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PROCLAMATIONS.

No. 549 of 1938.

L. D.—O 34/36

M. L. A.—B 1396

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER
ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT.

A PROCLAMATION.

G. S. WODEMAN.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 1 of the Galle Municipal Council (Differential Rates) Ordinance, No. 31 of 1938, I, Guy Stanley Wodeman, Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, do by this Proclamation appoint the Twenty-first day of October, 1938, as the date on which the Ordinance shall come into operation.

By His Excellency's command,

E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, October 10, 1938.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 547 of 1938.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

J 8/38

Mr. M. RAJENDRA to be Additional Assistant at Matara to the Government Agent, Southern Province, and Additional Assistant at Hambantota to the Government Agent, Southern Province, from October 6, 1938, until further orders.

J 19/38

Mr. D. H. BALFOUR to be seconded for service in the post of Deputy Director of Commerce and Industries with effect from October 1, 1938, until further orders.

I 463/38

Mr. G. C. ORAM, Mechanical Engineer, Government Factory, to act as Factory Engineer, P. W. D., with effect from September 1, 1938, until further orders.

While acting as Factory Engineer Mr. ORAM will continue to hold the acting appointments referred to in Notification No. 495 of September 16, 1938, appearing in the *Government Gazette* of September 16, 1938.

I 140/38

Mr. N. S. SANDERS, Superintendent of Excise, Jaffna, to act as Assistant Commissioner of Excise, N. D., during the absence on leave of Mr. D. DE KRETSEK, from October 13 to 22, 1938, or until resumption of duties by that officer.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, W. L. MURPHY,
Colombo, October 6, 1938. Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 548 of 1938.

G 21/37

HEADS of Departments are hereby authorized to accept the signature of Mr. S. A. SUPRAMANIAM, Chief Clerk, Department of Labour, on behalf of the Controller of Labour, from October 4 to 8, 1938, both dates inclusive.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, W. L. MURPHY,
Colombo, October 12, 1938. Acting Chief Secretary.

N 7/38

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Ceylon Engineers with effect from October 1, 1938:—

To be Captains.—Lieutenant DON GREGORY EDMUND WIJEWARDENE, Lieutenant JOHN HENRY ERHARDT DE KRETSEK.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, W. L. MURPHY,
Colombo, October 5, 1938. Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 550 of 1938.

N 135/38

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to approve the retirement of the following officers of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles Reserve with effect from September 30, 1938, and to grant them permission to retain their ranks and to wear the uniform of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles on special occasions:—

Major CYRIL AUSTIN EVANS, E.D.
Captain NORMAN FILBY PALMER, M.C.
Lieutenant and Quartermaster DOUGLAS MACDONALD BERRY.

Lieutenant ARTHUR GEORGE PALLISER.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, W. L. MURPHY,
Colombo, October 10, 1938. Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 551 of 1938.

N 135/38

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to post Lieutenant CYRIL ROBERT BROCKLEHURST of the Ceylon Mounted Rifles Reserve to the Ceylon Planter's Rifle Corps Reserve with effect from September 30, 1938.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, W. L. MURPHY,
Colombo, October 10, 1938. Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 552 of 1938.

D 95/38

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to accord formal recognition to Mr. DAVID DOIG as Honorary Vice-Consul of Spain at Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, W. L. MURPHY,
Colombo, October 6, 1938. Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 553 of 1938.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

J 8/36

Mr. W. H. PERERA to be Additional District Judge, Colombo, on October 7, 1938, to enable judgment to be delivered in D. C., Colombo, case No. 4,686.

J 2/36

Mr. L. V. B. DE JACOLYN to be Additional District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avissawella, on October 14, 1938, to try D. C., Avissawella, case No. 2,540, and C. R., Avissawella, case No. 17,687.

J 22/36

Dr. R. F. DIAS to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Kandy, on October 17, 1938, to enable judgments to be delivered in D. C., Kandy, cases Nos. 48,942, 47,736, 48,101, 44,822, and 48,698.

J 64/36

Mr. D. RAJARETNAM to be Additional District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Police Magistrate, Trincomalee, during the absence of Mr. J. W. PERERA, from October 8 to 10, 1938.

J 38/36

Mr. C. F. DHARMARATNE to be Additional District Judge, Ratnapura, on October 5, 1938, to try D. C., Ratnapura, Case No. 6,499.

J 69/38

Mr. M. I. M. HANIFFA to be an Additional Commissioner of Requests, Colombo, on October 22, 1938, to try C. R., Colombo, cases Nos. 35,107, 40,545, and 42,389.

J 164/38

Mr. P. M. JAYAWARDENA to be Additional Commissioner of Requests, Additional Police Magistrate, Additional Municipal Magistrate, and Additional District Judge, Galle, from October 10 to 15, 1938.

J 76/38

Mr. C. V. M. PANDITHESEKERE to be Additional Commissioner of Requests, Additional Police Magistrate, and Additional District Judge, Chilaw, during the absence of Mr. W. THALGODAPITIYA, from October 27 to 30, 1938.

J 35/36

Mr. JACOB G. FERNANDO to be Additional Police Magistrate, Panadure, on October 13, 1938, to record the evidence of the Police Magistrate, Panadure, in P. C., Panadure, case No. 46,576.

J 39/36

Mr. L. G. POULIER to be Additional Police Magistrate, Tangalla, on October 18, 1938, to hear P. C., Tangalla, case No. 6,737.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

J. C. HOWARD,
Legal Secretary.

No. 554 of 1938.

G 37/36/17

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. J. W. WILSON has been appointed to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial districts of Kandy and Nuwara Eliya, with effect from October 3, 1938, during the absence of Mr. N. McCLELLAN from the Island.

Notice No. 304 of May 27, 1938, appearing in *Gazette* No. 8,371 of June 3, 1938, relating to the appointment of Mr. J. M. PATERSON to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the judicial districts of Kandy and Nuwara Eliya, with effect from May 27, 1938, during the absence of Mr. N. McCLELLAN from the Island, is hereby cancelled.

Legal Secretary's Chambers,
Colombo, October 3, 1938.

J. C. HOWARD,
Legal Secretary.

No. 555 of 1938.

G 31/36

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. D. SIRIMANNE has been appointed under section 372 of the Civil Procedure Code, 1889, to be, while acting in the office of Fiscal's Marshal, Panadure, 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 division of Panadure, on October 8, 1938.

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 8, 1938.

J. C. HOWARD,
Legal Secretary.

No. 556 of 1938.

B 761/38

IN pursuance of the power delegated to Ministers by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR under Article 40 (3) of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, by the Notification of June 6, 1932, Mr. K. ALVAPILLAI, C.C.S., has been appointed to perform temporarily, in addition to his own duties, the duties of the Secretary to the Hon. the Minister of Home Affairs and Clerk to the Executive Committee of Home Affairs from October 10 to 13, 1938 (both days inclusive).

D. B. JAYATILAKA,
Minister for Home Affairs.

The Ministry of Home Affairs,
Colombo, October 8, 1938.

No. 557 of 1938.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. DHARMADASA WEERAWARDHANA BIYANWILA to be a Notary Public throughout Dasiya pattu of Negombo District, with residence and office at Minuwangoda, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, October 5, 1938.

No. 558 of 1938.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. Don KUMATHERIUS KUMARASINGHE DEWAPRIYA WIJAYATILLEKE to be a Notary Public throughout Uda Bulatgama division of Kandy District with residence and office at Nawalapitiya and an Additional Office at Kadawala, and to practice as such in the Sinhalese language.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, October 5, 1938.

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:—

KARAWITA VIDANELAGE DON LEWIS PERERA KARAWITA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for six days from October 3, 1938, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, D. D. SENANAYAKE, on leave or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

LOKU BANDA EKANAYAKA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Kandy, for five days from September 26, 1938, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, F. C. FERNANDO on other duty or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

SWAMINADEN MUTTUCUMARU to act as Registrar of Lands, Trincomalee, on October 1, 1938, during the absence of the Registrar, S. G. THAMBYRAJAH, on other duty or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

SWAMINADEN MUTTUCUMARU to act as Registrar of Lands, Trincomalee, for five days from October 4, 1938, during the absence of the Registrar, S. G. THAMBYRAJAH, on leave or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

MERVILLE DIONOECIUS ARYACHANDRA to act as Registrar of Lands, Anuradhapura, for five days from September 22, 1938, during the absence of the Registrar, B. F. NAGAWATTA, on leave or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, October 10, 1938. E. R. DE SILVA,
Acting Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

L. D.—O 43/37

M. L. A. 437

THE MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1938.

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by the provisions of section 183 of the Motor Car Ordinance, No. 45 of 1938, (which were, by Proclamation published in *Gazette* No. 8,404 of October 8, 1938, brought into operation on October 10, 1938), I, Guy Stanley Wodeman, Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, do, by this Order, declare that the provisions of the Ordinance specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto shall, for the purposes of the issue, before the first of April, 1939, of licences for motor cars to be in force on and after that day, apply as adapted, modified and set out in the corresponding items in column 2 of that Schedule.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Officer Administering the Government.

Colombo, October 12, 1938.

SCHEDULE.

Column 1. Provisions of Ordinance No. 45 of 1938.	Column 2. Provisions as adapted or modified.
Section 31 (1) (e)	(e) be made before the fifteenth day of March, 1939.
Section 31 (1) Proviso (iv)	(iv) in the case of an omnibus or a lorry, the application shall be made on or before the thirtieth day of November, 1938.
Section 43 (1)	(1) Every application for a licence for an omnibus or lorry shall be made on or before the thirtieth day of November, 1938.
Section 45 (1) (c)	(c) In the case of applications for licences to be in force on the first day of April, 1939, the licensing authority shall forward the applications not later than the seventh day of December, 1938.
Section 46 (1), second paragraph	Each list referred to in this subsection shall, in the case of applications for licences to be in force on and after the first day of April, 1939, be published or affixed, as the case may be, not later than the twenty-third day of December, 1938.

L. D.—B 145/38

923/1/1 (SB/FSO)

Customs Notification (General) No. 38/17.

THE AIR NAVIGATION (CUSTOMS) REGULATIONS, 1938.

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by regulation 12 of the Air Navigation (Customs) Regulations, 1938, I, Guy Stanley Wodeman, Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, do hereby authorize the Charges Officer and each of the Assistant Charges Officers of His Majesty's Customs to exercise the power to detain aircraft in the manner described in that regulation.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Officer Administering the Government.

Colombo, October 6, 1938.

L. D.—B 7/36

H. A./A 1158/38

THE HOLIDAYS ORDINANCE, No. 1 of 1928.

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by the First Schedule and the Second Schedule to the Holidays Ordinance, No. 1 of 1928, I, Guy Stanley Wodeman, Officer Administering the Government of

Ceylon, do by this notice fix Thursday, November 24, 1938, as the day following the end of Ramazan, a bank and a public holiday under the Ordinance.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Officer Administering the Government.

Colombo, October 5, 1938.

L. D.—B 120/38

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

RULE made by the Officer Administering the Government in the exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by Article 39 (2) of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, read with Article 4 (3) of the said Order in Council.

By His Excellency's command,
E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, October 10, 1938.

RULE.

Rule 17 of the rules prescribed under Article 39 (2) of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, and published in *Gazette* No. 7,858 of June 5, 1931, is hereby amended, in Columns II. and III. thereof, by the addition, to the respective items relating to the Financial Secretary, of the item set out hereunder:—

Item to be added in Column II.	Corresponding item to be added in Column III.
Income Tax Department.	Commissioner of Income Tax.

F 144/34

APPLICATIONS on form General 187 (F 2) from officers in the Special Class and Class I. of the Clerical Service for transfer to the post of Chief Interpreter, Ratnapura Kachcheri, will be considered if forwarded through the Head of the applicant's Department and received in the Secretariat on or before October 24, 1938.

W. L. MURPHY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1938.

(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 officer, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of his temporary employment for pension purposes:—

Name: Mr. A. P. Jayawardena.
Pensionable Appointment: Officer, Class I, General Clerical Service.
Seconded service: Office Assistant to the Public Trustee.

By His Excellency's command,
Financial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 7, 1938. H. J. HUXHAM,
Financial Secretary.

L. D.—B 130/32

6/4/11 (FSO)

THE CEYLON STATE MORTGAGE BANK ORDINANCE, 1931.

RULE made by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 92 (1) (a) of the Ceylon State Mortgage Bank Ordinance, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,
H. J. HUXHAM,
Financial Secretary.
Colombo, October 10, 1938.

RULE.

The rules framed under section 92 (1) (a) published in *Gazette* No. 7,939 of August 12, 1932, as amended by rule published in *Gazette* No. 7,990 of June 30, 1933, are hereby further amended in rule 1 thereof by the substitution, for the figure "8", of the figures "15".

L. D.—B 1/37

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE,
No. 9 OF 1924.

RULE made by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 95 of the Village Communities Ordinance No. 9 of 1924, and by Article 95 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

By His Excellency's command,

J. C. HOWARD,

Colombo, October 7, 1938.

Legal Secretary.

RULE.

The Rules of Criminal Procedure for Village Tribunals and Village Committees, published in *Gazette* No. 7,568 of February 18, 1927, as last amended by rule published in *Gazette* No. 8,387 of August 12, 1938, are hereby further amended by the addition, immediately after rule 27, of the following new rule 27A:—

"27A. (1) When a trial is concluded, the President or Chairman may make such order as he thinks fit for the disposal of any document or other property produced before him regarding which any offence appears to have been committed or which has been used for the commission of any offence.

(2) When an order is made under this rule in a case in which an appeal lies, such order shall not (except when the property is live stock or is subject to speedy and natural decay) be carried out until the period allowed for presenting such appeal has passed, or when such appeal is presented within such period until such appeal has been disposed of.

(3) In this rule the term "property" includes in the case of property regarding which an offence appears to have been committed not only such property as has been originally in the possession or under the control of any party but also any property into or for which the same may have been converted or exchanged and anything acquired by such conversion or exchange whether immediately or otherwise."

L. D.—B 92/38

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1917.

RULES under section 12 of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 45 of 1917, made by the prescribed majority of proprietors within the irrigable area of the Udugoda Bandara-ela irrigation work in the Irrigation District of Pata Dumbara, in the Central Province, at a meeting held on June 20, 1938, and approved by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 19 of the said Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

B. H. ALUWIHARE,

Acting Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

Colombo, October 6, 1938.

RULES.

Close Seasons.

1. To enable the Irrigation Department to carry out works of maintenance, the issue of water from the Bandara-ela shall be stopped during the periods from the fifteenth day of February to the thirty-first day of March, and from the first to the thirty-first day of August in each year.

Issue of Water.

2. For the Irrigation of fields in Udugoda, water shall be drawn daily from the Bandara-ela from 6 A.M. to 12 noon from such outlets as may be provided, and subject to such directions as may be given by the Velmuladeniya; and as soon as a sufficient quantity of water has been drawn, such outlets shall be closed.

3. The Pallegamayaya shall be allowed to draw water daily from 6 A.M. to 12 noon.

4. The Walala-velyaya shall be allowed to draw water from the regulator daily from 12 noon to 6 P.M.

5. The Udagamayaya shall be allowed to draw water twice a week, on Sundays and on Mondays, during the day and night.

6. For the irrigation of fields in Hurikaduwe Madige water shall be drawn once a week on Tuesdays, during the day and night.

7. For the irrigation of fields in Hurikaduwe village water shall be drawn twice a week, on Wednesdays and on Thursdays, during the day and night.

8. For the irrigation of fields in Dambarawa village water shall be drawn twice a week, on Fridays and on Saturdays, during the day and night.

9. Every cultivator who is allowed to draw water under these rules shall take all steps necessary to ensure that the outlets are closed or the navats blocked immediately after the period allowed to him has elapsed.

THE RUBBER CONTROL ORDINANCE, No. 6 OF 1934.

Notification No. 96.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in the exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by section 9 of the Rubber Control Ordinance, No. 6 of 1934, has been pleased to appoint Mr. H. F. Parfitt, M.S.C., to be a member of the Rubber Advisory Board in place of Mr. C. E. Hawes, resigned.

B. H. ALUWIHARE,

Acting Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,

Colombo, October 3, 1938.

THE RUBBER CONTROL ORDINANCE, No. 6 OF 1934.

Notification No. 97.

IT is hereby notified that in the exercise of the powers vested in the Governor by section 3 (2) of the Rubber Control Ordinance, No. 6 of 1934, the Officer Administering the Government has declared that the Ceylon Quota of Export for the period of Control beginning on the first day of October, 1938, and ending on the thirty-first day of December, 1938, shall be 20,790,000 pounds of dry rubber.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,

Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,

Colombo, October 8, 1938.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Rev. R. W. Stopford, Mr. J. N. Jinendradasa, and Mr. W. B. de Alwis to be members of the Board of Education for a further period of three years with effect from October 1, 1938, in accordance with section 6 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1920.

By His Excellency's command,

C. W. W. KANNANGARA,

Minister for Education.

The Ministry of Education,

Colombo, October 6, 1938.

M.L.A.—B 1600/L.D.—B 73/38

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 Kandy Municipal Council, have been approved by the State Council, and ratified by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by the said section.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,

Minister for Local Administration.

Colombo, October 7, 1938.

REGULATIONS.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Kandy Street Collections Regulations, 1938.

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 Kandy 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 Kandy Municipal Council, there shall be a Board of Control, which is hereby established, consisting of—

(a) The Chairman of the Kandy Municipal Council, as Chairman of the Board,

(b) Two persons nominated by the Kandy Municipal Council each year as representatives of charitable organizations in Kandy, 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 Kandy 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 or 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

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 : _____.

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 : _____.

- (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 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.

- Name of society, committee or body of persons responsible for the collection or sale : _____.
- Address : _____.
- 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 : _____.
- Name of Charity or Fund which is to benefit : _____.
- Address of the Administrative Centre of the Charity or Fund and the name and address of the secretary : _____.
- Objects of the Charity or Fund : _____.
- Date upon which it is desired to take or hold the collection or sale : _____.
- Locality within which it is desired to take or hold the collection or sale : _____.
- The method to be adopted in taking or holding the collection or sale : _____.
- 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 : _____.
- 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 : _____.
- Signatures of persons making this application : _____.
- Date of application : _____.

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

Order made by the Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce under section 3 (1) of the Food Control Ordinance, No. 22 of 1937.

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 3 (3) of the Food Control Ordinance, No. 22 of 1937, that the Order under section 3 (1) of the Ordinance, prohibiting the removal or transport of paddy grown in the Vavuniya North and Vavuniya South divisions of the Mullaittivu District except on permits issued by the Assistant Government Agent of Mullaittivu District, and published in *Gazette* No. 8,401 of October 7, 1938, has been confirmed by the Board of Ministers.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

Order made by the Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce under section 3 (1) of the Food Control Ordinance, No. 22 of 1937.

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 3 (3) of the Food Control Ordinance, No. 22 of 1937, that the Order under section 3 (1) of the Ordinance, prohibiting the removal or transport of paddy grown in the Batticaloa District or rice made from such paddy except on permits issued by the Government Agent of the Eastern Province, and published in *Gazette* No. 8,401 of October 7, 1938, has been confirmed by the Board of Ministers.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

Order made by the Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce under section 3 (1) of the Food Control Ordinance, No. 22 of 1937.

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 3 (3) of the Food Control Ordinance, No. 22 of 1937, that the Order under section 3 (1) of the Ordinance, prohibiting the removal or transport of paddy grown in the Trincomalee District or rice made from such paddy except on permits issued by the Assistant Government Agent of Trincomalee District, and published in *Gazette* No. 8,401 of October 7, 1938, has been confirmed by the Board of Ministers.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

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

- No. 11—*Panadure Electoral District,*
No. 12—*Kalutara Electoral District,*
No. 13—*Horana Electoral District, and*
No. 14—*Matugama Electoral District.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the revised registers of voters relating to the above-named electoral districts have been completed, and that copies of such registers are open for inspection during office hours at the under-mentioned Government Offices :—

Colombo Kachcheri, as regards such portions of the Panadure and Horana Electoral Districts as fall within the Colombo Revenue District.

Kalutara Kachcheri, as regards the Kalutara and Matugama Electoral Districts and such portions of the Panadure and Horana Electoral Districts as fall within the Kalutara Revenue District.

Every person who is qualified in accordance with the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, to have his or her name entered in the register for any of the above-named electoral districts and whose name has been omitted from such register, or whose name has been expunged from such register, and who claims to have it inserted therein, may submit a written claim, which

must reach the Registering Officer at the Kalutara Kachcheri or the Assistant Registering Officer at the Colombo Kachcheri, as the case may be, within two weeks from the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, to have his or her name inserted in such register. Such claim must be in the form A in the second schedule to the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, as amended by the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Amendment Order in Council, 1935, (copies of which form may be obtained from the said Registering Officer or Assistant Registering Officer), must set out the grounds of claim, and must give an address for the receipt of notices: Provided that no person shall be entitled to claim to have his or her name inserted in the register on the ground that he or she is qualified under Article 8 or Article 9 of the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, unless an application made by that person in accordance with the requirements of Article 14 of that Order was duly received by the said Registering Officer or Assistant Registering Officer on or before the 15th day of September, 1938.

Every person whose name appears in the register for any of the above-named electoral districts and who objects to the name of any other person or his or her own name appearing therein, may submit a written application, which must reach the Registering Officer at the Kalutara Kachcheri or the Assistant Registering Officer at the Colombo Kachcheri as the case may be, within two weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, to have such name expunged from such register. Such application must be in the form B in the second schedule to the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931 (copies of which form may be obtained from the said Registering Officer or Assistant Registering Officer), must set out the grounds of objection, and must give an address for the receipt of notices.

J. N. ARUMUGAM,
Registering Officer, No. 11, Panadure
Electoral District, No. 12, Kalutara
Electoral District, No. 13, Horana
Electoral District and No. 14,
Matugama Electoral District.

Kalutara, October 10, 1938.

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

- No. 21—*Talawakele Electoral District,*
No. 22—*Nuwara Eliya Electoral District.*

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

Every person who is qualified in accordance with the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, to have his or her name entered in the registers for the above-named electoral districts and whose name has been omitted or expunged from such registers and who claims to have it entered therein, may submit a written claim, which must reach the Registering Officer at Nuwara Eliya within two weeks of the date of the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, to have his or her name inserted in such registers. Such claims must be in the form "A" in the Second Schedule to the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council as amended by the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Amendment Order in Council, 1935, (copies of which form may be obtained from the said Registering Officer), must set out the grounds of claim and must give an address for the receipt of notices. Provided that no person shall be entitled to claim to have his or her name inserted in the registers on the ground that he or she is qualified under Article 8 or Article 9 of the above Order in Council, unless an application made by that person in accordance with the requirements of Article 14 was duly received by the said Registering Officer on or before the 15th day of September, 1938.

Every person whose name appears in the registers for the above-named electoral districts who objects to the name of any other person or his or her name appearing therein, may submit a written application, which must reach the Registering Officer at Nuwara Eliya within two weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, to have such name omitted from such registers. Such application must be in the form "B" in the Second Schedule to the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931 (copies of which form may be obtained from the said Registering Officer), must set out the grounds of objection and must give an address for the receipt of notices.

J. A. MULHALL,
Registering Officer, No. 21, Talawakele,
and No. 22, Nuwara Eliya Electoral
Districts.
The Kachcheri,
Nuwara Eliya, October 10, 1938.

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

No. 34—Mannar-Mullaitivu Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the revised register of voters relating to the above-named electoral district has been completed, and that copies of such register are open for inspection during office hours at the Vavuniya and Mannar Kachcheries.

Every person who is qualified in accordance with the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, to have his or her name entered in the register of voters for the above-named electoral district and whose name has been omitted from such register, or whose name has been expunged from such register, and who claims to have it inserted therein, may submit a written claim, which must reach the Registering Officer, Vavuniya Kachcheri, or the Assistant Registering Officer, Mannar Kachcheri, within two weeks from the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, to have his or her name inserted in such register. Such claim must be in the form "A" in the second schedule to the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, as amended by Article 3 of the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Amendment Order in Council, 1935 (copies of which form may be obtained from the said Registering Officer or Assistant Registering Officer), must set out the grounds of claim, and must give an address for the receipt of notices: Provided that no person shall be entitled to claim to have his or her name inserted in the register on the ground that he or she is qualified under Article 8 or Article 9 of the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, unless an application made by that person in accordance with the requirements of Article 14 of that Order was duly received by the Registering Officer or the Assistant Registering Officer on or before the 15th day of September, 1938.

Every person whose name appears in the register for the above-named electoral district who objects to the name of any other person or his or her name appearing therein, may submit a written application, which must reach the Registering Officer, Vavuniya Kachcheri, or the Assistant Registering Officer, Mannar Kachcheri, within two weeks from the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, to have such name expunged from such register. Such application must be in the form "B" in the second schedule to the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, (copies of which form may be obtained from the said Registering Officer or Assistant Registering Officer), must set out the grounds of objection, and must give an address for the receipt of notices.

S. S. NAVARATNAM,
Registering Officer for No. 34, Mannar-
Mullaitivu Electoral District.
The Kachcheri,
Vavuniya, October 14, 1938.

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, November 1, 1938, for the supply of pale yellow hard soap manufactured in Ceylon.

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

JOHN GIBB,
Colombo, October 11, 1938. Government Storekeeper.

QUOTATIONS are invited for the supply of provisions for feeding the animals in the Museum Zoo commencing December 1, 1938.

The successful applicant will be required to deliver such provisions as may be required daily at the Museum Zoo at a specified time.

Applications should reach the Director, Colombo Museum, not later than 12 noon on Saturday, November 5, 1938, and should be addressed to the Director, Colombo Museum.

A schedule of the provisions required and other particulars may be obtained on application at the Museum Office.

A. H. MALPAS,
Colombo, October 11, 1938. Director Colombo Museum.

THE Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and the District Engineer, Public Works Department, Galle, will receive tenders at their respective offices up to 12 noon on Friday, November 4, 1938, for the Supply of "Bridge Planks", Galle District, for the calendar year 1939.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the District Engineer, Public Works Department, Galle, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

C. H. BRADLEY,
for Director of Public Works.
Public Works Department,
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

THE Provincial Engineer, Jaffna, and the District Engineer, Pallai, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, November 1, 1938, for the supply and delivery of road metal (broken metal to pass through a 2 in. ring) from the following stations from January 1, 1939, to December 31, 1939, for the use of the Public Works Department, Pallai District, viz., Vavuniya, Puliyankulam, and Mankulam, metal to be delivered at the respective Railway Stations and to be loaded into railway trucks.

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

A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
for Director of Public Works.
Public Works Office,
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

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 Thursday, November 3, 1938, for the following work, namely:—

"Straightening Channel of Pusweli-oya Bridge No. 21/6 Colombo-Labugama High Leve road."

2. Plans, specification, conditions of tender, and schedule of rates 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 12 noon).

3. Tender forms will be issued only to Public Works Department registered contractors.

A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
for Director of Public Works.
Public Works Office,
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

THE Factory Engineer, and the Works Manager, Government Factory, Kolonnawa, will receive fresh tenders up to 11 A.M. on Friday, November 4, 1938, for the purchase and removal of 50 tons of scrap wrought iron and scrap metal of all descriptions (except cast iron) more or less from the Government Factory, Kolonnawa.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Works Manager, Government Factory, Kolonnawa, from whom all particulars can be obtained.

3. The acceptance of any offer received is subject to Treasury approval.

A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
for Director of Public Works.
Public Works Office,
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

Tenders for the Right to Exploit Crown Forests for Sleeper and Timber Supplies, 1939.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the right to fell trees, convert them into sleepers, timber in the log, sawn timber, &c., and collect and remove these from the areas referred to in the annexed schedule, at the rates shown for the respective classes offered for sale, and will be received by the Chairman, Tender Board, General Treasury, Colombo, up to mid-day on Tuesday, December 6, 1938.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover and should be addressed to the Chairman, Tender Board, General Treasury, P. O. Box 509, Colombo.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Right to Exploit Crown Forests for Sleeper Supply, &c." in the left hand top corner of the envelope and should reach the General Treasury not later than mid-day on Tuesday, December 6, 1938. *Each area shown separately in the annexed schedule should be tendered for separately.*

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the General Treasury, Room No. 223, Second Floor, Galle Face Secretariat, Colombo, or be sent through the post preferably under registered cover.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at any of the Divisional Forest Offices in Jaffna, Kurunegala, Colombo, and Nuwara Eliya, or the Head Office, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialed by the tenderers.

7. A deposit of Rs. 50 must be made either in the office of the Conservator of Forests or in a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for same before any form of tender is issued. If a person to whom a tender form has been issued fails for no satisfactory reason to submit his tender within the time fixed in Condition 3 above, his tender form deposit of Rs. 50 will be liable to be forfeited at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests.

8. A tenderer shall before making his tender, examine in the office at which he obtains the tender form a copy of the agreement he will be required to execute in the event of his tender being accepted and shall sign and deliver a statement at the time of applying for a tender form to the effect that he has fully acquainted himself with the terms of such agreement and that in the event of his tender being accepted he will, within the time fixed in Condition 13 below, execute an agreement in terms of the specimen agreement. As evidence of his having examined the specimen agreement the tenderer shall sign his name on it in the space provided for the purpose.

9. A tenderer who has not previously held a Forest Department 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 Districts 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, as well as the other information required.

No tender form will be issued to any person or on behalf of any person whose name appears in the list of defaulting contractors.

10. No tender will be considered unless the conditions laid down above have been complied with.

The Government reserves to itself the right without question to reject any or all offers and to accept any portion of an offer. No offers will be entertained from persons whose names appear on the list of defaulting contractors.

11. Tenderers should, before tendering, satisfy themselves as to the timber contents of the area of exploitation; no representations as to adequacy or quality of such contents will be entertained after an offer has been accepted for the right to exploit the area.

12. The tenderer should quote a lump sum (or premium) both in words and in figures, which shall indicate and include the amount of money the tenderer is prepared to pay for the exclusive right to exploit the area in question, but shall not include the value of the material which the purchaser of the right shall pay to the Forest Department at the time of removal at the reduced royalty rates specified in the schedule annexed. The attention of tenderers is specially drawn to the minimum premium for each area shown in the annexed schedule.

13. The successful tenderer for each area shall, within ten days of being informed in writing that his tender has been accepted, pay in full the amount of his offer and enter into the necessary agreement. He shall also deposit, before signing the agreement the amount shown in the schedule annexed thereto, as security for the due and punctual performance of the agreement. Should he fail to comply with these requirements his tender form deposit may be forfeited to the Crown; he may render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract in future, and to make good any resultant loss; further the service may be offered to another tenderer in which case no claim for any profit that may accrue to Government by such offer will be entertained. Notice of acceptance of the 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 tender form deposits will be returned upon signature of the agreements.

14. The agreement shall be entered into by the successful tenderer (hereinafter called the contractor) with the Divisional Forest Officer within whose jurisdiction the area of operation lies, acting for and on behalf of HIS MAJESTY THE KING, and the designation of such officer shall mean and include the officer for the time being holding such office and his successors in office for the time being under the Government of Ceylon.

15. After execution of the agreement, the contractor may commence the felling and conversion of trees and the collection of timber at the Wayside Depots established by him in the area with the consent of the Divisional Forest Officer and referred to in the agreement, where, subject to reservation specified in Special Condition 3, payment must be made at the reduced royalty rates referred to in the attached schedule, for the respective classes. Final removal will only be permitted on removal permits in the prescribed form, under the hand of a Forest Officer, and only in respect of timber which bears the Government hammer mark "S". Material transported outside the area of operations shall bear a distinctive property mark, indicating ownership of such material by the contractor, who shall register such property mark with the Divisional Forest Officer at the time of signing the agreement on payment of a fee of Re. 1 annually. In the case of any part of the timber which is permitted to be utilized as firewood, however, the Divisional Forest Officer may authorize the issue of removal permits without the necessity for stamping of or affixing any property mark to such material. The material found in the area will for purposes of payment be divided into the following classes:—

A.—Railway Sleepers.

- (i.) Broad Gauge : Satinwood, palu, milla, ranai, and na.
- (ii.) Narrow Gauge : do.

B.—Timber in the Log and Timber converted in the Forest.

- (i.) Ebony (cleaned).
- (ii.) Satinwood (below 5 ft. girth at butt end), nodun, jak, halmilla, and margosa.
- (iii.) Palu, milla, ranai, na, hulanluk, kumbuk, kolon, tamariud, pihimbiya, kon.
- (iv.) Other species.

C.—Firewood.

- (i.) Firewood.

Reduced royalty, at rates laid down in the annexed schedule will be recovered on A (sleepers) at a rate per Broad or Narrow Gauge Sleeper of the following dimensions:—

Broad Gauge	..	..	..	..	9 ft. × 10 in. × 5 in.
Narrow Gauge	..	..	..	..	$\left( \begin{array}{l} 5 \text{ ft.} \times 9 \text{ in.} \times 4 \frac{1}{2} \text{ in.} \\ 5 \text{ ft.} \times 10 \text{ in.} \times 5 \text{ in.} \end{array} \right.$

On B (Timber in the log) at a rate per cubic foot calculated by multiplying the square of the quarter girth (measured midway) between the two ends of the log) by the length; on C (Timber converted in the forest) at a rate per cubic foot calculated by multiplying the length, breadth, and thickness; and on C (firewood) at a rate per cart-load.

16. The agreement may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board. The Tender Board 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 agreement on contractor's behalf. In the event of the Tender Board refusing to authorize assignment or subletting of agreement or to recognize a power of attorney and the contractor not being prepared to carry on work on his own, the right of exploiting the area shall be readvertised and on its resale the contractor's rights shall automatically cease, and he shall not be entitled to refund of any sums paid by him or to any claim whatsoever on account of the resale.

17. The contractor shall not employ any person whose name is on the list of defaulting contractors. The Conservator of Forests 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.

18. Special rules for felling, conversion, and removal of material which are to be observed by the contractor are more fully outlined in the Special Conditions given below. Nothing in those Special Conditions will exempt the contractor from liability under the Forest Ordinance, No. 16 of 1907, should he be responsible for the commission of a Forest Offence.

19. The contractor shall indemnify the Crown against any claim, by or in respect of any employee of the contractor under the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, No. 19 of 1934.

20. The payments to which the contractor may render himself liable under the agreement may be deducted by the Divisional Forest Officer concerned from all monies then due or that may become due to the contractor under this or any other contract he may hold under Government and/or from the security deposited by the contractor and hypothecated to the Crown under clause 13 hereof or be recovered from him by action at law.

21. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of ejecting the contractor's employees and of rescinding the agreement if the above conditions are not adhered to.

22. In case of any disagreement arising between parties to the agreement it shall be referred to the Tender Board whose decision in every case shall be final and binding on the parties to the agreement.

23. For any further information, application should be made to the officer issuing tender forms.

Special Conditions.

(1) The Forest Department will, as far as possible, assist contractors in disposing of material extracted from their areas. The Railway Department will buy direct from the contractors, subject to stipulations shown below, sleepers of the correct specification (copy attached) in respect of species, quality, and dimensions, brought from the felling area to the Railway line sides or station yards. The Railway Department will pay the contractors for all accepted sleepers at the following approximate rates:—

	Rs.	c.
Broad Gauge sleeper delivered on Broad Gauge line	5	0
Narrow Gauge sleeper delivered on Broad Gauge line	2	0

It should be understood by tenderers that no guarantee is held out that payment will be made by the Railway Department at the above rates as they are subject to revision. Narrow Gauge sleepers should not be converted except on the orders of the Forest Department which will issue such orders after ascertaining the requirements of the Railway Department. The contractor shall extract as many sleepers as his coupe could yield. Should he fail to do this he shall be liable to forfeit his security in full or in part.

(2) A Forest Department representative will pass all sleepers for species at the same time that the Railway Department's Inspecting Officer passes them for specification and payment; and the Forest Department will generally advise the contractor during the course of the work as to the specification and standard of sleepers required, but the onus of supplying sleepers which comply with the Railway Department's specification rests on the contractor alone.

(3) Reduced royalty at the rates given in the schedule will be recovered on timber in the log, converted material other than sleepers and firewood at the Wayside Depot, as and when required by the Divisional Forest Officer, and in any case at intervals of not longer duration than one month. The time and place of recovery of reduced royalty on sleepers will be fixed by the Conservator of Forests and his decision on all aspects of this question shall be final.

(4) Sleepers should be delivered at an agreed point on the line side or station yards in batches or parcels of not less than 600, and as sufficient quantities become available for handing over, the Forest Department will intimate the Railway Department to this effect.

(5) The contractor shall, if required by the Divisional Forest Officer, deposit with that officer such sum of money as may be required to secure the due payment of the reduced royalty; and in case of default being made in the payment at the prescribed time of any reduced royalty accrued under the agreement the sum so accrued may be withdrawn by the said officer from the sum deposited and shall then be credited to Forest Revenue.

(6) A plan will be attached to the agreement showing the working area delineated by a red outline. The boundaries of the area and subdivisions of it, as the Divisional Forest Officer may deem necessary, shall be demarcated by the contractor and work shall be confined to such subdivisions as the Divisional Forest Officer may from time to time lay down.

(7) The conditions regarding felling operations, &c., are as follows:—

(a) (i.) In areas which are not Reserved Forests or Proposed Reserves and in areas which are released for the requirements of the Revenue Officer, halmilla trees which exceed 3 ft. 6 in. in girth at breast height and all other trees which exceed 4 ft. 6 in. in girth at breast height may be felled.

(ii.) The right is, however, reserved to the various Government Agents and Assistant Government Agents, in whose provinces or districts the areas of exploitation lie, to issue therefrom, if necessary, grants for requirements of villages within or adjacent to these areas of exploitation and for public purposes, in respect of trees of any species or girth. The contractor shall not be entitled to any payment for any materials thus granted.

(b) In Reserve Forests and Proposed Reserves no halmilla tree below 4 ft. in girth and no tree of other species below 5 ft. 6 in. in girth at breast height shall be felled, nor shall any tree be felled which has not been previously stamped for felling by a Forest Officer.

7c. In areas which are not Reserved Forests or Proposed Reserves and in areas which are released for the requirements of the Revenue Officer all felled satinwood trees shall be converted into sleepers or scantlings subject to the following exceptions:—

(1) trees which are under 5 ft. in girth at butt end may be converted into logs and brought out in log form for supply by the contractor direct to Government Departments or for trade purposes;

(2) trees which are between 5 ft. and 5 ft. 6 in. (inclusive) in girth at butt end shall be sawn into sleepers or scantlings unless the contractor received an order from the Divisional Forest Officer for the supply of logs from such trees to the Forest Department;

(3) trees which are over 5 ft. 6 in. in girth at butt end shall not be sawn into sleepers or scantlings until they are passed for that purpose by the Divisional Forest Officer, or by an officer deputed by him, who may select such trees for the supply of logs to the Forest Department.

7d. In Reserved Forests and Proposed Reserves no felled satinwood trees shall be sawn until they are passed by the Divisional Forest Officer, or by an officer deputed by him, who may select such trees for the supply of logs to the Forest Department. All trees which are not so selected for the supply of logs to the Forest Department shall be converted into sleepers or scantlings.

7e. When trees are selected for the supply of logs the contractor shall convert, bark, and trim them according to instructions which may be issued to him and supply the logs at the nearest Railway Station loaded into railway trucks, and shall be paid for this service at the following rates:—

	Distance of Transport.			
	(a) 10 miles and under.	(b) Over 10 miles and up to 20 miles.	(c) Over 20 miles and up to 30 miles.	(d) Over 30 miles.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Class I. over 6 ft. to 8 ft. mid-girth and 13 ft. to 18 ft. length, per c. ft.	1 0	1 25	1 50	1 75
Class II. 5 ft. to 6 ft. mid-girth and 13 ft. to 18 ft. length, per c. ft.	0 75	1 0	1 25	1 50
Class III. under 5 ft. mid-girth and 13 ft. to 18 ft. length, per c. ft.	0 60	0 80	1 0	1 25

An additional sum of 10 cents, 15 cents, 20 cents, or 25 cents per c.ft. corresponding respectively to the distances shown under (a), (b), (c), and (d) above will be paid for logs over 18 ft. in length and/or over 8 ft. in mid-girth.

7f. All cleaned ebony logs measuring 2 ft. and upwards in girth shall, if so required, be delivered to the Forest Department loaded into railway trucks at Railway Station nearest the coupe and the contractor will be paid for such logs at the following rates:—

	Rs. c.
(a) Where distance of transport is 10 miles or under	1 50 per c. ft.
(b) Where distance of transport is over 10 miles and up to 20 miles	1 80 "
(c) Where distance of transport is over 20 miles and up to 30 miles	2 15 "
(d) Where distance of transport is over 30 miles	2 50 "

7g. Supplies of other hardwoods for Government Departments will be obtained from coupes by the Forest Department which will pay the contractor at the following rates:—

	Distance of Transport.			
	(a) 10 miles and under.	(b) Over 10 miles and up to 20 miles.	(c) Over 20 miles and up to 30 miles.	(d) Over 30 miles.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Class I. over 6 ft. to 8 ft. mid-girth and 13 ft. to 18 ft. length, per c. ft.	0 75	1 0	1 25	1 50
Class II. 5 ft. to 6 ft. mid-girth and 13 ft. to 18 ft. length, per c. ft.	0 60	0 80	1 0	1 25
Class III. under 5 ft. mid-girth and 13 ft. to 18 ft. length, per c. ft.	0 60	0 80	1 0	1 25

An additional sum of 10 cents, 15 cents, 20 cents, or 25 cents per c. ft. corresponding respectively to the distances shown under (a), (b), (c), and (d) above will be paid for logs over 18 ft. in length and/or over 8 ft. in mid-girth.

The contractor shall deliver such supplies loaded into railway trucks at the Railway station nearest his coupe. He shall also comply strictly with specifications, &c., connected with each supply. The placing of orders for these supplies shall be entirely at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests. Any logs not so ordered may be otherwise disposed of by the contractor.

(8) (i.) If a contractor in the performance of his agreement does anything contrary to its terms or omits to do anything required thereby, the Conservator of Forests may :—

- (a) in any case in which he is of opinion that such act or omission is a serious irregularity, cancel the said agreement and forfeit, for the use of the Crown, the contractor's security deposit and all timber in the area and the wayside depot, whether paid for or not ;
- (b) in any case in which he is of opinion that such act or omission is a minor irregularity, fine the contractor.

(ii.) The Conservator of Forests may give the contractor time to pay such fine. If such fine be not paid within the time allowed for its payment, it will be recovered from the security deposited under General Condition No. 13.

(9) The contractor shall make good any deductions made from the security deposit within such time as the Conservator of Forests may fix. If he fails to do so the Conservator of Forests may cancel his agreement and forfeit the balance of the said deposit.

(10) The contractor shall be liable to pay, at rates obtaining under the agreement for logs left lying in the area at the termination of the agreement which in the opinion of the Divisional Forest Officer are marketable or capable of being converted.

Any trees which stand unfelled in the coupe at the termination of the agreement shall be the property of the Crown and the contractor shall have no claim whatever to them.

(11) All demands for timber and firewood in the vicinity of an area under working shall be met from that area and the contractor will be required to meet those demands and will be allowed to charge any rate not in excess of Full Royalty prescribed by law for standing timber or firewood. The contractor shall issue licences for felling and removal on his own printed forms, which shall be subject to the approval of the Conservator of Forests. Materials thus sold shall bear the Government " S " hammer mark and the contractor's property mark side by side.

(12) All produce removed by the contractor or his licensee may be stopped and examined by any Forest Officer, anywhere, and, if there is reason to believe that money is payable to Government in respect of any portion of it, may be detained until such money is paid, or until inquiry regarding it has been made. The contractor shall not be entitled to claim compensation for any loss occasioned by such detention.

(13) The contractor shall have the right to appeal to the Conservator of Forests in the event of the enforcement of any of the penalties specified in these conditions and the decision of the Conservator of Forests shall be final.

(14) Felling, conversion, collecting, and removal rights under this sale shall commence on January 1, 1939, or the date of signing the agreement whichever is later.

(15) The first consignment of not less than 600 broad gauge sleepers must be ready for delivery to the Railway not later than May 31, 1939. In the case of delay a penalty of Rs. 25 may be imposed for every month or part of a month, after May 31, 1939, and until the first consignment is ready for delivery at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests.

(16) Felling rights shall cease on September 30, 1939, while conversion, collection, and removal rights shall cease on December 31, 1939, in all cases except Kottapitiya Hegala, and Tantrimalai in which cases the felling rights shall cease on September 30, 1940, and conversion, collection, and removal rights shall cease on December 31, 1940. Applications for extensions of time will only be considered in exceptional circumstances and granted at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests, whose decision shall be final. Such extension shall be subject to payment by the contractor of 25 per cent. of the accepted premium for every period of extension of 3 months or less. The Conservator of Forests shall, however, have the power to waive this payment in full or in part, at his sole discretion, but this power will only be exercised in cases where the contractor has displayed commendable zeal and energy, or where his operations have been hindered by circumstances outside his control. Extension of time for felling purposes, however, will not be granted under any circumstances in respect of Irananadu, Akkiriyan, Fuvarasankulam, and Andankulam forests which are comprised within a working plan.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
P. O. Box 500,
Colombo, October 11, 1939.

V. COOMARASWAMY,
Conservator of Forests.

Copy of Railway Department's Specification for Sleepers.

(a) The broad gauge sleepers are for the 5 ft. 6 in. gauge lines and are to be 9 ft. long, 10 in. wide, and 5 in. deep, subject to a variation in length of 1 in. The narrow gauge sleepers are for the 2 ft. 6 in. gauge lines and are to be 5 ft. long 9 in. wide, and 4½ in. deep, subject to a similar variation in length.

(b) All sleepers shall be cut from well matured trees of the true species of timber. Sleepers must be sawn, and shall be of good sound timber free from heartshake, sapwood, except as provided in (c), dry rot and knot holes shall be cut square out of winding and straight.

(c) Allowance may be made for small surface sunshakes, end shakes up to 6 in. ; a few pin holes but not in groups, sound and firm knots up to 2 in. in diameter ; sap or wane must not exceed 2 in. on either face and not come under the rail seat.

(d) The sleepers shall not be cut on full quarter and shall be cut with an allowance of ½ in. in width and ¼ in. in thickness to allow for shrinkage and no further allowance on account of size, except as provided above for length, shall be made.

SCHEDULE.

Division.	Coupe and its Situation.	Reduced Royalty Rates.						Fire-wood per Cart-load.	Minimum Premium that will be considered for each Area.	Security Clause under Rs. c.		
		Sleepers.		Timber in the Log and Converted Timber, Per C. Ft.								
		B.G.	N.G.	Cl. I.	Cl. II.	Cl. III.	Cl. IV.					
North-West-ern	1. Kottapitiya Hegala Forest, about 17,280 acres in extent, situated in Attanagallawa village in Gangala Udasiya pattu, Matale East, Matale District. The distance of transport is 10 miles along Elahera-Tamankaduwa V. C. road and from there along P. W. D. road through Naula, 35 miles to Matale Railway Station by carts, elephants and lorries. Total distance 45 miles	65..	40..	1.00..	25..	10..	05..	25..	150	0..200	0	
	2. Attanakadawalamukalana, about 4,480 acres in extent, situated in Attanagallawa village in Gangala Udasiya pattu, Matale East, Matale District. Distance of transport is about 9 miles along Elahera-Tamankaduwa V. C. road to Elahera and from there along the P. W. D. road to Matale Railway Station 32 miles by carts, elephants and lorries. Total distance 41 miles	65..	40..	1.00..	25..	10..	05..	25..	100	0..	100	0

Division.	Coupe and its Situation.	Reduced Royalty Rates.						Fire-wood per Cart-load.	Minimum Premium that will be considered for each Area.	Security required under Clause 13.	Rs. c.	
		Sleepers.		Timber in the Log and Converted Timber. Per C. Ft.								
		B.G.	N.G.	Cl. I.	Cl. II.	Cl. III.	Cl. IV.					
North-West-ern— <i>contd.</i>	3. Wolituduwa-Kaluganga Forest, about 6,400 acres in extent, situated in Gangala Udasiya pattu. Matale East. Matale District. Distance of transport is about 8 miles through forest up to 12th milepost to Naula-Elahera road and from there along the P. W. D. road through Naula to the Matale Railway Station 30 miles by carts, elephants, and lorries. Total distance is 38 miles	65	40	1.00	25	10	05	25	150	0	200	0
	4. Unworked portion of 1936 sleeper coupe of Nela-we-Waragammuna Forest, about 800 acres in extent, situated in Ganthihe korale. Wannu hatpattu. Kurunegala District. Distance of transport is about 2-7 miles along forest tracks, village committee roads, D. R. C. and P. W. D. roads to Ambanpola Railway Station. The Crown forest is about 800 acres, the rest is composed of private lands and scrub jungle	1.00	50	1.00	25	10	05	25	50	0	100	0
Dry Zone	5. Venkalacheddikulam Forest, about 33,680 acres in extent, situated in Venkalacheddikulam village, Udayar's Division of Venkalacheddikulam, Yavuniya Division. Mullaitivu District. Distance of transport is 6 miles by P. W. D. road to Cheddikulam Railway Station	90	45	1.00	50	20	05	40	150	0	250	0
	6. Helambawewa about 31,000 acres in extent, situated in Ittikulama and several other villages of Willachchiya korale in Nuwaragam palata. Anuradhapura District. Distance of transport is from 11 to 20 miles along Arippu road and from 11 to 22 miles along jungle paths to Anuradhapura Railway Station	60	30	1.00	50	20	05	40	300	0	250	0
	7. Tantrimali about 64,000 acres in extent, situated in Nuwaragama and Willachchiya korales in Nuwaragam palata, Anuradhapura District. Distance of transport is from 20 to 32 miles along the Arippu road and from 20 to 36 miles along jungle tracks to Anuradhapura Railway Station	60	30	1.00	50	20	05	40	500	0	500	0
	8. Malwattu-oya about 42,000 acres in extent, situated in Puliyan-kulama and several other villages of Nuwaragam and Kanadara korales in Nuwaragam palata, Anuradhapura District. Distance of transport is from ½ to 15 miles to Railway line between Puliyankulam and Kanadara-oya	90	45	1.00	50	20	05	40	150	0	250	0
	9. Galenbindunuwewa (excluding Hinna Proposed Reserve) about 14,000 acres in extent, situated in Angumachchiya and several other villages of Kadawak korale of Nuwaragam palata, Anuradhapura District. Distance of transport is from 3½ to 13 miles along P. W. D. road to the Railway lineside at Madawachchi	90	45	1.00	50	20	05	40	100	0	250	0
	10. Dastota and Kotawella Forests about 13,500 acres in extent, situated in Dastota and Kotawella villages of Kotawella talana. Medapattu, Tamankaduwa palata, Anuradhapura District. The coupe is between Amban-ganga and Mahaweli-ganga. The delivery point is at Polonnaruwa Railway Station about 14 miles away from the furthest end of the coupe along cart tracks in forest. Rafting of timber up to Managantota along Mahaweli-ganga during certain periods is possible. Material brought to Mahagantota can be taken to Manampitiya Railway Station, a distance of 3 miles	80	40	1.00	50	20	05	40	600	0	250	0

Division.	Coupe and its Situation.	Reduced Royalty Rates.						Fire-wood per Cart-load.	Minimum Security that will be considered for each Area.		
		Sleepers.		Timber in the Log and Converted Timber, Per C. Ft.					Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
		B.G.	N.G.	Cl. I.	Cl. II.	Cl. III.	Cl. IV.				
Dry Zone —contd.	11. Bulagala, Ranawa, and Inamuluwa Forests, about 22,800 acres in extent, situated in Madatugama, Kitulhitiyawa, and Ranawa villages of Kiralawa korale talana 47 and 48, Kalagam palata, Anuradhapura District. Kandy-Anuradhapura road divides the coupe into two. The delivery point is Kekirawa Railway Station. Transport along main road is about 12 miles and minor road about 6 miles	—90..	—45..	1.00..	—50..	—20..	—05..	—40..	100	0.250	0
	12. Lahugala about 46,080 acres, situated in Panawa pattu, Batticaloa District. Distance of transport is about 67 miles to Batticaloa Railway Station by P. W. D. road or 42 miles by P. W. D. road and 26 miles by lagoon or 70 miles by sea to Batticaloa Bar and 2 miles by P. W. D. road to Railway Station	—60..	—30..	1.00..	—50..	—20..	—05..	—40..	200	0.250	0
	13. Nayano Kanda, about 45,440 acres situated in Kokumari and several other villages of Yatipalata korale in Wewagam pattu, Batticaloa District. Distance of transport is about 10 miles by forest cart track, 8 miles by cart road, 11 miles by D. R. C. road, 6 miles by P. W. D. road and 26 miles by lagoon to Batticaloa	—60..	—30..	1.00..	—50..	—20..	—05..	—40..	300	0.250	0
	<i>Reserves and Proposed Reserves.</i>										
	14. Tranamadu Reserve Coupe No. 4 about 4,285 acres in extent, situated in Vadakachchi, Kandawala, Pallai, Karachchi. Distance of transport is 7 miles along jungle track and 6 miles along metal road to Paranthan Railway Station	—75..	—40..	1.00..	—50..	—25..	—05..	—40..	250	0.250	0
	15. Akkiriyan Reserve Coupe 4, about 5,000 acres in extent, situated in Kunchukulam, Pooneyn, Jaffna. Distance of transport is 13 miles to Mandakalaar sea shore thence 20 miles by sea to Jaffna Customs	—75..	—40..	1.00..	—50..	—25..	—05..	—40..	250	0.250	0
	16. Puvarasankulam Reserve Coupe 4, about 2,195 acres in extent, situated in Puvarasankulam, Naducheddikulam, Vavuniya South, Vavuniya. Distance of transport is 5 miles to the Vavuniya Railway Station	—90..	—45..	1.00..	—50..	—25..	—05..	—40..	250	0.250	0
	17. Andankulam Reserve Coupe No. 3, about 7,809 acres in extent, situated in Andankulam, Karik-kaddumulai South, Mullaittivu. Distance of transport is 10 miles by cart track to Nay-arai lagoon thence by sea 72 miles to Point Pedro or 86 miles to Kankesanturai	—60..	—30..	1.00..	—35..	—25..	—10..	—40..	250	0.250	0
	18. Andankulam Reserve Coupe No. 4, about 7,810 acres. Other particulars are same as for the preceding coupe (item No. 17)	—60..	—30..	1.00..	—35..	—25..	—10..	—40..	250	0.250	0

N.B.—The Forest Department will not hold itself responsible for any damage caused to District Road Committee or private roads over which timber is transported from the above areas.

SEALED tenders will be received by the Agricultural Officer, North-Western Division, Wariyapola, up to noon on October 28, 1938, for the purchase of 13,000 coconuts from the Wariyapola Experiment Station.

2. Further particulars can be obtained from the Agricultural Officer, North-Western Division, Wariyapola.

3. The Director of Agriculture reserves to himself the right to accept or reject any of or all the tenders.

E RODRIGO,
Acting Director of Agriculture.

Department of Agriculture,
Peradeniya, October 11, 1938.

TENDERS are hereby invited for stitching and transport of bags of salt from collection centres of Maha and Koholankala Lewayas to the storage platforms between the said Lewayas (inclusive of loading and unloading) and weighing, stacking, and covering at the platforms at a minimum rate of 2,232 bags per day, during the calendar year 1939. The successful tenderer is required to have sufficient labour and vehicles for the transport of 2,232 bags daily.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, General Treasury (P. O. Box 500), Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the General Treasury (room No. 223, Second Floor,

Galle Face Secretariat) or be sent through the post under registered cover.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Stitching, &c., of Salt Bags during Collection, 1939", in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Tender Board not later than midday on November 1, 1938.

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

6. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers.

7. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within 10 days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the 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.

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

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 200 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in clause 5 of this notice.

10. No tender will be considered unless all the conditions above laid down in respect of it have been strictly fulfilled. The tenderer is required to quote only one rate for both Lewayas, for stitching, transporting to platforms and weighing, stacking, and covering thereon (inclusive of loading and unloading).

11. 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.

12. No contract may be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board. The Government reserves to itself the right to refuse to recognize a power of attorney issued by a contractor to any person authorizing him to carry on the contract on the contractor's behalf.

13. The Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota, 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.

14. 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.

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

16. The contractor is liable to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, No. 19 of 1934.

W. HOLMES,
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,
Hambantota, October 10, 1938.

unloading, weighing, stacking and covering salt collected from the Northern, Western and Southern sides of Palatupana Lewaya to the Storage Platform of the said Lewaya at a minimum rate of 2,232 bags, per day, during the calendar year, 1939. The successful tenderer is required to have sufficient labour and vehicles for the transport of 2,232 bags daily.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, General Treasury (P. O. Box 500), Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the General Treasury (room No. 223, Second Floor, Galle Face Secretariat), or be sent through the post under registered cover.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Stitching, &c., of Salt Bags during Collection, Palatupana, 1939," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Tender Board not later than midday on November 1, 1938.

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

6. All alterations and erasures in tenders must be initialled by the tenderers.

7. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within 10 days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the 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.

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

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 200 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in clause 5 of this notice.

10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. The tenderer is required to quote rate per bag for each of the 2 services.

11. 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.

12. No contract may be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board. The Government reserves to itself the right to refuse to recognize a power of attorney issued by a contractor to any person authorizing him to carry on the contract on the contractor's behalf.

13. The Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota, 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.

14. 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.

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

TENDERS are hereby invited for (a) stitching, transport, loading, unloading, weighing, stacking, covering salt collected from the Eastern side (i.e. the side facing the platform between the old and the new quarters of the Sub-Inspector, and (b) stitching, transport, loading and

16. The contractor is liable to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, No. 19 of 1934.

W. HOLMES,
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachecheri,
Hambantota, October 10, 1938.

18. The notice dated September 14, 1938, calling for tenders for the above service and appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 8,396 of September 23, 1938, is hereby cancelled.

C. J. DANE LANKREEE,
Assistant Government Agent.

Trincomalee, October 10, 1938.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of 30,000 cwt. salt from the Saltern at Nilaveli to the Trincomalee Railway Station during 1938.

2. The service includes transporting purchasers' empty bags from the Railway Station to the Nilaveli Saltern, weighing out salt into customers' bags, stitching bags, sealing them with lead seals supplied by the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, transporting to and unloading into trucks at the Trincomalee Railway Station.

3. The contractor shall begin work, whenever called upon to do so, on receiving from the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, three days' notice at his Trincomalee address, which address shall be considered sufficient for notices under the contract.

4. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, General Treasury (P. O. Box No. 500), Colombo.

5. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the General Treasury (room No. 223, second floor, Secretariat, Galle Face), or be sent through the post under registered cover.

6. Tenders should be marked "Tender for transporting salt from Nilaveli to Trincomalee Railway Station" in the left hand top corner of the envelope and should reach the Chairman, Tender Board, not later than mid-day on Tuesday, October 25, 1938.

7. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Trincomalee Kachecheri and no tender will be accepted unless it is on the recognized form.

8. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at any Kachecheri and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond or fail to furnish cash security of Rs. 1,500 within seven days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. The deposit of Rs. 50 will be refunded upon signature of the contract.

9. Notice of acceptance of tender will deem 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.

10. 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.

11. The tenders must state the rate per cwt. for carrying out all the services enumerated in paragraph 2.

12. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the fulfilment of the contract. Any other information can be ascertained at the Trincomalee Kachecheri.

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

14. 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.

15. The contract may not be assigned or sublet without the authority of the Tender Board. The Government reserves to itself the right to refuse to recognize a power of attorney issued by a contractor to any person authorizing him to carry on the contract on the contractor's behalf.

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

17. 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.

SALES OF UNCLAIMED AND UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned private property of long sentenced and deceased prisoners of Welikada Prison will be sold by public auction at Welikada Prison premises on Saturday, October 29, 1938, at 1 P.M. :—

59 sarongs, 21 cloths, 52 banians, 18 shirts, 10 belts, 8 coats, 32 handkerchiefs, 1 suspender, 1 pair of trousers, 1 torn tie, 1 pair of shorts, 1 torn hat, 1 cap, 1 pair of canvas shoes, 3 pairs of shirt links, 3 combs, 1 canvas purse, 7 coat buttons, 7 shirt studs, 3 broken amulets, 1 shop finger ring, 1 German silver waist chain, 1 safety razor, 2 lead beads, 1 silver ear-ring, 1 broken imitation fountain pen.

Welikada Prison,
Colombo, October 10, 1938.

G. V. F. WILLE,
Superintendent.

Sale of Unserviceable Articles.

THE following articles will be sold by public auction on Thursday, October 27, 1938, at 2.30 P.M. : at the Remand Prison, Colombo.

Twelve galvanized buckets, 1 weighing machine.

F. D. L. RATNAIKE,
Superintendent, Remand Prison.

Remand Prison,
Colombo, October 10, 1938.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

CEYLON NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 12 of 1938.

CEYLON NORTH AND NORTH-EAST COASTS.

Surveying Operations.

H. M. S. "Stork" will be carrying out surveying operations in Palk Strait during the months of November and December, 1938.

Areas affected :—

West Channel, Latitude 9° 49' N, Longitude 79° 50' E (approx.).

Approaches to Tondaimanar, Latitude 9° 50' N, Longitude 80° 08' E (approx.).

Pedro Channel, Latitude 9° 45' N, Longitude 80° 20' E (approx.).

Unlighted floating beacons will be laid and the ship and her boats will be running lines of soundings.

Mariners are warned to give them a wide berth.

Charts affected :—

No. 2197, Point Pedro to Delft.

No. 68A, Palk Strait, Northern Sheet.

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

Office of the Master Attendant,
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

13/10/38 Sale of Ferry Rents.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chairman, District Road Committee, Colombo, will receive tenders at the Colombo Kachecheri, at 11 A.M. on November 3, 1938, for the purchase of the ferry rents of Hanwella, Pugoda, Henemulla, Gorakapola, Diggala, Egoda Uyana, Siduwa, and Mutuwadiya from January 1 to December 31, 1939. All tenders must be on official forms. Tender forms, conditions of sale, &c., are obtainable at the District Road Committee Office, Colombo, during working hours.

A. VISWANATHAN,
District Road Committee's Office, for Chairman.
Colombo, October 6, 1938.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Colin Thome and Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Annual General Meeting will be held at its registered office No. 149, Magalle, Matara road, on October 29, 1938, at 11 A.M. :—

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts for the year ended June 30, 1938.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect Directors and fix the remuneration of the Directors.
4. To appoint an Auditor.
5. To transact any other business that may be properly brought before the Meeting.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from October 15 to 29, 1938, both days inclusive.

Any Shareholder unable to attend the Meeting may appoint a Shareholder to act as his proxy. A legal form (which must be deposited duly executed at the office of the Company by Friday, October 28, before 12 noon) can be obtained from the undersigned.

G. E. SYMS, A.M.I.C.E.,
Secretary.

The Hotel Suisse (Kandy), Limited.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Special. In the matter of The Hotel Suisse (Kandy), No. X 81. Limited.

And

In the matter of the Ceylon Joint Stock Companies Ordinance

NOTICE is hereby given that the order of the District Court of Kandy dated September 5, 1938, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named Company from Rs. 1,000,000 to Rs. 290,000 and the minute approved by the Court showing with respect to the capital of the Company as altered the particulars required by the above Ordinances were registered with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on October 6, 1938.

The said minute is in the words and figures following :—

"The capital of the Hotel Suisse (Kandy), Limited, was by virtue of a Special Resolution of the Company and with the sanction of an Order of the District Court of Kandy dated the 5th day of September, 1938, reduced from Rs. 1,000,000 divided into 25,000 7 per cent. cumulative preference shares of Rs. 10 each and 75,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 10 each (of which all the said preference shares and 55,000 of the said ordinary shares had been issued and were fully paid up) to Rs. 290,000 divided into 25,000 preference shares of Rs. 5 each and 55,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 3 each. In terms of a Scheme of Amalgamation Resolutions of the Company have been passed to the effect

- (a) that 20,000 of the ordinary shares of Rs. 10 each which had not been taken or agreed to be taken by any person should be cancelled
- (b) that each of the 55,000 ordinary shares of Rs. 3 each should be subdivided into six ordinary shares of 50 cents each and that three out of every six of such subdivided shares should be surrendered and every six of such surrendered shares and every six of the subdivided shares retained by the holders thereof should be consolidated into three shares of Re. 1 each and that the 82,500 shares of Re. 1 each resulting from the consolidation and subdivision of the said surrendered shares should be re-allotted credited as fully paid up to the holders of the preference shares of the Company subject to the rights and in the manner provided for in the said Scheme
- (c) that the 25,000 preference shares of Rs. 5 each would, as from the 1st April, 1938, become non-cumulative preference shares and would entitle the holders thereof to a non-cumulative preferential dividend of 7 per cent. per annum and would rank in a winding up as regards return of capital in priority to the ordinary shares but would not be entitled to any right of participation in the surplus assets of the Company. At the time of the registration of this minute the full sum of Rs. 5 each and Re. 1 each respectively had been and was to be deemed to have been paid up on each of the 25,000 preference shares of Rs. 5 each and 165,000 ordinary shares of Re. 1 which now constitute the capital of the Company."

JULIUS & CREASY,

Proctors for The Hotel Suisse (Kandy), Limited.
October 11, 1938.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

House Property bearing Municipal Assessment No. 6, now No. 10, Thomas lane, Kolonnawa, Colombo, in Extent 9.8 Perches.

Collin Colfred Jacobs of No. 404, Hill street, in Colombo Plaintiff.

D. C. Col. No. 8,739 (M) 2-50

Cyril Bertram Nugent of "Bertram Cottage, Old Kolonnawa road in Colombo Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above styled action, I will sell by public auction on Tuesday, November 8, 1938, at 2.30 P.M. at the spot, the under-mentioned property specially bound and executable under mortgage bonds Nos. 534 and 547 dated August 19, 1935, and March 7, 1936, respectively, and attested by A. C. M. Abdul Cader of Colombo, Notary Public, for the sum of Rs. 3,521.66 with interest on Rs. 2,750 at 12 per cent. per annum from July 18, 1938, to September 6, 1938, and thereafter on the aggregate amount at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full and costs of suit :—

The Schedule above referred to.

An allotment of land bearing assessment No. 6, situated along Thomas lane in Maradana Ward within the Municipality and in the District of Colombo, Western Province; and bounded on the north by premises bearing assessment No. 8, on the east by premises bearing assessment No. 4 belonging to G. A. Wijedasa, on the south by means of access, and on the west by Thomas lane; containing in extent 9.8 perches according to the survey plan No. 910, dated November 22, 1932, made by M. I. L. Marikar, Licensed Surveyor and Leveller, together with the right of way to pass and to re-pass over and along the road called Thomas lane, marked on the western side of the said plan No. 910.

For inspection of title deeds please apply to Mr. A. C. M. Abdul Cader, Proctor and Notary, 35, Ferry street, Hulftsdorp, Colombo.

For further particulars apply to me—

F. J. HILLS,
Auctioneer and Commissioner.
Tel. : 101,
24, Upper Chatham street, Fort, Colombo.

Auction Sale.

UNDER decree entered and by virtue of commission issued to me in case No. 7,134 of the District Court of Colombo, I shall sell for the recovery of the amount therein stated, on Friday, November 4, 1938, at 5 P.M. at the spot :— All that allotment of land with the buildings thereon known as "Green Lodge", formerly bearing assessment No. 11 now No. 53, situated at Jail road now known as Campbell place, in Colombo, containing in extent 15 perches as per survey dated August 6, 1905, made by H. G. Dias, Licensed Surveyor.

C. P. AMERASINGHE,
Commissioner.
167, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 5,171 In the matter of the insolvency of S. T. M. Insolvency. Sanydeen of Wellawatta.

UNDER instructions from the assignee and with leave of court in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on October 19, 1938, at 4 P.M. at my office, 21, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp:—Trade mark, book, and other debts of the insolvent. For particulars from—

A. P. KOETMEYER,
Auctioneer and Broker.
21, Belmont street, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, D. C., Colombo, Case No. 7,960 M.

Valuable Property at Baillie Street, Fort.

(1) Alice Frances Magwood and five others . . . Plaintiffs.

Vs.

Wavanna Meeyanna Kawanna Wappa Naina Marikar of Kotarawa Palli street, Kulasekerapatnam of Tinnavelly District, South India, administrator of the estate of Laila Beebee, deceased Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me for the recovery of the amount entered of record, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, November 7, 1938, at the spot at 4.30 P.M., the following premises :—

All that house with the outhouses and offices thereto belonging with the outer verandah and its grounds situated

at Baillie street in the Fort within the Municipality and District of Colombo, Western Province, bearing assessment No. 120/21 now bearing assessment Nos. 14 16, 16 1/1, 16 1/2, 16 1/3, 16 1/4, 16 1/5, 16 1/7, 16 1/8, 16 1/9, 16 1/10, 16 1/11, 16 1/12, 16 1/14, 16 1/16, 16 1/17 and 16 1/18; containing in extent 15 72/100 square perches. Further particulars from Messrs. D. L. & F. de Saram, Proctors and Notaries, Caffoor buildings, Fort, Colombo, or—

189, Hulftsdorp, Colombo. **AYRES KARUNARATNA,**
Auctioneer.

12 Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 8,261 M.

I shall sell by public auction on Friday, November 4, 1938, at the spot at 4 P.M. :—

All that divided portion of land marked lots 180 F1 and 180 F2 bearing assessment No. 27/1-8, situated at 67th lane, Wellawatta, now known as 67th lane, Havelock road, in Colombo, in extent 19.51 perches.

Further particulars from H. V. Ram Iswera, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo, or—

FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI, F.A.L.P.A.,
167, Hulftsdorp. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 8,774 M.

I shall sell by public auction on Tuesday, November 8, 1938, at the spot at 4 P.M. for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree :—

All that house and premises bearing assessment Nos. 55 and 57, situated at Norris Road, Colombo (just opposite the Fort Railway Station, and known as "McCallum Hotel"), in extent 2 28/100 perches, exclusive therefrom a portion in extent 138 square feet acquired by the Colombo Municipal Council.

Further particulars from K. T. Chithampalam, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo, or—

FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI, F.A.L.P.A.,
167, Hulftsdorp. Auctioneer and Broker.

26 Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

A Valuable Rubber Land at Yattowita.
In the District Court of Colombo.

Kitulgoda Gamage Don Adrian Abeyundera of Pannipitiya in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale Plaintiff.

No. 8,316 M. Vs.

H. M. D. W. Gunasekera of Semanabedda in the Gangaboda pattu of Siyane korale, executor of the estate of the late H. M. A. Gunasekera of Palugama in the Gangaboda pattu aforesaid . . . Defendant.

I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 5, 1938, at the respective spots commencing from 3 P.M. for the recovery of the amount stated in the decree, less a sum of Rs. 225 :—

1. All that land called Dewelpitiyaowita situated at Yattowita in the Gangaboda pattu of Siyane korale in the District of Colombo, in extent about 6 bushels of paddy sowing excluding the undivided extent of 2 1/2 bushels of paddy sowing on the northern side.

2. All that undivided (132/256) parts or shares from the remaining land called Pottewilakumbura at Yattowita aforesaid, in extent 10 bushels of paddy sowing.

Further particulars from A. S. Gunawardena, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo, or—

FRANCIS F. KRISHNAPILLAI, F.A.L.P.A.,
167, Hulftsdorp. Auctioneer and Broker.

25 Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree, D. C., No. 8,973 Money, Colombo.

Maria Clementina Driberg of Grassendale, Colpetty, Colombo Plaintiff.

Vs.

(1) Margaret Cepelia Marwana nee Perera and (2) Don Austin Marwana of 127, Driberg lane, Maradana, Colombo Defendants.

I shall offer for sale on Monday, November 7, 1938, at 5 P.M. at the spot at A that allotment of land marked lot B of the land called Velengahawatta, together with the

buildings, trees, and plantations standing thereon, situated in the village Wellampitiya in the Ambatalenpahala aforesaid presently bearing Kolonnawa U. D. C. assessment No. K 276; and bounded on the north and east by the property of G. S. and G. J. Perera, on the south by the property of H. P. Rodrigo, and on the west by cart road; containing in extent according to figure of survey No. 2 dated December 14, 1931, and made by L. E. Gunawardene, Licensed Surveyor. This property faces the Sub-post and Receiving Office Wellampitiya, Kolonnawa road, Colombo.

For deeds apply to Manik Rustomjee, Esq., Courts, or—

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

Phone : 733.

Auction Sale.

Several Blocks of Land fully planted with Coconut Trees in heavy bearing at Lunuwila, in the District of Chilaw, and another Land at Kelegedera, in the District of Kurunegala.

UNDER decree in case No. 8,819, D. C., Negombo, in respect of the sum of Rs. 17,000 with interest on Rs. 13,000 at 12 per cent. per annum from September 27, 1933, to November 28, 1935 (less interest paid from September 27 to November 27, 1933), and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount of principal and interest till payment in full (less Rs. 5,200) and Rs. 15 being balance costs (proctor's fees) payable by the defendant, Karunaratna Rajapakse Mudiyanseage Peter Appuhamy of Lunuwila, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction at the respective spots :—

On Monday, November 14, 1938, commencing at 2 P.M.

1. From and out of the undivided northern 1/2 share though erroneously described as southern 1/2 share of the allotment of land marked Y 51 situated at Lunuwila in Otara palata of Pipigal korale in the District of Chilaw, North-Western Province, containing in extent 8 acres and 37 perches, excluding therefrom the undivided portion separated by the road, in extent about 1 acre and 2 roods, the remaining portion of land, which is now separated and dividedly possessed and as such is in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 37 perches, with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, mortgaged as secondary mortgage.

2. All that land called Hurikelewatta, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent 9 acres and 5 perches, with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, comprised of the two portions described hereunder, under headings (a) and (b) :—

(a) All that lot E in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 27 perches of the land now called Hurikelewatta being the portion allotted to the above-named defendant for his 1/5 share of the land comprised of these portions—(X the portion dividedly possessed for and in lieu of the undivided 3/6 share of the land marked Y 51, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent 8 acres and 37 perches. Y all that land called Nugagahawatta, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent about 3 acres, and Z the portion separated and dividedly possessed for and in lieu of a portion, in extent about 1 acre from and out of the allotment of land marked A 52, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent 8 acres 1 rood and 9 perches) mortgaged as a primary mortgage.

(b) From and out of all that allotment of land, called A 52, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, containing in extent 8 acres 1 rood and 9 perches, excluding therefrom the portion in extent about 1 acre included in the portion described under heading (a), the portion separated and dividedly possessed for the remaining portion of land, mortgaged as secondary mortgage.

3. All that lot C of the land now called Deniyawatta, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said lot C is in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 10.40 perches, with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, being the portion allotted to the said defendant for his 1/5 share of the land called Kotakalagahawatta alias Deniyawatta, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent 11 acres and 2 roods, mortgaged as primary mortgage.

4. All that portion of land called Kurunduwatta, situate at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent about 10 acres with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, mortgaged as a secondary mortgage.

5. All that lot D of the land called Kahatagahawatta, alias Wewalangawatta, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said lot D is in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 25.20 perches with the buildings and plantations standing thereon being the portion allotted to the said defendant for his 1/5 share of the land marked C 52, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent 16 acres 2 roods and 35 perches, excluding an undivided portion in extent 1 acre along the northern boundary, mortgaged as a primary mortgage.

6. All that divided $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land marked P 51, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said $\frac{1}{2}$ share is in extent about 4 acres and $27\frac{1}{2}$ perches with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, mortgaged as a primary mortgage.

7. All that lot B of the land called Kongahawatta, situate at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said lot B is in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 11.40 perches with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, being the portion allotted to the said defendant for his $\frac{1}{5}$ share of the land comprised of the two portions described under headings (a) and (b), mortgaged as primary mortgage:—

(a) All that northern portion of the land-marked L 50, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent 2 acres 3 roods and 15 perches.

(b) All that land called Makullagahawatta marked J 50, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, in extent 3 acres 3 roods and 7 perches.

8. The undivided southern $\frac{3}{10}$ shares of the divided northern $\frac{1}{2}$ share of the land called Kahatagahawatta marked Z 50 in plan No. 79,425, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said northern $\frac{1}{2}$ share is in extent 4 acres and 30 perches, which said $\frac{3}{10}$ share is now dividedly possessed and as such it is in extent about 1 acre and 1 rood with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, mortgaged as secondary mortgage.

9. From and out of all that remaining portion of lot 1 of the land called Thimbrigahawatta, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said remaining portion is in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 12 perches, excluding the western portion, in extent 1 acre given to Jango Nonahamy and another, eastern portion in extent 12 perches reserved by Charles Appuhamy, the remaining portion of land with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, mortgaged as primary mortgage.

10. The undivided portion in extent 2 roods with the buildings and plantations standing thereon to the east of the undivided western portion, in extent 2 acres from and out of lot 1 of the land called Thimbrigahawatta, situate at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said lot 1 is in extent 6 acres and 30 perches, mortgaged as a primary mortgage.

11. All that western portion of the land called Thimbrigahawatta of 6 acres and 30 perches in extent, situated at Lunuwila aforesaid, which said western portion is in extent 2 acres with the tiled house and other buildings and plantations standing thereon, mortgaged as tertiary mortgage.

On Tuesday, November 8, 1938, at 4 P.M.

12. All that land called Kelegedera (comprised of five contiguous portions), situated at Kelegedera in Karandapattu korale of Katugampola hatpattu, in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province, containing in extent about 16 acres with the plantations standing thereon.

Further particulars from S. K. Wijeratnam, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Member, U. D. C., Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA & Co.,
Negombo, October 10, 1938. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Properties at Dagonna, Andiambalam Walpola, Kimbulapitiya, and Mellawagedara in Negombo District.

UNDER decree entered in case No. 9,224 of the District Court of Negombo, in favour of the plaintiff, Pena Reena Pena Reena Narayanan Chettiyar, against the defendant, Pattage Joking Fernando Jayawardane, Vidane Arachchi of Kimbulapitiya, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 3,750, with interest thereon at 24 per cent. per annum from August 24, 1932, till payment in full, less a sum of Rs. 1,030 and cost of suit, Rs. 245.29, we shall sell by public auction at the respective spots on Wednesday, October 26, 1938, the under-mentioned properties mortgaged as a primary mortgage by bond No. 2,541 dated December 18, 1930, attested by H. P. Silva, Notary Public, to wit:—

1. At 1 p.m.—All that land called Delgahawatta and Hedawakagahawatta formed of the several contiguous portions of lands fully and particularly described under headings (a), (b), and (c) hereunder, situated at Dagonna and Andiambalama Walpola in Dunagaha pattuwa and Dasiya pattuwa respectively of the Alutkuru korale, in the District of Negombo; containing in extent 9 acres 2 roods and 10 perches, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon and registered under E 276/223 and C 324/288 subject to the existing lease and is comprised as aforesaid of the following allotments, to wit:—

(a) All that land called Delgahawatta, situate at Dagonna aforesaid, containing in extent 6 acres 3 roods and 30 perches, and registered under E 143/24 and E 205/126.

(b) All that portion dividedly possessed for and on behalf of an undivided one-fourth share of all that portion of the land called Hedawakagahawatta, situated at Andiambalam Walpola aforesaid, containing in extent 2 acres and 23 perches, and registered under C 276/170.

(c) All that portion dividedly possessed for and on behalf of an undivided one-sixth share of all that land called Hedawakagahawatta, situated at Walpola alias, Andiambalam Walpola in Dasiya pattuwa aforesaid, containing in extent 20 acres, and registered under E 228/261.

3. At 1.15 p.m.—All that field called Iskapapuwela alias Urukanugahakumbura, situated at Kimbulapitiya in Dunagaha pattuwa aforesaid; containing in extent about 7 berrahs of paddy sowing ground or about 6 bushels of paddy sowing ground, and registered under E 130/133.

4. At 1.30 p.m.—The undivided one-fourth share of the field called Urukanugahakumbura, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; containing in extent about 5 berrahs of paddy sowing ground, and registered under E 184/43.

5. At 1.45 p.m.—All that land called Urukanugetakumbura, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; containing in extent 11 acres 3 roods and 10 perches of this undivided half share, and registered under E 276/225.

6. At 2 p.m.—An undivided one-fourth share of the field called Urukanugaha alias Urukanugahakumbura, situated at Kimbulapitiya aforesaid; containing in extent 3 acres 1 rood and 7 perches, and registered under E 276/226.

2. At 3.30 p.m.—All that allotment of land called Kokamalapitiya, situated at Mellawagedara in Dunagaha pattuwa aforesaid; containing in extent 5 acres 3 roods and 14 perches, and registered under E 276/224, together with the plantations and buildings standing thereon.

For further particulars, please apply to H. Paul Silva, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Negombo, or to—

K. L. PEREIRA & SON,
Negombo, October 1, 1938. Auctioneers.

Auction Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of commission issued to me in D. C. Avissawella Partition Action No. 2,468, I shall sell by public auction at the spot, on Saturday, December 3, 1938, at 3 p.m., the following land:—

All that allotment of land called and known as Kirimeti-ellewasa, situated at Minna, Ratnapura District, abutting Avissawella Ratnapura high road, and bounded on the north-east by Kumbura and Ela, south-east by live fence of Wadugawatta, south-west by high road and north-west by Ela, in extent 6 acres 2 roods and 10 perches, defined and depicted in plan No. 1098 of Mr. A. F. Binduhewa.

The land would be first put up for sale among the co-owners, at the appraised value, and should there be no bidders the sale would be open to the public.

For further particulars please apply to D. C. Wijesinghe, Esq., Proctor and Notary, Avissawella, or to me—

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

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

A Valuable Property in Peradeniya Road (Katukelle), Kandy.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Thambipillai Pararasingham of Kandy Plaintiff.
No. 49,000. Vs.

(1) John Martin Soysa of 853, Peradeniya road, Kandy
A. R. V. D. Wadaganathan Chettiyar of Kandy Defendants.

UNDER instructions received from the plaintiff and under authority from court I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 12, 1938, at 3.30 p.m. at the spot, the premises following, to wit:—

Undivided $\frac{5}{8}$ parts or shares of and in all that allotment of land of 1 acre 1 rood and $21\frac{73}{100}$ perches in extent, with the buildings and plantations thereon, presently bearing assessment No. 853, situate at Peradeniya road, Kandy, within the town and Municipality of Kandy, Central Province (save and except therefrom the eastern 32 perches marked lot B in plan dated April 23, 1930).

For further particulars please apply to Messrs. Coomaraswamy & Vijeyeratnam, Proctors, &c., Kandy, or to me—

Castle Stores, K. EDMUND PERERA,
115, Castle Hill street, Kandy. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

25 A Valuable Estate planted with Cocoa, Coconuts, Rubber, &c.

In the District Court of Kandy.

R. W. Cracklow of Ambatenna Plaintiff.
No. 49,020. Vs.

(1) Sanmugasundera, Nagalingam's daughter, Navamani of Malpana estate, Hurikaduwa, and (2) V. Manikram of Batticaloa and presently of Nawalapitiya and also present of Kaduganawa Defendants.

UNDER instructions received from the plaintiff and under authority from court, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 5, 1938, at 3 P.M. at the spot, the premises following, to wit:—

Undivided 71/72 parts or shares out of all that property called and known as Malpanewatta, situate partly at Ataragalla and partly at Kengalla in Udagampaha of Lower Dumbara, Kandy District, Central Province, with a like share of the buildings and plantations thereon; and containing in extent by survey 25 acres and 33 perches.

For further particulars please apply to M. Ameen, Esq., Proctor, &c., Kandy, or to me—

Castle Stores, K. EDMUND PERERA,
115, Castle Hill street, Kandy. Auctioneer and Broker.

Auction Sale.

12 UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, case No. M. B. 27 entered in favour of M. S. Seiyado Ossen of Rambukkana against Adam Lebbe's daughter Rahamath Umma and another of Nawangama shall sell by public auction at the spot at 2 P.M. on November 10, 1938.

Walauwawatta in extent 1 rood and 2 perches, situate at Illawatura in Sampola.

For further particulars apply to M. A. VanderWall, Esq., Proctor, Kandy.

'Phone: 181. C. F. D. JONKLAAS,
U. S. Library, Kandy. Auctioneer.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree.

27 BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the D. C., Galle, case No. 33,838, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 19, 1938, the following properties bound and executable for the recovery of Rs. 27,660, with interest and costs due to the plaintiff as entered in the decree:—

On Saturday, November 19, 1938, at the respective spots.

1. Commencing at 7.30 a.m. at the Spot at the Land No. 1 called Seenigama Kerewa, situated at Seenigama.—All the soil and trees of an allotment of land called Seenigama Kerewa, together with all the plantations, buildings, and everything else appertaining thereto standing thereon, situated at Seenigama in Wellaboda pattu of Galle District, Southern Province; and containing in extent exclusive of the Elabima-ela passing through the land 25 acres and 29 perches.

2. Commencing at 1 p.m. at the Spot at the Land No. 2 called Eluwilakele situated at Malawenna.—All that defined portion out of the lot No. 7,378 in preliminary plan No. 874 of the land called Eluwilakele, together with all the plantations and everything else appertaining thereto standing thereon, situated at Malawenna in Wellaboda pattu of Galle District aforesaid; and containing in extent 12 acres 2 roods and 8 perches.

Fort, Galle. H. D. S. RATNAIKE,
Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

15 UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Matara, case No. 11,794, against P. A. Ponnambalam of Dikwella, legal representative over the estate of the late R. Arunachalam of Dikwella for Rs. 1,980 with further interest and costs, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, November 12, 1938, at 3 P.M. at the spot (a) All that tiled Boutique together with the ground covered thereby standing on lot C of Wellawatta-Binkebella near the Market place of Dikwella in Wellaboda

pattu of Matara District, Southern Province; containing in extent 1:259 perches and (2) all that soil together with the upstairs building of Wellewattekebella, in extent 7½ yards by 14 yards, situate at Dikwella aforesaid.

Matara, October 10, 1938.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Commissioner.

APPLICATION FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES, &c.

16 I hereby give notice that I have on October 4, 1938, applied to the Government Agent, Jaffna, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1938, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930:—

Rs. 10-29 Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Nagalingam Subramaniam, Regd. Pharmacist, Royal Dispensary, Jaffna.

Description of licence applied for: Medicated Wines, retail.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Royal Dispensary, Hospital road, Jaffna.

N. SUBRAMANIAM.

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MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.**Sale of Goods.**

THE under-mentioned goods will be sold by public auction at 2 P.M. on Tuesday, November 1, 1938, at the Parcels Depot, Customs Section, Colombo:—

Goods Confiscated under the Customs Ordinance.—Registered packet 906/473, four fountain pens; Letter packets 3,503 and 3,504, two knives.

Abandoned Parcels.—U. K. C. O. D. 7/179 and 7/180, vegetable seeds; M. V. P. 55/12, cinascope, rubber stamp, printed books; M. A. V. P. 64/9, medicine and books; Melbourne 11/2 sample oats; M. A. V. P. 57/46, box camera; M. A. V. P. 103/40, medicine; M. A. V. P. 73/35, toy camera; U. K. C. O. D. 16/32, anti-habit treatment; U. K. 3c/58, shortbread; U. K. 16/34, cake; M. A. V. P. 130/9, medicine; M. V. P. 138/19, scent bottle; M. V. P. 146/11, rubber stamp, cinascope, soap, books; U. K. C. O. D. 32c/20, anti-habit treatment; M. A. V. P. 263/2, medicines.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, October 11, 1938.

W. D. GUNARATNA,
for Principal Collector.

Ku/Imbulana Sinhalese Mixed School (R. C.).

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Very Rev. Fr. D. T. de Silva, O.M.I., for grant in aid of the above school which is situated in the Dambadeni hatpattu, Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than November 14, 1938.

Education Office,
Colombo, October 14, 1938.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Debarring from sitting for Examinations and Cancelling of Registration as a Teacher.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the teacher, particulars of whom are given below, has been disqualified from the Vernacular Teachers' Certificate Examination held in April, 1938, for dishonesty at this examination and is further bebarred from sitting for any examination held or conducted by this Department for a period of two years commencing from July 29, 1938. His registration as a teacher has been cancelled with effect from July 29, 1938, for the same offence.

Name of Teacher: Agampodi Girigoris de Zoysa.

Registration No. 359v20.

Particulars of Certificate: Sinhalese Preliminary Certificate No. 1,695/1.1.1931.

School in which he was employed at the time the offence was committed: G/Randombe S. M. School.

Management: The Colombo Buddhist Theosophical Society, Ltd.

Education Office,
Colombo, October 8, 1938.

L. MCD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. S. Sabapathipillai has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below in place of Mr. B. K. Vijiya with effect from September 12, 1938.

School referred to: J/Chavakachcheri Sinnatamby Memorial Training School.

Education Office,
Colombo, October 5, 1938.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. S. F. H. Perera has been appointed Manager of the school mentioned below in place of Ven. K. S. Sri Sumangala Nayaka Thero.

School referred to: G/Ankokkawala S. M. Pri. School.

Education Office,
Colombo, October 5, 1938.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Ceylon Government Railway.*Sale of Found and Unclaimed Articles.*

A sale of Found and Unclaimed Articles will be held by public auction at the Maradana Railway Workshop premises at 1.30 P.M. on Monday, October 24, 1938.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, September 26, 1938.

W. G. HILLS,
Acting General Manager.

Ceylon Government Railway.

THE Railway level crossing at 52 miles 30 chains, between Rambukkana and Kadigamuwa, will be closed to vehicular traffic from midnight on Saturday, November 5, to 10 A.M. on Sunday, November 6, 1938, to enable repairs to be carried out.

Colombo, October 10, 1938.

W. G. HILLS,
Acting General Manager.

Ceylon Government Railway.

THE Railway level crossing at 3 miles 33 chains, between Cotta road and Narahenpita, will be closed to vehicular traffic from 11 P.M. on Saturday, November 12, to 6 A.M. on Sunday, November 13, 1938, to enable repairs to be carried out.

Colombo, October 11, 1938.

W. G. HILLS,
Acting General Manager.

B.C./L 485/402

The Co-operative Societies Ordinance, No. 16 of 1936.*Closure of Liquidation Proceedings of Co-operative Societies.*

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 44 (2) of Ordinance No. 16 of 1936, that the liquidation of the Kattuwa Co-operative Society was closed on September 27, 1938.

G. DE SOYZA,
Acting Registrar, Co-operative Societies.
Colombo, October 4, 1938.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 OF 1912."**Arrack Transport, Batticaloa, 1938-39.**

THE Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Kandy, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, October 25, 1938, for—

- (1) the transportation of casks of arrack (capacities of casks varying from 100 to 130 gallons each) from the Railway Goods Shed, Batticaloa, to the Arrack Warehouse, Batticaloa, and
- (2) for returning empty casks from the said Warehouse to the said Goods Shed from November 1, 1938, to September 30, 1939, both days inclusive.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable at the Office of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Kandy, on production of a receipt for Rs. 10 deposited at a Treasury or Kachcheri on account of tender forms for this service. All particulars on the subject can be obtained from him.

J. S. NICHOLAS,
Assistant Commissioner of Excise.

Office of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise,
Kandy, October 5, 1938.

SALE OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.**Tenders for Kalladi Ferry Rent, Eastern Province.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent of the Eastern Province will receive tenders at the Batticaloa Kachcheri up to 11 A.M. on Monday, October 31, 1938, for the purchase of the Kalladi Ferry Rent in Batticaloa District, for one year from January 1, 1939, to December 31, 1939.

2. The Government Agent, shall have power in his discretion to refuse to accept any tender, subject to which power the highest tenderer will become the purchaser, and shall conform to and perform all the conditions hereunder appearing.

3. All tenders must be made upon forms which will be supplied on application at the Batticaloa Kachcheri. Every tender must be placed in an envelope, sealed, and addressed to the Government Agent, Eastern Province. The words "Tender for Kalladi Ferry Rent" should be written on the envelope.

4. A cash deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Batticaloa Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before the form of tender is issued.

5. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit one-fifth of the purchase amount in cash as soon as he receives notification that his tender has been accepted by the Hon. the Financial Secretary and will be required to furnish approved security if in immovable property for one-half of the whole purchase or for one-third of the amount if in cash within 30 days of the receipt by him of the said notification.

6. The purchaser will also be required to deposit money to pay the fees of the Crown Proctor for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds tendered by him as security and for drawing the security bond and warrant of attorney to confess judgment. The expenses of appraising the property and of registering the security bond with the stamp fees as required under Ordinance No. 10 of 1919, should also be paid by the successful tenderer.

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

8. The purchaser must abide by the provisions of Ordinance No. 3 of 1896, and other conditions under which the ferry rent is sold. Copies of the conditions are available at the Batticaloa Kachcheri and will be supplied on application.

9. Further information can be obtained on application at the Batticaloa Kachcheri.

10. No contract shall be entered into with any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors, either individually or jointly with any other person, nor shall the contractor employ any person whose name is on the list of Crown defaulting contractors or any other person to whom the Government Agent, Eastern Province, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, objects after giving due notice of his objection in writing.

The Kachcheri,
Batticaloa, October 10, 1938.

M. PRASAD,
Government Agent.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

THE COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

General Meeting.

Wednesday, September 7, 1938, at 3 p.m.

The Council met this day at 3 P.M., pursuant to notice, dated August 31, 1938.

Present : Dr. V. R. Schokman, the Mayor presiding ; Dr. A. F. J. Casie Chitty ; Dr. E. A. Coorey ; Mr. J. R. Dharmasena ; Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando ; Dr. C. W. S. Fernando ; Dr. S. D. Fernando ; Mr. D. S. Fonseka ; Mr. A. E. Goonesinha, M.S.C. ; Mr. N. M. M. Ishak ; Dr. A. Ratnapala ; Mr. M. L. M. Reyal ; Dr. (Mrs.) M. H. Rutnam ; Dr. R. Saravanamuttu, M.B. ; Mr. S. Saravanamuttu ; Mr. M. Subbiah ; and Mr. J. Tyagaraja.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of August 3, 1938, having been previously printed and copies thereof having been sent to each Member of Council, were taken as read and confirmed.

2. Pursuant to notice, Dr. A. Ratnapala presented a petition signed by certain residents of Goulding lane, situated in Malay street, Slave Island, regarding the deplorable condition under which they are placed owing to the narrowness of this lane and its insanitary condition, and suggested that it be referred to the appropriate Committee.

3. Pursuant to notice, Dr. A. Ratnapala presented a petition on behalf of certain rate-payers who earn their living by conveying breakfast plates, &c., on bicycles regarding the hardship caused to them by the operation of Bicycle by-law No. 1, as published in the *Gazette* No. 8,273 of February, 1937. The Mayor explained that a State Council motion on the matter was recently withdrawn and that he understood that the matter would again be brought up by Dr. N. M. Perera.

4. Pursuant to notice, the Mayor moved :—That this Council records its regret at the death of Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader, who was a Member of this Council from November, 1907, till the date of his death on August 29, 1938, and desires to express its sympathy with his relatives in their bereavement.

(The Municipal Offices were closed at 2.30 P.M., on Tuesday, August 30, 1938, as a mark of respect to the deceased.)

The motion was put to the meeting and carried, all present standing.

5. Pursuant to notice, the Mayor moved :—That this Council records its regret at the death of Mr. M. J. Cary, who was a Member of this Council from September, 1920, to March, 1921, and desires to express its sympathy with his relatives in their bereavement.

(The Municipal Offices were closed at 3.30 P.M., on Tuesday, August 16, 1938, as a mark of respect to the deceased.)

The motion was put to the meeting and carried, all present standing.

5A. Mr. A. E. Goonesinha, on behalf of the Members, said that he wished to convey to the Mayor their sympathy in the loss he had sustained by the death of his daughter.

This was passed, all present standing.

6. Pursuant to notice, Mr. N. M. M. Ishak moved :—“ That a Special Committee of five members of this Council be nominated to investigate and report to Council through the Finance Committee on the salaries and conditions, &c., of the officers in the Municipal Clerical Service, inclusive of daily-paid clerks engaged in the clerical work (indoor) designated as Overseers or Sub-Overseers with a view to bettering their conditions of service and prospects ”. Mr. A. E. Goonesinha seconded.

Mr. J. Tyagaraja proposed that the motion be amended by the addition of the following words :—“ And also with a view to re-adjusting cadre of the Clerical Service and reducing it wherever possible so that the cost of implementing any revised scheme may not be appreciably more than at present ”. Mr. S. Saravanamuttu seconded the amendment.

Dr. R. Saravanamuttu suggested that they should keep out of the motion the question of daily-paid labour.

Dr. E. A. Coorey suggested that the last part of the motion should read as follows :—“ With a view to ascertaining the bettering or otherwise of their condition of service, &c ”. Mr. Ishak agreed to this suggestion.

Dr. A. Ratnapala moved that the Committee should report on the salaries of all Municipal employees excepting staff officers. Mr. D. S. Fonseka seconded.

At this stage, Dr. R. Saravanamuttu moved that the Council do go into Committee to consider this matter. Mr. A. E. Goonesinha seconded.—Carried.

Council in Committee.—

The Mayor suggested that the House should come to some agreement about the exact scope of the inquiries and after further discussion, the motion in the following amended form was adopted :—“ That a Special Committee of five Members of this Council be nominated to investigate and report to Council on the salaries, conditions and cadres of the subordinate staff of the Municipal service inclusive of the daily-paid staff with a view to ascertaining the desirability or otherwise of improving their conditions of service and prospects ”.

Council resumed.—

The Council then resumed and adopted the resolution passed by Council in Committee.

The following were thereupon appointed to serve on this Committee :—Messrs. Geo. R. de Silva, C. H. Z. Fernando, A. E. Goonesinha, Dr. A. Ratnapala, and Mr. N. M. M. Ishak.

7. Pursuant to notice, the Mayor moved :—That the Council do resolve itself into a Committee of the whole Council to consider the following extracts from the proceedings of the Committees annexed to the Agenda. Dr. R. Saravanamuttu seconded.—Carried.

Council in Committee.—

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of August 25, 1938, were considered.

MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

To consider the compulsory drainage of premises—(2) No. 1, 37th lane, Kollupitiya. *Note.*—Sanction of Council is necessary as the premises are over 100 feet but within 200 feet from public sewer. Registered No. C. D. 801.—Recommended that notice be served. (3) No. 12, 37th lane, Kollupitiya. *Note.*—Sanction of Council is necessary as the premises are over 100 feet but within 200 feet from sewer.—Recommended that notice be served. (4) No. 23, Station Avenue, Wellawatta. *Note.*—Council's sanction is necessary as the premises are over 100 feet but within 200 feet from sewer. Registered No. 1,287.—Recommended that notice be served.

(32) To consider a request of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for the purchase from Messrs. Walker, Sons & Co., Ltd., of 21,000 square feet of No. 9, B. R. C. fabric for the reinforcement of the concrete cart tracks on Galle road, Fredrica road—Nelson place section, at 13½ cents per square foot. *Note.*—Funds have been provided and the total cost will be Rs. 2,835. Registered No. 41.—Recommended.

(33) With reference to the resolution of Council of June 8, 1938, to consider :—(a) Fresh tenders received for the construction of drainage of premises Nos. 676, 676/1-2, 680, 684 and 684/1-11, Kollupitiya road. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) that the tender of Messrs. Samarakone Bros., of No. 1,022, Maradana road, Colombo, amounting to Rs. 4,700 be accepted. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 556.—Recommended.

(34) To consider a plan and detailed estimate for Rs. 5,000 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for the construction of a footway on the east side of Kanatta road. Funds are provided in the 1938 Budget under Estimate I. 79. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,234.—Recommended.

(35) To consider the recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) that the tender of Mr. M. H. N. Marikar of 162, Piachaud's lane, Maradana, amounting to Rs. 2,157 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 1-9, Borella place, Maradana South. Registered No. G. 2,643.—Recommended.

(36) To consider a plan and detailed estimate for Rs. 300 from the Municipal Engineer, (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for alterations to Dispensary at Rajamalwatta. Funds are provided in the 1938 Budget under Estimate I. 101. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,238.—Recommended.

(37) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated July 4, 1938, requesting (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) sanction of Council to cancel Votes I. 84/1934 and I. 80/1937 for sums of Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 2,350 respectively, in the circumstances explained by him. Registered No. 1,165.—Recommended.

(38) To consider :—(a) The proposal of the Municipal Engineer to extend the sewer in Elie lane in order to give drainage connection to premises No. 40, Elie lane. (b) A report of the Acting Municipal Treasurer suggesting that the work be done on an extraordinary vote and requesting Council's sanction for—(1) A supplementary provision of Rs. 3,300. (2) The detailed estimate and plan submitted by the Municipal Engineer. Registered No. 1,245.—Recommended.

(39) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated July 13, 1938, on the question of replacements necessary at pumping stations. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer stating that Council's sanction is necessary to draw the spares as per Municipal Engineer's schedule and charge the cost of Rs. 3,255.38 to the Depreciation Fund. Registered No. 1,282.—Recommended.

(40) To consider a detailed estimate for Rs. 5,500 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for the erection of a pig slaughter-house at Dematagoda. Note.—Sanction of Council is necessary. Provision has been made in the 1938 Budget under estimates I. 95—New Slaughter-house for Pigs. Registered No. 1,343.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Works Committee of August 17, 1938 (item No. 19) be approved.

(41) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated August 6, 1938, requesting sanction of Council to delete 37th lane, Wellawatta, from the list of pre-1915 roads approved by the Council on April 14, 1937, for the reasons given by him. Registered No. 1,362.—Recommended that the deletion of the lane in question from the list of pre-1915 roads be not approved.

(42) To consider an application from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for supplemental provision of Rs. 750 on his Estimate I. 8—Postage, for reasons given by him. Registered No. 1,347.—Recommended.

(43) To consider the recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) that the tender of Mr. I. L. M. Abdul Rahim of 36, Forbes road, Maradana, amounting to Rs. 1,800 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 66 and 66 (1-27) Modera street, Mutwal. Registered No. 1,350.—Recommended.

(45) To consider :—(a) The proposed construction of Kinross avenue. (b) Reports of the Municipal Engineer and the Acting Commissioner. Registered No. 1,247.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Works Committee of August 17, 1938 (item No. 15) be approved and that the owners of properties concerned be informed that if they are not prepared to accept these terms, the Council will not proceed with the scheme.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

The Council approved of the Municipal contribution, in this instance, being increased from 10 per cent. to 20 per cent. as a very exceptional case.

(46) With reference to the decision of the Housing and Town Improvement Committee of May 3, 1938, on the question of keeping up-to-date maps of the Wards of the City for reference by Members and for the information of the public, to consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated July 6, 1938, submitting for sanction of Council a detailed estimate for Rs. 200. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer stating that Council's sanction is necessary for—(1) Supplementary provision of Rs. 200. (2) The detailed estimate. Registered No. 1,300.—Recommended.

(47) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated July 22, 1938, forwarding a detailed estimate and a design for the proposed crematorium at Kanatta Cemetery for formal sanction of Council. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Note.—A sum of Rs. 40,000 has been provided in the 1938 Budget under Vote I. 141—Crematorium. Registered No. 1,328.—Recommended.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinha suggested that the design of the crematorium be submitted to the Buddhist and Hindu leaders for inspection before it is finally passed.

The matter was accordingly deferred to enable the Works Committee to get into touch with leading members of the Buddhist and Hindu communities.

(48) To consider an amended detailed estimate from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for the construction of side drains to 10 roads. Provision has been made in the 1938 Budget under Estimate I. 81. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 774.—Recommended.

SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

(49) To consider :—(a) The quotations received locally and through the London Agents for the supply of printing materials for 1938-1939. (b) The recommendation of the Secretary, Municipal Council. (c) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,250.—Recommended.

(50) To consider :—(a) An application from Benjamin Silva, Head Binder, Secretary's Department, for 1 month's leave preparatory to retirement. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,126.—Recommended.

(51) To consider a report of the Acting Commissioner, dated July 15, 1938, regarding the 5th vacancy in Division I. of the Clerical Service—Merit Promotion. Registered No. 897.—Recommended that the following names be submitted to the Council :—(1) Mr. Eric de Zilva, (2) Mr. W. F. Fonseka, (3) Mr. M. G. A. Perera—with the recommendation that Mr. Eric de Zilva be promoted to the 5th vacancy in Division I. of the Clerical Service.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Dr. E. A. Coorey proposed that Mr. W. F. Fonseka be appointed. Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando seconded.—Carried.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

(52) To consider :—(a) Memoranda of the Acting Municipal Veterinary Surgeon requesting Council to pay the fees claimed by the lawyers (Rs. 269.08) for successfully defending him and dog overseer Weerasekera in P. C., Colombo, No. 20,948. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,187.—Recommended.

(53) To consider an application from the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for supplementary provision of Rs. 250 on his Vote E. 9, Legal Expenses, for reasons given by him. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,256.—Recommended.

(54) To consider :—(a) A request of the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon for a telephone to serve the dog pound at Borella. (b) A report of the Acting Municipal Treasurer requesting Council's sanction for the installation of a new telephone at the dog pound, Borella, and to incur an annual expenditure of Rs. 230 on this account in the circumstances explained by him. Registered No. 1,290.—Recommended.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. S. Saravanamuttu objected to a telephone being provided for the dog pound at Borella.

Mr. C. H. Z. Fernando said that while agreeing with Mr. S. Saravanamuttu that there were too many telephones in the Municipal offices, this telephone asked for was, in his opinion, very necessary.

After some further discussion, the recommendation of the Finance Committee was adopted.

(55) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon, dated July 29, 1938, regarding post-mortem examination of dogs. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,355.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Sanitation Committee of August 15, 1938 (item No. 15) be approved.

WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

(56) To consider :—(a) An application from Mr. P. H. Wickremasinghe for water service to his new building in lane between De Kretser Place and 18th lane, Bambalapitiya. (b) A plan and an estimate for Rs. 1,361 from the Acting Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for laying a 4-in. diameter water main for a distance of 164 yards in terms of section 14A of Ordinance No. 18 of 1907. *Note.*—Mr. Wickremasinghe has consented to pay half the cost of the main. The Acting Waterworks Engineer recommends the laying of the main on payment of half the estimated cost of main. Registered No. 1,170.—Recommended.

(57) In connection with the Augmentation of the Colombo water supply, to consider :—(a) The question of the appointment of Consulting Engineers and the selection of the site for the dam. (b) Reports of the Acting Waterworks Engineer, the Acting Municipal Treasurer and the Acting Commissioner. Registered No. 830.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Works Committee of August 17, 1938 (item No. 23) be approved.

(58) To consider :—(a) An application from Mr. A. A. M. Thowfeek for water service to No. 173, Canal Bank road, Wellawatta. (b) A plan and an estimate for Rs. 583 from the Acting Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Municipal Treasurer) for laying a 3-in. diameter water main for a distance of 69 yards in terms of Ordinance No. 9 of 1916. *Note.*—Mr. Thowfeek has expressed his willingness to contribute the sum of Rs. 291.50, being the proportionate cost of main payable in respect of his property, which amount represents half the total estimated cost of the main. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,335.—Recommended.

(59) To consider :—(a) An application from Mr. T. B. Stewart, Waterworks Engineer, for an extension of 13 days full-pay leave. (b) A report of the Acting Municipal Treasurer stating that sanction of Council is necessary to commute the balance half-pay leave of 26 days into 13 days full-pay leave from November 30, 1938, to December 12, 1938. Registered No. 1,342.—Recommended.

(60) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Acting Waterworks Engineer, dated May 23, 1938, regarding the charge made for water used for petty trade purposes. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,333.—Recommended.

FIRE BRIGADE.

(61) To consider an application from the Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for supplemental provision of Rs. 125 on his Vote G 13 "Electric Lights and Appliances" for reasons given by him. Registered No. 1,364.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Works Committee of August 17, 1938, (item No. 27) be approved.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(63) To consider a memorandum of the Chief Medical Officer of Health (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) recommending that Mr. D. D. Liyanage, Sanitary Sub-Inspector of his Department, who in addition to his own duties attended to the duties of Mr. S. C. Forbes, Sanitary Inspector, from April 4, 1938, till June 30, 1938, be paid Rs. 50 per month as allowance in terms of section 25 (3) (b) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,182.—Recommended.

(64) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Chief Medical Officer of Health on the question of Bicycle Allowance to the Acting Ambulance Station Officer. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,296.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Sanitation Committee of August 15, 1938 (item No. 9) be accepted.

(65) To consider an application from the City Microbiologist (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for supplemental provision of Rs. 412 on Vote H. 41 for reasons given by him. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 313.—Recommended.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(67) To consider :—(a) A request from Mr. A. N. R. Gunasekera of Dehiwela, who booked the Municipal Hall for May 19, 1938, from 5 P.M. to 7 P.M. for the refund of the hiring charges paid by him. (b) A report of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,197.—Recommended.

(68) To consider the lists of irrecoverable items of revenue amounting to Rs. 481.33 submitted by the Acting Municipal Treasurer for sanction of Council to write off, viz. :—Laundry rents, Rs. 19.50; ambulance charges, Rs. 3; fees on encroachments on public streets, Rs. 9.50; Licence duty on motor vehicles, Rs. 220.83; rents on Municipal tenements at Kochchikade, Rs. 228.50; Total, Rs. 481.33. Registered No. 1,193.—Recommended.

(69) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated July 18, 1938, recommending that H. D. Edwin, Office Boy, in his department, who in addition to his own duties performed the work of Binder K. M. Perera, who was condemned by a medical board on June 18, 1938, be paid Rs. 5 per month as extra remuneration in terms of section 25 (3) (b) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,227.—Recommended.

(70) To consider an application from the Librarian (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for supplemental provision of Rs. 60 on his Vote M. 4—Uniforms, for reasons given by him. Registered No. 924.—Recommended.

(71) With reference to the decision of Council of June 3, 1938, fixing a scale of fees for coaling yards, depots, &c., to consider the amended draft notification forwarded by the Acting Commissioner of Local Government. Registered No. 1,174.—Recommended that the draft notification forwarded by the Acting Commissioner of Local Government with his letter of July 12, 1938, be approved.

(72) To consider :—(a) The following motion of Dr. (Mrs.) M. H. Rutnam, M.M.C., in Council on June 8, 1938 :— "That in view of the fact that certain anomalies exist in the scale of salaries of the Playground Instructors, the Finance Committee do investigate and report to Council a scheme for adjusting the same." (b) Reports of the Chief Medical Officer of Health and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 860.—Recommended that the initial salary of the post of Chief Playground Instructor be raised to Rs. 1,260 per annum on the scale.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that this be referred to the Special Committee on Salaries and Cadres of Subordinate staff.

(73) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated July 29, 1938, regarding an amended bill sent by the Department of Electrical Undertakings for installing an all-night Osira lamp at Turret road junction. Registered No. 1,315.—Recommended that the further sum of Rs. 37.78 claimed by the Director of Electrical Undertakings be paid.

(74) With reference to the decision of Council of July 6, 1938, regarding the installation of an Ammoniating Plant for the Chloramine process at the Labugama Waterworks, to consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated July 29, 1938, requesting Council's formal sanction to charge the cost to the Depreciation Fund.—*Note.*—The sum voted by the Council, viz., Rs. 13,500 is the estimated cost of the plant including its erection and the expenditure can be met from the Depreciation Fund and the supplementary provision sanctioned by the Council is not necessary. Registered No. 819.—Recommended.

(75) To consider :—(a) A petition from Mr. H. Andris de Silva of 22, Greenpath, Colpetty, requesting that the land at premises Nos. 10-32, Greenpath, which the Council has decided to sell, be leased to him. (b) Reports thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer and the Mayor. Registered No. 1,160.—Recommended that the petitioner be informed that there is no objection to the land being leased to him provided he puts up buildings thereon according to the specifications of the Municipal Engineer.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that the matter be deferred.

(76) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer dated August 8, 1938, recommending that Mr. A. Kandiah, Clerk, in Division I of his Department, who in addition to his own duties performed the work of Mr. S. Irasingham, who was on sick leave, be paid Rs. 55 per month as remuneration in terms of section 25 (3) (b) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,358.—Recommended.

(77) To consider :—(a) The quotations received locally and through the London Agents for the supply of enamelled number plates, badges, and dog tickets required for 1939. (b) The recommendation of the Acting Municipal Treasurer that the following quotations be accepted :—

For supply of number plates and badges.—The quotation of the Factory Engineer at Rs. 3,079·43. *For supply of dog tickets.*—The quotation of Messrs J. Hudson & Co. at £22 10s. f.o.b., London. *Note.*—The cost will be met from Advance Account. Purchase of Stores, and the sanctioned estimate debited when the materials are drawn for use. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 767.—Recommended.

(78) To consider the lists of irrecoverable items of revenue amounting to Rs. 229·43 submitted by the Acting Municipal Treasurer for sanction of Council to write off viz :—Licence duty on Motor vehicles Rs. 128·83, Water rate dues Rs. 57·20, Scaffolding fees Rs. 12·40, Survey and Application Fees—Aided House Drainage Rs. 31. Registered No. 1,382.—Recommended.

(79) With reference to the decision of Council of May 11, 1938, sanctioning a reduction in the rent of the Municipal Council boutiques at Kachcheri road, to consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated August 11, 1938, suggesting that the reduced rent should take effect from June 1, 1938, in the case of all the boutiques concerned. Registered No. 423.—Recommended.

(80) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated July 30, 1938, recommending the payment of extra remuneration to the following officers :—(1) E. D. Baby Singho, Peon, Municipal Engineer's Department, who performed the work of Office Boy Manis, in addition to his work, be paid Rs. 15 per month in terms of section 25 (3) (b) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws. (2) A. M. Abdul Jabbar, Office Boy, Municipal Engineer's Department, who performed the work of Office Boy K. E. William Singho, in addition to his own duties be paid Rs. 5 per month in terms of section 25 (3) (b) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,309.—Recommended.

(81) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer dated July 30, 1938, requesting Council's sanction to retain telephone extension No. 56 which was being used by the Accountant whose post was suppressed. Registered No. 1,310.—Recommended.

(82) To consider :—(a) The correspondence between the Controller of Labour and the Acting Municipal Treasurer on the question of the Municipal contribution in respect of the Buller's road swamp scheme and certain other unemployment measures. (b) Reports of the Municipal Engineer and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 984.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Works Committee of August 17, 1938, (item No. 16) be approved.

(83) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated August 15, 1938, suggesting that the Council should lay down the conditions governing the payment of Holiday pay for Wesak and Hadji Festival days and submitting a draft resolution for consideration and adoption by the Council. Registered No. 663.—Recommended that the following draft resolution be adopted :—

“Resolved that all daily-paid employees having a minimum service of two years be paid (a) one and a half day's pay to those who have to work or who would draw pay in any event and (b) one day's pay to those for whom no work is provided on Wesak day (one day only) and Hadji day, declared public holidays. Also resolved that work other than essential services be closed down on these days and that pay for these days be given as provided in (a) and (b) above.”

(84) To consider :—(a) The following motion of Mr. J. R. Dharmasena M. M. C., in Council on June 8, 1938,—“That in the opinion of this Council a separate Rate Collector should be appointed to each Ward and no Rate Collector should be allowed to collect the rates of more than one Ward. (b) A report of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 877.

Resolved to report that the question be considered when the next vacancy for a rate collector occurs in any ward.

(85) To consider :—(a) The following motion of Dr. A. Ratnapala, M. M. C., in Council on July 6, 1938 :—“That this Council is of opinion that such amendments as are necessary should be made in section 115 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910 in order to exempt from taxation Homes for Aged and similar Charitable Institutions which are purely maintained by public contributions.” (b) Reports thereon of the Municipal Assessor and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,180.

Dr. Ratnapala agrees to withdraw his motion if the Council would consider making a charitable grant to institutions of a charitable nature and make provision in the Budget.

(87) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated August 17, 1938, recommending that Mr. S. C. A. Mendis, Clerk in Division II, Waterworks Department, who in addition to his duties performed the work of Mr. S. Kasilingam, Clerk in Division II, be paid Rs. 31·66 per month as remuneration in terms of section 25 (iii.), (b) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,413.—Recommended.

Arrears of Rates.

(88) To consider a report of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated August 15, 1938, recommending that arrears of rates amounting to Rs. 194·24 be written off (30 cases, all on grounds of poverty.) Registered No. 1,399.—Recommended.

Applications for Advances.

(89) To consider :—(a) Applications from (1) N. J. Perera, Bicycle Orderly, Secretary's Department, for an advance of Rs. 110 to enable him to purchase a bicycle. Registered No. A 5,684. (2) Mr. R. J. Little, Municipal Veterinary Surgeon, for an advance of Rs. 3,000 to enable him to purchase a motor car. Registered No. A 5,962. (3) Mr. D. W. G. Ranasinghe, Assessing Inspector, Municipal Assessor's Department, for an advance of Rs. 386 to enable him to purchase a motor car. Registered No. A 5,990. (b) The recommendation of the Acting Municipal Treasurer that the advances be granted and that the amounts be repaid in 18 monthly instalments and that 5 per cent. per annum be charged as interest on the balances outstanding from time to time.—Recommended (1) to (3).

Leave.

(90) To recommend that, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 18 days over 42 days granted to Mr. G. K. W. Wijewardene, Apothecary, Public Health Department, be sanctioned. Registered No. 1,204.—Recommended.

(91) To recommend that, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 6 days over 42 days granted to Miss. L. Wambeck, Superintending Public Health Nurse, Public Health Department, be sanctioned. Registered No. 1,341.—Recommended.

(92) To recommend :—(a) That, under section 6 of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, the excess leave of 22 days over 42 days granted to Mr. S. Irasingham, Clerk in Division I of the Municipal Treasurer's Department, be sanctioned. (b) That, under section 10 (1) of the Municipal Council Leave By-laws, he may be granted 91 days accumulated vacation leave for the 2 years 1937 and 1938. (c) That, under section 10 (iii.) he may be granted excess leave of 19 days over 91 days to be appropriated out of the lapsed vacation leave of 29 days still available in respect of 1935 and 1936. Registered No. 1,414.—Recommended.

Pensions and Gratuities.

(93) To recommend, under Rules 2, 2A (1) and 15 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a reduced pension of Rs. 514·99 per annum with effect from September 27, 1938, and a gratuity of Rs. 1,716·65 to H. V. Fernando, Overseer, Municipal Engineer's Department. Registered No. 1,295.—Recommended.

(94) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 182·72 to Sangarapulle, B. T. 289 of the Waterworks Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 130 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 25·30. Registered No. 1,202.—Recommended.

(95) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 1,806.16 to M. J. Cooray, Overseer, B. T. 1936 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who retires on grounds of old age.

Note.—The gratuity is based on his service of 321 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 101.28. Registered No. 1,257.—Recommended.

(96) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 240.35 to Maravan, B. T. 5,218 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 171 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 25.30. Registered No. 1,268.—Recommended.

(97) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 224.52 to W. M. Mendis, B. T. 5,736 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 137 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 29.50. Registered No. 1,323.—Recommended.

(98) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 154.51 to Andy, B. T. 5,637, of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 124 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 22.43. Registered No. 1,322.—Recommended.

(99) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 1,460.37 to Stephen Perera, Conservancy Overseer, B. T. 1,891 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who retires on grounds of old age. The gratuity is based on his service of 402 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 65.39. Registered No. 1,389.—Recommended.

(100) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 327.56 to Supramaniam, B. T. 1,639 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who retires on grounds of old age. The gratuity is based on his service of 187 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 31.53. Registered No. 1,388.—Recommended.

(101) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 2,278.19 to R. E. J. T. Dias, Overseer, Municipal Engineer's Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 331 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 123.89. *Note.*—This labourer's service had been interrupted by breaks, but these can be condoned under second proviso to Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules. Registered No. 1,387.—Recommended.

(102) To recommend, under Rules 2, 2A (1) and 12 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a reduced pension of Rs. 532.50 per annum, with effect from July 23, 1938, and a gratuity of Rs. 1,775 to Mr. A. L. A. Pears, Overseer, Public Health Department. Registered No. 1,307.—Recommended.

(103) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 512.97 to Andy, Special Labourer, B. T. 269 of the Waterworks Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 295 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 31.30. *Note.*—This labourer's service had been interrupted by breaks, but these can be condoned under second proviso to Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules. Registered No. 1,349.—Recommended.

(104) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 161.68 to Valandy, B. T. 519 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 124 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 23.47. *Note.*—This labourer's service had been interrupted by breaks, but these can be condoned under second proviso to Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules. Registered No. 1,348.—Recommended.

(105) To recommend, under Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 202.40 to Weerapawan, B. T. 3,134 of the Municipal Engineer's Department, who was condemned by a medical board as unfit for further service. The gratuity is based on his service of 144 months and his average monthly pay of Rs. 25.30. *Note.*—This labourer's service had been interrupted by breaks, but these can be condoned under second proviso to Rule 21 of the Municipal Council Pension Rules. Registered No. 1,405.—Recommended.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of August 17, 1938, were considered.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider a memorandum of the acting Municipal Treasurer, dated July 15, 1938, recommending that the contract of Mr. M. A. D. S. Appuhamy of 39, Armour street, for the supply of Hora timber, &c., be cancelled and that the security deposit of Rs. 100 be forfeited to the Council in the circumstances explained by him. Registered No. 1,215.—Recommended.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that the matter be deferred.

(3) To re-consider a suggestion made by the acting Municipal Treasurer that the quantity of firewood allowed to be stored in sundry boutiques without a licence should be limited to two cwt. Registered No. 723.—Recommended that the suggestion of the acting Municipal Treasurer be not accepted.

(Note.—The Law Committee has recommended that the suggestion of the acting Municipal Treasurer be approved subject to the quantity allowed to be stored without a licence being limited to four cwt.)

MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

(4) To consider a request of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) for the purchase from Messrs. Walker, Sons & Co., Ltd., of 21,000 sq. ft. of No. 9 B. R. C. fabric for the reinforcement of the concrete cart tracks on Galle road, Frederica road—Nelson place section, at 13½ cents per sq. ft. *Note.*—Funds have been provided and the total cost will be Rs. 2,835. Registered No. 41.—Recommended.

(5) With reference to the resolution of Council of June 8, 1938, to consider:—(a) Fresh tenders received for the construction of drainage of premises Nos. 676, 676¹⁻², 680, 684 and 684¹⁻¹¹, Kollupitiya road. (b) The recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) that the tender of Messrs. Samarakone Bros., of No. 1022, Maradana road, Colombo, amounting to Rs. 4,700 be accepted. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 556.—Recommended.

(6) To consider a plan and detailed estimate for Rs. 5,000 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) for the construction of a footway on the east side of Kanatta road. Funds are provided in the 1938 Budget under Estimate I. 79. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,234.—Recommended.

(7) To consider the question whether the Council claims title to the Bo-tree facing premises No. 18, Layard's Broadway Registered No. 773.

Resolved to report that in the opinion of this Committee the Council does not claim any title to the Bo-tree in question.

(Note.—The Law Committee has recommended that the matter be placed before the Council for decision as to whether the Council claims title to the tree or not.)

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that the matter be deferred.

(8) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated July 4, 1938, requesting (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) sanction of Council to cancel votes I. 84/1934 and I. 80/1937 for sums of Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 2,350 respectively in the circumstances explained by him. Registered No. 1,165.—Recommended.

(9) To consider :—(a) The proposal of the Municipal Engineer to extend the sewer in Elie lane in order to give drainage connection to premises No. 40, Elie lane. (b) A report of the acting Municipal Treasurer suggesting that the work be done on an extraordinary vote and requesting Council's sanction for :—(1) A supplementary provision of Rs. 3,300. (2) The detailed estimate and plan submitted by the Municipal Engineer. Registered No. 1,245.—Recommended.

(10) To consider a plan and detailed estimate for Rs. 300 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) for alterations to dispensary at Rajamalwatta. Funds are provided in the 1938 Budget, under Estimate I-101. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,238.—Recommended.

(12) With reference to the decision of Council of July 6, 1938, to consider :—(a) A draft advertisement submitted by the Municipal Engineer for the post of Temporary Grade III Engineer. (b) A report of the acting Municipal Treasurer, dated July 21, 1938. Registered No. 1,269.—Recommended that the acting post be filled up from the permanent staff of the Council.

(13) To consider the recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) that the tender of Mr. M. H. N. Marikar of No. 162, Piachauds lane, Maradana, amounting to Rs. 2,157 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 1-9, Borella place, Maradana South. Registered No. G 2,643.—Recommended.

(15) To consider :—(a) The proposed construction of Kinross avenue. (b) Reports of the Municipal Engineer and the acting Commissioner. Registered No. 1,247.—Recommended that the recommendation of the acting Commissioner be approved. The Committee also resolved that applications for copies of proceedings of the Objection enquiry be refused.

(16) To consider :—(a) The correspondence between the Controller of Labour and the acting Municipal Treasurer on the question of the Municipal contribution in respect of the Buller's road Swamp scheme and certain other Unemployment measures. (b) Reports of the Municipal Engineer and the acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 984.—Recommended that the Municipal contribution in respect of Unemployment Relief measures be paid less the amount claimed by the Controller of Labour as an *ex-gratia* payment to the U. D. C., Kotte, towards the damage caused to the Kirillapone-Narahenpitiya Road.

(17) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated July 22, 1938, forwarding a detailed estimate and a design for the proposed Crematorium at Kanatte Cemetery for formal sanction of Council. (b) A report thereon of the acting Municipal Treasurer. *Note.*—A sum of Rs. 40,000 has been provided in the 1938 Budget under Vote I. 141—Crematorium. Registered No. 1,328.—Recommended.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that the matter be deferred.

(18) With reference to the decision of the Works Committee of June 22, 1938, to consider an amended detailed estimate from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) for the construction of side drains to 10 roads. Provision has been made in the 1938 Budget under Estimate I. 81. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 774.—Recommended.

(19) To consider a detailed estimate for Rs. 5,500 from the Municipal Engineer (supported by the acting Municipal Treasurer) for the erection of a Pig Slaughter House at Dematagoda. *Note.*—Sanction of Council is necessary. Provision has been made in the 1938 Budget under Estimate I. 95—New Slaughter-house for pigs. Registered No. 1,343.—Recommended that open tenders be called for on specifications to be submitted by the Municipal Engineer for consideration by this Committee.

(20) To consider a memorandum of the Municipal Engineer, dated August 6, 1938, requesting sanction of Council to delete 37th lane, Wellawatta, from the list of pre-1915 roads approved by the Council on April 14, 1937, for the reasons given by him. Registered No. 1,362.—Recommended. *Note.*—Finance Committee recommendation item No. 41 was adopted.

(21) To consider the recommendation of the Municipal Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) that the tender of Mr. I. L. M. Abdul Rahim of 36, Forbes road, Maradana, amounting to Rs. 1,800 be accepted for the aided drainage of premises Nos. 66 and 66 1-27, Modera street, Mutwal. Registered No. 1,350.—Recommended.

WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

(23) In connection with the augmentation of the Colombo Water Supply, to consider :—(a) The question of the appointment of consulting Engineers and the selection of the site for the dam. (b) Reports of the Acting Waterworks Engineer, the Acting Municipal Treasurer, and the Acting Commissioner. Registered No. 830.—Recommended that the matter be considered by a Committee of the whole Council.

(24) To consider :—(a) An application from Mr. P. H. Wickramasinghe for water service to his new building in lane between De Kretser place and 18th lane, Bambalapitiya. (b) A plan and an estimate for Rs. 1,361 from the Acting Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for laying a 4-in. diameter water main for a distance of 164 yards in terms of section 14A of Ordinance No. 18 of 1907. *Note.*—Mr. Wickramasinghe has consented to pay half the cost of the main. The Acting Waterworks Engineer recommends the laying of the main on payment of half the estimated cost of main. Registered No. 1,170.—Recommended.

(25) To consider :—(a) An application from Mr. A. A. M. Thowfeek for water service to No. 173, Canal Bank road, Wellawatta. (b) A plan and an estimate for Rs. 583 from the Acting Waterworks Engineer (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer) for laying a 3-in. diameter water main for a distance of 69 yards in terms of Ordinance No. 9 of 1916. *Note.*—Mr. Thowfeek has expressed his willingness to contribute the sum of Rs. 291.50, being the proportionate cost of main payable in respect of his property, which amount represents half the total estimated cost of the main. Sanction of Council is necessary. Registered No. 1,335.—Recommended.

(26) To consider the applications received for the post of Superintendent of Services, Waterworks Department. Registered No. 847.—Resolved that the following names be submitted to Council :—(1) Mr. J. C. Ranasinghe, (2) Mr. B. R. Silva, (3) Mr. E. A. Alexander, with the recommendation that Mr. J. C. Ranasinghe be appointed to the post. The Committee also decided to request Council for authority to call for and report on applications received for the post of Waterworks Inspector, which would be rendered vacant if the Council adopted the above recommendation.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that the recommendation be referred to the Finance Committee.

FIRE BRIGADE.

(27) To consider an application from the Chief Officer, Fire Brigade (supported by the Acting Municipal Treasurer), for supplemental provision of Rs. 125 on his Vote G-13 "Electric Lights and Appliances" for reasons given by him. Registered No. 1,364. The Committee, after considering an amended application for supplementary provision of Rs. 377 under Vote G 13, decided to recommend that supplementary provision of Rs. 377 be sanctioned.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of August 15, 1938, were considered.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider :—(a) An application from Mr. P. H. de Silva, Part-time Playground Instructor, for promotion as a full-time instructor in terms of the Council's resolution of December 4, 1935. (b) Reports thereon of the Chief Medical Officer of Health, the Acting Municipal Treasurer, the Acting Commissioner and the Mayor. *Note.*—The Mayor states that the question should be referred to the Council for definite decision whether another Full-time Playground Instructor should be appointed—in other words, whether the applicant has a claim for such appointment in terms of the 1935 resolution of Council. Registered No. 971. Resolved that in terms of the 1935 resolution of Council the remaining part-time playground instructor be promoted as a full-time instructor.

(3) To consider :—(a) The following motion of Mr. N. M. M. Ishak, M.M.C., in Council on June 8, 1938 :—“ That this Council recommends the opening of a Free Municipal Dispensary in the Maradana North Ward and directs that provision be made for same in the next Budget or even earlier and that it be established in Maligawatta ”. (b) Reports thereon of the Chief Medical Officer of Health and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 644.—Recommended that provision be included in the next Budget for the opening of a Free Municipal Dispensary in the Maradana North Ward on the understanding that a rented house be obtained for the purpose after inspection by the Ward Member and the Chief Medical Officer of Health.

(4) To consider :—(a) The following motion of Dr. C. W. S. Fernando, M.M.C. in Council on July 6, 1938,—“ That a free Municipal Dispensary be opened in the Kollupitiya Ward, preferably in the Polwatta area, and that provision be made for same in the Budget for next year ”. (b) A report of the Chief Medical Officer of Health. Registered No. 1,099.—Recommended that provision be included in the next Budget for the opening of a Free Municipal Dispensary in the Kollupitiya Ward on the understanding that a rented house be obtained for the purpose after inspection by the Ward Member and the Chief Medical Officer of Health.

(5) To consider :—(a) An application from Dr. (Miss L. G. P. d'Alwis Paranavitane for an enhanced travelling allowance. (b) Reports thereon of the Chief Medical Officer of Health and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,156.—Recommended that Dr. (Miss L. G. P. d' Alwis Paranavitane be paid a travelling allowance of Rs. 960 per annum.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that the matter be deferred.

(6) To consider :—(a) The following motion of Dr. (Mrs) M. H. Rutnam, M.M.C., in Council on July 6, 1938,—“ In view of the fact that Milk Bars are being established indiscriminately throughout the City, it is desirable that all such be licensed and that the Medical Officer of Health be asked to frame suitable regulations for the control of the same ”. (b) A report thereon of the Chief Medical Officer of Health. Registered No. 1,100.—Recommended that the principle of licensing Milk Bars be accepted and that the Chief Medical Officer of Health be asked to frame suitable regulations for consideration at the next meeting.

(7) With reference to the decision of Council of July 6, 1938, to consider the draft amendment proposed to by-law 4 of the Zoning By-laws. Registered No. 206.—Recommended that the proposed draft amendment be approved.

(9) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Chief Medical Officer of Health on the question of bicycle allowance to the Acting Ambulance Station Officer. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,296.—Recommended that the Acting Ambulance Station Officer be permitted to draw a bicycle allowance of Rs.10 per mensem.

(10) To consider :—(a) A letter from the Ministry of Local Administration dated July 16, 1938, in regard to the amendment of section 190 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910—Provision of facilities for bathing. (b) A report thereon of the Chief Medical Officer of Health. Registered No. 1,223.—Recommended that the draft reply suggested by the Chief Medical Officer of Health be approved.

(11A) With reference to the decision of Council of August 3, 1938, in regard to the construction of a Dispensary in Temple lane, to consider a letter from Mr. A. S. F. Wijeyagoonaratne, the donor dated August 9, 1938. Registered No. 955.—Recommended that the offer be accepted with thanks.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

(14) To consider :—(a) The question of authorizing the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon to keep dogs for experimental purposes at the Rabies Laboratory. (b) Reports of the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,302.—Recommended.

(15) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon dated July 29, 1938, regarding *post-mortem* examination of dogs. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,355.—Recommended that the fees suggested by the Municipal Veterinary Surgeon in his memorandum of July 29, 1938, be approved.

MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

(16) To consider :—(a) A memorandum of the Municipal Engineer dated July 22, 1938, forwarding a detailed estimate and a design for the proposed Crematorium at Kanatte Cemetery for formal sanction of Council. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. *Note.*—A sum of Rs. 40,000 has been provided in the 1938 Budget under Vote I. 141—Crematorium. Registered No. 1,328.—Recommended.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that the matter be deferred.

To consider the compulsory drainage of premises—(18) No. 1, 37th lane, Kollupitiya. *Note.*—Sanction of Council is necessary as the premises are over 100 feet but within 200 feet from public sewer. Registered No. C. D. 801.—Recommended that notice be served. (19) No. 12, 37th lane, Kollupitiya. *Note.*—Sanction of Council is necessary as the premises are over 100 feet but within 200 feet from sewer. Registered No. C. D. 802.—Recommended that notice be served. (20) No. 23, Station Avenue, Wellawatta. Registered No. C. D. 1,287. *Note.*—Council's sanction is necessary as the premises are over 100 feet but within 200 feet from sewer. Registered No. 1,287.—Recommended that notice be served.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of July 15, 1938, were considered.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(2) To re-consider a suggestion made by the Acting Municipal Treasurer that the quantity of firewood allowed to be stored in sundry boutiques without a licence should be limited to two cwts. Registered No. 723.—Recommended that the suggestion made by the Acting Municipal Treasurer be approved, subject to the quantity allowed to be stored without a licence being limited to 4 cwts. *Note.*—Works Committee recommendation item No. 3 was adopted.

(3) To consider :—(a) The question of declaring French polish as a dangerous trade. (b) Reports of the Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, the Municipal Engineer and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 920.—Recommended that French polish be declared a dangerous trade.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Mr. A. E. Goonesinha proposed that the recommendation be not accepted. Dr. R. Saravanamuttu seconded.—Carried.

General.

(18.) To consider the question whether the Council claims title to the Bo-tree facing premises No. 18, Layard's Broadway. Registered No. 773.—Recommended that the matter be placed before the Council for decision as to whether the Council claims title to the tree or not.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of August 19, 1938, were considered.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(2) To consider :—(a) A letter from the Chairman, Port Commission, on the question of the construction of tanks for the storage of coconut oil in bulk on the one side or other of the lake to harbour canal between Norris road and nearby Customs premises. (b) Reports thereon of the Chief Medical Officer of Health and the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 757.—Recommended that the Chairman, Colombo Port Commission, be informed that the Council has no objection to the proposal.

(3) To consider :—(a) A request from Mr. A. S. Evarts of the Police Bungalow, Ratnapura, for the transfer of Grave Plot No. 180, Kanatta Cemetery, at present owned by his father, in his name. (b) A report thereon of the Chief Medical Officer of Health. Registered No. 1,345.—Recommended that Mr. A. S. Evarts be informed that it is not possible to accede to his request.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

(5) To consider :—(a) A letter from the Legal Draftsman, dated June 21, 1938, in regard to the amendment of Schedule D to Ordinance No. 6 of 1910. (b) A report thereon of the Acting Municipal Treasurer. Registered No. 1,048.—Recommended that the definition of the words " trade purposes " suggested by the Legal Draftsman be accepted and that this definition be applied to hand carts as well.

(6) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated August 1, 1938, regarding the notice of non-tenancy in respect of premises No. 36, Nelson place, received in his Department on April 1, 1938. Registered No. 01,941.—Recommended that the notice of non-tenancy should take effect from July 12, 1938, the date on which the Council was aware of the address of the person giving the notice.

(7) To consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated August 2, 1938, requesting the advice of this Committee in connection with the distribution of the gratuity payable to the legal heirs of the late A. Alles, Fitter, Waterworks Department. Registered No. 243.—Recommended that the gratuity be paid in the proportion of half to the widow and $\frac{1}{4}$ to each of the four children.

(8) With reference to the decision of this Committee of July 15, 1938, to consider a memorandum of the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated August 3, 1938, requesting a definite ruling from the Council on the question of legal expenses. Registered No. 903.—Recommended that the resolution suggested by the Acting Municipal Treasurer in his memorandum of August 3, 1938, be accepted subject to the omission from the resolution of items 9 and 4.

MUNICIPAL ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

(10) With reference to the decision of this Committee of May 21, 1938, on the proposal to convert the Tramway to Trolley Car or Trolley Bus Service, to consider the reports of the Municipal Engineer and the Acting Municipal Treasurer, dated June 20, 1938, and August 4, 1938, respectively. Registered No. 1,846.—This Committee is of opinion that the legal implications of the question should be considered after the Council decides the principle whether the tramway should be converted to a Trolley Car or Trolley Bus Service.

WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.

(13) To re-consider the question whether a connection for a public standpipe could be taken by the Council off a main laid along a pre-1915 street at the expense of private parties under section 14A (1) of Ordinance 18 of 1907 before the Council takes over the street formally for maintenance as a public street. Registered No. 983.—This Committee is of opinion that a connection could be taken in the circumstances mentioned.

General.

(15) With reference to the By-laws regulating procedure in regard to Committee meetings, &c., adopted by the Council on April 6, 1938, to consider :—(a) A fresh draft of the proposed by-laws forwarded by the Acting Commissioner of Local Government. (b) A letter from the Acting Commissioner of Local Government, dated June 10, 1938, stating that the Executive Committee of Local Administration felt unable to approve the amendment suggested by the Council to section 16 (d) of Ordinance 60 of 1935. Registered No. 994.—Recommended that the fresh draft of the proposed by-laws forwarded by the Acting Commissioner of Local Government with his letter of June 20, 1938, be approved.

The following Extract from the Minutes of the Special Committee regarding Housing and Town Improvement of July 22, 1938, was considered.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(20) With reference to the resolution of this Committee of April 1, 1938, to consider the recommendation of the Law Committee of June 17, 1938, that the following trades be declared offensive and dangerous :—(1) Manufacture of tiles, concrete pipes and other concrete works. (2) Yard or depot for storing bricks, cabooks and tiles. (3) Cinnamon and/or cardamon curing store and yard. (4) Lime store. (5) Bombay onion and potato store (storing over 5 cwt.). (6) Coconut shell charcoal store. Registered No. 1,792.—Recommended that the recommendation of the Law Committee of June 17, 1938, be adopted.

Resolution of Council in Committee.

Resolved that this be referred back to the Housing and Town Improvement Committee and that Mr. M. L. M. Royal be invited to be present at the meeting.

The following Extracts from the Minutes of the Traffic Advisory Special Committee of August 22, 1938, were considered.

(3) With reference to the resolution of Council of April 6, 1938, regarding the prohibition of the use of motor lorries in 4th Cross street, to consider :—(a) Letter No. B 1605 of June 8, 1938, from the Acting Commissioner of Local Government inquiring if the Council would agree to enforce the prohibition only from 9 A.M. to 11 A.M. (b) Letter from the Superintendent of Police, Colombo, dated July 9, 1938. Registered No. 933.—Recommended that the Acting Commissioner of Local Government be informed that the question of hardship to outstation lorry owners had been carefully considered by the Council, which is of opinion that a partial enforcement of the prohibition serves no useful purpose, specially in view of the regulations regarding Main street traffic. The Council is therefore unable to agree to enforce prohibition from 9 A.M. to 11 A.M., only.

(4) With reference to the resolution of this Committee of June 15, 1938, on the question of regulating and controlling pedestrian traffic in Colombo, to consider a letter dated July 9, 1938, from the Superintendent of Police, Colombo. Registered No. 1,159.—Recommended that the principle of pedestrian crossings be accepted and that the Municipal Engineer be asked to submit a scheme for consideration at the next meeting.

The following Extract from the Minutes of the Special Committee regarding the Public Library of August 20, 1938, was considered.

(2) To consider the following lists of books recommended by the appropriate Sub-Committees for addition to the Library :—(1) Philosophy and Religion ; (2) Natural Science ; (3) Fine Arts ; (4) Literature ; (5) History ; (6) Sports and Pastimes.—Recommended that the lists be approved.

8. The Mayor moved in Committee :—That the Council do resume. Mr. A. E. Goonesinha seconded.—Carried.

9. The Mayor formally moved in Council that the resolutions of Council in Committee, and the recommendations of the various Committees, subject to any amendments of such recommendations by the Council in Committee, be adopted. Dr. R. Saravanamuttu seconded. Carried.

10. To elect a Member in place of the late Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader for the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects.

Resolved that this be deferred until the election of a member in place of the late Mr. Abdul Cader.

11. To appoint a Member in place of the late Mr. N. H. M. Abdul Cader for the following Special Committees :—(1) Housing and Town Improvement. (2) Alterations and Amendments to Housing Ordinance. Dr. E. A. Coorey proposed and Mr. A. E. Goonesinha seconded that Mr. N. M. M. Ishak be appointed to (1) and (2). Carried.

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

- (1) Statements of receipts and disbursements from January 1, to July 31, 1938, and progress reports showing expenditure for July, 1938.
- (2) Weekly statements of Plague.
- (3) Attendance Return of Committees of the Municipal Council for 1938.
- (4) C. L. I. Band Programme for September, 1938.
- (5) Return of average daily supply and consumption of water for July, 1938.
- (6) The Municipal Engineer's Report for August, 1938, on the condition of Tramway routes.
- (7) The Municipal Engineer's Report on House Drainage, No. 327 for June, 1938.
- (8) The Municipal Engineer's and the City Analyst's Reports on the Calorific Value, Pressure, and the Purity of the Gas supplied by the Colombo Gas and Water Co., Ltd., during August, 1938.
- (9) Diaries of the following officers for the month of August, 1938, with a statement of out-door work done :—

Municipal Engineer's Department.—The Municipal Engineer; the Chief Assistant Municipal Engineer; the Mechanical Engineer; the Works Engineer; the Engineer, Buildings; the Drainage Engineer; the Engineer, Sanitation; the Engineer, Roads; the Engineer, Pumping Stations; the Engineer, House Drainage; the Assistant Engineer; and the Maintenance Inspectors (two). Two Maintenance Inspectors are on leave.

Waterworks Department.—The Acting Waterworks Engineer, and the 1st Assistant Waterworks Engineer. The Waterworks Engineer is on leave.

Public Health Department.—The Chief Medical Officer of Health, the Deputy Chief Medical Officer of Health, the Medical Officer of Health (Colombo South), the Medical Officer of Health (Colombo North), the Medical Officer of Health (Epidemiology and Vital Statistics), the Medical Officer-in-charge of Maternity and Child-Welfare, the Assistant Medical Officer-in-charge of Maternity and Child-Welfare, the City Microbiologist, and the Assistant City Microbiologist. The Chief Playground Instructor's diary was not available.

Veterinary Department.—The Municipal Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Inspectors (three) and Stock Inspectors (three).

Municipal Treasurer's Department.—The Assistant Municipal Treasurer and Revenue Inspectors (thirteen). The Municipal Treasurer's diary was not available.

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

The Charity Commissioner's Department.—The Charity Commissioner is on leave.

- (10) Monthly Reports of work done by the following officers :—

(a) For the month of July, 1938.—The City Analyst and the City Microbiologist.

V. R. SCHOKMAN,
Mayor of Colombo.

Confirmed on October 5, 1938.

V. R. SCHOKMAN,
Mayor of Colombo.

Summary of Income and Expenditure from January 1 to August 31, 1938.

HEAD OF INCOME.	Estimated Income for 1938.		Income from January 1 to July 31, 1938.		Income for August, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Taxes ..	63,375	0	58,721	25	384	50	59,105	75
B.—Licences ..	564,795	0	525,768	65	11,189	53	536,957	18
C.—Judicial fines ..	85,000	0	56,679	72	9,123	26	65,802	98
D.—Markets ..	167,800	0	95,290	31	13,574	61	108,864	92
E.—Slaughter-house and cattle markets ..	79,600	0	53,667	85	7,815	40	61,483	25
F.—Consolidated rate ..	3,900,000	0	2,685,471	23	208,080	82	2,893,552	5
G.—Water ..	758,200	0	469,417	55	107,512	51	576,930	6
H.—Rents ..	148,850	0	85,067	82	13,664	74	98,732	56
I.—Drainage ..	23,550	0	21,951	14	3,508	68	25,459	82
K.—Miscellaneous ..	134,666	0	88,035	77	10,724	28	98,760	5
L.—Government refunds ..	119,000	0	130,685	42	11,208	78	141,894	20
Total	6,044,836	0	4,270,756	71	396,786	11	4,667,542	82

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1938, including supplemental provision and unspent balances brought forward.		Expenditure from January 1 to July 31, 1938.		Expenditure for August, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—Grants to Charitable and other Institutions ..	82,930	0	27,381	42	3,120	50	30,501	92
B.—Commissioner ..	27,600	0	13,122	56	1,649	98	14,772	54
C.—Secretariat ..	101,430	0	56,548	0	7,339	85	63,887	85
D.—Treasurer's Department ..	1,653,692	6	1,047,480	23	37,991	9	1,085,471	32
E.—Veterinary Department ..	121,944	0	61,405	67	8,938	4	70,343	71
F.—Municipal Court ..	37,535	0	21,683	72	3,058	32	24,742	4
G.—Fire Brigade and Ambulances ..	80,872	0	44,568	3	6,196	21	50,764	24
H.—Public Health Department ..	719,643	0	395,715	74	53,559	87	449,275	61
I.—Engineer's Department ..	4,040,812	88	1,523,432	47	226,425	45	1,749,857	92
K.—Waterworks Department ..	567,161	14	233,429	37	50,194	38	283,623	75
L.—Assessing Department ..	190,087	39	78,784	76	11,109	33	89,894	9
M.—Public Library ..	29,449	0	14,183	83	3,811	96	17,995	79
N.—Charity Commissioner's Department ..	72,340	0	39,489	62	5,953	35	45,442	97
Excess of income over expenditure carried to Balance Sheet ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,976,573	75
Total	7,725,496	47	3,557,225	42	419,348	33	4,667,542	82

The Town Hall,
Colombo, September 22, 1938.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS, F.I.M.T.A., A.S.A.A.,
Municipal Treasurer.

Statement of Receipts and Payments on Current Capital Works, August 31, 1938.

HEAD OF RECEIPT.	Receipts to December 31, 1937.		Receipts to August 31, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Colombo Drainage Works :—						
Loan funds ..	11,072,980	0	—	—	11,072,980	0
Grant-in-aid ..	7,100,000	0	—	—	7,100,000	0
Revenue contributions ..	3,245,124	24	153,632	95	3,398,757	19
Total ..	21,418,104	24	153,632	95	21,571,737	19

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1937.		Payments to August 31, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Colombo Drainage works :—								
Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme ..	—	—	17,830,564	12	—	—	17,830,564	12
Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922 ..	—	—	2,762,004	28	146,054	28	2,908,058	56
Public lavatories ..	—	—	825,535	84	7,578	67	833,114	51
Total ..	—	—	21,418,104	24	153,632	95	21,571,737	19

Kochchikade Housing Scheme.

HEAD OF RECEIPT.	Receipts to December 31, 1937.		Receipts to August 31, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Contribution from Municipal Fund ..	805,628	22	100,000	0	905,628	22
Grant-in-aid ..	150,000	0	—	—	150,000	0
					1,055,628	22
Balance being advance from cash balances ..	—	—	—	—	569,900	40
Total ..	955,628	22	100,000	0	1,625,528	62

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1937.		Payments to August 31, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Architect's fee ..	1,500	0	1,500	0	—	—	1,500	0
Land ..	776,653	22	737,583	10	—	—	737,583	10
Buildings ..	815,103	28	752,412	8	11,019	2	763,431	10
Interest on Advance from Municipal Fund ..	123,014	42	123,014	42	—	—	123,014	42
Total ..	1,716,270	92	1,614,509	60	11,019	2	1,625,528	62

Second 30-inch Water Main.

HEAD OF RECEIPT.	Receipts to December 31, 1937.		Receipts to August 31, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Contribution from Municipal Fund up to 10th mile ..	1,230,608	97	—	—	1,230,608	97
Contribution from Municipal Fund up to 15th mile ..	114,000	0	57,000	0	171,000	0
					1,401,608	97
Balance being advance from cash balances ..	—	—	—	—	728,897	72
Total ..	1,344,608	97	57,000	0	2,130,506	69

HEAD OF PAYMENT.	Estimate.		Payments to December 31, 1937.		Payments to August 31, 1938.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Labour and materials up to 10th mile ..	1,295,300	0	1,230,608	97	—	—	1,230,608	97
Labour and materials 10th to 15th mile ..	850,000	0	796,444	70	—	—	796,444	70
Labour and materials 15th mile onwards ..	1,000,000	0	—	—	103,453	2	103,453	2
Total ..	3,145,300	0	2,027,053	67	103,453	2	2,130,506	69

Balance Sheet as at August 31, 1938.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	ASSETS.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.								
Loans outstanding :—						Capital expenditure :—													
(a) Government of Ceylon, duplication of 30-inch water main, &c.	..	3,000,000	0			(a) Duplication of 30-inch water main and filtration works ..	—			3,554,463	87								
Less redemption of loan	..	755,310	41			(b) Colombo Drainage Works :—													
				2,244,689	59	Works carried out by Resident Engineer as per modified scheme ..	—			17,830,564	12								
(b) Government of Ceylon, Colombo Drainage Works	..	11,072,980	0			Extensions of sewers and underground drains and other improvements carried out by Municipality since 1922 ..	—			2,008,058	56								
Less redemption of loan	..	2,787,845	94			Public lavatories ..	—			833,114	51								
				8,285,134	6	(c) Raising of Labugama Reservoir dam ..	—			319,293	76								
Grants and Contributions :—						(d) Town Hall at Victoria Park ..	—			1,624,214	86								
Grants from Government :—						(e) Child Welfare Centre in St. Paul's Ward :—													
(a) Colombo Drainage Works	..	7,100,000	0			Land ..	52,500	0											
(b) Kochchikade Housing Scheme	..	150,000	0			Buildings ..	107,434	1		159,934	1								
				7,250,000	0	(f) Maternity Home at Prince of Wales' avenue ..	—			22,567	61								
Other Contributions :—						(g) Kochchikade Housing Scheme ..	—			1,625,528	62								
(a) From War Memorial Fund, for Child Welfare Centre in St. Paul's Ward ..	..	94,259	93			(h) Second 30-inch water main ..	—			2,150,506	69							
(b) From Messrs. Adamjee Lukmanjee & Sons, for Maternity Home at Prince of Wales' avenue	20,000	0			Amounts advanced to Municipal Council officials for purchase of vehicles ..						—						11,054	83
				114,259	93	Advance Accounts :—													
Redemption of Debt Account :—						(a) Miscellaneous ..	9,297	66											
(a) Loan redeemed, Waterworks ..	..	755,310	41			(b) Municipal quarries ..	4,122	76										
(b) Loan redeemed, Colombo Drainage Works ..	..	2,787,845	94			(c) Works pending recovery ..	10,354	90										
				3,543,156	35	(d) Making articles for stock ..	19,120	53											
Major permanent works executed out of revenue :—										42,895	85								
(a) Waterworks	554,463	87			Workshop Account ..						—						5,185	28
(b) Colombo Drainage Works (extensions of sewers, and lavatories) ..	..	3,398,757	19			Sundry debtors ..	—			273,071	5							
(c) Raising of Labugama Reservoir dam	319,293	76			Construction of private streets ..						134,654	32						
(d) Town Hall at Victoria Park ..	..	1,624,214	86			Less recoveries from frontaging owners ..	68,908	16										
(e) Child Welfare Centre in St. Paul's Ward ..	..	65,674	8			Laying water mains in private streets	249,834	19										
(f) Maternity Home at Prince of Wales' avenue ..	..	2,567	61			Less recoveries from land owners ..	225,971	7										
(g) Kochchikade Housing Scheme	905,628	22			Aided house drainage ..						979,149	23						
(h) Second 30-inch water main ..	..	1,401,608	97			Less recoveries from owners ..	697,986	8										
				8,272,208	56	Stores on hand :—													
Reserve for doubtful debts on account of water mains ..																			
				10,951	68	(a) General ..	205,094	91											
Pension Fund and interest thereon ..																			
				43,814	26	(b) Waterworks ..	455,712	61											
Workmen's Compensation Ordinance Reserve Fund and interest thereon ..										660,807	52								
				41,552	20	Investments :—													
Insurance Fund and interest thereon ..																			
				314,151	85	Ceylon Government 4 per cent. inscribed stock ..	930	0											
Depreciation Fund :—						Ceylon Savings Bank ..	12,600	15											
Plant including steam-rollers ..	..	212,296	12			Fixed Deposits (General) at :—												
Motor and Steam Vehicles including Fire Engines ..	..	177,792	80			Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd. ..	500	0										
				390,088	92	Eastern Bank, Ltd. ..	300,000	0											
Pettah Library Bequest and interest thereon ..						National Bank of India, Ltd. ..	10,000	0											
				3,744	37	Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, Ltd. ..	409,000	0											
Deposits :—						Imperial Bank of India ..	69,050	0											
(a) Pending execution of works ..	..	33,667	64			Cash :—												
(b) Miscellaneous ..	..	26,453	33			(a) At Imperial Bank of India, on Current Account ..	421,566	86										
				60,120	97	(b) In hand :—													
Securities :—						With Shroff ..	800	0											
Tenders ..	..	7,964	20			With other Municipal Council officials ..	555	59										
Market stalls	40,546	0			Total ..						33,597,036	17						
Contractors (General)	20,000	0			Total ..						33,597,036	17						
Contractors (Drainage) ..	..	17,750	0															
Water supply to shipping ..	..	42,300	0															
Sale of water—Petty Trades ..	..	1,210	17															
Municipal officials ..	..	22,732	80															
Rate Collectors ..	..	28,750	0															
Lands and buildings ..	..	26,154	56															
Miscellaneous ..	..	603	65															
Upkeep of graves ..	..	8,010	0															
Public Library borrowers ..	..	13,869	86															
				229,891	24														
Gratuities to minors held in trust ..																			
				4,554	94														
Suspense Account :—																			
Sale of vested properties ..	..	45,209	4															
Other items ..	..	11,585	2															
				56,794	6														
Receipts in advance ..																			
				2,373	61														
Sundry creditors ..																			
				146,233	52														
Surplus or Deficit Account :—																			
Brought forward at January 1, 1938 ..	..	1,892,346	99															
Excess of Income over Expenditure as at August 31, 1938, per Statement of Income and Expenditure ..																			
				690,969	7														
				2,583,316	6														
Total ..																			
				33,597,036	17														

The Town Hall,
Colombo, September 22, 1938.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS, F.I.M.T.A., A.S.A.A.
Municipal Treasurer.

R 6463

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, C. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Colombo, October 12, 1938. for Municipal Commissioner.

SCHEDULE.

On November 4, 1938—For 1st and 2nd quarters, 1938 : Premises Nos. 11, 19, 21, 21/1, 27, 39, 45, 59, 59/1-2, 69, 16, 48, 74, Ferguson's road ; 361/39 and 391/1, Nagalagam street. For 2nd quarter, 1938 : Premises Nos. 43 and 43/1-20, St. Joseph street ; 227/5, 356/3, 276/23, and 350/10, Modera street ; 91, Mattakuliya Church road ; 702/24, 702/25, 702/31, 702/32, 702/45-46, 702/48, 808/4, Alutnavatta road ; 99/16, St. Mary's lane ; 9 St. Elmo's lane ; 19 and 33 Zavia lane ; 95/1-12, Vystwyke road. On November 12, 1938—Premises Nos. 437 and 449/1, Narahenpitiya road ; 131/22, Model Farm road ; 66/1, 224/1-4, 224/5, Timbirigasyaya road ; and 11, 90th lane, Timbirigasyaya.

R 6452

Auction Sale of Articles.

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

The movable property is on view at the Municipal Stores, Darley road, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4.30 P.M., and will be sold there at 8 A.M. on Monday, October 24, 1938.

October 12, 1938. G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Municipal Treasurer.

SCHEDULE.

For 1st quarter, 1938—Premises No. 240, Alutnavatta road: 3 chairs, 1 armchair. Premises No. 344/4-18, Jampettah street: silver belt.

Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance, No. 60 of 1935.

I, Sena Pandukabhaya Wickramasinha, Municipal Commissioner, hereby notify under section 51 of the Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance, No. 60 of 1935, that Vythilinga Retna Somanathan has been declared in terms of the said section by the Returning Officer to be elected as Councillor for the Pettah Ward.

Town Hall, S. P. WICKRAMASINHA,
Colombo, October 10, 1938. Municipal Commissioner.

Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance, No. 60 of 1935.

I, Sena Pandukabhaya Wickramasinha, Municipal Commissioner, Colombo, in pursuance of section 28 of the Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance No. 60 of 1935, hereby appoint George Henry Norris Saunders, Municipal Treasurer, to be the Returning Officer of the Bambalapitiya Ward of the Colombo Municipality for the purpose of election of a Councillor to fill the present vacancy in that Ward.

Town Hall, S. P. WICKRAMASINHA,
Colombo, October 12, 1938. Municipal Commissioner.

Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance, No. 60 of 1935.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 27 (2) of the Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance, No. 60 of 1935, of the holding of an election of a Councillor for the Bambalapitiya Ward.

Nomination papers of candidates, prepared and submitted in accordance with the requirements of section 29, will be received by the Returning Officer at his office in the Town Hall from 12 noon until 1 P.M. on Thursday, November 3, 1938.

Town Hall, S. P. WICKRAMASINHA,
Colombo, October 12, 1938. Municipal Commissioner.

Construction of Kinross Avenue, Bambalapitiya—Apportionment under Section 25 of Ordinance No. 19 of 1915.

WITH reference to the notice dated December 21/23, 1937, and appearing in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 8,341 of January 7, 1938, it is hereby notified that the Municipal Council of Colombo, having considered the objections made under section 25 (2) of the above Ordinance, has at its meeting on September 7, 1938, decided to increase the Council's contribution from 10 per cent. to 20 per cent. of the cost of construction, and the apportionment as amended is as follows :—

Premises No. and Street.	Name of Owner.	Total Cost. Rs. c.	Contribution by Council. Rs. c.	Apportionment. Rs. c.
254-264, Bambalapitiya road, and 11, Kinross avenue	Mr. D. L. F. Pedris and Mrs. W. L. R. Bastian	2,914 70	582 94	2,331 76
37, Kinross avenue	do.	1,768 61	353 72	1,414 89
41 Do.	do.	2,628 36	525 68	2,102 68
238, Bambalapitiya road	Mr. D. S. W. Samarakone	888 92	177 78	711 14
6, Kinross avenue	Mrs. C. A. Claessen	889 55	177 90	711 65
10 Do.	do.	136 50	27 30	109 20
12 Do.	Mr. J. R. Peter	933 96	186 80	747 16
14 Do.	Dr. D. S. de Simon	499 57	99 92	399 65
16 Do.	do.	489 57	97 92	391 65
18 Do.	do.	472 79	94 56	378 23
20 Do.	Mr. J. R. S. Perera	463 13	92 62	370 51
22 Do.	Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Kellar	451 65	90 32	361 33
24 Do.	Mr. B. H. L. Fonseka	419 63	83 92	335 71
26 Do.	Mrs. E. C. Jansz	427 68	85 54	342 14
28 Do.	Mr. N. Ramachandra	699 69	139 94	559 75
30 Do.	Mr. N. Sinnatamby	699 69	139 94	559 75
32 Do.	Mr. S. I. Mahadevan	489 0	97 80	391 20
34 Do.	Mr. S. I. Narasinham	459 0	91 80	367 20
		15,732 0	3,146 40	12,585 60

The Town Hall,
Colombo, October 3, 1938.

S. P. WICKRAMASINHA,
Municipal Commissioner, Colombo.

TRADE MARK NOTICES.

Registrations Renewed.

Trade Mark No.	Advertised in Gazette		Proprietors.	Class.
	No.	of		
117..5381..	22.11.1895..		Dakin Brothers, Ltd.	3
149..5432..	23.10.1896..		Tarrant & Co., and Henderson & Co.	42
150..5443..	4.12.1896..		Jonkopings Och Vulcanfabriksaktiebolag	47
152..—	23.12.1896..		Blankenheym & Nolet's Distilleries, Ltd.	43
165..5469..	9.4.1897..		The Distillers Agency, Ltd.	43
1207..6412..	25.11.1910..		James Kenyon & Son, Ltd.	24
1208..6412..	25.11.1910..		do.	24
1219..6417..	23.12.1910..		John Walker & Sons, Ltd. (New Coy.)	43
1231..6425..	17.2.1911..		do.	43
1252..6442..	19.5.1911..		J. & R. Tennent, Ltd.	43
3190..7426..	24.10.1924..		The Stanley Works	8, 12, & 13
3212..7423..	10.10.1924..		Harrisons & Crossfield, Ltd.	42
3231..7426..	24.10.1924..		Robert Bosch Aktiengesellschaft	6 & 13
3257..7434..	5.12.1924..		Jal Pallonjee Kapadia trading as P. N. Kapadia	42
3270..7436..	19.12.1924..		The Indo-Burma Petroleum Co., Ltd.	47
3272..7435..	12.12.1924..		Grassphalte Hard Courts, Ltd.	1
3276..7439..	9.1.1925..		A. Wander, Ltd.	in respect of class 3 only
3279..7439..	9.1.1925..		The Shell Co. of Ceylon, Ltd.	47
3280..7439..	9.1.1925..		do.	47
3288..7441..	16.1.1925..		Yardley & Co., Ltd.	48
3290..7441..	16.1.1925..		Harrisons & Crossfield, Ltd.	12
3330..7444..	30.1.1925..		Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation	5

Registrations Expired.

3209..7415..	12.9.1924..		Rammuthu Reginald Joseph de Silva	47
3214..7423..	10.10.1924..		Wilson Goggles Inc.	8
3226..7425..	17.10.1924..		Columbia Graphophone Co., Ltd.	in respect of class 9 only
3228..7425..	17.10.1924..		Rowntree & Co., Ltd.	42
3229..7432..	28.11.1924..		North West Soap Co., Ltd.	47
3233..7427..	31.10.1924..		Standard Oil Co. of New York	(1, 2, 3, 4, 13, 15, 17, 18, 25, 39, 42, 43, 45, 47, 48, and 50)
3234..7429..	31.10.1924..		Socony Vacuum Corporation	(1, 2, 3, 4, 13, 15, 17, 18, 25, 39, 42, 43, 45, 47, 48, and 50)
3235..7428..	7.11.1924..		Socony Vacuum Corporation	(1, 2, 3, 4, 13, 15, 17, 18, 25, 39, 42, 43, 45, 47, 48, and 50)
3237..7428..	7.11.1924..		Socony Vacuum Corporation	(1, 2, 3, 4, 13, 15, 17, 18, 25, 39, 42, 43, 45, 47, 48, and 50)
3238..7428..	7.11.1924..		Socony Vacuum Corporation	(1, 2, 3, 4, 13, 15, 17, 18, 25, 39, 42, 43, 45, 47, 48, and 50)

Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, October 10, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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

(1) Trade Mark No. B6831. (2) Date of Receipt: August 13, 1937. (3) Applicant (proprietor of the Trade Mark): SHALIMAR PAINT, COLOUR & VARNISH CO., LTD. (incorporated under the Indian Companies Act 1882), 6, Lyons Range, Calcutta, India, paint, colour, varnish,

composition, oil, soap, candle, and chemical manufacturers. (4) Address for service in the Island: C/o Lewis Brown & Co., Ltd., P. O. Box No. 85, Colombo. (5) Class: 1. (6) Goods: Paints, varnishes and enamels. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

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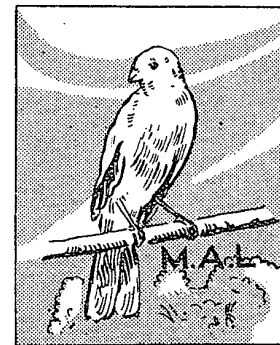
The trade mark is claimed to have been used in the Island since August, 1930. The application is transferred from Part A, and allowed to proceed under section 67 (2) of the Trade Marks Ordinance, No. 15 of 1925.

Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, October 5, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 7,113. (2) Date of Receipt: July 30, 1938. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): MEERA LEBBE MARIKAR ABDUL LATEEF trading as M. A. LATEEF, No. 50, Messenger street, Colombo, manufacturer of soaps. (4) Class: 48. (5) Goods: Toilet soap. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:

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4.00
12.00
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12.29



Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, September 14, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 7,133. (2) Date of Receipt: August 24, 1938. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): APPAVOO CHETTY THURAIAPPAH CHETTIAR trading as A. THURAIAPPAH CHETTIAR, 31 Sea street, Colombo, general cloth merchant. (4) Class: 38. (5) Goods: Veshty, shawl, and sarees. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:

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4.00
12.00
29
12.29



Registration of this trade mark shall give no right to the exclusive use of the devices of the maps of India and Ceylon.

Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, September 28, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 7,140. (2) Date of Receipt: August 26, 1938. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): COLGATE-PALMOLIVE-PEET COMPANY (a Corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America), 105, Hudson street, Jersey City, New Jersey, United States of America; manufacturers. (4) Address for service in the Island: C/o Julius & Creasy, Colombo. (5) Class: 48. (6) Goods: Toilet soap. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, October 12, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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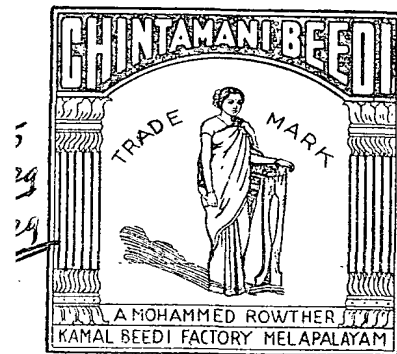
(1) Trade Mark No. 7,144. (2) Date of Receipt: August 29, 1938. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): MOHAMMADO SEIYADO MOHAMMED, 28, Gordon building, Bankshall street, Colombo, manufacturer. (4) Class: 47. (5) Goods: Common soap. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:



Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, September 21, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 7,152. (2) Date of Receipt: September 14, 1938. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): ANA MOHAMED ROWTHER trading as KAMAL BEEDI FACTORY Melapalayam, Tinnevely District, South India, manufacturer. (4) Address for service in the Island: A. Mohamed Rowther, 11, St. John's road, Pettah, Colombo. (5) Class: 45. (6) Goods: Beedies. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:



Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, September 28, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 7,157. (2) Date of Receipt: September 20, 1938. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): NESTLE AND ANGLO-SWISS CONDENSED MILK COMPANY, LIMITED (a Company incorporated according to the laws of Switzerland), Vevey, Switzerland, manufacturers. (4) Address for service in the Island: C/o Julius & Creasy, Colombo. (5) Class: 42. (6) Goods: Substances used as food or as ingredients in food. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

Handwritten notes: 4, 2, 2.00, 8.00

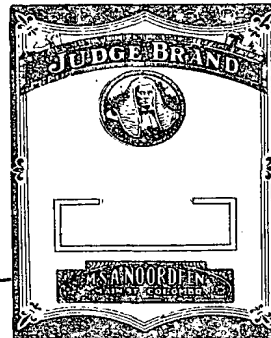


Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, October 5, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

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(1) Trade Mark No. 7,158. (2) Date of Receipt: September 22, 1938. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): The firm trading as M. S. A. NOORDEEN, 291, Main street, Pettah, Colombo; leather and general merchants. (4) Class: 1. (5) Goods: Paints of all kinds, varnishes, enamels, artist colours, distempers, japans, lacquers, paint and varnish driers, wood preservatives, wood stains, anticorrosive paints, mineral dyes, aluminium paints, and all other goods in this class. (6) Representation of the Trade Mark:

Handwritten notes: 5, 2, 34.00, 12.00, 13.52



Registrar-General's Office, E. R. DE SILVA,
Colombo, October 12, 1938. Registrar of Trade Marks.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Election of Members of the Kotte Urban District Council.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is intended to hold an election of members of the Kotte Urban District Council on Monday, November 21, 1938. Every candidate must be nominated in writing, and the nomination paper must be subscribed by at least two persons whose names appear in the electoral roll of the electoral division for which each candidate offers himself for election, and the nomination paper must be delivered at the office of the Kotte Urban District Council at or before 10 A.M. on November 21, 1938, which day and time have been fixed for that purpose.

If more than one candidate is nominated for any one division a poll will be taken on the date noted below at the polling place provided for that division as shown below.

The poll shall be open at 8 A.M. and close at 5 P.M.

Polling places.	Date. 1938.
For Division No. 1 Yakbedde : The U. D. C. market, Welikada ..	December 9
For Division No. 2, Welikada : the temporary shed on the present U. D. C. office premises ..	December 9
For Division No. 3, Nawala : The Government Vernacular School, Nawala ..	December 10
For Division No. 4, Etul Kotte : The Y. M. B. A. Hall, Etul Kotte ..	December 10
For Division No. 5, Pita Kotte : The U. D. C. market, Pita Kotte ..	December 9
For Division No. 6, Pagoda : The Temporary shed on the P. W. D. cooly lines premises at Mirihana on the Kotte-Nugegoda road ..	December 10
For Division No. 7, Nugegoda : The temporary shed on the Nugegoda market green ..	December 10
For Division No. 8, Kirillapone : The temporary shed on the Municipal land near late Mudaliyar Abhayaratne's house ..	December 9

The Kacheheri,
Colombo, October 10, 1938.

W. E. HOBDAY,
Government Agent.

Rates and Taxes for the Year 1939.

IT is hereby notified that the Ambalangoda Urban District Council has, in terms of the Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920, imposed for the year 1939, the following taxes being the same as were levied during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Ambalangoda Urban District Council subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance.

Under section 173 (1) (b) a tax in respect of the following vehicles and animals payable on or before March 31, 1939, at the rates specified below :—

	Rs.	c.
For every carriage of whatever description other than a cart, hackery, or jinrickshaw ..	5	0
For every double bullock cart or hackery of whatever description ..	4	0
For every bicycle or tricycle ..	1	0
For every horse, pony or mule ..	2	50
For every single bullock cart or hackery or jinrickshaw ..	2	50

Under section 5 of the Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, section 245 of the Local Government Ordinance, No. 11 of 1920, an annual registration fee of Re. 1 for every dog and every bitch kept within the limits of the Urban District Council, Ambalangoda.

T. C. P. FERNANDO,
Chairman.

Property Rate for 1939.

IT is hereby notified that the Ambalangoda Urban District Council, has in terms of section 171 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1920, imposed for the year 1939, a consolidated rate of 10 per cent. per annum being the same as was imposed during the preceding year payable on June 30,

and December 31, for the half year ending on the said days respectively on the annual value of all immovable property situated within its administrative limits.

T. C. P. FERNANDO,
Office of the Urban District Council,
Town Hall,
Ambalangoda, October 11, 1938.
Chairman.

Sale of Properties, Urban District Council, Kegalla.

NOTICE is hereby given that the movable property found in the house and in the absence of movable property 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 rates due for the 2nd quarter, 1938, on the premises mentioned in the subjoined schedule will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned unless in the meantime the amount of rates and costs be duly paid. Further particulars can be obtained from the Office of the Urban District Council, Kegalla.

GEO. ATURUPANE,
Office of the Urban District Council,
Kegalla, October 10, 1938.
Chairman.

Schedule.

TIME OF SALE TO COMMENCE AT THE FIRST-NAMED PREMISES ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1938, AT 8.30 A.M.

Premises Nos. 40, 27, 213, 215, 218, 219, 227, 278, 317, 368, 368A, 396, 405, 405A, 415, 532, 625, 626, 685, 703, 757.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

(Continued from page 1348.)

The Ceylon State Mortgage Bank.

Debentures Drawn for Redemption.

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 40 of the State Mortgage Bank Ordinance and in pursuance of the conditions upon which the debentures were issued all debentures bearing numbers 10001 to 19649 will be compulsorily redeemed. The principal and interest on these debentures will be paid off on January 16, 1939, on their being surrendered, after which date interest on them will cease. These debentures should be forwarded to this office seven clear days before January 16, 1939.

It is also hereby notified that 455 debentures to the value of Rs. 22,750 bearing numbers between 19650 and 23262 require to be redeemed and the holders of any of these debentures desiring to redeem them are requested to communicate with the Manager and surrender the debenture for payment on or before October 28, 1938.

According to the conditions attaching to these debentures, holders of the compulsorily redeemed debentures have the prior right to re-invest the principal amount payable on the compulsorily redeemed debentures in our next issue of debentures (on the terms and conditions of such issue).

The Ceylon State Mortgage Bank,
Colombo, October 7, 1938.

J. TYAGARAJA,
Manager.

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