall be inserted in the statement both under the head "Receipts" and under the head "Expenditure".

11. Every collecting committee shall, if required so to do by the Board, produce proof to the satisfaction of the Board as to the due application of the proceeds of the collection or sale to the Charity or Fund or the purpose for which the collection or sale was conducted.

SCHEDULE.

FORM A.

Application for Permit.

- 1. Name of society, committee or body of persons responsible for the collection or sale: _____.
- 2. Address: _____.

3. Names and addresses of the members of the collecting committee or of the applicants for the permit who will be jointly responsible for the collection or sale : _____.
4. Name of Charity or Fund which is to benefit : _____.
5. Address of the Administrative Centre of the Charity or Fund and the name and address of the secretary : _____.
6. Objects of the Charity or Fund : _____.
7. Date upon which it is desired to take or hold the collection or sale : _____.
8. Locality within which it is desired to take or hold the collection or sale : _____.
9. The method to be adopted in taking or holding the collection or sale : _____.
10. Payments (if any) to be made to persons connected with the promotion or conduct of the collection or sale, stating the name and address of such persons and the amount to be paid to each person : _____.
11. Disposal of the receipts. Are the whole of the receipts to be paid over for the benefit of the Charity or Fund, or will any deduction be made for the expenses or any other purpose? If any deduction is to be made, state for what purpose and give an estimate of the sum which will be deducted : _____.
12. Signatures of persons making this application : _____.
13. Date of application : _____.

To : The Chairman,
Board of Control (Street Collections),
Town Hall, Colombo.

FORM B.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

(i.) *In cases where there is no Banking Account.*

Name of society, committee or body of persons responsible for the collection or sale : _____.

Name of Charity or Fund which is to benefit : _____.

Date of collection or sale : _____.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

Receipts.	Amount.	Total.	Expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
From street collections (or sales) as in list of collectors (or vendors) and amounts attached hereto ..			Printing and stationery ..		
From other sources ..			Postage ..		
Donations, as in list attached hereto ..			Advertising ..		
Bank interest ..			Street Collection Boxes and Carriage ..		
Other items, viz. :—			Badges or other emblems ..		
			Other items (if any):		
			Disposal of Balance (insert particulars)		

We, the undersigned, being the office-bearers authorized in that behalf by the aforesaid society, committee or body, hereby certify that the foregoing statement of receipts and expenditure is true and correct.

- (1) Name and signature : _____.
Nature of Office : _____.
Address : _____.
- (2) Name and signature : _____.
Nature of Office : _____.
Address : _____.
- (3) Certificate of Auditor, or other responsible person not being a member of the collecting committee.
I hereby certify that the above statement of receipts and expenditure has been duly audited by me and found to be correct and that I have scrutinized and checked all vouchers and receipts relating thereto.
Name and signature : _____.
Qualification, profession or occupation : _____.
Address : _____.
Date : _____.

(ii.) *In cases where there is a Banking Account. All proceeds should be banked immediately and all expenses paid by cheque.*

Name of society, committee or body of persons responsible for the collection or sale : _____.

Name of Charity or Fund which is to benefit : _____.

Date of collection or sale : _____.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

Receipts.	Amount.	Total.	Expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
To street collections (or sales) as in list of collectors (or vendors) and amount attached hereto ..			By Bank Receipt ..		
Other sources ..					
Donations, as in list attached hereto ..					
Bank interest ..					
Other items, viz. :—					

BANK ACCOUNT.

Receipts.	Amount.	Total.	Expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
To Cash Receipt ..			By Printing and Stationery ..		
			Postage ..		
			Advertising ..		
			Street Collection Boxes and Carriage ..		
			Badges or other emblems ..		
			Other items (if any):		
			Disposal of Balance (insert particulars)		

We, the undersigned, being the office-bearers authorized in that behalf by the aforesaid society, committee or body, hereby certify that the foregoing statement of receipts and expenditure is true and correct.

- (1) Name and signature : _____.
Nature of Office : _____.
Address : _____.
- (2) Name and signature : _____.
Nature of Office : _____.
Address : _____.
- (3) Certificate of Auditor, or other responsible person not being a member of the collecting committee.
I hereby certify that the above statement of receipts and expenditure has been duly audited by me and found to be correct, and that I have scrutinized and checked all vouchers and receipts relating thereto.
Name and signature : _____.
Qualification, profession or occupation : _____.
Address : _____.
Date : _____.

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THE ROAD ORDINANCE, 1861.

RULES under section 19 of the Road Ordinance, 1861, made by the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Uva in respect of the resthouses in the charge of that Committee, and approved by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said section.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,
Minister for Local Administration.
Colombo, November 24, 1937.

RESTHOUSE RULES OF THE PROVINCE OF UVA.

1. The term "resthouse" shall include the land attached to a resthouse and all the buildings thereon.
2. A fee at the rate set out in the schedule hereto shall be paid by every person using or occupying any part of a resthouse: Provided that children under 12 years of age shall be charged only half the aforesaid rates, and that no fee shall be charged in respect of the following :—
 - (a) an infant in arms;
 - (b) a servant who is in attendance on a visitor at a resthouse and sleeps within the resthouse;
 - (c) the chauffeur of any car garaged in the resthouse premises, if he sleeps in the car or in the garage.
3. Every visitor shall, on his admission to a resthouse, legibly write his correct name and address in the resthouse visitors' book, and until this is done a visitor shall not be entitled to use the resthouse and shall not be supplied with refreshments.
4. (1) No person shall occupy any part of a resthouse for a period longer than three consecutive days without the special permission in writing of the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee.
(2) Every occupier of a resthouse who has not obtained such permission shall on the expiration of such period of three days forthwith leave the resthouse.
5. No charges other than those payable to the Provincial Road Committee shall be entered in the resthouse books by a visitor.

6. Resthouse fees and charges shall be paid in cash on demand and in default of such payment the resthouse-keeper shall be entitled to refuse further supplies.

7. The resthouse-keeper shall not be bound to comply with any telegram requesting meals to be prepared unless the name and address of the sender are set out in the telegram.

8. No bed, sofa, or couch in the resthouse shall be used for the purpose of sleeping unless a sheet is spread thereon.

9. The value of all articles damaged or broken by any visitor or his servant shall be paid by that visitor before leaving the resthouse in accordance with the scale of charges appearing on the resthouse notice board.

10. (1) Any complaint which a visitor may have to make about the resthouse or the resthouse-keeper shall be noted in the complaint book.

(2) It shall be the duty of the resthouse-keeper to produce the complaint book when called upon so to do.

(3) No remarks or complaints shall be written in the book in which resthouse charges are entered.

11. (1) No lunch, dinner, garden party or other reception organized by or on behalf of any person or body of persons shall be held in a resthouse except with the written permission of the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee.

(2) The Chairman may allow to any person the use of the whole or any part of the resthouse, on payment of such special fees and on such conditions as he may in his discretion determine.

12. Persons in actual occupation of a resthouse shall have a prior claim to the use of any garage or stable attached to the resthouse, over persons not in actual occupation of the resthouse.

13. The owner or hirer of a vehicle garaged in a resthouse or parked anywhere within the premises shall notwithstanding that he himself has not occupied the resthouse pay the personal occupation fee for the period during which the vehicle is garaged or parked, in addition to the fee for parking the vehicle or for the use of the garage.

Provided that any member of the Ceylon Defence Force who leaves a motor car or motor cycle in a resthouse garage while on military duty shall not be liable to pay any occupation or garage fees during the period of such duty, but any such car may be removed by the resthouse-keeper from the garage if necessary to make room for the vehicle of a visitor paying occupation fees.

14. (1) Any visitor who desires to book any accommodation in advance may do so, on giving at least three clear days' notice.

(2) Such notice will entitle the visitor to the accommodation booked, in preference to any other visitor who has not similarly booked accommodation in advance. Any accommodation so booked in advance shall be paid for by the visitor, whether he makes use of it or not.

15. (1) A fee of Rs. 25 per annum shall be paid to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, by every person desirous of affixing any advertisement on the walls of any one or more of the resthouses in the charge of the Committee.

(2) No person shall affix any advertisement on the wall of any resthouse unless—

- (a) the advertisement has received the prior approval of the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, and is neatly framed; and
- (b) the fee referred to in paragraph (1) has been paid.

16. A breach of any of the above rules or others that may hereafter be made by the Provincial Road Committee with the approval of the Governor shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

17. All rules under section 19 of the Road Ordinance, 1861, hitherto in force are hereby repealed.

Schedule.

• Resthouse Tariff.

FEES PAYABLE TO THE COMMITTEE.

Occupation.

For each person occupying any portion of the resthouse or premises—	Rs. c.
for any period not exceeding 2 hours ..	0 20
for any period exceeding 2 hours but not exceeding 6 hours ..	0 50
for any period exceeding 6 hours but not exceeding 24 hours ..	1 0
For each bed, or each sofa used as a bed, for any period not exceeding 24 hours—	
with clean linen supplied by the resthouse-keeper ..	0 50
with private linen ..	0 25

	Rs. c.
<i>Linen.</i>	
For use of table linen for any period not exceeding 24 hours ..	0 10
For use of towels for any period not exceeding 24 hours ..	0 10
<i>Horses.</i>	
For stabling each horse—	
for any period not exceeding 6 hours ..	0 25
for any period exceeding 6 hours but not exceeding 24 hours ..	0 50
<i>Bullocks.</i>	
For each bullock kept within the resthouse premises for any period not exceeding 24 hours ..	0 10
<i>Vehicles.</i>	
For a vehicle of any description housed in a garage provided with doors and lock—	
for any period not exceeding 3 hours ..	0 25
for any period exceeding 3 hours but not exceeding 12 hours ..	0 50
for any period exceeding 12 hours but not exceeding 24 hours ..	1 0
For a vehicle of any description kept under a resthouse porch or in a garage unprovided with doors, for any period not exceeding 24 hours ..	0 25

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THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, 1899.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in the Governor by section 34 of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899, and delegated to the Executive Committee of Health by order under Article 94 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, published in the *Gazette* No. 8,211 of April 3, 1936, the Executive Committee of Health has, on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Government Agent, North-Western Province, approved of the provision of the land described in the schedule hereto for the purposes of a burial ground, and of the use of that land as a burial ground by the Roman Catholics of Barigoda.

The Ministry of Health,
Colombo, November 25, 1937.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

SCHEDULE.

Part of an allotment of land called Talgahamulahena (lot 3q in F. V. P. 964), situated at Barigoda village in Yatikaha korale south in Katugampola hatpattuwa, Kurunegala District, North-Western Province, containing in extent 20 perches, shown in plan No. 1,864 dated October 11, 1936, prepared by Mr. D. D. Goonesekera, Special Licensed Surveyor, and bounded as follows:—

- North by Walauwawatta of Juan Fernando (lot 14D in F. V. P. 964).
- East by Keenagahamulahena of Juan Fernando (lot 3j in F. V. P. 964).
- South and west by remaining portion of the same land (Talgahamulahena lot 3q in F. V. P. 964).

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November 25, 1937.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Land: A portion of Lolugahahena.
Situation: Puwakdandawa village in the Giruwa pattu west of the Hambantota District, Southern Province.
Boundaries: North and west by the remaining portion of Lolugahahena belonging to K. H. Siman Silva.
East by Lolugahahena belonging to K. H. Karonchihany.
South by Handayagedeniya belonging to H. H. Ponthenis Silva.
Extent: 12·8 perches, according to survey plan No. 324T of October 8, 1937, prepared by Mr. S. Ginige, Licensed Surveyor of Tangalla.

5. In the regulations under the heading *Section 29 (2) (h)*—

(a) by the substitution, for regulations 1, 2, 3, and 4, of the following :—

“ 1. The Sales Room shall be opened for transactions at 8 A.M. daily and closed at 3 P.M., except on Sundays and on holidays declared by the Board.

1A. No dealer, who is required to be registered under the provisions of regulation 1 of the regulations under section 9 of the Ordinance, shall at any time transact business in copra at the Sales Room unless his name is at that time on the register of dealers.

2. (1) The market price of copra for each day on which any transaction takes place in the Sales Room shall be computed on the basis of the prices paid or offered for copra of the grade “ Estate No. 1 ” catalogued for sale on that day, and, subject to the provisions of paragraph (2) of this regulation, shall be the average price per candy of such of the lots and of any portion of a lot of that grade of copra, taken in the descending order commencing with the highest of the several prices paid or offered therefor, as may in the aggregate amount to one-half of the total quantity catalogued for sale.

(2) Where copra graded as “ Estate No. 1 ” is catalogued for sale in any quantity less than 400 candies on any day falling between 1st June and 30th November, or less than 200 candies on any day falling between 1st December and 31st May, in any year, the market price duly declared for the last preceding date on which transactions may have taken place at the Sales Room shall be deemed to be the market price on such day, and the Board may notify such market price accordingly.

(3) Upon the conclusion of auctions each day the Board shall cause the market price and the highest price paid on that day for copra graded as “ Estate No. 1 ” to be published on a notice board in a conspicuous part of the Sales Room.

3. (1) The samples of the copra to be sold by each seller on any day shall be placed on view at the Sales Room not later than 8.30 A.M. on that day. Such samples must be representative of the bulk of the copra to be sold, and must be sealed and labelled with the name of the seller by the seller or by his auctioneer.

(2) Every sample of a “ first-hand lot ” of copra, that is to say of copra manufactured on an estate from the nuts of that estate and offered for sale by or on behalf of the owner, lessee, or usufructuary mortgagee of that estate, must bear on its label the words “ Estate Account ”.

(3) Every sample of a lot of copra, other than a “ first-hand lot ” must, where the copra is offered by a dealer, bear on its label the words “ Dealers’ Copra ”.

(4) Every dealer wishing to offer for sale in the Sales Room any lot of copra as copra made from the nuts of a particular estate must insert the words “ Estate Nuts ” and the name of the estate on the label of the samples of such copra.

4. Every auctioneer shall deliver to the Manager or Secretary not later than 8.30 A.M. each day a typewritten catalogue in duplicate of the copra to be offered for sale by that auctioneer on that day. The catalogue shall be posted up by the Manager or Secretary on a notice board in a conspicuous part of the Sales Room.” ;

(b) in regulation 7,—

(i.) by the substitution, for paragraphs (1) and (2), of the following :—

“ (1) The seller of a lot of copra or any agent employed by him or the auctioneer shall have the right to bid.

(2) Subject to the provisions of paragraphs (3) and (4) of this regulation, the highest bidder for any lot shall be declared to be the purchaser :

Provided, however, that—

(a) the seller of any lot shall not be declared to be the purchaser of that lot ;

(b) no person shall be declared the purchaser of any lot until all disputes as to the bids made for that lot are settled by the auctioneer and the lot is finally knocked down.”

(ii.) by the substitution, for paragraph (4), of the following :—

“ (4) (a) The auctioneer may in his discretion, refuse any bid or withdraw a lot of copra from sale, or, with the consent of the person who made the highest bid, register the highest bid.

(b) Where consent to the registration of the highest bid is not given as required in paragraph (a), the auctioneer may register any other bid made by a person who consents to its registration : Provided that no bid shall be so registered if any person who made a higher bid requires that such higher bid shall be registered.

(c) If no bid is registered, the lot of copra shall be deemed to be withdrawn from sale.

(d) Where any bid made in respect of a lot of copra is registered, the person who made that bid—

(i.) shall have the right to claim the lot of copra at any price offered by any other buyer present in the Sales Room, which is higher than the registered bid and which the auctioneer is willing to accept for that lot ;

(ii.) shall be bound, when called upon to do so by the auctioneer, to purchase the lot of copra at the registered bid, if no higher price is offered for that lot.

(e) No lot of copra in respect of which a bid is registered shall be sold to any person other than the person whose bid is registered, except at a price higher than the registered bid.

(f) No lot of copra in respect of which a bid has been registered shall be sold to the person who made that bid at any price less than the registered bid.

(g) Every lot of copra in respect of which a bid has been registered on any day shall be sold, and such sale shall be intimated to the Manager, or to an officer of the Board specially authorized thereto, within thirty minutes after the conclusion of the auctions on that day.” ;

(iii.) by the addition at the end of that regulation, of the following :—

“ (7) No person shall put up for sale in the Sales Room any lot or any part of any lot of copra which has been purchased at a previous sale in the Sales Room unless—

(a) notice has been given in the catalogue delivered under regulation 4 by the auctioneer who proposes to put up such copra for sale, to the effect that the copra has been so purchased ; and

(b) the sale certificates or export licences, if any, issued in respect of the previous sale are surrendered to the Manager ; and

(c) the Manager has given his written consent thereto : Provided, however, that the Manager may in his discretion withhold his consent to any such sale.” ;

(c) in regulation 8, by the substitution for paragraph (1), of the following :—

“ (1) No copra shall be sold or put up for sale otherwise than in lots ; and no such lot shall exceed 100 candies.” ;

(d) by the substitution, for regulation 10, of the following :—

“ 10. (1) Upon the closure of the sale of any lot of copra, the auctioneer may—

(a) require immediate payment in cash of the full purchase price of the lot ; or

(b) declare the sale to be subject to the condition that payment of the full purchase price shall be made before delivery of the lot.

(2) Where the purchaser of any lot does not make immediate payment when required to do so under paragraph (1) (a), or consent to the condition which the auctioneer may have imposed under paragraph (1) (b), the auctioneer may in his discretion, put up the lot for sale again.” ;

(e) by the addition, at the end of regulation 11, of the following new paragraphs :—

“ (3) Where copra is sold for immediate delivery, the delivery of such copra shall be made within three days, exclusive of the day of the sale and of Sundays and public holidays. Any sale for delivery after such period shall not be deemed to be a sale for immediate delivery.

(4) Where any copra is not weighed at the time when delivery is made to the buyer, he shall immediately sign a receipt specifying the number of bags of copra received by him.

(5) Every buyer shall provide in his store scales capable of weighing at least five hundredweight at a time, with proper weights and measures, and shall provide adequate space and facilities for the inspection of the copra delivered at his store.” ;

(f) by the substitution, for regulation 12, of the following :—

“ 12. (1) Where the purchase price of any copra delivered at the buyer's store has not been deposited with the auctioneer or has not been paid before delivery under regulation 10, the price shall be payable in cash to the auctioneer within twenty-four hours of the production of the receipt issued by or on behalf of the buyer at the time of the delivery. Sundays and public holidays shall be excluded in the calculation of this period of twenty-four hours.

(2) Until payment of the purchase price has been made in full under regulation 10 or under paragraph (1) of this regulation, the buyer shall be deemed to hold the copra as the agent of the seller and shall insure the copra for the benefit of the seller.

(3) On any representation made to the Manager by a seller or his auctioneer that the purchase price due in respect of any lot of copra delivered to a buyer has not been paid, the Manager shall make such inquiries as he may deem necessary and shall make a report to the Board. The Board may upon such report make such decision as to it may seem just, and where that decision is adverse to the buyer may cause the name of the buyer to be posted up in the Sales Room ; and such buyer shall thereafter not be entitled to bid for any copra offered for sale in the Sales Room until such purchase price has been paid in full.

An appeal shall lie to the Minister against any decision of the Board under this paragraph.” ;

(g) by the substitution, for regulation 15, of the following :—

“ 15. (1) There shall be a panel of arbitrators appointed by the Board.

(2) Any dispute, arising at the time of delivery of any copra sold at a Sales Room, between the buyer and the seller of such copra as to the quality or weight of the copra, shall be referred for arbitration to a person nominated by the buyer and the seller jointly for the purpose from the panel of arbitrators.

(3) Where a buyer and a seller do not agree to nominate any one person as arbitrator, each of them may appoint an arbitrator, and in every such case the arbitrators so appointed shall, before proceeding to hear the matter in dispute, select an umpire from the panel of arbitrators to decide all questions on which the arbitrators are themselves unable to agree.

(4) Where one party to a dispute neglects or refuses to appoint an arbitrator within three days of the receipt of information of the appointment of an arbitrator by the other party, the arbitrator so appointed by the other party shall forthwith proceed to arbitrate on the matter in dispute, as if he were an arbitrator appointed by both parties.

(5) The decision of the arbitrator, arbitrators, or umpire, as the case may be, in any dispute, shall be final and conclusive.

(6) Where the parties to a dispute jointly nominate one person as arbitrator, each such party shall deposit with the Board a fee calculated at the rate of 25 cents for each candy of copra in the lot or lots in dispute : Provided, however, that such fee shall in no case exceed the sum of ten rupees and fifty cents.

(7) Where each party to a dispute nominates an arbitrator, each such party shall deposit with the Board a fee calculated at the rate of 50 cents for each candy of copra in the lot or lots in dispute : Provided, however, that such fee shall in no case exceed the sum of ten rupees and fifty cents,

(8) The costs of arbitration shall ordinarily be borne by the party against whom the decision is recorded : Provided, however, that the arbitrator, arbitrators, or umpire, as the case may be, shall have the discretion to award or apportion the costs according to the circumstances of each case.

(9) Any sum deposited by any party to a dispute under this regulation shall be refunded to him in the event of the decision being in his favour, unless any award as to costs is made against him under paragraph (8).”

AE/9 CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR ASSISTED ENGLISH SCHOOLS.

THE following amendments to the Code of Regulations for Assisted English Schools, which have been approved by the Board of Education, are hereby published for general information in accordance with section 10 (2) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

L. McD. ROBISON,

Education Office, Chairman, Board of Education.
Colombo, November 29, 1937.

AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO.

Clause 10.—Insert a new second paragraph as follows :—

When a school is considered unnecessary, no application for inspection for registration will be entertained until the school has been maintained for at least five years as a school certified by the Director of Education as providing adequate and suitable instruction. This period of five years will be reduced to three years from the date of recognition of those schools which have been declared unnecessary before this amendment comes into operation.

*Clause 51.—Amend to read as follows :—

Persons over 18 years of age who have passed (1) the Senior School Certificate Examination (formerly known

as the Preliminary Examination for the English Teachers' Certificate), or (2) the Cambridge Senior School Certificate Examination, including a pass in the section English Language and Literature, or (3) the University of London Matriculation Examination, or (4) any examination which the Director may hold to be equivalent to (2) or (3), may be employed as uncertificated teachers.

In exceptional circumstances the Director may approve the appointment of a teacher who has not passed the Senior School Certificate or equivalent examination.

*Clause 52.—Delete.

* These amendments shall come into operation as from March 1, 1938.

AV/11 CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR ASSISTED VERNACULAR AND BILINGUAL SCHOOLS.

THE following amendments to the Code of Regulations for Assisted Vernacular and Bilingual Schools, which have been approved by the Board of Education, are hereby published for general information in accordance with section 10 (2) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

L. McD. ROBISON,

Education Office, Chairman, Board of Education.
Colombo, November 29, 1937.

AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO.

Clause 11.—Insert a new second paragraph as follows :—

When a school is considered unnecessary, no application for inspection for registration will be entertained until the school has been maintained for at least five years as a school certified by the Director of Education as providing adequate and suitable instruction. This period of five years will be reduced to three years from the date of recognition of those schools which have been declared unnecessary before this amendment comes into operation.

**Clause 70.*—Amend to read as follows :—

Persons over 17 years of age who have passed (1) the Senior School Certificate Examination (Sinhalese or Tamil) (formerly known as the Preliminary Examination for the Vernacular Teachers' Certificate), or (2) the Cambridge Senior Examination with Sinhalese or Tamil, or (3) the London Matriculation Examination with Sinhalese or Tamil, or (4) the Senior School Certificate Examination (English) (formerly known as the Preliminary Examination for the English Teachers' Certificate) with Sinhalese or Tamil, may be employed as uncertificated teachers.

In exceptional circumstances the Director may approve the appointment of a teacher who has not passed the Senior School Certificate or equivalent examination.

**Clause 71.*—Delete.

* These amendments shall come into operation as from March 1, 1938.

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CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS.

THE following amendments to the Code of Regulations for Government Schools, which have been approved by the Board of Education, are hereby

published for general information in accordance with section 10 (2) of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Education Office, Chairman, Board of Education.
Colombo, November 29, 1937

AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO.

**Clause 7.*—Amend to read as follows :—

Persons over 18 years of age who have passed (1) the Senior School Certificate Examination (English) (formerly known as the Preliminary Examination for the English Teachers' Certificate), or (2) the Cambridge Senior School Certificate Examination, including a pass in the section English Language and Literature, or (3) the University of London Matriculation Examination, or (4) any examination which the Director may hold to be equivalent to (2) or (3), may be employed as uncertificated teachers.

In exceptional circumstances the Director may approve the appointment of a teacher who has not passed the Senior School Certificate or equivalent examination.

**Clause 8.*—Delete.

**Clause 14.*—Amend to read as follows :—

Persons over 17 years of age who have passed (1) the Senior School Certificate Examination (Sinhalese or Tamil) (formerly known as the Preliminary Examination for the Vernacular Teachers' Certificate), or (2) the Cambridge Senior Examination with Sinhalese or Tamil, or (3) the London Matriculation Examination with Sinhalese or Tamil, or (4) the Senior School Certificate Examination (English) (formerly known as the Preliminary Examination for the English Teachers' Certificate) with Sinhalese or Tamil, may be employed as uncertificated teachers.

In exceptional circumstances the Director may approve the appointment of a teacher who has not passed the Senior School Certificate or equivalent examination.

**Clause 15.*—Delete.

* These amendments shall come into operation as from March 1, 1938.

No. 5—NEGOMBO ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the names of the voters contained in the certified register of the above-named Electoral District for the Registration Areas given in the first column are available for inspection at the office given in the second column.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, November 30, 1937.

Registration Area.

- No. 1. Otara Palata East
- No. 2. Otara Palata West
- No. 3.
 - (a) Godakaha Palata (Division No. I.) comprising Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87
 - (b) Godakaha Palata (Division No. II.) comprising Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96
- No. 4. Andiambalama Palata
- No. 5. Talahena Palata
- No. 6.
 - (i) Negombo Town (Division No. I.) comprising Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 156, 158, 159.
 - (ii) Negombo Town (Division No. II.) comprising Police Vidanes' Divisions Nos. 157, 160, 161.

W. E. HOBDAY,
Registering Officer, No. 5, Negombo Electoral District.

Office.

1. Office of the Vidane Arachchi, Katana.
2. Post Office, Katana.
1. Office of the Vidane Arachchi, Kochchikade.
2. Post Office, Kochchikade.
1. Office of the Vidane Arachchi, Hapugahagama.
2. Post Office, Minuwangoda.
3. Sub-Post Office, Dunagaha.
1. Office of the Vidane Arachchi, Hapugahagama.
2. Post Office, Negombo.
3. Sub-Post Office, Dunagaha.
1. Office of the Vidane Arachchi, Mukalangomuwa.
2. Post Office, Katunayaka.
1. Office of the Vidane Arachchi, Talahena.
2. Post Office, Negombo.
1. Post Office, Negombo.
1. Post Office, Negombo.

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

No. 26—*Weligama Electoral District.*

No. 27—*Morawaka Electoral District.*

No. 28—*Matara Electoral District.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the revised register of voters relating to each of the above Electoral Districts 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) Matara Kachcheri.

(2) Galle Kachcheri as regards Registration Area 1, Ahangama, in Electoral District No. 26, Weligama.

(3) Hambantota Kachcheri as regards Registration Area No. 12, Getamanna, in Electoral District No. 27, Morawaka, and Area Nos. 8, Galagama and 9, Nakulugamuwa in Electoral District No. 28, Matara.

G. L. D. DAVIDSON,
Registering Officer, No. 26 Weligama, 27 Morawaka,
and 28 Matara Electoral Districts.
The Kachcheri,
Matara, November 27, 1937.

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

No. 43—Bandarawela Electoral District.

No. 44—Badulla Electoral District.

No. 45—Bibile Electoral District.

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

N. J. LUDDINGTON,
Registering Officer for No. 43, Bandarawela,
No. 44, Badulla, and No. 45, Bibile
Electoral Districts.

The Kachcheri,
Badulla, November 29, 1937.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

THE Chairman of the Tender Board, General Treasury, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 21, 1937, for the supply of teak squares.

2. Tenders should be on forms obtainable from the Government Storekeeper from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

JOHN GIBB,
Government Storekeeper.
Colombo, November 23, 1937.

Tenders for the Supply of Planting Baskets during 1938.

SEALED tenders will be received by the Conservator of Forests, P. O. Box No. 500, Colombo, up to midday on Wednesday, December 15, 1937, for supply of 820,000 planting baskets (more or less) of various dimensions to the Forest Department during the calendar year 1938.

Tender forms and fuller particulars can be obtained on application from the office of the Conservator of Forests.

A. B. LUSHINGTON,
Acting Conservator of Forests.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
P. O. Box 500,
Colombo, November 26, 1937.

THE Provincial Engineer, Western Province, and the District Engineer, Colombo South, Torrington square, Colombo, will receive tenders at their respective offices up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 14, 1937, for "Two Additional Wards, Moratuwa Hospital".

2. Plans, specifications, conditions of tender, and bill of quantities can be seen and all other information obtained at the District Engineer's Office, Colombo South, Torrington square, Colombo, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays 9 A.M. and 1 P.M.).

Tender forms will be issued only to Public Works Department Registered Contractors.

Public Works Office, A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. for Director of Public Works.

THE Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Torrington square, Colombo, and the District Engineer, Kalutara, will receive tenders at their respective offices up to 12 noon on Saturday, December 18, 1937, for constructing a temporary bridge in place of bridge No. 25/3, Horana-Alutgama road.

2. Plan, specification, conditions of tendering and bill of quantities can be seen and all other information obtained at the office of the District Engineer, Kalutara, any week day between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M. (Saturdays 9 A.M. to 12 noon).

Public Works Office, A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. for Director of Public Works.

THE Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy, and the District Engineer, Kandy, will receive tenders at their respective offices up to 12 noon on Friday, December 17, 1937, for the construction of a bungalow for the Dairy Manager, and quarters for four labourers, at the New Farm School, Experiment Station, Peradeniya.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the District Engineer, Kandy, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued only to P. W. D. Registered Contractors.

Public Works Office, A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. for Director of Public Works.

THE Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy, and the District Engineer, Matale, will receive tenders at their respective offices up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 21, 1937, for New Cottage Hospital, Pallegama.

Tenders should be made in duplicate on forms obtainable on application to the District Engineer, Matale, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

Tender forms will be issued by the District Engineer, Matale, only to those who are Public Works Department Registered Contractors.

Public Works Office, A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. for Director of Public Works.

THE Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, and the District Engineer, Puttalam, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on December 18, 1937, for New Dispensary and Apothecary's quarters at Tabbowa.

2. Tenders should be made in duplicate on forms obtainable from the District Engineer, Puttalam, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued only to P. W. D. Registered Building Contractors.

Public Works Office, T. H. LEADER,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. for Director of Public Works.

THE Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, and the District Engineer, Kurunegala, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Wednesday, December 22, 1937, for the construction of Divisional Agricultural Station, Wariyapola.

2. Tenders should be made in duplicate on forms obtainable from the District Engineer, Kurunegala, from whom all particulars on the subject can be had.

3. Tender forms will be issued only to registered P. W. D. Building Contractors.

Public Works Office, T. H. LEADER,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. for Director of Public Works.

THE Provincial Engineer, Uva, Badulla, and the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, will receive tenders at their respective offices up to 12 noon on December 15, 1937, for construction of Main Drains, Survey Camp, Diyatalawa.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the District Engineer, Diyatalawa, from whom all particulars can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. Register of Contractors.

Public Works Office, T. H. LEADER,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of firewood and green wood for mallets, per hundredweight, to be delivered at the Bogambara and Kandy Remand Prisons respectively for a period of nine months commencing from January 1, 1938.

Tenders under sealed cover marked on the outside "Tender for the Supply of Firewood and Mallet Wood", should reach the Office of the Superintendent of Prisons (Branch Prison Industries), Kandy, not later than 12 noon on December 18, 1937.

The successful tenderer will be required to make a cash deposit of Rs. 50 as security and enter into a contract for the service.

The firewood supplied must not be less than 3 in. or more than 12 in. in diameter and not less than 18 in. or not more than 36 in. in length. The firewood should be of a sound, hard, mature wood of the kind generally used as fuel.

The following woods will not be accepted, viz.:—Attamba, amba or mango, getamba, lunumidella, rakkatana, diyakaduru, cotton, erabodu, cramudu, coconut, mra, kaju, and valkaduru.

The green wood supplied for mallets should be of milla or jak or any other hard wood of not less than 12 in. and not more than 36 in. in length and of diameter from 4 in. to 6 in.

For further particulars apply to the Superintendent of Prisons, Kandy.

W. G. CAGBY,
Superintendent of Prisons.

Office of the Superintendent of Prisons,
(Branch Prison Industries),
Kandy, November 23, 1937.

Tender for the Supply of Cadjans to the Salt Storage Platform, Puttalam.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply to the Salt Storage Platform, Puttalam, of new, full-leaf (double) cadjans, each not less than 6 feet long and closely interwoven. The supply is to be made as required during the period January 1 to December 31, 1938. The quantities required may vary according to circumstances, but may aggregate possibly up to 60,000 (or more) cadjans.

2. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Cadjans to the Salt Storage Platform, Puttalam", on the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, not later than midday on December 21, 1937.

3. The tenders must be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Puttalam Kacheheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

4. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderer, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

5. A duplicate tender must be forwarded by the tenderer by post to the Salt Adviser, Colombo, at the same time that he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made in any Kacheheri or the Treasury, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender can be issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to, or left at, the address given by the tenderer. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the Puttalam Kacheheri.

9. A sample of the cadjans tendered for must be deposited with the Assistant Government Agent on or before December 21, 1937.

10. The tenderer will be required to deliver up to 6,000 cadjans in any week at the Salt Storage Platform, Puttalam.

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

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

13. No contract may be assigned or sublet without the authority in writing of the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam. The Government reserves to itself the right to refuse to recognize a power of attorney issued by the contractor to any person authorizing him to carry on the contract on the contractor's behalf.

14. The Assistant Government Agent may, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, give notice in writing of his objection to the employment by the contractor of any person specified in such notice, and no such person shall be employed by the contractor.

15. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the forms with a written statement giving his full name and permanent address, stating in which district or districts he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property, and the nature and extent of other interests should also be given.

A tenderer who has carried out contracts with the department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, should state in which division or district or divisions or districts he has held contracts.

A tenderer who has carried out Government contracts with any other department should state the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered.

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

J. LIGHT,
The Kacheheri, Assistant Government Agent,
Puttalam, November 25, 1937.

SALES OF UNCLAIMED AND UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles of Hulftsdorp Prison will be sold by public auction at Hulftsdorp Prison premises on Saturday, December 11, 1937, at 2 P.M. :—

(1) 1 adze cooper, (2) 3 buckets (fire), (3) 10 buckets galvanized, (4) 2 dust bins with covers, (5) 15 chamber pots, (6) 100 tatties, (7) 2 chisels, (8) 1 curry spoon (large), (9) 8 curry spoons (small), (10) 1 file, 1 in., (11) 1 file, $\frac{1}{2}$ in., (12) 2 knives (large), (13) 1 knife (small), (14) 1 measure, congee, (15) 25 pints, (16) 1 coconut scraper, (17) 2 trays, zinc, (18) 1 tray, rice.

V. N. PILLAI,
Hulftsdorp Prison, Superintendent,
Colombo, November 22, 1937.

Notice regarding Sale of Superfluous and Unserviceable Articles—Civil Medical Stores.

THE under-mentioned superfluous and unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Civil Medical Stores, Maradana, on Wednesday, December 15, 1937, at 2 P.M.

J. P. DE VOS,
for Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.

Colombo, November 29, 1937.

Articles referred to.—3 lots, drums, empty, 40-gallon size; 2 lots, drums, empty, 10-gallon size; 4 lots, drums, empty, 5-gallon size; 1 lot, drums, empty, 2-gallon size; 4 lots, drums, empty, 1-gallon size; 3 lots, bottles, assorted, empty; 1 lot, bottles, Malted milk, empty; 1 lot, bottles, ink, empty; 4 lots, tin cans, empty; 1 lot, tin lining; 3 lots, stone jars, empty; 1 lot, hoop iron; 2 lots, bale sacking.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned articles of private property of long sentenced and deceased prisoners of Bogambara Prison, Kandy, will be sold by public auction at the Prison premises on Saturday, December 18, 1937, at 11.30 A.M. :—

Sixty-nine sarongs, 56 banyans, 29 waist belts, 62 handkerchiefs, 10 towels, 25 coats, 40 shirts, 29 cloths, 1 blanket, 5 pieces rags, 1 pair trousers, 1 pair socks, 1 pair shorts, 25 coat buttons, 2 pairs deck shoes, 1 walking stick, 1 brass chain with a small cross, 1 flat white metal elephant, 1 yellow metal amulet, 1 white metal amulet with chain, 1 piece of white metal wire, 1 white metal ring, 2 yellow metal finger rings set with two red stones, 6 combs, 1 tie pin, 1 alphabet book (English), 1 pair links, 1 brass murugu (ear stud), 1 shop ring, 3 toe rings, 1 white metal waist chain, 1 leather purse, and 1 cigarette case.

Prisons Office, W. G. CAGBY,
Kandy, November 24, 1937. Superintendent of Prisons.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE MAHAYAYA ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "THE MAHAYAYA ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED".
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are :—
 - (a) To acquire and take over Mahayaya, Karukkuwa, Ambalampitiya, Gonawila, Peelakande, Tellisford, New Tellisford, and Badugama estates, together with an undivided six twenty-fourth part or share of and in the land and buildings known as Caves Building and Amen Corner in Upper Chatham street and Queen street, Colombo, and with a view thereto to adopt an agreement No. 101, dated the 23rd day of April, 1937, attested by F. C. Rowan of Colombo, Notary Public, and made between E. L. F. de Soysa of the one part and M. L. Hopkins and R. A. Sharrocks of the other part being an agreement for the acquisition of the said estates and premises and to carry such agreement into effect and to acquire any other estates and other immovable property in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (b) To carry on in Ceylon or elsewhere the business of growers and manufacturers of and dealers in tea, rubber, and other Ceylon produce.
 - (c) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable, of any kind, and any contracts, rights, easements, patents, licenses, or privileges, in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark, or trade secret) which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business, and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works or methods of communication.
 - (d) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
 - (e) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop the said property or any portion thereof, and any other land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof, as a tea, rubber, and/or coconut estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce tea, rubber, coconuts, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ~~hemp plants, trees, and other natural products~~ in Ceylon or elsewhere.
 - (f) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work tea and rubber factories, cocoa, coconut, and coffee curing mills, and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
 - (g) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government, or any authorities and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
 - (h) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise, and to lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
 - (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
 - (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market tea, rubber, cocoa, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such tea, rubber, cocoa, coconuts, plumbago, minerals, crops and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
 - (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade and deal in tea, rubber, coconuts, cocoa, coffee and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others, employed on estates and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatever.
 - (l) To work mines or quarries and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of tea, rubber, cocoa, chocolate, coconuts, and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company or as agents for others and on commission or otherwise.
 - (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
 - (n) To establish and maintain in Ceylon, the United Kingdom or elsewhere, stores, shops, and places for the sale of tea, rubber, coconuts, cocoa, chocolate, coffee, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers.
 - (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
 - (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings or other property, or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares debentures, or securities in any other company whether such company be registered in Ceylon, or elsewhere, or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
 - (q) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purposes of the Company upon the security of cash credit bonds, or of hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof, or otherwise, as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital), or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
 - (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
 - (s) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
 - (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits or union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company, either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.

- (u) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any part of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (v) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company whether such company be registered in Ceylon or elsewhere.
- (w) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (x) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all.
- (y) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (z) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever and to subscribe to and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (z 1) To open and keep a share register in Great Britain and to allocate any number of the shares in the Company to such register.
- (z 2) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or property or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company, in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever with power to issue any shares either fully or partly paid up for such purpose.
- (z 3) To pay all or any part of the expenses of and preliminary and incidental to the promotion, formation, establishment, and registration of the Company, or of any other company promoted, formed, established or registered by or on behalf of the Company, and all commission, brokerage, discount, underwriting and other expenses lawfully payable which may be deemed expedient for taking, placing, or underwriting all or any of the shares or debentures or other obligations of the Company or of any company so promoted, formed, established or registered by the Company.
- (z 4) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real or personal, immovable and movable, estate, property, and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares the shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person or partly one and partly the other.
- (z 5) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.
- (z 6) To establish and support or aid in the establishment and support of schools, places of worship, associations, institutions, funds, trusts and arrangements calculated to benefit employees or ex-employees or Shareholders or ex-Shareholders of the Company or its predecessors in business or the dependents or connections of such persons and to grant pensions, gratuities and allowances and to make payments towards insurance, pension, and superannuation funds and to subscribe or make donations or gratuities to or guarantee money for charitable scientific public or benevolent objects or any objects calculated to promote the interests of the Company to act as Trustee of or for any fund created for any of such purposes or for the benefit of any such persons and generally to provide for the welfare of any or all of such persons.
- (z 7) To do all such other things as shall be incidental, or conducive, to the attainment of the objects above-mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "person" any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Rupees Six hundred thousand (Rs. 600,000) divided into thirty-seven thousand five hundred (37,500) Redeemable Participating Preference Shares of Rupees Ten (Rs. 10) each and twenty-two thousand five hundred (22,500) Ordinary shares of Rupees Ten (Rs. 10) each with power to increase or reduce the capital.

The said Preference shares shall confer the right to a fixed non-cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of five per centum per annum on the capital for the time being paid up thereon respectively, and the right to a further dividend out of the surplus profits (if any) of the Company after and in the event of payment of a dividend of ten per centum in any one year on the capital for the time being paid up on the Ordinary shares of the Company but to an extent not exceeding three per centum on the capital thereof as aforesaid of such Preference Shares. The said Preference shares shall further confer the right in a winding up to payment of capital and any arrears of dividend whether earned or declared or not up to the commencement of the winding up in priority to the Ordinary shares but shall not confer any further right to participate in profits or assets. The shares forming the capital (original increased or reduced) may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and Regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise, and the rights for the time being attached to the several classes of shares may be modified or dealt with in the manner mentioned in clause 68 of the accompanying Articles of Association but not otherwise and that clause and any other clause therein relating or in any way referring to the modification of rights of Shareholders shall be deemed to be incorporated herein and have effect accordingly.

We, the several persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, are desirous of being formed into a Company in pursuance of this Memorandum of Association and we respectively agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names :—

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
M. L. HOPKINS, Colombo	One
T. Y. WRIGHT, Colombo	One
E. L. FRASER, Colombo	One
D. A. WILSON, Colombo	One
C. A. MEAKIN, Colombo	One
B. G. THORNBX, Colombo	One
L. MATTHEWS, Colombo	One
Total shares taken ..	Seven

Witness to the above seven signatures at Colombo, this 25th day of October, 1937 :

G. T. HALE,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

THE MAHAYAYA ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE MAHAYAYA ESTATES COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. The marginal notes hereto shall not affect the construction hereof and in these presents, unless there be something in the subject or context inconsistent therewith— Interpretation.
- “ The Ordinance ” means the Joint Stock Companies’ Ordinances, 1861 to 1909, and every other Ordinance for the time being in force concerning Joint Stock Companies and affecting the Company.
- “ Special resolution ” has the meaning assigned thereto by the Ordinance.
- “ Extraordinary resolution ” means a resolution passed by three-fourths in number and value of such Shareholders of the Company for the time being entitled to vote as may be present in person or by attorney or by proxy (in cases where by these Articles proxies are allowed) at any meeting of which notice specifying the intention to propose such resolution has been duly given.
- “ The Directors ” means the Directors and alternate Directors for the time being.
- “ The Office ” means the registered office for the time being of the Company.
- “ The Register ” means the register of members to be kept pursuant to section 19 of the Joint Stock Companies’ Ordinance, 1861.
- “ Dividend ” includes bonus.
- “ Month ” means calendar month.
- “ Proxy ” includes attorney duly constituted under a power-of-attorney.
- “ In writing ” and “ written ” include printing, lithography, and other modes of representing or reproducing words in a visible form.
- Words importing the singular number only include the plural number and *vice versa*.
- Words importing the masculine gender only include the feminine gender.
- Words importing persons include firms, partnerships, or corporations.
2. The regulations contained in Table C in the schedule annexed to the Joint Stock Companies’ Ordinance, 1861, shall not apply to the Company which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution. Table C not to apply.
3. None of the funds of the Company shall be employed in the purchase of, or lent on the security of, shares of the Company. Company’s shares not to be purchased, &c.
- THE OFFICE.
4. The office shall be at Colombo or at such other places in Ceylon as the Directors may from time to time determine. Office at Colombo.
- BUSINESS.
5. The Company shall forthwith adopt and carry into effect the agreement No. 101 dated the 23rd day of April, 1937, attested by F. C. Rowan of Colombo, Notary Public, and made between E. L. F. de Soysa of the one part and M. L. Hopkins and R. A. Sharrocks of the other part being an agreement for the acquisition as a going concern of Mahayaya, Karukkuwa, Ambalampitiya, Gonawila, Peela-kanda, Tellisford, New Tellisford, and Badugama estates, together with an undivided six twenty-fourth part or share of and in the land and buildings known as Caves Building and Amen Corner in Upper Chatham street and Queen street, Colombo (hereinafter collectively referred to as “ the said estates and premises ”). Vendor’s agreement.
6. Immediately upon the acquisition of the said estates and premises the Company shall execute a first or primary mortgage charging the said estate and premises with the repayment of 750 primary mortgage debentures each of Rupees One thousand (Rs. 1,000), together with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per centum per annum which debentures in terms of the said agreement No. 101 dated 23rd day of April, 1937, are to be created by the Company and to be issued upon such terms and conditions and redeemable within such time as may be agreed upon between the Company and the mortgagees particulars of whom appear from the deed of agreement No. 697 dated the 27th day of September, 1937, and attested by J. F. Martyn of Colombo, Notary Public. Debenture mortgage.
7. The Company shall create a cash Reserve Fund for the purpose of redemption of the 750 debentures issued in terms of the preceding clause or for such number or amount thereof as shall for the time being and from time to time be outstanding and not repaid. All capital funds of the Company (if any) and all the profits of the Company remaining in each year after payment of or provision for (1) working charges, (2) depreciation of assets and capital expenditure on the said estates and premises to such an extent only as the Directors shall consider necessary to keep the said estates and premises in good order and working condition, (3) interest on the said debentures at the aforesaid rate of 6 per centum, and (4) a dividend on the preference shares at the aforesaid rate of 5 per centum shall be appropriated for and credited to such Debenture Reserve Fund and be retained by the Company for such purpose. No dividend upon the ordinary shares of the Company nor any further dividend on the preference shares in any such year shall be paid until all the said debentures shall have been fully redeemed or provision made for their redemption in full. Debenture Redemption Fund.
8. The business of the Company shall subject to the provisions of the Ordinance be commenced as soon as the Company shall have become entitled to carry on business. Commencement of business.
- SHARES.
9. The capital of the Company is Rupees Six hundred thousand (Rs. 600,000) divided into 37,500 redeemable participating preference shares of Rupees Ten (Rs. 10) each and 22,500 ordinary shares of Rupees Ten (Rs. 10) each. The said preference shares shall confer the right to a fixed non-cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 5 per centum per annum on the capital for the time being paid up thereon respectively, and the right (subject to the provision of Article 7 hereof) to a further dividend out of the surplus profits (if any) of the Company after and in the event of payment of a dividend of 10 per centum in any one year on the capital for the time being paid up on the ordinary shares of the Company but to an extent not exceeding 3 per centum on the capital thereof as aforesaid of such preference shares. The said preference shares further confer the right in a winding up to payment of capital and any arrears of dividend whether earned or declared or not up to the commencement of the winding up in priority to the ordinary shares but shall not confer any further right to participate in profits or assets. Notwithstanding the aforesaid rights and the rights conferred upon them by Article 96 hereof the holders of the said preference shares shall be bound by any special resolution of the Company passed at any time after all the debentures referred to in Articles 6 and 7 hereof shall have been repaid in full whereby it is resolved that the said preference shares shall be redeemed or partly redeemed by repayment in cash of the whole or any part of the paid up value for the time being and from time thereof, and shall be further bound to accept repayment thereof wholly or partially in terms of such special resolution or special resolutions as soon as the same shall have been sanctioned by law. Initial capital.

Allotment of shares.	10. Subject to the provisions of clauses 60 and 61 of these Articles and of the said agreement No. 101 the shares shall be under the control of the Directors, who may allot or otherwise dispose of the same to such persons, on such terms and conditions, and at such times, as the Directors think fit and with full power to give to any person the call of any shares either at par or at a premium, and for such time, and for such consideration as the Directors think fit.
Commissions for placing shares.	11. The Company may at any time pay a commission to any person for subscribing or agreeing to subscribe (whether absolutely or conditionally) for any shares, debentures, or debenture stock in the Company or procuring or agreeing to procure subscriptions (whether absolute or conditional) for any shares, debentures, or debenture stock in the Company, but so that if the commission in respect of shares shall be paid or payable out of capital the statutory conditions and requirements shall be observed and complied with, and the amount or rate of commission shall not exceed 10 per cent. on the shares, debentures, or debenture stock in each case subscribed or to be subscribed. The commission may be paid or satisfied in cash or in shares, debentures, or debenture stock.
Brokerage.	12. The Company may pay a reasonable sum for brokerage and may make any allotment on the terms that the person to whom such allotment is made shall have the right to call for further shares at such time or times and at such price or prices (not being less than par) as may be thought fit.
Shares may be issued subject to different conditions as to calls, &c. Instalments on shares to be duly paid.	13. The Company may make arrangements on the issue of shares for the difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid and the time of payment of such calls. 14. If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount or issue price thereof shall be payable by instalments, every such instalment shall, when due, be paid to the Company by the person who for the time being shall be the registered holder of the share.
Joint-holders.	15. Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons jointly. Any one of the joint-holders of a share, other than a firm, may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable in respect of such share; but only one of such Joint-Shareholders shall be entitled to the right of voting and of giving proxies and exercising the other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, and if the joint-holders cannot arrange amongst themselves as to who shall vote or give proxies and exercise such other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, the Shareholder whose name stands first on the register of shares, shall vote or give proxies and exercise those rights and powers; provided, however, that in the event of such first registered Shareholder being absent from the Island, the first registered Shareholder then resident in Ceylon shall vote or give proxies and exercise all such rights and powers as aforesaid. In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.
Trusts not recognized.	16. Save as herein otherwise provided, the Company shall be entitled to treat the registered holder of any share as the absolute owner thereof and accordingly shall not, except as ordered by a Court of competent jurisdiction, or as by statute required be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to or interest in such share on the part of any other person.
Who may be registered.	17. Shares may be registered in the name of a firm or partnership or of any limited company or other corporate body. Any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies in respect of shares registered in the name of the firm. Not more than four persons shall be registered as joint-holders of any share.
CERTIFICATES.	
Certificates.	18. The certificates of title to shares and duplicates thereof when necessary shall be issued under the seal of the Company, and signed by one Director, and countersigned by the Agents and Secretaries.
Members' right to certificates.	19. Every member shall be entitled to one certificate for all the shares registered in his name, or if the Directors so approve to several certificates each for a proportion of such shares. Every certificate of shares shall specify the number and denoting numbers of the shares in respect of which it is issued and the amount paid up thereon.
As to issue of new certificate in place of one defaced, lost or destroyed.	20. If any certificate be worn out or defaced, then upon production thereof to the Directors, they may order the same to be cancelled, and may issue a new certificate in lieu thereof, and if any certificate be lost or destroyed, then, upon proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Directors and on such indemnity as the Directors deem adequate being given, a new certificate in lieu thereof shall be given to the registered holder of the shares to which such lost or destroyed certificate shall relate.
Fee.	21. For every certificate issued under the last preceding clause there shall be paid to the Company the sum of cents 50, or such smaller sum as the Directors may determine.
To which of joint-holders certificate to be issued.	22. The certificates of shares registered in the names of two or more persons shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.
CALLS.	
Calls.	23. The Directors may, from time to time subject to the terms on which any share may have been issued make such calls as they think fit upon the members in respect of all moneys unpaid on the shares held by them respectively, and not by the conditions of allotment thereof made payable at fixed times, and each member shall pay the amount of every call so made on him to the persons and at the times and places appointed by the Directors. A call may be made payable by instalments.
When call deemed to have been made.	24. A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution of the Directors authorizing such call was passed.
Restriction on power to make calls.	25. No call shall exceed one-fourth of the nominal amount of a share, or be made payable within one month after the last preceding call was payable.
Notice of call.	26. Not less than fourteen days' notice of any call shall be given specifying the time and place of payment and to whom such call shall be paid.
When interest on call or instalment payable.	27. If the sum payable in respect of any call or instalment be not paid on or before the day appointed for payment thereof, the holder for the time being of the share in respect of which the call shall have been made or the instalment shall be due shall pay interest for the same at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum, from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of the actual payment or at such other rate as the Directors may determine.
Amount payable at fixed times or by instalments payable as calls.	28. If by the terms of issue of any share or otherwise any amount is made payable at any fixed time or by instalments at fixed times whether on account of the amount of the share or by way of premium every such amount or instalment shall be payable as if it were a call duly made by the Directors and of which due notice had been given, and all the provisions herein contained in respect of calls shall relate to such amount or instalment accordingly.

29. On the trial or hearing of any action or suit brought by the Company against any Shareholder or his representatives to recover any debt or money claimed to be due to the Company in respect of his shares, it shall be sufficient to prove that the name of the defendant is, or was when the claim arose, on the Register of Shareholders of the Company as a holder, or one of the holders of the number of shares in respect of which such claim is made, and that the amount claimed is not entered as paid in the books of the Company, and it shall not be necessary to prove the appointment of the Directors who made any call, nor that a quorum of Directors was present at the Board at which any call was made nor that the meeting at which any call was made was duly convened or constituted, nor any other matter whatsoever; but the proof of the matters aforesaid shall be conclusive evidence of the debt.
30. The Directors may, if they think fit, receive from any member willing to advance the same, all or any part of the money due upon the shares held by him beyond the sums actually called for, and upon the money so paid in advance, or so much thereof, as from time to time exceeds the amount of the calls then made upon the shares in respect of which such advance has been made, the Company may pay interest at such rate not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum as the member paying such sum in advance, and the Directors agree upon. Money so paid in excess of the amount of calls shall not rank for dividends. The Directors may at any time repay the amount so advanced upon giving to such members three months' notice in writing.
31. The Directors shall have power in their absolute discretion to give time to any one or more Shareholder or Shareholders, exclusive of the others, for payment of any call or part thereof on such terms as the Directors may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension except as a matter of grace or favour.
- FORFEITURE AND LIEN.**
32. If any member fail to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may, at any time thereafter during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such member requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.
33. The notice shall name a day (not being less than fourteen days from the date of the notice) and a place or places on, and at which such call or instalment and such interest and expenses as aforesaid are to be paid. The notice shall also state that in the event of non-payment at, or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which such call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.
34. If the requisition of any such notice as aforesaid be not complied with, any shares, in respect of which such notice has been given, may, at any time thereafter before payment of all calls or instalments interest and expenses due in respect thereof, be forfeited by a resolution of the Directors to that effect. Such forfeiture shall include all dividends declared in respect of the forfeited shares and not actually paid before the forfeiture.
35. When any share shall have been so forfeited, notice of the resolution shall be given to the member in whose name it stood immediately prior to the forfeiture, and an entry of the forfeiture, with the date thereof shall forthwith be made in the register, but no forfeiture shall be in any manner invalidated by any omission or neglect to give such notice or to make such entry as aforesaid.
36. Any share so forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and the Directors may sell, re-allot, or otherwise dispose of the same in such manner as they think fit.
37. The Directors may at any time before any share so forfeited shall have been sold, re-allotted or otherwise disposed of, annul the forfeiture thereof upon such conditions as they think fit.
38. Any member whose shares have been forfeited shall notwithstanding be liable to pay and shall forthwith pay to the Company all calls, instalments, interest and expenses, owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at 12 per cent. per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof, without any deduction or allowance for the value of the shares at the time of forfeiture, but shall not be under any obligation to do so.
39. The forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction of all interest in and also of all claims and demands against the Company in respect of the share, and all other rights incident to the share, except only such of those rights as by these Articles are expressly saved.
40. A duly verified declaration in writing that the declarant is a Director of the Company, and that certain shares in the Company have been duly forfeited on a date stated in the declaration shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons claiming to be entitled to the shares and such declaration, and the receipt of the Company for the consideration, if any, given for the shares on the sale or disposition thereof shall constitute a good title to such shares, and the person to whom the shares are sold shall be registered as the holder of such shares and shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such shares be affected by any irregularity or invalidity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture, sale or disposition.
41. The Company shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares registered in the name of each member (whether solely or jointly with others), and upon the proceeds of sale thereof for his debts, liabilities and engagements, solely or jointly with any other person to, or with the Company whether the period for the payment, fulfilment or discharge thereof shall have actually arrived or not and no equitable interest in any share shall be created except upon the footing and condition, that Article 12 hereof is to have full effect. And such lien shall extend to all dividends from time to time declared in respect of such shares. Unless otherwise agreed the registration of a transfer of shares shall operate as a waiver of the Company's lien, if any, on such shares.
42. For the purpose of enforcing such lien, the Directors may sell the share subject thereto in such manner as they think fit, but no sale shall be made until such period as aforesaid shall have arrived and until notice in writing of the intention to sell shall have been served on such member, his executors or administrators or his committee *curator bonis* or other legal curators and default shall have been made by him or them in the payment, fulfilment or discharge of such debts, liabilities, or engagements for seven days after such notice.
43. The net proceeds of any such sale shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of the debts, liabilities, or engagements, of such member and the residue (if any) paid to such member, his executors, administrators, committee *curator bonis* or other representatives.
44. Upon any sale after forfeiture or for enforcing a lien in purported exercise of the powers hereinbefore given, the Directors may cause the purchaser's name to be entered in the register in respect of the shares sold, and the purchaser shall not be bound to see to the regularity of the proceedings nor to the application of the purchase money, and after his name has been entered in the

Evidence in action by Company against Shareholders.

Payment of calls in advance.

Directors may give time for payment of calls.

If call or instalment not paid notice may be given.

Form of notice.

If notice not complied with shares may be forfeited.

Notice after forfeiture.

Forfeited share to become property of Company.

Power to annul forfeiture.

Arrears to be paid notwithstanding forfeiture.

Effect of forfeiture.

Evidence of forfeiture.

Company's lien on shares.

As to enforcing lien by sale.

Application of proceeds of sale.

Validity of sales under Articles 36 and 42.

register in respect of such shares the validity of the sale shall not be impeached by any person, and the remedy of any person aggrieved by the sale shall be in damages only and against the Company exclusively.

Directors may issue now certificates.

45. Where any shares under the powers in that behalf herein contained are sold by the Directors and the certificate thereof has not been delivered up to the Company by the former holder of the said shares, the Directors may issue a new certificate for such shares distinguishing it in such manner as they may think fit from the certificate not so delivered up.

TRANSFER AND TRANSMISSION.

Execution of transfer, &c.

46. The instrument of transfer of any share shall be signed both by the transferor and transferee and shall contain the name and address, both of the transferor and transferee, and the transferor shall be deemed to remain the holder of such share until the name of the transferee is entered in the register in respect thereof. Each signature to such transfer shall be duly attested by the signature of one credible witness who shall add his address and occupation.

Form of transfer.

47. The instrument of transfer of any share shall be in writing in the usual common form, or in the following form, or as near thereto as circumstances will admit:—

The Mahayaya Estates Company, Limited.

I, A B of _____ in consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ paid to me by C D of _____, hereinafter called the said transferee, do hereby transfer to the said transferee share (or shares) numbered _____ in the undertaking called The Mahayaya Estates Company, Limited, to hold unto the said transferee, his executors, administrators and assigns, subject to the several conditions on which I held the same immediately before the execution hereof and I, the said transferee, do hereby agree to take the said share (or shares) subject to the conditions aforesaid. As witness our hands the day of _____

Witness to the signature of, &c. _____

Directors may decline to register transfer.

48. The Directors without assigning any reason for such refusal, may decline to register any transfer of shares upon which the Company has a lien and in the case of shares not fully paid up may refuse to register a transfer to a transferee of whom they do not approve.

Transfer to be left at office and evidence of title given.

49. Every instrument of transfer shall be left at the office for registration accompanied by the certificate of the shares to be transferred, and such other evidence as the Directors may require to prove the title of the transferor or his right to transfer the shares and upon payment of the proper fee the transferee shall (subject to the Directors' right to decline to register hereinbefore mentioned) be registered as a member in respect of such shares. The Directors may waive the production of any certificate upon evidence satisfactory to them of its loss or destruction.

When transfers to be retained.

50. All instruments of transfer which shall be registered shall be retained by the Company, but any instrument of transfer which the Directors may decline to register shall be returned to the person depositing the same.

Fee on transfer.

51. A fee not exceeding two rupees and fifty cents may be charged for each transfer, and shall, if required by the Directors, be paid before the registration thereof.

When transfer books and register may be closed.

52. The transfer books and register of members may be closed during such time as the Directors think fit, not exceeding in the whole twenty-one days in each year.

Transmission of registered shares. As to survivorship.

53. The executors or administrators of a deceased member (not being one of several joint-holders) shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares registered in the name of such member, and in case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders of any registered shares, the survivors shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to or interest in such shares, but nothing herein contained shall be taken to release the estate of a deceased joint-holder from any liability on shares held by him jointly with any other person. Before recognizing any executor or administrator the Directors may require him to obtain a Grant of Probate or Letters of Administration, as the case may be, from some competent Court in the Island of Ceylon, having effect in Colombo.

As to transfer of shares of lunatic, infant, deceased, or bankrupt members.

54. Any committee *curator bonis* guardian or other legal curator of a lunatic or infant member or any person becoming entitled to a transfer of shares in consequence of death, bankruptcy, or insolvency of any member upon producing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this Article, or of his title as the Directors think sufficient, may, with the consent of the Directors (which they shall not be under any obligation to give) be registered as a member in respect of such shares, or may, subject to the regulations as to transfer herein before contained, transfer such shares. This Article is hereinafter referred to as "The Transmission Article."

(Transmission Article).

Power to register transfers without meeting of Directors.

55. The Directors may, by such means as they shall deem expedient, authorize the registration of transferees as Shareholders, without the necessity of any meeting of the Directors for that purpose.

Directors not bound to inquire into validity, &c., of any transfer.

56. In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument of transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring, or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but only if at all, upon the transferee.

When register may be closed.

57. The register of transfers may be closed at such times and for such periods as the Directors may from time to time determine, provided always that it shall not be closed for more than twenty-one days in any year.

INCREASE AND REDUCTION OF CAPITAL.

Power to increase capital.

58. The Company in General Meeting may by Special Resolution from time to time increase the capital by the creation of new shares of such amount as may be deemed expedient.

On what conditions new shares may be issued. As to preferences, &c.

59. The new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such rights and privileges annexed thereto as the resolution creating the same shall direct, and if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to dividends and in the distribution of assets of the Company and with a special or without any right of voting provided however that such new shares shall have no preferential rights over and shall in all respects rank subject to the said 37,500 redeemable participat- ing preference shares.

When to be offered to existing members.

60. The Company in General Meeting may, before the issue of any new shares, determine that the same, or any of them, shall be offered in the first instance and either at par or at a premium to all the then members or any class thereof in proportion to the amount of the capital held by them, or make any other provisions as to the issue and allotment of the new shares, but in default of any such determination or so far as the same shall not extend, the new shares may be dealt with as if they formed part of the shares in the original ordinary capital.

61. Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original ordinary capital and shall be subject to the provisions herein contained with reference to the payment of calls and instalments, transfer and transmission, forfeiture, lien and otherwise.

How far new shares to rank with shares in original capital.

62. If owing to any inequality in the number of new shares to be issued, and the number of shares held by members entitled to have the offer of such new shares, any difficulty shall arise in the apportionment of such new shares or any of them amongst the members, such difficulty shall, in the absence of any direction in the resolution creating the shares or by the Company in General Meeting, be determined by the Directors.

Inequality in number of new shares.

63. The Company may (subject to the provisions of the Ordinance), from time to time by special resolution cancel shares which at the date of the resolution in that behalf have not been taken or agreed to be taken by any person, reduce its capital by paying off capital or cancelling capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets or reducing the liability on the shares or otherwise as may seem expedient and capital may be paid off upon the footing that it may be called up again or otherwise; and paid-up capital may be cancelled as aforesaid without reducing the nominal amount of the shares by the like amount to the intent that the unpaid and callable capital shall be increased by the like amount.

Reduction of capital, &c.

SUBDIVISION AND CONSOLIDATION OF SHARES.

64. The Company may, by Special Resolution, subdivide or consolidate its shares or any of them.

Power to subdivide and consolidate shares.

65. The Special Resolution whereby any share is subdivided may determine that, as between the holders of the shares resulting from such subdivision, one or more of such shares shall have some preference or special advantage as regards dividend, capital, voting, or otherwise over or as compared with the others or other (subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of the Ordinance).

Subdivision into preferred and ordinary.

SURRENDER OF SHARES.

66. The Directors may accept from any member the surrender on such terms and conditions as shall be agreed of all or any of his shares.

Surrender of shares.

PREFERENCE-SHARES.

67. Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right or preference, whether in respect of dividend or of repayment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or at such a premium, or with such deferred rights as compared with any shares previously issued or then about to be issued, or subject to any such conditions or provisions, and with any such right or without any right of voting, and generally on such terms as the Company may from time to time by special resolution determine, provided that no such shares shall have any preference over the 37,500 preference shares above referred to.

Creation of preference shares.

MODIFICATION OF RIGHTS.

68. Whenever the capital by reason of the issue of preference shares or otherwise is divided into different classes of shares, all or any of the rights and privileges attached to each class may be modified, commuted, affected, abrogated or dealt with by agreement between the Company and any person purporting to contract on behalf of that class provided such agreement is ratified in writing by the holders of at least three-fourths in nominal value of the issued shares of the class or is confirmed by an extraordinary resolution passed at a separate General Meeting of the holders of shares of that class and all the provisions hereinafter contained as to General Meetings, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to every such meeting, but so that the quorum thereof shall be members holding or representing by proxy one-fifth of the nominal amount of the issued shares of the class. This Article is not to derogate from any power the Company would have had if this Article were omitted.

Power to modify rights.

BORROWING POWERS.

69. The Directors may from time to time at their discretion raise or borrow and may themselves lend and secure the payment of any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company. Provided that the Directors shall not without the sanction of a General Meeting of the Company so borrow any sum of money which will make the amount borrowed for the Company and then outstanding exceed the sum of Rupees One hundred thousand. Nevertheless no lender or other person dealing with the Company shall be concerned to see or inquire whether this limit is observed.

Power to borrow.

70. The Directors may raise and secure the repayment of such sum or sums in such manner and upon such terms and conditions in all respects as they think fit and in particular by the creation of any mortgage or charge on the undertaking or the whole or any part of the property present or future or uncalled capital of the Company or by the issue of bonds perpetual or redeemable debentures or debenture stock of the Company charged upon all or any part of the property of the Company both present and future including its uncalled capital for the time being.

Conditions on which money may be borrowed.

71. Debentures, debenture-stock, bonds and other securities may be made assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued.

Securities may be assignable free from equities.

72. Any debentures, debenture stock, bonds or other securities may be issued at a discount, premium, or otherwise and with any special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, attending and voting at General Meetings of the Company, appointment of Directors and otherwise.

Issue at discount, &c., or with special privileges.

73. The Directors shall cause a proper register to be kept in accordance with the Ordinance of all mortgages and charges specifically affecting the property of the Company, and shall duly comply with the requirements of the Ordinance in regard to the registration of mortgages and charges therein specified and shall otherwise also duly comply with the requirements of the Ordinance as to the inspection of the said register as therein specified.

Register of mortgages to be kept.

74. Every register of holders of debentures of the Company may be closed for any periods not exceeding in the whole twenty-one days in any year. Subject as aforesaid every such register shall be open to the inspection of the registered holder of any such debentures and of any member; but the Company may in General Meeting impose any reasonable restrictions so that at least two hours in each day, when such register is open, are appointed for inspection.

Register of holders of debentures.

75. Holders of preference shares and debentures shall have the same right to receive and inspect the balance sheets of the Company and the reports of the Auditors and other reports as is possessed by the holders of ordinary shares in the Company.

Right of holders of preference shares and debentures to balance sheet.

so to be.

RESERVE AND DEPRECIATION FUNDS.

Reserve Fund.

77. Subject to the requirements of Article No. 7 the Directors may from time to time before recommending any dividend set apart any and such portion of the profits of the Company as they think fit as a Reserve Fund to meet contingencies and for the liquidation of any debentures, debts, and other liabilities of the Company, for equalization of dividends or for repairing, improving, and maintaining any of the property of the Company and for such other purposes of the Company as the Directors in their absolute discretion think fit conducive to the interests of the Company; and may divide the Reserve Fund into such special funds as they think fit with full power to employ the Reserve Fund or any parts thereof in the business of the Company and that without being bound to keep the same separate from the other assets of the Company.

Depreciation Fund.

78. Subject to the requirements of Article No. 7 the Directors may, from time to time, before recommending any dividend, set apart any portion of the profits of the Company, as they shall think fit, as a depreciation Fund applicable at the discretion of the Directors for providing against any depreciation in the investments of the Company or for rebuilding, restoring, replacing, or for altering any part of the buildings, works, plant, machinery, or other property of the Company destroyed or damaged by fire, floods, storm, tempest, accident, riot, wear and tear or other means and for repairing, altering, and keeping in good condition the property of the Company or for extending and enlarging the buildings, machinery, and property of the Company with full power to employ the assets constituting such Depreciation Fund in the business of the Company and that without being bound to keep the same separate from the other assets of the Company.

Disposal of Reserve and Depreciation Funds.

79. All moneys carried to the Reserve Fund and Depreciation Fund respectively shall nevertheless remain and be profits of the Company applicable subject to due provision being made for actual loss or depreciation for the payment of dividends and such moneys and all other moneys of the Company not immediately required for the purposes of the Company may be invested by the Directors, in or upon such investments or securities as they may select or may be used as working capital or may be kept at any Bank on deposit or otherwise as the Directors may from time to time think proper, but the Debenture Reserve Fund mentioned in Article 7 shall be retained on deposit at any Bank approved by the Trustees for the debenture holders unless such Trustees otherwise direct.

GENERAL MEETINGS.

When General Meetings to be held.

80. The first General Meeting of the Company shall be held at such time (subject to the provisions of the Ordinance) and at such place as the Directors may determine. Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as the Directors may determine. The aforementioned General Meetings shall be called "Ordinary Meetings," all other meetings of the Company shall be called "Extraordinary Meetings."

When extraordinary meeting to be called.

81. The Directors may, whenever they think fit, and they shall, on the requisition of the holders of not less than one-eighth of the issued capital of the Company upon which all calls or other sums then due have been paid, forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, and in the case of such requisition the following provisions shall have effect:—

Requisition.

- (1) The requisition must state the objects of the meeting and must be signed by the requisitionists and deposited at the office and may consist of several documents in like form each signed by one or more requisitionists.
- (2) If the Directors of the Company do not proceed to convene a meeting within twenty-one days from the date of the requisition being so deposited, the requisitionists or a majority of them in value may themselves convene the meeting, but any meeting so convened shall not be held after three months from the date of the deposit.
- (3) If at any such meeting a resolution requiring confirmation at another meeting is passed the Directors shall forthwith convene a further Extraordinary General Meeting for the purpose of considering the resolution, and if thought fit, of confirming it as a special resolution, and if the Directors do not convene the meeting within seven days from the date of the passing of the first resolution, the requisitionists or a majority of them in value may themselves convene the meeting.
- (4) Any meeting convened under this clause by the requisitionists shall be convened in the same manner as nearly as possible as that in which meetings are to be convened by Directors but shall be held at the office.
- (5) Requisitions by joint-holders of shares must be signed by all such holders.

Notice of meeting.

82. Seven clear days' notice to the members specifying the place, day and hour of meeting and in case of special business the general nature of such business shall be given by notice sent by post or otherwise served as hereinafter provided and with the consent in writing of all the members a meeting may be convened by a shorter notice and in any manner they think fit.

Two meetings convened by one notice.

83. Where it is proposed to pass a Special Resolution, the two meetings may be convened by one and the same notice and it is to be no objection to such notice that it only convenes the second meeting contingently on the resolution being passed by the requisite majority at the first meeting.

As to omission to give notice.

84. The accidental omission to give any such notice to any of the members shall not invalidate any resolution passed at any such meeting.

PROCEEDINGS AT GENERAL MEETINGS.

Business of ordinary meeting.

85. The business of an Ordinary Meeting shall be to receive and consider the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the Reports of the Directors and of the Auditors, to elect Directors, Auditors and other officers in the place of those retiring by rotation, or otherwise, to declare dividends and to transact any other business which under these presents ought to be transacted at an Ordinary Meeting. All other business transacted at an Ordinary Meeting and all business transacted at an Extraordinary Meeting shall be deemed special.

Quorum.

86. Two members holding shares conferring the right to vote who shall be present in person or by proxy shall be a quorum for a General Meeting for the choice of a Chairman, the declaration of a dividend and the adjournment of the meeting. For all other purposes the quorum for a General Meeting shall be members holding shares conferring the right to vote who shall be present in person or by attorney or by proxy not being less than three in number.

87. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting unless the quorum requisite shall be present at the commencement of the business.

Quorum to be present when business commenced.

88. The Chairman of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, or if there be no such Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present within fifteen minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting or is unwilling to act the members present shall choose another Director as Chairman, and if no Director be present or if all the Directors present decline to take the Chair, then the members present shall choose one of their number being a member entitled to vote to be Chairman.

Chairman of General Meeting.

89. If within half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present, the meeting if convened, upon such requisition as aforesaid shall be dissolved but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place, and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present those members who are present not being less than two shall be a quorum and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

When if quorum not present meeting to be dissolved and when to be adjourned.

90. Every question submitted to a meeting shall be decided in the first instance by a show of hands and in the case of an equality of votes the Chairman shall, both on a show of hands and at the poll, have a casting vote in addition to the vote or votes to which he may be entitled as a member.

How questions to be decided at meetings.

91. At any General Meeting unless a poll is demanded by the Chairman or by at least five members or by a member or members holding or representing by proxy or entitled to vote in respect of at least one-tenth part of the issued capital represented at the meeting, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried by a particular majority or carried or lost or not carried by a particular majority and an entry to that effect in the book of proceedings of the Company shall be conclusive evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

Casting vote. What is to be evidence of the passing of a resolution where poll not demanded.

92. If a poll is demanded as aforesaid it shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman of the meeting directs and either at once or after an interval or adjournment or otherwise, and the result of the poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the meeting at which the poll was demanded. The demand of a poll may be withdrawn. In case of any dispute as to the admission or rejection of a vote the Chairman shall determine the same and such determination made in good faith shall be final and conclusive.

Poll.

93. The Chairman of a General Meeting may with the consent of the meeting adjourn the same from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place.

Power to adjourn General Meeting.

94. Any poll duly demanded on the election of a Chairman of a meeting or on any question of adjournment shall be taken at the meeting and without adjournment.

In what cases poll taken without adjournment.

95. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of any business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

Business may proceed notwithstanding demand of poll.

VOTES OF MEMBERS.

96. So long as the issue in pursuance of the said sale agreement No. 101 of the 37,500 redeemable participating preference shares shall remain outstanding no Shareholder shall be entitled to vote (except as hereinafter provided) unless he shall hold one or more of the said preference shares in the Company and the ordinary shares of the Company shall only confer on the holders the right to vote at a General Meeting upon some one or more of the following questions that is to say as to any proposed increase or reduction of capital; as to any winding up of the Company, as to any proposed sale of the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof or of the said estate and promises or any one or more of them, or as to altering the regulations of the Company, so far as any such alteration may affect directly the rights of the holders of the said ordinary shares. The Shareholders of the Company (other than the holders of the said 37,500 preference shares) may at any time after all the debentures referred to in Articles 6 and 7 hereof shall have been repaid in full vote for or against any special resolution or special resolutions whereby it is proposed that the said 37,500 preference shares shall be redeemed or partly redeemed by repayment in cash of the whole or any part of the paid up value for the time being and from time to time thereof. The holders of the said preference shares shall have no right to vote upon any such resolution and in the event of any such resolution being passed and confirmed by the holders of the remaining shares of the Company as required by the Ordinance, such resolution shall be deemed to be a Special Resolution of the Company and the holders of the said preference shares shall be bound by it accordingly. Upon the redemption of the full amount of the paid up value of all the said 37,500 preference shares, all the voting rights of the said Company shall devolve upon and become vested in the holders of the ordinary shares subject however to any right that may have been conferred upon the holders of any other class of share which may by then have been issued by the Company.

Votes of members.

Subject as aforesaid the following provisions shall have effect, that is to say:—

- (a) Upon a show of hands every member holding any of the said preference shares present in person or by attorney shall be entitled to one vote.
- (b) Upon a poll every member holding any of the said preference shares present in person by proxy or by attorney shall have one vote for every preference share held by him.
- (c) As regards any question upon which any holder of ordinary shares is entitled to vote each such Shareholder present in person or by attorney shall have one vote on a show of hands and on a poll each such Shareholder present in person, by proxy or by attorney shall have one vote for every ordinary share held by him.

97. Where a corporation is the registered holder of shares in the Company it may, by resolution of its Directors, appoint any of its officials or any person to act as its representative at any meeting of this Company and a copy of such resolution duly signed by one Director and the Managing Agents (if any) and certified as being a true copy shall on production at the meeting be accepted as sufficient evidence and the person so authorized shall be entitled to exercise the same powers on behalf of the Company which he represents as if he were an individual Shareholder of this Company and he shall not be deemed to be a proxy.

Corporations.

98. Any person entitled under the Transmission Article to transfer any shares may vote at any General Meeting in respect thereof in the same manner as if he were the registered holder of such shares, provided that forty-eight hours at least before the time of holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which he proposes to vote he shall satisfy the Directors of his right to transfer such shares, or the Directors shall have previously admitted his right to vote at such meeting in respect thereof. If any member entitled to vote be a lunatic, idiot, *non compos mentis*, or insolvent he may vote whether by show of hands or at a poll by his committee, *curator bonis*, assignee, or other legal curator and such last mentioned persons may give their votes by proxy.

Votes in respect of insane, deceased, and insolvent members.

Joint-holders.	99. Where there are joint registered holders of any share, anyone of such persons may vote at any meeting either personally or by proxy in respect of such share as if he were solely entitled thereto and if more than one of such joint-holders be present at any meeting, personally or by proxy, that one of the said persons so present whose name stands first on the register in respect of such share shall alone be entitled to vote in respect thereof. Several executors or administrators of a deceased member in whose name any share stands shall for the purposes of this clause be deemed joint-holders thereof.
Proxies permitted.	100. Votes may be given either personally or by attorney or by proxy or in the case of a company by a representative duly authorized as aforesaid.
Instrument appointing proxy to be in writing. Proxies may be general or special.	101. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand of the appointor or of his attorney, or if such appointor is a corporation under its common seal or the hand of its attorney. A proxy who is appointed for a specified meeting only shall be called a special proxy. Any other proxy shall be called a general proxy. No person shall be appointed a proxy who is not a member of the Company and qualified to vote, but an attorney under a power may attend and vote at meetings without being a Shareholder.
Instrument appointing a proxy to be deposited at the office.	102. The instrument appointing a proxy and the power of attorney (if any) under which it is signed shall be deposited at the office not less than forty-eight hours before the time for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote, but no instrument appointing a special proxy shall be valid after the expiration of twelve months from the date of its execution. Should the power of attorney above referred to have been registered in the Company's books it need not be again deposited.
When vote by proxy valid though authority revoked.	103. A vote given in accordance with the terms of an instrument appointing a proxy shall be valid notwithstanding the previous death or insanity of the principal, or revocation of the instrument or transfer of the share in respect of which the vote is given, provided no intimation in writing of the death, insanity, revocation, or transfer shall have been received at the office before the meeting: Provided nevertheless that the Chairman of any meeting shall be entitled to require such evidence as he may in his discretion think fit of the due execution of an instrument of proxy and that the same has not been revoked.
Form of instrument appointing a special proxy.	104. Every instrument appointing a special proxy shall, as nearly as circumstances will admit, be in the form or to the effect following, and shall be retained by the Company :— <p style="text-align: center;"><i>The Mahayaya Estates Company, Limited.</i></p> I, _____ of _____ being a member of The Mahayaya Estates Company, Limited, hereby appoint _____, of _____ (or failing him _____ of _____, or failing him _____ of _____) as my proxy to vote for me, and on my behalf at the (Ordinary or Extraordinary as the case may be), General Meeting of the Company to be held on the _____ day of _____ and at any adjournment thereof. As witness my hand this _____ day of _____ Signed by the said _____ in the presence of _____
Restrictions on voting.	105. No member shall be entitled to be present or to vote on any question either personally or by attorney or by proxy or as proxy for another member at any General Meeting or upon a poll or be reckoned in a quorum whilst any call or other sum shall be due and payable to the Company in respect of any of the shares of such member; and no member shall be entitled to be present or to vote in respect of any share that he has acquired by transfer at any meeting unless he has been the registered holder of the share in respect of which he claims to vote for at least three weeks previously to the time fixed for holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote or if such meeting be an adjourned meeting to the time originally fixed for holding the same, but this regulation shall not affect shares acquired under a testamentary disposition or by succession to an intestate estate or under a bankruptcy or insolvency or liquidation.
Resolution in writing of Directors in certain cases to be equivalent to resolution of general meeting.	106. Any resolution passed by the Directors notice whereof shall be given to the members in the manner in which notices are hereinafter directed to be given and which shall within one month after it shall have been so passed be ratified and confirmed in writing by members entitled at a poll to three-fifths of the votes shall be as valid and effectual as a resolution of a General Meeting but this Article shall not apply to a resolution for winding up the Company or to a resolution passed in respect of any matter which by the Ordinance or these presents ought to be dealt with by special or extraordinary resolution.
Validity of votes.	107. No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) except at the meeting or poll at which such votes shall be tendered, and every vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) to which no objection shall be made at such meeting or poll shall be deemed valid for all purposes of such meeting or poll whatsoever.
Personal interest of members not to preclude him from voting.	108. No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.
Number of Directors.	DIRECTORS.
Director's qualification.	109. Until otherwise determined by a General Meeting the number of the Directors shall not be less than two nor more than seven but this Article shall be construed as being directory only and the continuing Directors or Director may act notwithstanding any number of vacancies.
First Directors.	110. The qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right at least ten shares in the Company upon which all calls for the time being have been paid and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors.
Power of Directors to add to their number.	111. The first Directors of the Company shall be Mr. J. E. Baillie Hamilton, Colonel T. Y. Wright and Mr. M. L. Hopkins, all of Colombo. The first Directors shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when one of their number to be determined in accordance with the provisions of Article 123 shall retire but shall be eligible for re-election.
Directors may be appointed Managing Director, &c.	112. The Directors shall have power at any time and from time to time to appoint any qualified person as a Director as an addition to the Board but so that the total number of Directors shall not at any time exceed the maximum number fixed as above. But any Directors so appointed shall hold office only until the next following Ordinary General Meeting of the Company and shall then be eligible for re-election.
	113. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors and/or Visiting Agent or Agents of the Company, for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or may fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and

appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director or Managing Directors and/or Visiting Agent or Agents. The Directors may confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be conferred on any Manager of the Company.

114. If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services either by way of salary commission or the payment of a lump sum of money as they shall think fit.

115. As remuneration for their services the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Rupees Three Thousand Six hundred (Rs. 3,600) annually to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine but the Company in General Meeting may at any time after the amount of such remuneration for the future and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration granted for special or extra services hereinbefore referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company. The Directors shall also be entitled to be paid their reasonable travelling and hotel and other expenses incurred in consequence of the attendance at Board Meetings and otherwise in execution of their duties as Directors.

116. If any Director being willing shall be called upon to perform extra services or to make any special exertions for any of the purposes of the Company or in giving special attention to the business of the Company as a member of a Committee of Directors the Company may remunerate the Director so doing either by a fixed sum or by a percentage of profits or otherwise as may be determined by the Directors and such remuneration may be either in addition to or in substitution for his or their share in the remuneration above provided for the Directors.

117. The continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any vacancy in their body; but so that if the number falls below the minimum above fixed the Directors shall not, except for the purpose of filling vacancies, act so long as the number is below the minimum. Any casual vacancy occurring among the Directors may be filled by the Board but any person so chosen shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

118. The office of a Director shall *ipso facto* be vacated:—

- (a) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent or suspends payment or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs or compounds with his creditors.
- (b) If he is found lunatic or becomes of unsound mind.
- (c) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit under the Company other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, or Secretary of the Company.
- (d) If he ceases to have his ordinary place of residence in Ceylon or is absent from the meetings of the Directors during a period of six calendar months without special leave of absence from the Directors and he is removed from office by a resolution of the Board.
- (e) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (f) If he commits any offence punishable under the Ceylon Penal Code and being under the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code of Ceylon non-bailable.
- (g) If by notice in writing to the Company he resigns his office.
- (h) If he is requested in writing by all his co-Directors to resign or is removed from office by an extraordinary resolution of the Company.

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

120. The Directors shall not be disqualified from contracting with the Company either as vendor, purchaser, or otherwise nor shall any such contract or arrangement entered into by or on behalf of the Company with any company or partnership of or in which any Director shall be a member or otherwise interested be avoided nor shall any Director so contracting or being such member or so interested be liable to account to the Company for any profit realized by any such contract or arrangement by reason of such Director holding that office or of the fiduciary relation thereby established, but the nature of their or his interest must be disclosed by them or him at the meeting of the Directors, at which the contract or arrangement is determined on, if the interest then exists, or in any other case at the first meeting of Directors after the acquisition of the interest. Provided, nevertheless, that no Director shall vote as a Director in respect of any contract or arrangement in which he is so interested as aforesaid and if he does so vote his vote shall not be counted, but he shall be entitled to be present at the meeting during the transaction of the business in relation to which he is precluded from voting and shall be reckoned for the purpose of ascertaining whether there be a quorum of Directors present. This provision shall not apply to any contract by or on behalf of the Company to give to the Directors or any of them any security for advances or by way of indemnity against any loss which they or any of them may suffer by reason of becoming or being sureties of the Company. A general notice that any Director is a member of any specified firm or company and is to be regarded as interested in any subsequent transaction with such firm or company shall as regards any such transaction be sufficient disclosure under this Article and after such general notice it shall not be necessary to give any special notice relating to any particular transaction with such firm or company.

121. A Director of this Company may be, or become a Director of any company promoted by this Company or in which it may be interested as a vendor, shareholder, or otherwise, and no such Director shall be accountable for any benefits received as Director or member of such company.

ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

122. At the first ordinary meeting to be held in each year one of the Directors shall retire from office.

123. At every ordinary meeting at which a Director retires by rotation the Director who has been longest in office shall retire. As between two or more who have been in office an equal length of time the Director to retire shall in default of agreement between them be determined by lot. The length of time a Director has been in office shall be computed from his last election or appointment when he has previously vacated office. A retiring Director shall be eligible for re-election and shall act as Director throughout the meeting at which he retires.

Directors may be remunerated for extra services,
Remuneration of Directors.

Remuneration for extra Service.

Directors may act notwithstanding vacancy.

When office of Directors is vacated.

Indemnity of Directors.

Directors may contract with the Company.

When Director of this Company appointed Director of a subsidiary Company.

Rotation and retirement of Directors.

Which Directors to retire.
Retiring Directors eligible for re-election.

Meeting to fill up vacancies.

124. The Company at any ordinary meeting at which any Director retires in manner aforesaid shall fill up the vacated office by electing the retiring Director or any other person to be a Director and without notice in that behalf may fill up any other vacancies.

Retiring Directors to remain in office till successors appointed.

125. If at any ordinary meeting at which an election of Directors ought to take place the places of the retiring Directors are not filled up, the retiring Directors or such of them as have not had their places filled up, shall if willing continue in office until the first ordinary meeting in the next year and so on from year to year until their places are filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting on due notice to reduce the number of Directors.

Power for general meeting to increase or reduce number of Directors.

126. The Company in General Meeting may from time to time increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may alter their qualifications and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office.

Power to remove Director by extraordinary resolution.

127. The Company may by *Extraordinary Resolution* remove any Director before the expiration of his period of office, and appoint another qualified person in his stead, but the person so appointed shall hold office during such time only as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same if he had not been removed.

When candidate for office of Director must give notice.

128. No person not being a retiring Director shall, unless recommended by the Directors for election, be eligible for election to the office of Director at any General Meeting, unless he or some other member intending to propose him, has not less than fourteen days or more than two months before the meeting left at the office a notice in writing duly signed signifying his candidature for the office or the intention of such member to propose him.

PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

Meetings of Directors and quorum.

129. The Directors shall (as far as practicable) meet together for the despatch of business, adjourn and otherwise regulate their meetings and proceedings as they think fit, and may determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum, provided nevertheless that when all the Directors present at any meeting except one, are disqualified from voting on any resolution by reason of the provisions of Article 120 hereof such one Director shall be a quorum for the purposes of considering and, if thought fit, of passing such resolution. Unless otherwise agreed by all the Directors, all meetings of Directors shall be held at the office.

Directors may summon meeting. How questions to be decided.

130. A Director may at any time convene a meeting of the Directors. It shall not be necessary to give notice of a meeting of Directors to any Director who is not for the time being resident in Ceylon. Questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

Chairman.

131. The Directors may elect a Chairman of their Meeting and determine for what period he shall hold office, and all meetings of Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman if one has been elected and is present; but if there be a vacancy in the office of Chairman or if at any Meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same then and in that case the Directors present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such Meeting.

Powers of quorum.

132. A meeting of the Directors for the time being at which a quorum is present shall be competent to exercise all or any of the authorities, powers, and discretions by or under the Articles of the Company for the time being vested in or exercisable by the Directors generally.

Power to appoint committees and to delegate.

133. The Directors may from time to time delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as they think fit and may from time to time revoke such delegation. Any Committee so formed shall in the exercise of the powers so delegated, conform to any regulations that may from time to time be imposed upon it by the Directors.

Proceedings of Committee.

134. The meetings and proceedings of any such Committee consisting of two or more members, shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceedings of the Directors so far as the same are applicable thereto, and are not superseded by any regulations made by the Directors under the last preceding Article.

When acts of Directors or Committee valid notwithstanding defective appointment, &c. Resolution without Board Meeting valid.

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

136. A resolution in writing signed or initialled by all the Directors for the time being in Ceylon (not being less than two Directors) shall be as valid and as effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of Directors duly called and constituted.

MINUTES.

Minutes to be made.

137. The Directors shall cause Minutes to be duly entered in books provided for the purpose:—

- (a) Of all appointments of officers.
- (b) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors and of any Committee of Directors.
- (c) Of all orders made by the Directors and Committees of Directors.
- (d) Of all resolutions and proceedings of General Meetings and of meetings of the Directors and Committees.

And any such Minutes of any meeting of the Directors or of any Committee or of the Company if purporting to be signed by the Chairman of such meeting or by the Chairman of the next succeeding meeting, shall be receivable as *prima facie* evidence of the matters stated in such Minutes.

POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

General power of Company vested in Directors.

138. The control of the Company and of the business of the Company shall be vested in the Directors who in addition to the powers and authorities by these Articles or otherwise expressly conferred upon them may exercise all such powers and do all such acts and things as may be exercised or done by the Company and are not hereby or by statute law expressly directed or required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting but subject nevertheless to the provisions of any statute law and of these Articles and to any regulations not being inconsistent with these presents from time to time made by the Company in General Meeting provided that no regulation so made shall invalidate any prior act of the Directors which would have been valid if such regulations had not been made. Provided always however that notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these Articles contained no Director for the time being shall whilst resident out of Ceylon have any control over or be concerned with the business of the Company or be entitled to exercise any of the powers and duties by these Articles conferred upon or vested in him other than any powers and duties if any which may be required by Ordinance to be exercised or done by him while a Director and all such powers and duties (save as aforesaid) shall be exercisable only by such of the Directors as may for the time being be resident in Ceylon.

139. Notwithstanding the provisions of Articles 138 and 140 the Directors shall not for a period of 10 years from the date of incorporation of the Company in any manner sell or dispose of the undertaking of the Company or any part thereof or of the said estates and premises or any one or more of them or any part or parts thereof without the consents by Extraordinary Resolution (1) of the Holders of the said 37,500 Preference shares, and (2) of the Holders of the Ordinary shares, of the Company.

Sale of Company's fixed assets.

140. Without prejudice to the general powers conferred by the last preceding Article and other powers conferred by these Articles it is hereby expressly declared that the Directors shall have power—

Specific powers given to Directors.

- (1) To pay the costs charges and expenses preliminary and incidental to the promotion formation establishment and registration of the Company.
- (2) To purchase or otherwise acquire on behalf of the Company any property, rights or privileges which the Company is authorised to acquire on such terms and conditions as they think fit and at their discretion to pay for any property, rights and privileges acquired by or services rendered to the Company either wholly or partially in cash or in shares, bonds, debentures or other securities of the Company and any such shares may be issued either as fully paid up or with such amount credited as paid up thereon as may be agreed upon and any such debentures, bonds, or other securities may be either specifically charged upon all or any part of the property of the Company and its uncalled capital or not so charged.
- (3) To sell or otherwise dispose of deal with or abandon the whole or any part or parts of the Company's present or future property or rights upon such terms and conditions as may be thought fit, subject however to the provisions of Article 139 hereof.
- (4) To enter into any arrangement with any company, firm, or person carrying on business similar to that of this Company for mutual concessions or for any joint working or combination or for any restriction upon competition or for any pooling of business or profits that may seem desirable and to carry the same into effect.
- (5) To appoint any person or persons (whether incorporated or not) to accept and hold in trust for the Company any property belonging to the Company or in which it is interested or for any other purposes and execute and do all such deeds documents and things as may be requisite in relation to any such trust and provide for the remuneration of such trustee or trustees.
- (6) To execute in the name and on behalf of the Company in favour of any Director or other person who may incur or be about to incur any personal liability for the benefit of the Company such mortgages of the Company's property (present and future) as they think fit and any such mortgage may contain a power of sale and such other powers covenants and provisions as may be agreed.
- (7) To give any person employed by the Company a commission on the profits of any particular business or transaction or a share in the general profits of the Company and such commission or share of profits shall be treated as part of the working expenses of the Company.
- (8) To make vary and repeal from time to time byelaws for the regulation of the business of the Company its officers and servants.
- (9) To establish, maintain, support, and subscribe to any charitable or public object and any institution society and club which may be for the benefit of the Company or its employees or may be connected with any town or place where the Company carries on business.
- (10) To give pensions, gratuities and charitable aid to any person or persons who have served the Company or to the wives, children or dependents of such person or persons that may appear to them just and proper whether such person his widow, children or dependents have or have not a legal claim upon the Company.
- (11) Before recommending any dividend to set aside portions of the profits of the Company to form a fund to provide for such pensions gratuities or compensation or to create any Provident or Benefit Fund in such or any other manner they may see fit.
- (12) To make and alter rules and regulations concerning the time and manner of payment of the contributions of the employees and the Company respectively to any such fund and the accrual employment suspension and forfeiture of the benefits of the said fund and the application and disposal thereof or otherwise in relation to the working and management of the said fund as they from time to time think fit.
- (13) To delegate all or any of the powers hereby conferred upon them to Agents as they may from time to time think fit.
- (14) To appoint and in their discretion to remove or suspend such managers, agents, secretaries, officers, clerks, and servants for permanent, temporary or special service as they may from time to time think fit and to determine their powers and duties and fix their salaries or emoluments and to require security in such instances and to such amount as they think fit.
- (15) To institute, conduct, defend, compound or abandon any legal proceedings by or against the Company or its officers or otherwise concerning the affairs of the Company and also to compound allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due and of any claims or demands by or against the Company.
- (16) To act on behalf of the Company in any matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents.
- (17) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration and observe and perform the awards.

ALTERNATE DIRECTORS.

141. A Director may at any time appoint any other Director or any other person approved by a majority of the Board to act as alternate for him and may at any time cancel such appointment. A Director or such other person appointed alternate for a Director shall be entitled to perform all the functions of his appointor (including the functions of the Chairman of the Board). A Director appointed as alternate Director shall have an extra vote at all Meetings for each Director whom he represents in addition to his own vote as a Director and in the event of his appointor being Chairman of the Board shall be entitled to a casting vote.

Alternate Director.

Any alternate Director shall *ipso facto* cease to be an alternate Director if his Appointor ceases for any reason to be a Director.

All appointments and removals of alternate Directors shall be effected by writing under the hand of the Director making or revoking such appointment left at the office.

THE SEAL.

142. The Seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the Secretaries in the event of a firm or registered company being the Secretaries being signified by a partner or duly authorised Manager, Director, Secretary, Attorney, or Agent of the said firm or Company signing for and on behalf of the said firm or Company as such Secretaries.

Seal.

AGENTS AND SECRETARIES.

Agents and Secretaries.

143. Messrs. Carson & Co., Ltd., shall be the first Agents and Secretaries of the Company.

DIVIDENDS, BONUS AND RESERVE FUND.

How profits shall be divisible.

144. Subject to Article 7 and to the right of members entitled to shares (if any) with preferential or special rights attached thereto the profits of the Company which it shall from time to time be determined to divide in respect of any year or other period shall be applied in payment of a dividend on the Ordinary Shares of the Company but so that a partly paid up share shall only entitle the holder with respect thereto to such a proportion of the distribution upon a fully paid up share as the amount paid thereon bears to the nominal amount of such share and so that where capital is paid up in advance of calls upon the footing that the same shall carry interests, such capital shall not while carrying interest, confer a right to participate in profits.

Declaration of dividends.

145. The Company in General Meeting may declare a dividend to be paid to the members according to their rights and interest in the profits and may fix the time for payment.

Restriction on amount of dividend.

146. No larger dividend shall be declared than is recommended by the Directors, but the Company in General Meeting may declare a smaller dividend.

Dividend out of profits only and not to carry interest.

147. No dividend shall be payable except out of the profits of the Company, and no dividend shall carry interest as against the Company.

What to be deemed net profits.

148. The declaration of the Directors as to the amount of the net profits of the Company shall be conclusive.

Interim dividends.

149. The Directors may from time to time pay to the members such Interim Dividends as in their judgment the position of the Company justifies.

Debts may be deducted.

150. The Directors may retain any dividends on which the Company has a lien and may apply the same in or towards satisfaction of the debts, liabilities or engagements in respect of which the lien exists.

Dividend and call together.

151. Any General Meeting declaring a dividend may make a call on the members for such amount as the meeting fixes but so that the call on each member shall not exceed the dividend payable to him and so that the call be made payable at the same time as the dividend and the dividend may if so arranged between the Company and the member be set off against the call. The making of a call under this Article shall be deemed ordinary business of an Ordinary Meeting which declares a dividend.

Dividend in specie.

152. Any General Meeting declaring a dividend may resolve that such dividend be paid wholly or in part by the distribution of specific assets, and in particular of paid-up shares, debentures or debenture-stock of the Company, or paid-up shares, debentures or debenture-stock of any other Company, or in any one or more of such ways.

Capitalisation of Reserves.

153. Any General Meeting may resolve that any moneys, investments, or other assets forming part of the undivided profits of the Company standing to the credit of the Reserve Fund or in the hands of the Company and available for dividend (or representing premiums received on the issue of shares and standing to the credit of the share premium account) be capitalised and distributed amongst such of the shareholders as would be entitled to receive the same if distributed by way of dividend and in the same proportions on the footing that they become entitled thereto as capital and that all or any part of such capitalised fund be applied on behalf of such shareholders in paying up in full any unissued shares of the Company which shall be distributed accordingly in or towards payment of the uncalled liability on any issued shares, and that such distribution or payment shall be accepted by such shareholders in full satisfaction of their interest in the said capitalised sum.

Fractional Certificates.

154. For the purpose of giving effect to any resolution under the two last preceding Articles the Directors may settle any difficulty which may arise in regard to the distribution as they think expedient and in particular may issue fractional certificates and may fix the value for distribution of any specific assets and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any members upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties and may vest any such cash or specific assets in trustees upon such trusts for the persons entitled to the dividend or capitalised fund as may seem expedient to the Directors. Where requisite a proper contract shall be entered into and the Directors may appoint any person to sign such contract on behalf of the persons entitled to the dividend or capitalised fund, and such appointment shall be effective.

Effect of transfer.

155. A transfer of shares shall not pass the right to any dividend declared thereon before the registration of the transfer.

Retention in certain cases.

156. The Directors may retain the dividends payable upon shares in respect of which any person is under the Transmission Article entitled to become a member or which any person under that Article is entitled to transfer until such person shall become a member in respect thereof or shall duly transfer the same.

Dividend to Joint-holders.

157. Any one of several persons who are registered as the joint-holders of any share may give effectual receipts for all dividends and payments on account of dividends in respect of such share. In the case of shares registered in the name of a firm effectual receipts for all such payments may be given by any partner of such firm or agent duly authorized in that behalf.

Payment by post.

158. Unless otherwise directed any dividend may be paid by cheque or warrant sent through the post to the registered address of the member entitled, or in the case of joint-holders to the registered address of that one whose name stands first on the register in respect of the joint holding and every cheque or warrant so sent shall be made payable to the order of the person to whom it is sent.

Unclaimed dividends.

159. All dividends unclaimed for one year after having been declared may be invested or otherwise made use of by the Directors for the benefit of the Company until claimed and all dividends unclaimed for three years after having been declared may be forfeited by the Directors for the benefit of the Company, but the Directors may annul the forfeiture whenever they think proper.

BOOKS AND DOCUMENTS.

Books of account to be kept.

160. The Directors shall cause true accounts to be kept of the sums of money received and expended by the Company and the matters in respect of which such receipt and expenditure takes place and of the assets, credits and liabilities of the Company.

Where to be kept.

161. The books of account shall be kept at the office or at such other place or places as the Directors think fit.

162. The Directors shall from time to time determine whether and to what extent and at what times and places and under what conditions or regulations the account books and documents of the Company or any of them shall be open to the inspection of the members and no member shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company except as conferred by statute or authorized by the Directors or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

Inspection by members.

ACCOUNTS AND BALANCE SHEETS.

163. (1) At each Ordinary Meeting the Directors shall lay before the Company a Profit and Loss Account and a Balance Sheet containing a summary of the property and assets and capital and liabilities of the Company made up to a date not more than ten months before the meeting from the time when the last preceding account and balance sheet were made up or in the case of the first account and balance sheet from the incorporation of the Company. Every Balance Sheet shall be certified and signed by the Directors or any two of them in accordance with the terms of the Ordinance in that behalf.

Annual account and balance sheet.

(2) The Auditor's report (to be prepared in accordance with the provisions of Article 169 (2) of the Articles) shall be attached to the balance sheet or there shall be inserted at the foot thereof a reference to the report, and the report shall be read before the Company in General Meeting and shall be open to inspection by any shareholder.

164. A printed copy of such account and balance sheet together with the report of the Auditors shall at least seven days previously to the meeting, be sent to the registered address of every member of the Company and a copy shall also be deposited at the registered office of the Company for the inspection of members of the Company during a period of at least seven days before the meeting.

Copies to be sent to members and deposited at the Registered office.

165. After the Balance Sheet has been laid before the Company at the General Meeting a copy thereof signed and certified by the Directors or any three or more of them and by the Managing Agents of the Company shall be filed with the Registrar at the same time as the copy of the Annual List of Members and Summary prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Ordinance in this behalf.

Copies of Balance Sheets to be filed.

AUDIT.

166. Once in every year the accounts of the Company shall be examined and the correctness of the Balance Sheet ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

Accounts to be audited annually.

167. The Company at the First Ordinary Meeting shall appoint an Auditor or Auditors to hold office until the Ordinary Meeting in the following year. The Company at each Ordinary Meeting shall appoint the subsequent Auditor or Auditors to hold office till the next Ordinary Meeting and the following provisions shall have effect that is to say :—

Audit provisions

- (1) A Director or officer of the Company or a partner of such Director or officer or any person in the employ of such Director or officer shall not be capable of being appointed an Auditor of the Company.
- (2) The first Auditors of the Company may be appointed by the Directors before the First Ordinary Meeting and if so appointed shall hold office until such meeting unless previously removed by a resolution of the Shareholders in General Meeting in which case the Shareholders at that meeting may appoint Auditors.
- (3) A person other than a retiring Auditor shall not be capable of being appointed Auditor at an Ordinary Meeting unless notice of an intention to nominate that person to the office of Auditor has been given by a Shareholder to the Company not less than fourteen days before the meeting and the Company shall send a copy of any such notice to the retiring Auditor and shall give notice thereof to the Shareholders either by advertisement or in any other mode allowed by the Articles not less than seven days before the meeting.

Provided that if after notice of the intention to nominate an Auditor has been so given an Ordinary Meeting is called for a date fourteen days or less after the notice has been given the notice though not given within the time required by this provision shall be deemed to have been properly given for the purposes thereof and the notice to be sent or given by the Company may instead of being sent or given within the time required by this provision, be sent or given at the same time as the notice of the Ordinary Meeting.

- 4) The Directors may fill any casual vacancy in the office of Auditor, but while any such vacancy continues the surviving or continuing Auditor or Auditors (if any) may act.

168. The remuneration of the Auditors shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting and this remuneration may from time to time be varied by a General Meeting except that the remuneration of any Auditors appointed before the First Ordinary Meeting or to fill any casual vacancy may be fixed by the Directors.

Remuneration of Auditors.

169. (1) Every Auditor of the Company shall have a right of access at all times to the books and accounts and vouchers of the Company and shall be entitled to require from the Directors and officers of the Company such information and explanations as may be necessary for the performance of the duties of the Auditors.

Rights and duties of Auditors.

(2) The Auditors shall make a report to the Shareholders on every Balance Sheet laid before the Company in General Meeting during their tenure of office and the report shall state :—

- (a) Whether or not they have obtained all the information and explanations they have required; and
- (b) Whether in their opinion the Balance Sheet referred to in the report is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs according to the best of their information and the explanations given to them and as shown by the books of the Company.

170. Every account of the Directors when audited and approved by a General Meeting shall be conclusive, except as regards any error discovered therein within three months next after the approval thereof. Whenever any such error is discovered within that period the account shall forthwith be corrected and thenceforth shall be conclusive.

When accounts to be deemed finally settled.

NOTICES.

171. A notice may be served by the Company upon any member either personally or by sending it through the post in a prepaid envelope or wrapper addressed to such member at his registered place of address.

How notice to be served on members.

172. Each holder of registered shares shall from time to time notify in writing to the Company some place in the Island of Ceylon to be registered as his address and such registered place of address shall for all purposes be deemed his place of residence.

Members resident abroad.

Notices where no address.	173. As regards any member who has not notified in writing to the Company some place in the Island of Ceylon to be registered as his address, a notice posted up in the registered office shall be deemed to be well served on him at the expiration of twenty-four hours from the time when it is so posted up.
When notice may be given by advertisement.	174. Any notice required to be given by the Company to the members or any of them and not expressly provided for by these Articles shall be sufficiently given if given by advertisement.
How to be advertised.	175. Any notice required to be or which may be given by advertisement shall be advertised once in the <i>Ceylon Government Gazette</i> .
Notice to Joint-holders.	176. All notices shall with respect to any registered shares to which persons are jointly entitled be given to whichever of such persons is named first in the register, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.
When notice by post deemed to be served.	177. Any notice sent by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day following that on which the envelope or wrapper containing the same is posted, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice was properly addressed and put into the Post Office and a certificate in writing signed by any Director or other officer of the Company that the envelope or wrapper containing the notice was so addressed and posted shall be conclusive evidence thereof. Any notice given by advertisement shall be deemed to have been given on the day on which the advertisement shall first appear.
Transferees, &c. bound by prior notice.	178. Every person who by operation of law, transfer or other means whatsoever shall become entitled to any share shall be bound by every notice in respect of such share which previously to his name and address being entered on the register shall be duly given to the person from whom he derives his title to such share.
Notice valid though member deceased.	179. Any notice or document delivered or sent by post to or left at the registered address of any member in pursuance of these Articles shall, notwithstanding such member be then deceased and whether or not the Company have notice of his decease, be deemed to have been duly served in respect of any registered shares whether held solely or jointly with other persons by such member, until some other person be registered in his stead as the holder or joint-holder thereof and such service shall for all purposes of these Articles be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or document on his or her heirs, executors, or administrators and all persons, if any, jointly interested with him or her in any such share.
How notice to be signed.	180. The signature to any notice to be given by the Company may be written or printed.
Service of process in winding up.	181. In the event of a winding up of the Company every member of the Company who is not for the time being in the Island of Ceylon shall be bound, within eight weeks after the passing of an effective resolution to wind up the Company voluntarily or the making of an order for the winding up of the Company, to serve notice in writing on the Company appointing some householder residing in Colombo upon whom all summonses, notices, process, orders and judgments in relation to or under the winding up of the Company may be served and in default of such nomination the liquidator of the Company shall be at liberty on behalf of such member to appoint some such person, and service upon any such appointee whether appointed by the member or the liquidator shall be deemed to be good personal service on such member for all purposes, and where the liquidator makes any such appointment he shall with all convenient speed give notice thereof to such member by advertisement in some daily newspaper published in Colombo or by a registered letter sent through the post and addressed to such member at his address as mentioned in the register of members of the Company, and such notice shall be deemed to be served on the day following that on which the advertisement appears or the letter is posted. The provisions of this Article shall not prejudice the right of the liquidator of the Company to serve any notice or other document in any other manner prescribed by the regulations of the Company.

SECRECY CLAUSES.

Secrecy clause.	182. Every director, manager, auditor, trustee, member of a committee, officer, servant, agent, accountant, or other person employed in the business of the Company shall, if so required by the Directors before entering upon his duties, sign a declaration pledging himself to observe a strict secrecy respecting all transactions of the Company with its customers and the state of accounts with individuals and in matters relating thereto, and shall by such declaration pledge himself not to reveal any of the matters which may come to his knowledge in the discharge of his duties except when required so to do by the Directors or by any meeting or by a court of law or by the person to whom such matters relate and except so far as may be necessary in order to comply with any of the provisions in these Articles contained.
Member not entitled to information.	183. No member or other person shall be entitled to enter upon the property of the Company or to inspect or examine the Company's premises or properties or the books or accounts of the Company without the permission of the Directors of the Company for the time being or to require discovery of or any information respecting any detail of the Company's trading or any matter which is or may be in the nature of a trade secret, mystery of trade, or secret process or of any other matter whatsoever which may relate to the conduct of the business of the Company and which, in the opinion of the Directors, it will be inexpedient in the interest of the members of the Company to communicate.

WINDING UP.

Distribution of assets.	184. If the Company shall be wound up and the assets available for distribution among the members as such shall be insufficient to repay the whole of the paid-up capital such assets shall be distributed so that as nearly as may be the losses shall be borne by the members in proportion to the capital paid up or which ought to have been paid up at the commencement of the winding up on the shares held by them respectively. And if in a winding up the assets available for distribution among the members shall be more than sufficient to repay the whole of the capital paid up at the commencement of the winding up the excess shall be distributed amongst the members in proportion to the capital at the commencement of the winding up paid up or which ought to have been paid up on the shares held by them respectively. But this Article is to be without prejudice to the rights of the holders of the shares issued upon special terms and conditions.
Provisions to apply on winding up, &c.	185. If the Company shall be wound up whether voluntarily or otherwise the liquidator or liquidators may with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company divide among the contributories in specie any part of the assets of the Company, and may with the like sanction vest any part of the assets of the Company in trustees upon such trusts for the benefits of the contributories as the liquidator or liquidators with the like sanction shall think fit and if thought expedient any such division may be otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the members of the Company and in particular any class may be given preferential or special rights or may be excluded altogether or in part and the liquidator or liquidators shall be entitled to sell all or any of the assets of the Company in consideration of or in exchange for shares, ordinary, fully paid, part paid or preference, in the purchasing Company but in case any division otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the contributories shall be determined on or any sale made of any or all of the assets of the Company in exchange for shares in the purchasing company either ordinary, fully paid

or part paid or preference, any contributory who would be prejudiced thereby, shall have a right to dissent as if such determination were a special resolution passed pursuant to the section 234 of the Companies Act of 1929 in England but for the purposes of an arbitration as in the sub-section (6) of the sections 234 and 243 of the said Companies Act of 1929, provided the provisions of the Ceylon Arbitration Ordinance (1866) and of the Ceylon Ordinance, No. 2 of 1899 shall apply in place of the English and Scotch Acts referred to in the said sub-section (6) of the said section 234 and the said sections 234 and 243 save as herein excepted shall be deemed to be part and parcel of these present Articles.

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

In witness whereof the subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereunto set and subscribed their names at the places and on the dates hereafter written:—

M. L. HOPKINS.
T. Y. WRIGHT.
E. L. FRASER.
D. A. WILSON.
G. A. MEAKIN.
B. G. THORNLEY.
L. MATTHEWS.

Shareholders may purchase in event of winding up, &c.

Witness to the above seven signatures at Colombo, this 25th day of October, 1937 :

G. T. HALE,
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

The Ceylon Fisheries, Limited (in Liquidation).

AT the meeting of Shareholders held at the offices of the Liquidator, 59, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, to-day at noon, the following resolutions were passed:—

- (1) That the Liquidator's account showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, be and it is hereby adopted.
- (2) That the affairs of the Company have been fairly wound up.
- (3) That the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator be retained for twelve months and thereafter be destroyed.

L. L. MONTGOMERIE,
Colombo, November 26, 1937. Liquidator.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in Case No. 5,930M, D. C., Colombo.

A Property at Kanatta Road, situated at Narahenpita in Colombo, belonging to A. Don William.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Thursday, December 23, 1937, at 10 P.M. at the spot—All that undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ part from and out of all that defines $\frac{11}{18}$ parts of the garden called Jarugawatta marked letter "B" and of the trees, plantations and buildings standing thereon bearing assessment No. 39575, Kanatta road, situated at Narahenpita within the Municipality of Colombo, Western Province; in extent 21 $\frac{39}{100}$ perches.

161, Hulftsdorp,
Colombo.

A. V. PERERA,
Auctioneer and Broker.

The Pelmadulla Valley Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Nineteenth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Hedges Buildings, 363, Colpetty road, Colombo, on Friday, December 17, 1937, at 12.30 P.M. to transact the following business:—

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the year ended September 30, 1937.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect a Director.
4. To appoint Auditors.
5. To transact any other business of which due notice may have been given.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from December 4 to 17, 1937, both days inclusive.)

By order of the Directors,
LEE, HEDGES & Co., LTD.,
Colombo, December 1, 1937. Agents and Secretaries.

Election of Trustees—Holy Trinity Church.

A general meeting of the seat holders of Holy Trinity Church, Colombo, will be held on Sunday, December 19, 1937, in the Church after morning prayer for the election of three Trustees and for the transaction of such other business duly brought before the meeting.

December 1, 1937.

A. L. DE WITT,
Hony. Secretary.

Auction Sale.

Valuable House and Properties.

UNDER and by virtue of commission issued to me in District Court, Avissawella, case No. 1,535, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, January 8, 1938, at the various spots, the under-mentioned lands:—

At 9.30 a.m. at the spot.—An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Luvannawekumbodawatta, situated at Debegama, in extent about 3 acres.

At 10 a.m. at the spot.—A that land called Helamadekumburaimatteirawella, situated at Debegama, in extent about 1 rood.

At 11 a.m. at the spot.—An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Kurukosgahawatta alias Kumborabodawatta, situated at Taldua in Atulugam korale, in extent about $4\frac{1}{2}$ bushels paddy sowing.

At 11.45 a.m. at the spot.—An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Wanduruvehena, situated at Taldua in Atulugam korale, about 8 bushels paddy sowing in extent.

At 2.30 p.m. at the spot.—An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Panhiriyewattaowita, situated at Taldua in Atulugam korale, in extent about 6 lahass paddy.

At 3 p.m. at the spot.—An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the contiguous lands called Bogahaowita and Thekkawatta, situated at Taldua in Atulugam korale, in extent about 5 bushels paddy sowing.

At 4 p.m. at the spot.—An undivided $\frac{81}{104}$ share of Athusevilekadethibuwatta alias Galpottewatta, situated at Dehiowita, about 34 perches in extent, together with the tiled house.

For further particulars, please apply to L. V. B. de Jacolyn, Esq., Proctor, Avissawella, or to me—

Avissawella.

S. B. P. FERNANDO,
Licensed Auctioneer and Broker.

16 Auction Sale under Partition Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in D. C., Galle, case No. 83,914, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, January 15, 1938, commencing at 9.30 A.M. at the spot, the following:

All that land called Muliyambakkumbura, situated at Diviture, in Galle, Galle District, Southern Province; and containing in extent 10 acres 3 roods and 34 perches.

Said land will be sold in 13 blocks as per plan No. 310 filed of record, in terms of the Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863.

Further particulars from Mr. G. W. L. de Silva, Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, or—

Ambalangoda.

K. T. THOS. SILVA,
Commissioner.

19 Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in D. C., Kurunegala, case No. 18,156, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,266.20, with interest and costs, less Rs. 450, I shall sell by public auction the following properties on December 22, 1937, at 10 P.M. at the first named land herein below, to wit:—

1. The chena called Galwalayagewatta now garden of 1 pela kurakkan sowing extent or according to plans 6 acres 2 roods and 7 perches in extent, together with the buildings, houses, trees, and everything thereon, situate at Godagama.

2. Two undivided third shares of Galwalayewatta of 4 seers kurakkan sowing extent, together with everything thereon, situate at Godagama.

For further particulars please apply to R. E. de S. Jayasundera, Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary or to me—

T. B. AMUNUGAMA,
Auctioneer.

23 Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

UNDER and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me in D. C., Kurunegala, case No. 18,369, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,700, with interest and costs, I shall sell by public auction the following properties on December 23, 1937, commencing at 10 P.M. at the 2nd land named herein below, to wit:—

1. The land called Dematagolleppiyemegamahulahena now a garden of about 3 lahas kurakkan sowing, together with everything thereon, situate at Rangama near Wellawa Station.

2. A portion on the southern side now a garden of 1 amunan paddy sowing in extent or according to the plan in extent 5 acres 33 perches out of the remaining portion in extent 1 amunan and 15 lahas paddy excluding a portion towards the south-east of the land called Siyabalagahacumbureismattedematagolledalapot, in extent 6 pelas paddy sowing, situate at Rangama aforesaid.

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. P. Tambiraja & K. Kandaiah, Proctors and Notaries, Kurunegala, or to me—

T. B. AMUNUGAMA,
Auctioneer.

47 Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

BY virtue of the order to sell in case No. 10,908, D. C., Chilaw, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, January 8, 1938, at their respective spots, the following properties:—

As per Schedule A at 11 a.m.

1. The undivided 17/20 shares of all that tiled house and premises situate at Wellawa known as Guilmerexton, situate at Fiscal's road in the town of Chilaw; and containing in extent 31 perches with the buildings and plantations standing thereon (registered in D 34/29).

As per Schedule B commencing at 1 p.m.

1. The allotment of land called Padinchiwatta, situate at Aratchikattuwa, Chilaw District; and containing in extent 1 acre and 15 perches, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon (registered in D 33/198).

2. The allotment of land called Kohombagawatta, situate at Aratchikattuwa aforesaid; and containing in extent about 3 roods, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon (registered in D 44/26).

3. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share towards the south from and out of the land called Dangahalanda, situate at Aratchikattuwa aforesaid; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 26 perches, together with the plantations and buildings standing thereon (registered in D 44/27).

4. The divided allotment of land bearing lot C in plan No. 1,544 dated January 24, 1930, called Siyambalagahawatta, situate at Aratchikattuwa aforesaid; and containing in extent 39.88 perches, together with the buildings and plantations standing there (registered in D 43/150).

5. The divided allotment of land bearing lot D in plan No. 1,544 aforesaid and called Siyambalagahawatta, situate at Aratchikattuwa aforesaid; and containing in extent 25.60 perches, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon (registered in D 44/23).

6. The allotment of land called Kongahawatta, situate at Aratchikattuwa aforesaid; and containing in extent about 3 roods, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon (registered in D 44/25).

7. An undivided $\frac{3}{4}$ shares from and out of the land called Kongahawatta, situate at Aratchikattuwa aforesaid; and containing in extent 3 roods, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon (registered in D 42/55).

Further particulars from Maharajah Vanderkoen, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, or—

S. P. ABEYAKOON,
Licensed Auctioneer.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Patrick Merle Duggan, care of Messrs. Julius & Creasy, Colombo, at present residing at "The Albany", Edinburgh crescent, Colombo, aforesaid, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said court.

November 26, 1937.

P. M. DUGGAN.

Notice under Schedule 1 B of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907.

I, Vidanagama Bharanatha Epa, Godagama in the Four Gravets of Matale, do hereby give notice of my intention to apply, three months hence, to the Registrar-General, Colombo, to be admitted and enrolled as a Notary to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Matale.

Matale, May 30, 1937.

V. B. EPA.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

L. D.—B 60/34

Ordinance No. 17 of 1869.

Customs Notification (Bond) No. 37/8.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 57 of Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, I, Hubert Ernest Newnham, Principal Collector of Customs, do with the approval of the Governor, by this notice published in accordance with his directions, revoke the Notification under the said section published in Gazette No. 7,955 of November 25, 1932, appointing the building known as Godown Nos. 5 and 6 (non-dangerous section), situated at the Oil Installation Premises at Kolonnawa, Colombo, as a warehouse in which lubricating oils imported by Messrs. Socony-Vacuum Corporation may be warehoused, kept, and secured without payment of duty on the first entry thereof.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, November 22, 1937.

H. E. NEWNHAM,
Principal Collector.

L. D.—B 60/34

Ordinance No. 17 of 1869.

Customs Notification (Bond) No. 37/9.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 57 of Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, I, Hubert Ernest Newnham, Principal Collector of Customs, do with the approval of the Governor by this notice published in accordance with his directions, approve and appoint the building known as Godown Nos. 5, 6, 7, and 8 (non-dangerous section), situated at the Oil Installation Premises at Kolonnawa,

Colombo, as a warehouse in which Petroleum Products imported by Messrs. Standard-Vacuum Oil Co. may be warehoused, kept, and secured without payment of duty on the first entry thereof.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, November 22, 1937.

H. E. NEWNHAM,
Principal Collector.

Customs Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that 9 bales of confiscated beedy tobacco will be sold by public auction at the Customs Office, Jaffna, on Saturday, December 11, 1937, at 10 A.M.

H. M. Customs,
Jaffna, November 27, 1937.

E. CHINTAMANI,
for Collector of Customs.

Debarred from Examinations.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned candidates have been disqualified from the Senior School Certificate Examination (Sinhalese) held in August, 1937, for dishonesty :—

Index No.	Name of Candidate.	Name of School.
MF. 16.	de Mel, Isaac Peter	Moratumulla (Methodist Mixed School)
PF. 39.	Premachandra, Hapuachchige Sirimawathie	Madapatha Assisted Mixed School

The latter candidate is further debarred from sitting for any examination held or conducted by this Department for a period of two years.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, November 24, 1937.

Amended Notice.

Schools attached to Places of Religious Worship.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following school attached to a place of religious worship is under the temporary management of the Director of Education :—

Bd/Kataragama Temple School.

The notice regarding H/Kataragama Pansala School which appears published in the *Government Gazette* of November 26, 1937, is hereby cancelled.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, November 26, 1937.

Schools attached to Places of Religious Worship.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following schools attached to a place of religious worship is under the temporary management of the Director of Education :—

A/Ottappuwa Temple School.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, December 3, 1937.

C/Mutwal Sewing Class.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated within the Colombo Municipality, Colombo District of the Western Province, under the management of Mr. A. Ginige has been registered as a grant-in-aid school, with effect from October 1, 1936.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, December 3, 1937.

A/Anuradhapura Mahinda Vidyalaya Sinhalese and Tamil Boys' School (B. T. S.).

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the General Manager, Buddhist Schools, Colombo, for grant-in-aid of the above school which is situated in Nuwaragam palata, Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province.

Observations will be received not later than January 3, 1938.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, December 3, 1937.

A/Anuradhapura Mahinda Vidyalaya English Boys' School (B. T. S.).

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the General Manager, Buddhist Schools, Colombo, for grant-in-aid of the above school which is situated in Nuwaragam palata, Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province.

Observations will be received not later than January 3, 1938.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, December 3, 1937.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. F. T. John has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below in place of Mr. J. V. Chellappah with effect from November 1, 1937.

School referred to : J/Delft Central Tamil Mixed School.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, November 26, 1937.

School attached to a Place of Religious Worship.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following school attached to a place of religious worship is under the temporary management of the Director of Education :—

Kg/Mudugamuwa Temple School.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, November 29, 1937.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rev. A. S. Beaty has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below in place of Rev. H. R. Cornish.

Schools referred to : All Methodist Mission Schools in South Ceylon—English, Bilingual, and Vernacular.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.
Education Office,
Colombo, November 29, 1937.

Government Dairy.

Sale of Cattle.

TWENTY-EIGHT bull and heifer calves, 25 cows, 21 he-goats, 3 she-goats, 3 ewes and 1 ram will be sold by public auction at the Government Dairy, Narahenpita, Colombo, on Friday, December 10, 1937, at 4 P.M.

(N.B.—Some of the calves are by an imported pedigree Ayrshire bull. Some of the goats are of cross Jumnnapari and Anglo-Nubian breeds.)

J. G. VANDERSMAGHT,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Post of Ratemahatmaya, Pata Hewaheta, Kandy District.

APPLICATIONS for the above post will be received by the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy, up to December 20, 1937.

2. In the applications candidates should state clearly :—

- Full name, age, and residence. Whether married.
- Present occupation and salary.
- Previous appointments, with dates.
- Property owned, stating value, extent and locality.
- Amount of debts, if any, secured and unsecured.
- Ancestral claims.
- Public Examinations passed.

Only copies of certificates and recommendations need be sent.

3. The successful candidate, whether in the Public Service or not, should be prepared to accept the appointment on the salary scale of Rs. 2,400 per annum to Rs. 3,600 per annum—two quinquennial increments of Rs. 600 each with a fixed transport allowance not exceeding Rs. 70 per mensem for a private car. The allowance will be paid according to the weight of the car.

4. If the successful candidate is a new entrant to the Public Service he should be prepared to accept the appointment on the following further conditions :—

- That he will not be entitled to commute any part of his pension.
- That he will be eligible for 7 days' casual leave and 1 month's vacation leave only in a year.
- That he will be eligible for holiday warrants for one return or two single journeys only.

T. A. HODSON,
Government Agent.
The Kacheheri,
Kandy, November 30, 1937.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

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 Municipal Commissioner, 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 on the dates therein mentioned, sale commencing at 8 A.M., unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and costs be duly paid.

The Municipal Office, TUDOR V. PERERA,
Colombo, November 30, 1937. for Municipal Commissioner.

SCHEDULE.

For 2nd quarter, 1937.—On January 7, 1938: Premises No. 446, Narahenpitiya road. For 2nd and 3rd quarter, 1937.—On January 5, 1938: Premises No. 7/1/1/2 Kuruwe street. For 2nd quarter, 1937.—On January 6, 1938: Premises No. 11, New Maligawatta road. On January 8, 1938: Premises No. 590 and 592, Bloemendhal road: Premises No. 121, St. James street: Premises No. 72, St. Andrews place. On January 10, 1938: Premises Nos. 698 and 702/32, Alutnawatte road. For 3rd quarter, 1936, and 2nd quarter, 1937.—On January 10, 1938: Premises No. 702/31, Alutnawatte road. For 2nd quarter, 1937.—On January 10, 1938: Premises No. 155/5, Daniels road; Premises No. 45/11, Kelaniganga Mill road; Premises No. 51, St. Bridget's lane; Premises No. 28/3-4, Rajamalwatta lane; Premises No. 350/17, Modera street. For 1st and 2nd quarters, 1937. On January 10, 1938: Premises No. 65, Madampitiya road; For 2nd quarter, 1937.—Premises No. 276/6, Modera street; Premises No. 441/2, Madampitiya road.

KANDY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

The Minutes of Proceedings of a meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy, held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on October 23, 1937, at 8.45 a.m. in accordance with the notice dated October 19, 1937.

Present: Mr. E. T. Dyson, Chairman; Ratwatte Adigar; Mr. Geo. E. de Silva; Mr. S. A. Wijayatilake; Mr. W. A. B. Soysa; Mr. Haji M. S. Usoof Ismail; Mr. W. Beven; Mr. M. A. S. Marikar; Dr. E. S. Godlieb.

1. The minutes of proceedings of the meeting held on September 18, 1937, having been previously submitted to the Chairman for his approval and a copy thereof furnished to each member, were taken as read and confirmed by the Chairman.

2. The following documents were submitted:—

- (a) Statement of receipts and disbursements from close of 1936 to September 30, 1937, on account of the Municipal Fund.
- (b) Progress report of works brought up to the same date.
- (c) Health Officer's report for September, 1937.
- (d) Statement of cases instituted by the several Inspectors and of work done by the Municipal Magistrate during the month of September, 1937.
- (e) The reservoir readings for the week ending October 23, 1937.

Resolved that the statement (a), together with the minutes of proceedings of this meeting, as required by section 83 of 'The Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910' be forwarded to the Commissioner of Local Government for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following papers were laid on the table:—

Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries, bakeries, dairies, standpipes and house service taps inspected during September, 1937.

3A. The Chairman intimated to the Council that the first official visit of His Excellency the Governor Sir Andrew Caldecott to Kandy would take place on November 15, 1937, and that arrangements for his reception would be made on the same lines as those made at the first arrival of the late Governor, and that the details would be communicated to the members in due course.

3B. Mr. de Silva drew the Chairman's attention to various capital works provided in the Budget for 1937 which had not been undertaken yet.

The Chairman agreed to look into the matter.

4. Petitions:—Mr. de Silva presented—(1) Petition dated August 20, 1937, signed by Mr. A. H. N. Jirasinghe and several other tenants of the Katukelle Model Tenements asking for the provision of separate kitchens. (2) Petition dated August 18, 1937, from Mr. H. D. William asking for the right to open a boutique or a tea kiosk in the building which he proposes to erect on the land recently leased by him from the Council. (3) Petition dated September 28, 1937, from P. K. Meera Saibo suggesting the deviation of the proposed Back lane through Block B, so as to avoid the necessity to acquire premises No. 202, Colombo street. (4) Petition signed by Jamis Appu, William Singho, and Richard Silva, alleging irregularities in the administration of the Electricity Department.

Mr. Marikar presented—(5) Petition dated September 28, 1937, from Mr. J. W. William asking for the provision of water supply to the residents of Hapugaspitiya. (6) Petition dated October 2, 1937, from Messrs. M. Muhuseen & Co., Matale, stating that the Kandy Police charged them for halting their buses near the Public Market for purposes of unloading vegetables. (7) Petition dated October 22, 1937, from S. P. R. M. M. Meiyappa Chettiar asking for water service to his premises No. 21, Brownrigg street.

Mr. Soysa presented—(8) Petition dated October 14, 1937, signed by Mr. K. B. Dissanayake and many other residents of Bahirawakande asking that the spring and the spout in Mr. Wijenaik's land near Anniewatte estate be maintained in good sanitary condition for the benefit of the residents. (9) Petition dated September 14, 1937, signed by Mr. A. Mohamed and other residents of Colombo street, Colombo road, &c., asking for the removal of night soil depot from the locality as it is offensive.

Mr. Marikar presented—(10) Petition dated October 20, 1937, from Mr. R. B. Mavilmada protesting against the selection of the person who was acting as lorry driver to fill the permanent post in preference to outside applicants.

Resolved that petitions (1), (3), (5), (7); and (8) be referred to the Works Committee, petitions (2) and (6) to the Law Committee, petition (4) to the Electricity Committee, petition (9) to the Sanitation Committee, and petition (10) be disposed of by the Chairman.

4A. Pursuant to notice Mr. Marikar asked the following questions to which the Chairman replied:—(1) Q.—Were all the Municipal employees of the Municipal Council called upon to make declarations of their debts in terms of the resolution dated July 17, 1937? A.—Yes. (2) Q.—If so, have all the employees made such declarations? A.—No. The time allowed for declarations has been extended in view of the further consideration given to the subject by the Finance Committee whose recommendation is on the agenda for disposal to-day. (3) Q.—Will the Chairman please table the said declarations? A.—This does not arise in view of reply to question 2. (4) Q.—How much money has the Municipal Benefit Association advanced to the Municipal Employees? A.—Rs. 19,677.48. (5) Q.—Will the Chairman please table a statement, for the information of members, of all monies advanced by the Municipal Benefit Association, showing details of the sums so advanced, the names of the employees for whom and the purpose for which monies were advanced to them? A.—Rs. 14,797.48 has been allowed to 38 officers to relieve them of their debts, Rs. 875 has been allowed to 10 officers for medical expenses, Rs. 130 has been allowed to 2 officers for educational expenses, Rs. 450 has been allowed to 3 officers towards building of houses, Rs. 45 has been allowed to 3 officers for funeral expenses of dependents, Rs. 1,460 has been allowed to 3 officers for purchase of vehicles, Rs. 100 has been allowed to 1 officer for purchase of furniture, Rs. 1,610 has been allowed to 3 officers for marriage settlements of dependents, Rs. 210 has been allowed to 3 officers for marriage expenses. Total Rs. 19,677.48 for 66 officers.

It is contrary to the principles on which such provident societies work to disclose the names of the individuals to whom loans are given.

4B. Pursuant to notice Mr. de Silva moved:—“That in the opinion of this Council the drain that passes by the Buddhist Girls' College, Kandy, should be immediately built. Mr. Usoof Ismail seconded.

Mr. Beven drew attention to a retaining wall that was in course of construction which diverted this stream and caused an encroachment.

After further discussion the Council resolved to provide in the next year's budget a sum not exceeding Rs. 2,000 for building the drain, the Chairman, Mr. Beven and Dr. Godlieb dissenting.

5. Recommendations of Standing Committees :—

Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects held on September 18, 1937.

(1) Papers *re* application from Mr. B. D. Amit for the refund of licence fee paid by him in connection with a licence issued to him as an Auctioneer to conduct certain sales of land in Kandy on commissions issued by the Colombo District Court. (C 33).—Recommended that no refund can be allowed.

(2) To consider Treasury comments on the proposed amendment of pension rules for withdrawal of the right to commute a portion of the pension in terms of Council's resolution passed at the meeting held on August 26, 1934.

Resolved to inform the Treasury that when the Council's resolution was passed on August 26, 1934, granting these officers pension rights it was definitely understood that they should not be eligible for commutation of pension, and the officers concerned have accepted the restricted pension rights which were conveyed to them by letter at the time.

(3) Application of Mr. A. M. Mudannayake for the right to exercise the option to commute his pension on retirement. (O 103).—Recommended to inform the applicant that his transfer to the pensionable establishment was subject to restriction, and the right to commutation was not included, and to refer him to letter No. O 103 of January 4, 1935.

(4) Papers *re* Mrs. A.V. Perera's case against the Council. (O 435).—Recommended to leave it for decision by Court.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment held on September 18, 1937.

(5) Papers *re* letter from the A. A. C. inquiring if the site of the garage in Kandy will be leased to them for a further period of 5 years on the termination of the present lease in 1938. (O 357).—Recommended extension till end of 1940.

(6) To consider whether the present contract with the Shell Co. for the purchase of liquid fuel should be terminated by giving 12 months' notice to enable fresh tenders to be invited. Recommended to write to the Shell Co. and inquire whether they are prepared to allow a reduction of 1 cent per gallon.

(7) To obtain sanction for the arrangements made for the Binder to act as a clerk in the Accounts Department in the absence of Mr. H. C. P. de Mel on a fortnight's leave and the payment of a sum of Rs. 4 to him during this period.—Recommended.

(8) Letter from the Hony. Secretaries of the Kandy Municipal Free Ayurvedic Dispensary applying for a vote of Rs. 360 to meet the cost of equipment and medicinal herbs, &c. to undertake the preparation of six months' supply of medicinal oils, pills and kalkes required for the dispensary at the dispensary premises.—Recommended.

(9) Application from Mr. E. J. Vanderwall, Assistant Municipal Engineer, for the Municipal Engineer's travelling allowance and acting pay in terms of the Council's leave regulations for the period he is required to perform the duties of Municipal Engineer.—Recommended.

(10) Application from Mr. Mohamed Muthalib for the lease of severance lot behind premises Nos. 168 and 169, Colombo street.—Recommended to terminate the existing lease to Mr. W. P. Cader Meera Saibo and lease the lot to Mr. Mohamed Muthalib for purposes of erecting a latrine thereon on a rent of Rs. 25 per annum.

(11) To consider Treasury comments on the proposed amendment of pension rules for withdrawal of the right to commute a portion of the pension in terms of Council's resolution passed at the meeting held on August 26, 1934.

Resolved to inform the Treasury that when the Council's resolution was passed on August 26, 1934, granting these officers pension rights it was definitely understood that they should not be eligible for commutation of pension, and the officers concerned have accepted the restricted pension rights which were conveyed to them by letter at the time.

(12) Memo from the Secretary dated September 16, 1937, submitting a statement of debts due to the 11 Afghan money lenders who petitioned the Council, and letter from the Hony. Secretary, Kandy Municipal Officers' Benefit Society, dated September 13, 1937, forwarding certain resolutions passed at a meeting of the Committee of the Society on the subject of indebtedness.—Recommended that the declarations required in terms of Council's resolution No. 5 of July 17, 1937, be confined to officers who are judgment-debtors reported by Court in terms of Public Service Regulation No. 213.

(13) To consider whether the salary scale of Rs. 600—60—900 fixed for lorry drivers in 1934 requires revision before the present vacancy is advertised.

Resolved to advertise on Rs. 600—30—900

(14) Letter from the Planters' Association dated September 9, 1937, pointing out the additional land necessary for the new building. Recommended re-vesting in Government the additional land required.

Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works held on September 18, 1937.

(15) To consider tenders for—(a) the construction of an infiltration gallery in Peradeniya.—Recommended acceptance of Contractor Ponweera's tender for Rs. 6,928.66. (b) the supply of playground equipment.—Recommended acceptance of Messrs. Jinesena & Co's. tender for Rs. 1,479.55, and B. William's tender for Rs. 391.50.

(16) To consider Mr. Sydney Smith's application for a vote of Rs. 250 to enable him to make some improvements to the existing paths and steps over the Halloluwa Tunnel in order to render it safer for use by villagers.—Not recommended.

(17) Letter from the Warden, Buddhist Girls' College, Kandy, applying for water service to the new bungalow.—Recommended to allow installation of pipes but supply is to commence when the reservoir rises up to 10 feet below spill level. All other applicants to be written to accordingly.

Extract from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Electricity Committee held on September 18, 1937.

(18) Letter from Mr. L. H. Mettananda applying for more favourable terms for the supply of electric current for the carnival.—Recommended, the Chairman and Mr. Bradley dissenting, that authority should be obtained to charge a special rate of 30 cents per unit for current consumed at the carnival.

Resolutions of Council on the recommendations of the Standing Committees.

Resolution on items (1) to (6), (8) to (11), and (13) to (17).

Resolved that the recommendations be adopted.

Resolution on item (7).

Resolved that the Binder be allowed acting pay at Rs. 8 per mensem for the period 13-9-37 to 20-10-37 when he acted for Mr. de Mel.

Resolution on item (12).

Mr. de Silva pointed out that this recommendation was not in order as it negated a resolution passed at the July meeting.

The Chairman held that the recommendation was in order in that it only suggested a modification in the application of the former resolution.

The recommendation was put to the meeting and carried, Messrs. de Silva and Marikar dissenting.

Resolution on item (18).

Mr. de Silva moved that the current supplied be charged at 28½ cents per unit. Mr. Wijayatilake seconded.

The Chairman proposed that the charge be based on the recent tariff suggested by the Manager, Electrical Undertakings, viz. :—First 250 units at 45 cents per unit, next 250 units at 40 cents per unit, next 250 units at 35 cents per unit, balance units at 30 cents per unit.

Mr. de Silva's motion was put to the meeting and carried, the Chairman, Mr. Beven and Dr. Godlieb dissenting.

In connection with item (3) the Chairman tabled the petition dated October 6, 1937, from Mr. A. M. Mudannayake, Librarian, stating that he was entitled to 12 months' notice of the Council's intention to retire.

The Council agreed to extend the notice accordingly.

6. To obtain sanction for accepting the tender of Mr. P. M. Premasundera for Rs. 919 for the Halloluwa Ferry Toll, for the year 1938. (D 37).

Resolved that the tender be accepted.

7. Supplemental Budget No. 1 of 1937.

Resolved that the Supplemental Budget be approved.

8. To consider arrangements for the services of an Engineer to prepare estimates and plans for the Hunasgiriya Water Scheme.

Resolved to defer consideration until the arrival of the new Engineer.

9. To obtain sanction for the lease of Municipal land 4.66 perches in extent to Mr. H. D. William on a rent of Rs. 30 per annum, subject to conditions of sale dated September 25, 1937.

Resolved that the lease be approved.

10. To obtain sanction for the following remuneration to the new Chairman payable from the Municipal Fund :— (a) $\frac{1}{2}$ the salary of an officer of Class II. of the Civil Service, (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ the rent allowance, (c) 15 per cent. of (a) as pensionary contribution, (d) commuted travelling allowance of Rs. 125 per mensem.

Resolved that payment be sanctioned accordingly.

11. The Chairman moved that the Council do place on record its appreciation of the valuable services rendered by Mr. C. H. Bradley during the 10 months that he was a member of this Council. Ratwatte Adigar seconded.—Carried.

12. Ratwatte Adigar expressed the Council's appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. E. T. Dyson as Chairman of the Council for the last 6 months in addition to his duties as Government Agent of the Province.

Messrs. de Silva and Wijayatilake associated themselves with the sentiments expressed by Ratwatte Adigar.

Mr. Dyson thanked the members.

Confirmed this 20th day of November, 1937.

M. K. T. SANDYS,
Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy.

A.—GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Revenue Account for the Ten Months, January 1 to October 31, 1937.		Estimated for 1937.	Incurred from January to October 31, 1937.	Incurred from January to October 31, 1936.
Dr.	EXPENDITURE.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1	To Administrative—Personal Emoluments ..	144,580 42	113,909 24	115,213 23
2	Administrative—Other charges ..	29,412 0	21,408 11	21,519 16
3	Collectors ..	1,200 0	981 52	813 82
4	Infectious diseases prevention ..	8,380 64	5,651 41	5,725 76
5	Scavenging streets and removal of house and trade refuse	36,473 50	28,759 27	29,038 89
6	Conservancy of Latrines ..	44,255 45	33,110 46	31,838 15
7	Minor Sanitary Services ..	15,358 61	11,984 77	11,711 43
8	Roads, buildings, parks, &c.,—Maintenance	50,313 35	40,331 70	36,265 25
9	Public lighting ..	44,200 0	34,416 71	35,941 10
10	Water services ..	17,031 5	18,522 56	15,993 1
11	Markets ..	8,308 35	6,853 3	6,688 84
12	Slaughter-house ..	2,894 17	2,327 66	2,318 22
13	Cemeteries ..	3,820 20	3,180 43	3,067 49
14	Municipal Court ..	4,102 20	3,385 42	3,251 5
15	Fire Brigade ..	4,521 70	3,638 83	3,981 76
16	Police ..	—	—	—
17	Education ..	200 0	—	200 0
18	Free Library ..	3,557 49	2,685 78	2,563 22
19	Poor Relief and Public Recreation ..	24,979 50	19,210 36	22,805 76
20	Pensions ..	18,146 86	15,211 50	16,633 9
21	Loan Repayments and Interest ..	69,148 78	52,544 30	49,901 53
22	Miscellaneous services ..	10,060 64	14,502 24	8,207 51
		540,944 91	432,615 30	423,678 27
23	Capital expenditure (provided from revenue) ..	20,316 0	24,496 2	10,583 99
		561,260 91	457,111 32	434,262 26
	Balance being revenue in excess of expenditure	—	—	554 72
		561,260 91	457,111 32	434,816 98
	REVENUE.	Estimated for 1937.	Accrued January to October 31, 1937.	Accrued January to October 31, 1936.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1	By Consolidated rate ..	290,814 0	218,607 0	218,634 74
2	Taxes ..	39,900 0	23,709 13	27,837 52
3	Tolls ..	813 0	677 50	1,797 93
4	Licence Fees and Stamp duties—			
	(a) Licence fees ..	4,700 0	3,170 0	3,091 50
	(b) Stamp duties ..	17,915 0	7,340 84	6,607 50
5	Slaughter-house fees ..	10,112 0	9,231 63	8,423 92
6	Conservancy fees ..	5,690 0	4,924 0	4,792 83
7	Rents ..	104,230 0	85,122 25	86,457 16
8	Judicial fines ..	7,500 0	7,190 88	7,265 9
9	Water service ..	7,780 0	7,121 29	7,770 92
10	Government grants ..	42,611 80	42,861 80	44,335 54
11	Miscellaneous receipts ..	15,540 0	17,135 59	17,059 33
12	Salary Levy ..	2,229 0	2,263 0	743 0
		549,834 80	429,354 91	434,816 98
	Balance being excess of Expenditure over revenue	11,426 11	27,756 41	—
		561,260 91	457,111 32	434,816 98

Municipal Office,
Kandy, November 19, 1937.

E. B. PERIRIS,
Accountant, Kandy Municipal Council.

Balance Sheet, October 31, 1937.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. c.	Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Loans outstanding—Government of Ceylon :—			
Local Loans Commissioners, on December 31, 1936	..	272,571 8	
Less repayment in 1937	..	30,611 41	
			241,959 67
Loans redeemed account on December 31, 1936	..	841,616 87	
Redeemed in 1937	..	37,278 7	
			878,894 94
Revenue contributions to capital outlay—			
General revenue funds on December 31, 1936	..	1,181,062 49	
Electricity Department—			
Half profits for 1935 appropriated for general revenue purposes	..	31,221 46	
			1,212,283 95
Government contributions for capital services on December 31, 1936	..	—	158,978 0
Private donations for capital services on December 31, 1936	..	—	3,900 0
Minor River Pumping Scheme :—			
Revenue contributions, December 31, 1936	..	50,000 0	
Loan from Electricity Department on December 31, 1936	..	114,000 0	
Less repayments, 1937	..	6,666 66	
			107,333 34
Advance from general revenue	..	234 55	
			157,567 89
			2,653,584 45

	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Capital account—Balance in hand .. .. .	.. .. .	8,104 5
Rates, &c., paid in advance .. .. .	.. .. .	338 55
Sundry creditors :—		
Tradesmen	6,163 41	
Outstanding wages	3,907 99	
Grain shed rent securities	1,536 0	
Market stall rent securities	2,287 0	
Market space rent securities	1,651 06	
Model tenement securities	2,384 0	
Sundry securities	1,868 86	
Free Library Members' Deposit account	509 50	
Miscellaneous deposits	29,047 55	
Municipal Court fines awards	233 24	
Collectors' securities	2,000 0	
Upkeep of graves in perpetuity	6,150 0	
Times book club	71 20	
Board of Improvement deposit account	2,413 75	
Motor workshop	159 95	
Vested properties income	81 12	
		60,465 32
Back Lane Scheme—Contributions .. .. .	.. .. .	56,321 23
Revenue account—Balance from 1936	268,658 12	
Less expenditure in excess of revenue from January 1 to October 31, 1937 as per revenue account	27,756 41	
		240,901 71
		366,130 86

ASSETS.	Expended to December 31, 1936. Rs. c.	Expended during 1937. Rs. c.	Total Capital Outlay. Rs. c.	Unexpended Balance in Hand. Rs. c.	Total Assets. Rs. c.
Capital outlay :—					
Town Hall and Municipal offices	53,664 12	—	53,664 12	—	—
Motor lorries	28,253 95	—	28,253 95	—	—
Markets	91,707 52	—	91,707 52	—	—
Rice granaries and depots	65,066 53	—	65,066 53	—	—
School buildings	10,156 51	—	10,156 51	—	—
Model dwellings—Loan funds	517,895 95	—	517,895 95	7,104 5	—
Model dwellings—Revenue contributions	532 63	—	532 63	—	—
Ayurvedic dispensary	2,900 0	—	2,900 0	—	—
Ayurvedic dispensary lighting	357 56	—	357 56	—	—
Other Municipal buildings	178,295 17	—	178,295 17	—	—
Free library	—	—	—	1,000 0	—
Roads, pavements, &c.	208,242 68	—	208,242 68	—	—
Drainage	240,362 28	—	240,362 28	—	—
Public latrines and trenching grounds	63,420 84	—	63,420 84	—	—
Motor, carriage and rickshaw stands	15,940 15	—	15,940 15	—	—
Concrete block making machine	3,626 13	—	3,626 13	—	—
Récreation grounds and sports pavilion	60,670 78	—	60,670 78	—	—
Waterworks	522,694 83	—	522,694 83	—	—
Investigations into water schemes	27,237 26	—	27,237 26	—	—
Waterworks, new schemes	133,353 29	—	133,353 29	—	—
River pumping scheme	166,125 1	2,109 54	168,234 55	—	—
Steam road roller	20,973 49	—	20,973 49	—	—
Conservancy hand carts	3,260 44	—	3,260 44	—	—
Incinerator	7,169 96	—	7,169 96	—	—
Fire extinguishing apparatus	40,834 24	—	40,834 24	—	—
Burial grounds and cemeteries	14,158 5	—	14,158 5	—	—
Road scarifier	1,748 17	—	1,748 17	—	—
Public notice boards	4,292 71	—	4,292 71	—	—
Dredger	8,905 82	—	8,905 82	—	—
Dhobies' tanks	14,308 36	—	14,308 36	—	—
Paving Mecla-ela	119,799 32	—	119,799 32	—	—
Fumigators	5,398 54	—	5,398 54	—	—
Chloronome	5,395 67	—	5,395 67	—	—
Double canoe for Halloluwa	450 0	—	450 0	—	—
Sanitary improvements to rural areas	6,172 90	—	6,172 90	—	—
	2,643,370 86	2,109 54	2,645,480 40	8,104 5	2,653,584 45
Loan to Electricity Department on December 31, 1936 .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	110,030 0	.. .. .
Less repayments, 1937 .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	27,410 0	.. .. .
					82,620 0
Stock and stores :—					
Stores .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	16,282 22	.. .. .
Workshop tools .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	358 28	.. .. .
					16,640 50
Vested properties, capital .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2,531 45
Sundry debtors :—					
Rates, taxes, &c. .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	65,102 92	.. .. .
Advance of pay, &c. .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	563 92	.. .. .
					65,666 84
Advance to minor River pumping scheme .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	234 55
Investments—State Mortgage Bank Debentures .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	6,150 0
Cash in Mercantile Bank of India, fixed deposit .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	151,500 0	.. .. .
In current account .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	32,702 90	.. .. .
In fixed deposit, Co-operative Central Bank .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5,000 0	.. .. .
In hand of Shroff .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2,622 37	.. .. .
Petty cash in hand of Shroff .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	462 25	.. .. .
					192,287 52
					366,130 86

B.—ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

Revenue Account for the Ten Months, January 1 to October 31, 1937.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated for 1937.	Incurring from January to October, 1937.	Total.	Incurring from January to October, 1936.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Generation of electricity :—				
Fuel	22,946 0	17,478 62		17,151 23
Oil, waste and engine room stores	12,100 0	10,472 32		8,687 73
Salaries and wages at works	13,734 88	11,241 90		11,912 49
Repairs and maintenance :—				
(a) Buildings	1,800 0	1,101 59		1,600 7
(b) Engines, boilers, machinery and plant	1,500 0	957 42		910 8
(c) Spare parts for machinery	2,000 0	2,725 73		1,013 74
(d) Reconstruction of No. 1 engine	—	5,503 90		
			49,481 48	
Distribution of electricity :—				
Salaries and wages—				
(a) Repairs and maintenance of mains	5,758 90	4,400 62		3,680 23
(b) Replacement of consumer's service mains	300 0	164 13		156 38
(c) Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus	3,749 60	2,898 81		2,798 45
(d) Renovating distribution system and pipe line service of Katukelle Lake road	—	52 96		
(e) Renovating overhead main along Ampitiya road	174 0	—		110 11
Materials :—				
(a) Repairs and maintenance of mains	1,310 0	759 24		1,267 0
(b) Replacement of Consumers' service mains	300 0	73 56		201 27
(c) Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus	250 0	34 57		86 25
(d) Renovating distribution system and pipe line service of Katukolle lake road	—	260 14		501 63
(e) Renovating overhead main along Ampitiya road	741 0	—		
			8,644 3	
Public lamps :—				
Salaries and wages	7,180 50	5,360 35		5,746 74
Repairs and maintenance	2,914 50	1,676 16		2,204 30
			7,036 51	
Works executed for customers :—				
Labour	6,762 60	5,824 16		5,123 82
Materials	9,000 0	8,231 55		6,918 37
			14,055 71	
Managements and general expenses :—				
Salaries	46,045 40	35,046 20		36,361 3
Commuted travelling allowances	2,760 0	2,191 19		1,821 93
Rent and Lighting of Engineer's bungalow	1,428 0	1,172 0		1,167 50
Printing and stationery	1,700 0	1,055 81		1,569 66
Fire insurance	552 76	411 50		472 57
Legal expenses	500 0	336 90		355 40
Telephone	610 0	610 0		610 0
Audit fees	850 0	425 0		425 0
Quarterly inspection of Power Station by an Engineer of the Government Electrical Department	300 0	—		50 0
Tools	300 0	207 45		198 18
Supdry charges	500 0	247 82		194 54
Pension	1,859 71	4,699 1		89 54
			46,402 88	
Total amount of working expenses	149,927 85		125,620 61	113,385 24
Gross profit carried to Nett revenue account	95,433 15		98,461 49	90,017 94
			224,082 10	203,403 18
INCOME.				
	Estimated for 1937.	Accrued January to October, 1937.	Total.	Accrued January to October, 1936.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Sale of electricity :—				
Private lighting	142,050 0	133,012 42		118,743 65
Power and heating	19,740 0	18,396 62		16,003 85
Public lighting	46,200 0	36,049 50		37,464 75
Municipal Departments—Lighting	675 0	577 29		504 59
„ „ Power	1,260 0	2,887 98		1,032 22
			190,923 81	
Public lamps :—				
Attendance and maintenance	—	—		—
Works executed for customers and goods sold :—				
From Customers	19,000 0	19,185 38		16,709 33
„ Municipal Departments	500 0	94 93		499 94
			19,280 31	
Rent of Meters :—				
Recoveries from customers	15,000 0	12,752 58		11,784 34
„ Municipal Department	186 0	126 50		155 0
			12,879 8	
Sundry revenue :—				
Stand-by charges	194 40	230 50		162 0
Miscellaneous receipts	555 60	768 40		343 51
			998 90	
Total	245,361 0		224,082 10	203,403 18

Electricity Department, Nett Revenue Account for January 1 to October 31, 1937.

To Principal and interest on loans from General Revenue Fund				Rs. c.
Assessment rates				26,552 43
Depreciation on plant. &c.				5,434 81
Refund of salary Levy—October to December, 1936				25,579 64
				952 50
				Rs. c.
Nett profit unappropriated on December 31, 1937			103,059 27	
Nett profit up to September, 1937	34,992 29			
Nett profit for October, 1937	7,035 91			
			42,028 20	
				145,087 47
				203,606 85
				Rs. c.
By Balance from 1936				103,059 27
Interest				1,092 59
Salary Levy				993 50
By Gross profit up to October 31, 1937				98,461 49
				203,606 85

Kandy, November 18, 1937.

E. B. PEIRIS,
Accountant, Kandy Municipal Council.

Electricity Department, Balance Sheet, October 31, 1937.

LIABILITIES.	Amount.		Total.		
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Loans outstanding :—					
Loan from General Revenue Fund on December 31, 1936	110,030	0			
Less repayments in 1937	27,410	0			
			82,620	0	
Loans redeemed account on December 31, 1936	213,570	0			
Redeemed in 1937	27,410	0			
			240,980	0	
Revenue contribution to Capital outlay up to December 31, 1936			570,780	53	
Contributed in 1937					
Reserve for depreciation up to December 31, 1936	272,000	60			
Reserve for January to October, 1937	25,579	64			
Interest accrued on investments	5,864	40			
Reserve against stores	11,788	73			
			315,323	37	
Sundry creditors			4,008	93	
Deposits—Customers	11,309	6			
Sundry		783 36			
			12,092	42	
Outstanding wages			899	74	
Unpaid wages			405	0	
Principal and interest accrued on loan from General Revenue Fund			19,719	9	
Nett revenue account			145,087	47	
			1,391,521	60	
ASSETS AND CAPITAL OUTLAY.					
	Expended up to December, 1936.		Expended in 1937.		Total.
	From Loan Funds.	From Revenue Contribution.	From Loan Funds.	From Revenue Contribution and Reservas.	
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Acquisition of undertakings	—	150,000 0	—	—	150,000 0
Land for transformer station	810 0	—	—	—	810 0
Buildings	5,147 15	41,489 91	—	—	46,637 6
Engines, boiler, and other machinery	173,966 56	97,358 16	—	28 10	271,352 82
Tools and sundry plant	—	3,749 89	—	—	3,749 89
Mains, services, lamp-standards and terminal boxes	143,676 29	249,970 38	—	13,490 46	407,137 13
Meters	—	28,218 19	—	1,884 52	30,102 71
Storage battery	—	48,955 14	—	—	48,955 14
	323,600 0	619,741 67	—	15,403 8	958,744 75
Less value of unserviceable plant writted off	—	—	—	—	48,955 14
					909,789 61
Depreciation Fund Investments :—					
Loan to General Revenue for water scheme	—	—	—	107,333 34	
Fixed deposits, Mercantile Bank	—	—	—	164,757 26	
					272,090 60
Stores on hand	—	—	—	—	37,648 22
Value of stores lost	—	—	—	—	21 67
Sundry debtors	—	—	—	—	28,167 16
Dues from hire-purchasers	—	—	—	—	2,957 2
Insurance premium paid in advance	—	—	—	—	417 72
Advances	—	—	—	—	10 0
Distilled water	—	—	—	—	25 35
Cash with Shroff, petty cash account	—	—	—	242 31	
Cash with Electrical Engineer, petty cash account	—	—	—	72 3	
Cash in Mercantile Bank, fixed deposits	—	—	—	76,620 9	
Cash in Mercantile Bank, current account	—	—	—	60,981 48	
Cash in hand of Shroff	—	—	—	2,478 34	
					140,394 25
					1,391,521 60

Kandy, November 18, 1937.

E. B. PEIRIS,
Accountant, Kandy Municipal Council.

GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Draft Budget for 1938, which is to be laid before the General Meeting of the Council fixed for December 10, 1937, is now open to public inspection at the Municipal Office.

The Municipal Office,
Galle, November 29, 1937.

W. J. L. ROGERSON,
Chairman, Municipal Council, Galle.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NEGOMBO URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Budget for the Year 1938.

REVENUE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
A.—General revenue—		
(1) Property tax, 171 (1) (a)—		
Tax for current year ..	27,300 0	
Arrears of previous years ..	16,000 0	
(2) Acreage tax, 171 (1) (b) ..	—	
(3) Vehicles and animals tax, 173 (1) (b) ..	2,200 0	
(4) Licence duties ..	30,000 0	
(5) Other taxes, 173 (1) (d) ..	—	
(6) Refund of Stamp Duties (Schedule VI.) ..	2,800 0	
(7) Refund of liquor licences ..	2,000 0	
(8) Compensation for opium revenue ..	6,208 0	
(9) Fines by Court (not included elsewhere) ..	250 0	
(10) Auctioneers' and brokers' licences ..	150 0	
(11) Interest ..	700 0	
(12) Sale of old stores ..	100 0	
(13) Refund of overpayments ..	750 0	
(14) Miscellaneous ..	200 0	
(15) Warrant costs, &c. ..	800 0	
		89,458 0
B.—Thoroughfares :—		
(1) Subsidy in lieu of labour tax ..	11,051 91	
(2) Other collections, e.g., fines for injuries, &c., fines on and proceeds of sale of stray cattle, (103) (4) (5), sale of badges, faretables, &c. ..	1,800 0	
		12,851 91
C.—Resthouses and ambalams :—		
(1) Fees, 60 ..	7,000 0	
(2) Other ..	120 0	
		7,120 0
D.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere) :—		
(1) Rents ..	3,000 0	
(2) Sale of produce ..	1,200 0	
(3) Model Housing Scheme—		
(a) Premium ..	—	
(b) Rents ..	—	
(c) Other ..	—	
(4) Fees for use of advertisement hoardings ..	100 0	
(5) Sale of land ..	—	
		4,300 0
E.—Public health :—		
(1) General—		
(a) Fines under Part IV., Chapter III. ..	—	
(b) Fees for services of midwives ..	200 0	
(2) Scavenging—		
(a) Fees, 168 (10) (b) ..	1,400 0	
(b) Sale of refuse, 130 ..	—	
(c) Fines on contractors and labourers ..	15 0	
(3) Conservancy—		
(a) Rate, 141 ..	195 0	
(b) Sale of refuse, 130 ..	—	
(c) Fines on contractors and labourers ..	15 0	
(4) Slaughter-houses and cattle pound—		
(a) Fees, 168 (11) (a) ..	5,500 0	
(b) Sale of refuse ..	12 0	
(5) Water supply—		
(a) Water rates, 141 (b), 146 ..	—	
(b) Private water service fees ..	—	
(c) Distraint fees ..	—	
(d) Works executed for customers ..	—	
(e) Rent of meters ..	—	
(f) Private water service connections ..	—	
(6) Hospitals—		
(a) Contribution from Government ..	—	
(b) Rent of Hospital grounds ..	18 0	
(7) Markets and galas—		
(a) Rents, 168 (12) ..	1,000 0	
(b) Boutiques and stalls, 168 (12) ..	5,000 0	
(c) Fees for private markets, 150 (3) ..	800 0	
(d) Licences, 163 (1) ..	140 0	
(d) Grain store rents ..	2,000 0	
		8,940 0

REVENUE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
F.—Public recreation, 168 (7), 170 (1) (b) :—		
(1) Rents ..	100 0	
(2) Cattle grazing fees ..	50 0	
(3) Licences for public performances ..	225 0	
		375 0
G.—Cemeteries (Ordinance No. 9 of 1899) :—		
(1) Fees ..	350 0	
(2) Hire of hearse ..	—	
(3) Graves sold for erecting monuments ..	30 0	
		380 0
H.—Dog Registration (Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance No. 7 of 1893) :—		
(1) Registration fees ..	475 0	
(2) Fines ..	5 0	
(3) Sale of dog collars ..	2 0	
(4) Seizing fees ..	4 0	
		486 0
I.—Weights and Measures (Ordinance, No. 8 of 1876) :—		
(1) Fees for stamping ..	200 0	
(2) Fines ..	50 0	
		250 0
J.—Electricity Department :—		
(1) Sale of current ..	55,600 0	
(2) Rent of meters ..	7,300 0	
(3) Works executed for customers ..	1,300 0	
(4) Miscellaneous ..	100 0	
		64,300 0
K.—Fire Protection :—		
(1) Fees ..	—	
		—
Total estimated revenue ..		195,815 91
Estimated balance on December 31, 1937 ..		30,349 86
Total ..		226,165 77

EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
A.—General expenditure :—		
(1) Salaries of officers (not otherwise charged)—		
(a) Secretary ..	2,930 0	
(b) Clerks and Revenue Inspectors ..	7,697 20	
(c) Peons ..	1,084 0	
(d) Cost of technical advisers ..	—	
(e) Pensions ..	—	
(f) Assessor ..	1,300 0	
(2) Establishment expenses—		
(a) Allowances (not otherwise charged) ..	1,853 35	
(b) Travelling ..	500 0	
(c) Commission to tax collectors (not otherwise charged) ..	2,500 0	
(d) Assessor's fees ..	—	
(e) Legal expenses ..	500 0	
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising, and office expenses (not otherwise charged) ..	2,500 0	
(g) Registration of voters and elections ..	—	
(h) Cost of vehicle, boat, and assessment plates ..	725 0	
(i) Cost of audit ..	1,800 0	
(j) Holiday Railway tickets ..	850 0	
(3) Refunds ..	200 0	
(4) Contributions and grants ..	600 0	
		11,228 35
		200 0
		600 0
B.—Thoroughfares :—		
(1) Salaries and wages—		
(a) Superintendent of Works and Assistant—		
Salaries ..	5,160 0	
Allowances ..	936 0	
(b) Overseers ..	1,250 0	
(2) Maintenance ..	5,386 0	
(3) Plant and tools ..	125 0	
(4) Lighting ..	19,000 0	
(5) Dust laying ..	—	
(6) Cost of badges and faretables ..	—	

EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
(7) Acquisition	2,190 0		(7) Markets and galas—		
(8) Improvements .. .	3,300 0		(a) Wages	—	
(9) Loan charges	—		(b) Maintenance	562 50	
(10) Shade trees	75 0		(c) Printing, &c.	—	
(11) Surveys	50 0		(d) Construction	2,545 0	
(12) New works	2,310 0	39,782 0	(e) Compensation	—	
			(f) Acquisition	840 0	
			(g) Loan charges	—	
C.—Resthouses and ambalams :—			(8) Cost of epidemics	—	3,947 50
(1) Salaries	1,400 0				
(2) Maintenance	2,226 6		F.—Public recreation :—		
(3) Furniture and equipment	1,582 50		(1) Wages	870 0	
(4) Improvements	—	5,208 56	(2) Maintenance	1,803 45	
D.—Council lands and buildings (not charged elsewhere) :—			(3) Allowance to band	—	
(1) Wages	966 0		(4) Acquisition	—	
(2) Commission to collectors	—		(5) Contributions and grants	25 0	
(3) Rent of office	—		(6) Life Saving apparatus	25 0	
(4) Maintenance	1,684 0		(7) Radio set	—	
(5) Furniture	100 0		(8) Construction	—	2,723 45
(6) Loan charges	2,775 0				
(7) New works	—		G.—Cemeteries (Ordinance No. 9 of 1899) :—		
(8) Acquisition	—		(1) Wages	2,004 0	
(9) Protection from sea erosion	1,500 0		(2) Maintenance	270 0	
(10) Advertisement hoardings	25 0		(3) Construction	—	2,274 0
(11) Model Housing Scheme—					
(a) Maintenance	—		H.—Dog Registration (Ordinance No. 25 of 1901, and Rabies Ordinance No. 7 of 1893) :—		
(b) Insurance	—	7,050 0	(1) Destruction of dogs	150 0	
			(2) Commission to collectors	25 0	
E.—Public health :—			(3) Cost of dog collars	—	
(1) General—			(4) Fees to seizers	225 0	
(a) Salaries (Inspectors and Midwives) and wages	9,064 0		(5) Maintenance of dog pound	15 0	
(b) Allowances	3,290 75		(6) Construction	—	415 0
(c) Uniforms	200 0				
(d) Office expenses	250 0		I.—Weights and Measures (Ordinance No. 8 of 1876) :—		
(e) Disinfectants	500 0		(1) Fees to Inspectors	25 0	25 0
(f) Instruments and drugs (Midwives)	800 0				
(g) Drainage construction	3,000 0		J.—Electricity Department :—		
(h) Drainage compensation	—		(1) Generation of electricity—		
(i) Expenses of Health week	—		(a) Fuel or current	18,000 0	
(j) Milk analyses	150 0		(b) Oil, waste, and engine room stores	24 0	
(k) Anti-malaria campaign	1,000 0		(c) Salaries and wages at works	—	18,024 0
(l) Maternity and Child Welfare Clinics	2,000 0		(2) Repairs and maintenance—		
(m) Provision of mid-day meals to school children	500 0		(a) Buildings	25 0	
(n) Construction of Maternity Clinic	—		(b) Engines, boilers, machinery, and plant	—	
(o) Insurance	10 0		(c) Meters, switches, and other apparatus	100 0	
(p) Anti-plague measures	1,795 0	22,559 75	(d) Maintenance of supply mains and transmission lines	2,000 0	2,125 0
(2) Scavenging—			(3) Service and house connections—		
(a) Wages	9,750 0		(a) Materials	1,200 0	
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorries	3,750 0		(b) Labour (temporary)	50 0	1,250 0
(c) Stores	425 0		(4) Management and general expenses—		
(d) Incinerator	—		(a) Salaries, &c. (Electrician and Clerk)	3,012 0	
(e) Centrifugal pump—working and maintenance	475 0		(b) Salaries, &c. (out-door staff)	4,700 0	
(f) Centrifugal pump—purchase and installation	—	14,400 0	(c) Printing and stationery	300 0	
(3) Conservancy—			(d) Sundries	250 0	8,262 0
(a) Wages	9,750 0		(5) Loan charges—		
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorries	1,000 0		(a) Interest	7,985 0	
(c) Stores	1,300 0		(b) Capital repayment	6,300 0	14,285 0
(d) Rent of night-soil depot	—		(6) Extensions	—	
(e) Maintenance of latrines	200 0		(7) Depreciation of electric lighting plant and distribution system	5,000 0	5,000 0
(f) Acquisition	200 0				
(g) Construction	700 0	13,150 0	K.—Fire Protection :—		
(4) Slaughter-houses and cattle pound—			(1) Cost of fire extinguishers, refills, &c.	100 0	100 0
(a) Wages	360 0				
(b) Maintenance	50 0		Total estimated expenditure	191,465 81	
(c) Acquisition	—		Estimated balance on December 31, 1938	34,699 96	
(d) Construction	3,450 0		Total	226,165 77	
(e) Cattle disease	—	3,860 0			
(5) Water supply—					
(a) Wages	60 0				
(b) Stores	—				
(c) Maintenance	75 0				
(d) Acquisition	—				
(e) Construction	—				
(f) Loan charges	—				
(g) Commission to collectors	—	135 0			
(6) Hospitals—					
(a) Wages	—				
(b) Maintenance	150 0				
(c) Paupers	500 0				
(d) Contribution to Ayurvedic Dispensary	1,200 0	1,850 0			

Settled and adopted by Council on November 9, 1937.

V. CROOS DA BRERA,
Chairman

Office of the Urban District Council,
Negombo, November 9, 1937.

Dog Tax for 1938, Batticaloa.

The Dog Registration Ordinance, 1901.

IT is hereby notified that the Batticaloa Urban District Council has, in terms of section 5 of "The Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901," imposed for the year 1938 a registration fee of Re. 1 on every dog and Re. 1.50 on every bitch kept within the administrative limits of the said Urban District Council, payable on or before May 1.

Urban District Council Office,
Batticaloa, November 23, 1937.

M. CHINNAIYAH,
Chairman.

Back Lane Scheme, Anuradhapura.

NOTICE is hereby given that a back lane scheme framed by the Urban District Council, Anuradhapura, for the area comprised within the following boundaries:—

- North : Puttalam road.
- East : Kurunegala road,
- South : Sittampalam road,
- West : Pea-cock street,

has been submitted to His Excellency the Governor for sanction.

Office of the Urban District Council,
Anuradhapura, November 24, 1937.

S. NATARAJA,
Chairman.

Sale of Properties, Urban District Council, Kegalla.

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 house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman, Urban District Council, Kegalla, in terms of 140th clause of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of assessment rates due on the properties mentioned in the subjoined schedule, for second quarter, 1937, will be sold by public auction at the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of assessment rates and costs be duly paid.

Office of the Urban District Council,
Kegalla, November 23, 1937.

E. ASHLEY PERIES,
Chairman.

TIME OF SALE : TO COMMENCE AT THE FIRST-NAMED PREMISES AT 9 A.M. ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1937.

Premises : Nos. 97, 169, 182, 210, 230, 235, 532, 535, 597, 599, 606, 642, 654, 711, 760, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 782 and 830.

NOTIFICATION UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

I certify that the section for Inventions and Patents at the All-Ceylon Food and Health Exhibition to be held under the auspices of the National Fitness Movement from December 14, 1937, to January 4, 1938, is an Industrial Exhibition within the meaning of section 46 of the Patents Ordinance, No. 15 of 1906.

Intending exhibitors who wish to protect their inventions should give notice of their intention to exhibit to the Registrar of Patents on or before December 13, 1937. This notice should be in the prescribed form and be stamped with a one-rupee stamp; it should be accompanied by a brief description of the invention together with drawings if necessary.

Patent Office,
Colombo, December 1, 1937.

R. H. PAUL,
Registrar of Patents.

TRADE MARK NOTICES.

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

(1) Trade Mark No. 6,852. (2) Date of Receipt : September 4, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : The firm trading as HERMANN NIER, Beierfeld, Saxony; Germany; manufacturers. (4) Address for Service in the Island : C/o Julius & Creasy, Colombo. (5) Class : 15. (6) Goods : Glass chimneys for lanterns and hurricane lamps; (7) Representation of the Trade Mark :

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 2 \\ \hline 7.00 \\ 4.00 \\ \hline 4.00 \end{array}$$
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Colombo, November 24, 1937. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 6,853. (2) Date of Receipt : September 4, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : The firm trading as HERMANN NIER, Beierfeld, Saxony, Germany; manufacturers. (4) Address for Service in the Island : c/o Julius & Creasy, Colombo. (5) Class : 13. (6) Goods : Lanterns and hurricane lamps and parts thereof, all being metal goods not included in other classes. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark :

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(1) Trade Mark No. B 6,868. (2) Date of Receipt : September 9, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark) : The firm trading as K. P. P. D. THOMAS & CO. and VINCENT PERFUMERY WORKS, 108, Maliban street, Colombo, tobacco and perfumery merchants. (4) Address for service : C/o Sockalingam Ponnusamy Sundaram, 262, Dam street, Colombo. (5) Class : 45. (6) Goods : Scented tobacco. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark :

Vincent Perfumery Works

108, Maliban Street, Colombo.

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108, மலிபன் தெரு, கோழும்பு,

The translation of the Tamil words appearing on the mark is as follows:—

- Left border—Vincent Perfumery Works.
- Right border—108, Maliban street, Colombo.
- Within the circle on top—Vincent tobacco.
- Inner circle below—Vincent.

The translation of the Sinhalese words is as follows:—

- Within the circle on the left side—Vincent tobacco.
- Inner circle bottom—Vincent.

The transliteration and translation of the Malayalam characters within the circle on the left side are "Vincent puga Ela" meaning "Vincent tobacco".

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

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Colombo, November 24, 1937. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 6,883. (2) Date of Receipt: September 25, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE UNION ICE CO., LTD. (a Company duly incorporated under the Ceylon Joint Stock Companies Ordinance), Union House, McCallum road, Colombo; manufacturers of ice and aerated waters. (4) Class: 44. (5) Goods: Aerated waters. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:



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Name or description of goods varies in use.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 6,889. (2) Date of Receipt: October 11, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): PARAMBIL BAPPOO trading as BRIGHT WHITE SOAP MANUFACTORY, 51 Peersaibo's street, Colombo, manufacturer. (4) Class: 47. (5) Goods: Common soap. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:



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(1) Trade Mark No. 6,890. (2) Date of Receipt: October 12, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): EVER-READY RAZOR PRODUCTS, LIMITED (a company organized under the laws of Great Britain), Ever-Ready Corner, The Hyde, London, N. W. 9, England; manufacturers. (4) Address for service in the Island: c/o Julius & Creasy, Colombo. (5) Class: 12. (6) Goods: Safety razors and safety razor blades. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

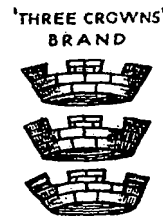


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(1) Trade Mark No. 6,894. (2) Date of Receipt: October 19, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): BLUNDELL, SPENCE & CO., LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the English Companies' Acts), Bankside Works, Sculcoates lane, Hull, England; and 9, Upper Thames street, London E.C., England; paint, colour, oil and varnish manufacturers. (4) Address for service in the Island: c/o Julius & Creasy, Colombo. (5) Class: 1. (6) Goods: Paints, varnishes, enamels, colours, distempers, japans, lacquers, paint and varnish driers, wood preservatives, wood stains, anti-corrosive and anti-fouling compositions and anti-corrosive oils, and mineral dyes. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



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(1) Trade Mark No. 6,897. (2) Date of Receipt: October 19, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): BLUNDELL, SPENCE & CO., LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the English Companies' Acts), Bankside Works, Sculcoates lane, Hull, England; and 9, Upper Thames street, London E.C., England; paint colour, oil and varnish manufacturers. (4) Address for Service in the Island: C/o Julius & Creasy, Colombo. (5) Class: 1. (6) Goods: Paints, varnishes, enamels, colours, distempers, japans, lacquers, paints and varnish driers, wood preservatives, wood stains, anti-corrosive and anti-fouling compositions and anti-corrosive oils, and mineral dyes. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

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(1) Trade Mark No. 6,903. (2) Date of Receipt: October 29, 1937. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): The firm trading as SALAY MOHAMED, SONS & CO., 169, Second Cross street, Colombo, Wholesale and retail piece goods merchants. (4) Class: 24. (5) Goods: Cotton piece goods. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:



The registration of this trade mark shall give no right to the exclusive use of the initials and words "S. M. S. KING FABRIC".

Registrar-General's Office, J. C. W. ROCK,
Colombo, November 24, 1937. Registrar of Trade Mark.

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

Local Option Polls, Colombo District, to be held in 1937-38.

1. IT is hereby notified that in terms of rule 6 of Excise Notification No. 146, published in Government Gazette of August 1925, as amended by Excise Notifications Nos. 180, 187, 194, 202, 221, 222, 225 and 231, I have appointed the under-mentioned date, time, and place for recording the votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 51 per cent. of the voters in the final list of voters are in favour of closing the arrack, toddy, and foreign liquor taverns, &c., shown on the schedule below, with effect from October 1, 1938:—

Name of Tavern.	Date.	SCHEDULE.		Place. (Polling Station.)	Polling Area.
		Time.			
Arrack, toddy, and foreign liquor taverns and the beer and porter shop in the Pettah Ward of the Colombo Municipality	January 26, 1938	8 A.M. to 12 noon and 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.		The Colombo Kachcheri	The Pettah Ward of Colombo Municipality

2. Notice dated November 9, 1937, and published in Gazette No. 8,330 of November 12, 1937, is hereby cancelled.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, November 30, 1937.

W. E. HOBDAI,
Government Agent.

Sale of Toddy Rents, 1938—Mullaittivu District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assistant Government Agent, Mullaittivu, will receive sealed tenders for purchase subject to Toddy Rent Sale Conditions published in Government Gazette No. 8,288 of May 7, 1937, and Gen. Conditions applicable to all Excise Licences published in Government Gazette No. 8,291 of May 21, 1937, of the exclusive privilege of selling fermented toddy by retail in the under-mentioned taverns.

2. Every tender shall be made on blank tender forms which can be obtained at the Kachcheries at Mullaittivu, Jaffna, Mannar, Anuradhapura, Trincomalee and Colombo; the Excise Head Office, Colombo; the General Treasury, Colombo; the Excise Assistant Commissioner's Office, Jaffna, and the Excise Superintendent's Office, Trincomalee.

3. The date and time of closing of tenders and the place at which the tenders will be received appear against each tavern.

4. A separate tender should be sent for each tavern and no person is permitted to send in more than one tender for any one tavern.

5. No tender will be considered unless the person making such tender is present in person. Tenders may be sent in by post or delivered at the Mullaittivu Kachcheri, but the envelopes must be sealed and marked on the left top corner with the name and number of the tavern in respect of which the tender is made.

6. Each tenderer should enclose a Treasury or Kachcheri receipt for the sum of Rs. 50 for fulfilment of the conditions. All such deposits should be in the name of the Assistant Government Agent, Mullaittivu, and will be forfeited if the successful tenderer fails to sign the Conditions of Sale immediately he is declared the purchaser.

7. The Assistant Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender or bid without assigning any reasons therefor. Any tender which contains an unauthenticated alteration will be rejected.

8. The Assistant Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders and putting up rents immediately to public auction if satisfactory tenders are not received.

9. Every person tendering is advised to produce at the time of sale a certificate from the Chief Headman of the division that he is a person eligible to be a purchaser.

10. The successful tenderer or bidder on being declared the purchaser shall immediately pay to the Assistant Government Agent, Mullaittivu, a sum equivalent to two months' rent as security deposit and sign the Conditions of Sale and shall sign the contract furnishing the necessary stamps therefor.

11. The conditions of sale and any other required information may be obtained at the Mullaittivu Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,
Mullaittivu, November 23, 1937.

P. O. FERNANDO,
Assistant Government Agent.

List of Taverns referred to.

No.	Division.	Local Area.	Date and Time of closing Tender.	Place.
2	Maritime Pattus	Valayanmadam	January 7, 1938: 10 A.M.	Mullaittivu Kachcheri
6	Do.	Alampil	January 7, 1938: 10.15 A.M.	do.

Period: March 1, 1938 to September 30, 1938.

