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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. CALDECOTT.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 1 of the Youthful Offenders (Training Schools) Ordinance, No. 28 of 1939, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Proclamation appoint the twenty-second day of January, 1940, as the date on which that Ordinance shall come into operation.

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

Nuwara Eliya, January 7, 1940.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 8 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint Mr. C. BALASINGHAM to a Cadetship in the Ceylon Civil Service and to be attached to the Matara Kachcheri with effect from January 3, 1940.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, December 18, 1939. Chief Secretary.

No. 9 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint Mr. E. B. TISSEVERASINGHE to a Cadetship in the Ceylon Civil Service and to be attached to the Jaffna Kachcheri with effect from January 3, 1940.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, December 18, 1939. Chief Secretary.

No. 10 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint Mr. G. S. PEIRIS to a Cadetship in the Ceylon Civil Service and to be attached to the Puttalam Kachcheri with effect from January 3, 1940.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, December 18, 1939. Chief Secretary.

No. 11 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint Mr. J. P. ASERAPPA to a Cadetship in the Ceylon Civil Service and to be attached to the Anuradhapura Kachcheri with effect from January 3, 1940.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, December 18, 1939. Chief Secretary.

No. 12 of 1940.

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

J 53/38
Mr. G. R. W. DE SILVA to be Additional Assistant at Matara to the Government Agent, Southern Province, and Additional Magistrate for the judicial division of Matara, with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

J 98/39
Mr. V. L. WIRASINHA to the office of Assistant Government Agent of the District of Batticaloa; Deputy Fiscal of the District of Batticaloa; Additional District Judge, Batticaloa; Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Batticaloa; Assistant Collector of Customs, Batticaloa; Assistant Superintendent of the Prison at Batticaloa; and Additional Assistant Superintendent of Police, Batticaloa, with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

J 74/37
Mr. G. SUBRAMANIAM to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Assistant Government Agent, Batticaloa, for January 8, 1940.

J 114/38
Mr. P. J. C. SHERRARD to be Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Central Province, with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

J 114/38
Mr. W. T. JEGASOTHY to be Extra Office Assistant, Kandy Kachcheri, with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

J 98/39
Mr. A. S. KOHOBAN WICKREME to be Office Assistant to the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, and Office Assistant to the Assistant Government Agent, Vavuniya, with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

J 53/38
Mr. R. D. P. PAULUSZ to act as Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Province of Uva, and Assistant Superintendent of the Badulla Prison with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

J 98/39
Mr. W. J. A. VANLANGENBERG to act as Additional Assistant Land Commissioner and Assistant Secretary to the Minister for Agriculture and Lands, with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

J 96/38
Mr. K. SOMASUNTHERAM to be attached to the Department of Commerce and Industries, with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

I 60/39
Messrs. D. JANSZE and D. W. FERNANDO, Advocates, to act as Crown Counsel from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

I 60/39
Mr. G. E. CHITTY, Advocate, to act as Crown Counsel from December 21, 1939, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, January 8, 1940. Chief Secretary.

No. 13 of 1940.

J 98/39
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. C. L. WICKREMESINGHE to be Settlement Officer under section 3 (1) of the Land Settlement Ordinance, 1931, in addition to his own duties, with effect from January 3, 1940, during the absence on leave of Mr. H. E. JANSZ.

By His Excellency's command,
Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, January 3, 1940. Chief Secretary.

No. 14 of 1940.

J 53/38

BY virtue of the powers vested in him by section 3 of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132), HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. S. D. CUMARASWAMY to be, in addition to his other duties, an Assistant Food Controller with effect from January 3, 1940, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, January 4, 1940. Chief Secretary.

No. 15 of 1940.

N 276/39

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has accepted the resignation tendered by Major SYDNEY ROBERT SPICER of his Commission in the Ceylon Defence Force with effect from January 1, 1940, and has been pleased to grant him permission, in terms of C.D.F. Regulation 76, to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of his Corps on special occasions.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, January 5, 1940. Chief Secretary.

No. 16 of 1940.

N 11/39

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotion in the 1st (Hy.) Regt. C.G.A., with effect from December 22, 1939.

To be Lieutenant.—Second Lieutenant GEORGE GARDINER.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, January 5, 1940. Chief Secretary.

No. 17 of 1940.

N 27/39

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has accepted the resignation tendered by Major WILFRID ERNEST HOBDAE, E.D., of his Commission in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps Reserve with effect from December 15, 1939.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, January 5, 1940. Chief Secretary.

No. 18 of 1940.

N 27/39

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has accepted the resignation tendered by Captain THOMAS COPEMAN DYBALL of his Commission in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps Reserve, with effect from December 15, 1939.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Colombo, January 5, 1940. Chief Secretary.

No. 19 of 1940.

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

CJ 55/39

Mr. JAMES JOSEPH to act as District Judge, Kalutara, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Kalutara, from January 6, 1940, during the employment of Mr. WALDO SANSONI on other duties, or until further orders.

CJ 55/39

Mr. WALDO SANSONI to act as District Judge, Kandy, and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kandy, from January 6, 1940, during the absence of Mr. G. C. THAMBYAH, or until further orders.

CJ 60/39

Mr. T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE to act as Additional District Judge, Kandy; Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Kandy; Additional Municipal Magistrate, Kandy; and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Dumbura, from January 8 to February 29, 1940, or until further orders.

CJ 60/39

Mr. SPENCER RAJARATNAM to act as Additional District Judge, Galle, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Galle, from January 8, 1940, until further orders.

J 13/36

Mr. S. S. JAYAWICKRAMA to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Galle, on January 18 and 25, 1940, to enable judgments to be delivered in D. C., Balapitiya, cases Nos. 35,162 and 37,281.

CJ 60/39

Mr. S. S. JAYAWICKRAMA to act as District Judge, Matara; Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Matara; and Additional District Judge, Tangalla, from January 6, 1940, until further orders.

J 113/36

Mr. A. S. KOHOBAN WICKREME to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Magistrate for the Districts of Mannar and Mullaittivu with effect from January 3, 1940.

J 15/36

Mr. E. C. RATNAIKE to be Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Gampaha, and Additional District Judge and Additional Magistrate, Colombo and Negombo, during the absence of Mr. D. E. WIJEWARDENE, on January 29, 1940.

J 28/36

Mr. M. Y. SALLEY to be Additional Magistrate, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Matale, and Additional District Judge, Kandy, on January 11, 1940.

J 24/36

Mr. E. ASHLEY PEIRIS to be Additional Magistrate and Additional District Judge, Kegalla, on January 16, 1940, to enable sentences to be passed in M. C., Kegalla, cases Nos. 40,698 and 40,699.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office, J. W. R. ILANGAKOON,
Colombo, January 9, 1940. Acting Legal Secretary.

No. 20 of 1940.

J 12/38

NOTICE No. 689 of 1939 appearing in *Gazette* No. 8,560 of December 15, 1939, is cancelled in so far as it relates to the appointment of Mr. N. PONNIAH to be Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Point Pedro, and Additional District Judge, Jaffna, during the absence of Mr. W. R. D. DE SILVA, from December 22, 1939, to January 2, 1940.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office, J. W. R. ILANGAKOON,
Colombo, January 9, 1940. Acting Legal Secretary.

No. 21 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. RAKSONDA GUNAVAT ABAYA DE MEL to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

G. C. S. COREA,

Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, January 6, 1940.

No. 22 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. DON PETER VAIDYARATNA JAYATILAKA to be a Notary Public throughout the Four Gravets of Galle with residence and office at Galle, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

G. C. S. COREA,

Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, December 21, 1939.

No. 23 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. JAMES PERERA SENEVIRATNE RATNAYAKE to be a Notary Public throughout Dewameddi hatpattu of Kurunegala District with residence and office at Hettipola, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

G. C. S. COREA,

Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, December 19, 1939.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

THE following appointments made under the proviso to section 2 (3) of the Registration of Documents Ordinance (Chapter 101) are hereby notified:—

KARAWITAVIDANELAGE DON LEWIS PERERA KARAWITA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for sixteen days from December 7, 1939, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, T. DE S. ABEYWICKREMA, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

KARAWITAVIDANELAGE DON LEWIS PERERA KARAWITA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for four days from January 3, 1940, during the absence of the additional Registrar, B. P. E. DE SILVA, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

LOKU BANDA EKANAYAKA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Kandy, for eight days from December 15, 1939, during the absence of the Additional Registrar, E. H. SENEVIRATNE, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

SOOSAIMUTTU MARIANTAMPI THAMBYPILLAI to act as Registrar of Lands, Batticaloa, for seven days from December 16, 1939, during the absence of the Registrar, K. DURAIAPPAH, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

JOSEPH VENAYAGAM to act as Registrar of Lands, Puttalam, for nine days from December 14, 1939, during the absence of the Registrar, R. N. N. NILES, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

MERVILLE DIONOEGUS ARYACHANDRA to act as Registrar of Lands, Anuradhapura, on December 22, 1939, during the absence of the Registrar, W. D. M. PERERA, on leave, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, January 10, 1940.

C. E. DE PUNTO,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE RABIES ORDINANCE.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by sub-section (2) of section 14 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333), I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Notification amend the Notification under the said section, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 8,450 of May 9, 1939, in the schedule thereto, by the substitution, for the word "seven", of the word "ten".

Nuwara Eliya, January 7, 1940.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

L. D.—B 30/37

NB 16/39

THE NAVAL VOLUNTEER ORDINANCE.

REGULATION made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 10 (1) of the Naval Volunteer Ordinance (Chapter 254).

By His Excellency's command,

Colombo, January 6, 1940.

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Chief Secretary.

REGULATION.

The regulations under section 10 (1) of the Naval Volunteer Ordinance published in the *Supplement to Gazette* No. 8,332 of November 26, 1937, as last amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 8,552 of November 24, 1939, are hereby further amended as follows:—

(1) in regulation 7, by the addition at the end thereof of the following:—

"Ratings will in addition be required to perform a minimum of 21 drills ashore during each year."; and

(2) in Appendix D, by the omission of paragraph (3) thereof, and by the insertion, after paragraph (1) thereof, of the following:—

"(2) Ratings.

Ratings must satisfy the Commanding Officer as to their knowledge of all branches of Seamanship in which they have undergone instruction. Petty Officers and Leading Seamen must, in addition, satisfy the Commanding Officer that they are capable of taking charge of parties of men in mine-sweeping duties."

L. D.—B 90/34

N 262/39

THE DEFENCE FORCE ORDINANCE.

REGULATION under sections 9 and 12 of the Defence Force Ordinance (Chapter 258), made by the Officer Commanding the Troops, after consultation with the Commandant, and approved by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said sections.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 10, 1940.

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Chief Secretary.

Regulation.

The Regulations for the Ceylon Defence Force, published in the *Supplement to Gazette* No. 8,074 of August 24, 1934, as last amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 8,561 of December 22, 1939, are hereby further amended by the substitution for Appendix "E" of the following:—

APPENDIX "E".

Training Requirements.

1. The minimum training requirements are:—

C.G.A. (1st (Hy) Regt. and 2nd (AA) Regt.) and C.E.

(a) Attend 9 parades, and

(b) Fire the Annual Weapon Training Course prescribed or

(c) Be graded as a specialist or tradesman.

C.L.I., C.P.R.C., and C.A.S.C.

(a) Attend 9 parades, and

(b) Qualify in the Annual Weapon Training Course.

C.M.C.

(a) Attend 9 parades, and

(b) Be graded as a specialist or tradesman.

C.C.B.

(a) Attend 36 parades, and

(b) Qualify in the Annual Weapon Training Course.

Reservists.

Qualify in the Annual Weapon Training Course.

Reservists exempted from firing the Course, see paragraph 2 below, must attend three parades.

Reservists of C.G.A. (1st (Hy.) Regt. and 2nd (AA) Regt.) and/or C.E. may as an alternative attend a Coast Camp for 3 clear days, or if a member of C.E. one Continuous Run of two nights.

2. Annual Weapon Training Course, Exemptions:—

The following are exempted from firing the Annual Weapon Training Course:—

All members of the C.M.C.

Field Officers.

Quartermasters.

Chaplains.

3. Camps—Camps consist of:—

(a) Coast Camps.

(b) Annual Corps Camps.

(c) Week-end Camps exceeding 48 hours.

(d) Hospital Training exceeding 48 hours.

(e) Attachment for training to any recognized military unit out of the Island.

(f) Attendance at any recognized military course of instruction.

One full day's attendance at Camp, excluding travelling may be reckoned as 3 parades.

4. Parades—Parades consist of:—

(a) Drills.

(b) Exercises on the Colombo Defence, including combined Mannings and Continuous Runs.

(c) Route Marches.

(d) Tactical exercises with or without troops.

(e) Hospital Training of less than 48 hours.

(f) Lectures, examinations, and papers.

(g) Ceremonial Parades.

(h) Inspections.

(i) Week-end Drills of less than 48 hours.

(j) The duties of Adjutants and Quartermasters.

One complete hour devoted to any sub-head will be reckoned as one parade, provided that not more than 3 parades are counted for any one day.

N 275/39

THE following regulations for entry and training of Naval Cadets at the Royal Naval College at Dartmouth, and training afloat are published for general information :—

NAVAL CADETS.

Regulations for Entry and Training at the Royal Naval College at Dartmouth, and Training afloat.

1. No nomination is required by a candidate for a Naval Cadetship. All that is necessary is to apply to the Private Secretary to the First Lord of the Admiralty. *Applications should not be made until the Candidate has reached 12½ years of age.*

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND SERVICE.

2. Candidates must be British subjects of pure European descent, and the sons of persons who are British subjects at the time of the boy's entry. The burden of clear proof of the nationality of the candidates will rest upon their parents or guardians, who, if they are in any doubt, should seek the opinion of the Admiralty at the earliest opportunity.

Boys who possess a foreign, as well as British, nationality may be ineligible for entry into the commissioned ranks of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines. Parents or guardians are therefore advised to seek an early decision from the Admiralty as to the eligibility for entry of prospective candidates possessing double nationality.

3. Parents or guardians of candidates for appointment as Naval Cadets must undertake on their behalf that they will be prepared, if required, to be employed on any duties regarded by the Board of Admiralty as proper to Officers of the Executive Branch.

A limited number of cadets will, however, be permitted to specialise in Engineering, on promotion to Midshipmen, if they possess the necessary qualifications and are recommended.

4. Parents or guardians are required to declare in writing their intention that the candidate, if he obtains a Cadetship, shall adopt the Navy as his profession in life; and it is subject to this undertaking that candidates are selected for Cadetships. Every Cadet who enters the Royal Naval College must therefore be prepared to continue his training so long as the Admiralty are satisfied with his progress, and parents are not at liberty to withdraw their sons at will.

On the entry of a Cadet, parents or guardians will be required to undertake that, in the event of his withdrawing or being withdrawn from the College or from the Navy before being confirmed in the rank or equivalent rank of Sub-Lieutenant or before reaching the age of 21 (whichever is the earlier), they will pay to the Admiralty, on demand, the sum of £40 per term in respect of each term passed by him at the R.N. College, Dartmouth, as a contribution towards the balance of the cost of his training and maintenance not covered by the annual payment of the fees mentioned in paragraph 15.

This undertaking does not apply to Cadets withdrawn at the request of the Admiralty.

5. The Common Examination for Entrance to Public Schools is the educational test for the Royal Naval College, Dartmouth. There are three entries of cadets annually, and the College terms begin approximately on the 16th January, 6th May, and 22nd September. Candidates must take the examination immediately preceding the term of entry.

Candidates for entry in—

January must be more than 13 years and 4 months, but not more than 13 years and 8 months of age on the preceding 1st December.

May must be more than 13 years and 4 months, but not more than 13 years and 8 months of age on the preceding 1st April.

September must be more than 13 years and 4 months, but not more than 13 years and 8 months of age on the preceding 1st August.

<i>e.g., Candidates born on or between.</i>	<i>Eligible for Common Entrance Exam. in</i>	<i>Eligible for entry in</i>
1st Aug., 1926—30th Nov., 1926	.. Spring, 1940	.. May, 1940
1st Dec., 1926—31st March, 1927	.. Summer, 1940	.. Sept., 1940
1st April, 1927—31st July, 1927	.. Autumn, 1940	.. Jan., 1941

The applications must be received at the Admiralty :—

For the January entry before 10th October.

„ May entry before 10th January.

„ September entry before 10th May.

6. Appointments to Naval Cadetships, except the Dominion and Colonial nominations under paragraph 9, are made by the First Lord from among candidates recommended after interview by a Committee, and all such appointments are subject to the candidates passing a medical examination (see paragraph 8).

Only those candidates who qualify in the examination to the satisfaction of the Admiralty will be invited to appear before the Interview Committee. Pronounced weakness in any one subject, particularly mathematics, may disqualify a candidate.

The Common Examination for Entrance to Public Schools and the Royal Naval College, Dartmouth, will begin on the 4th Monday in February, the 3rd Monday in June and the 2nd Monday in November.

The fee for the examination will be £2 10s. 0d., which will be payable on demand to the Director of Navy Accounts, Admiralty, S.W. 1.

Travelling and other expenses incurred in connection with interview and medical examination cannot be recovered from the Admiralty.

Candidates are allowed only one attempt to enter the R.N. College, Dartmouth.

7. The papers of the Common Entrance Examination which must be taken by all naval candidates are :—

English I. and II.

French.

Latin A.

Mathematics—Arithmetic, Algebra and Geometry.

History.

Geography.

Candidates may also take Latin B, which would be used for placing purposes at Dartmouth. In Algebra and Geometry, Part B will be used for placing purposes at Dartmouth.

The Common Entrance papers are set in accordance with the recommendations of the Report of the Headmasters' Conference on the Curriculum of the Preparatory Schools (published by Messrs. Warren and Son, Ltd., High Street, Winchester, 2/- post free).

Arrangements will be made that the worked papers of candidates who are not accepted for the Navy shall be sent to the Headmaster of a Public School named by the parent or guardian.

The list of successful candidates will be published in alphabetical order.

PHYSICAL STANDARD.

8. Every candidate must be in good health, and free from any physical defect of body, impediment of speech, defect of sight or hearing, and also from any predisposition to constitutional or hereditary disease or weakness of any kind, and be in all respects well developed and active in proportion to his age. Immediately after his interview and on the same day he is required to pass the Medical Examination according to the prescribed regulations, and must be found physically fit for the Navy.

The Medical Examination includes dental examination. If remedial dental defects are discovered, the parents or guardians of successful candidates are required to arrange for necessary treatment to be undertaken, at their own risk and expense, before the Cadet is due to join the Royal Naval College, Dartmouth, where a further examination of the teeth will be made.

It should be particularly noted that *full normal vision*—as determined by Snellen's tests—is required. Details of the physical requirements of candidates are shown on page 26.

In the event of the rejection on medical grounds of a candidate who would otherwise have been selected for the Qualifying Examination the parent or guardian will at once be informed that, subject to the payment of a fee of four guineas the candidate may present himself for re-examination by an Appeal Board. This Appeal Board will consist of the Medical Director-General of the Navy, together with a physician or a surgeon or a specialist nominated by the Medical Consultative Board, according to the nature of the alleged disqualification or disqualifications.

APPLICATIONS FROM CERTAIN DOMINIONS AND COLONIES.

9. The Governments of certain Dominions and Colonies are allowed to recommend specially (through the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs or the Secretary of State for the Colonies), a certain number of candidates annually from among boys belonging to families resident in the Dominions and Colonies.

Unless such candidates, however, actually reside and receive their education in their own Dominion or Colony, they must be also recommended by the Interview Committee, and they must in any case have qualified in the Common Examination for Entrance to Public Schools (see paragraph 6).

KING'S CADETSHIPS.

10. Successful candidates who are the sons of officers of the Royal Navy, Royal Marines, Army, or Royal Air Force who have been killed in action, or have died of wounds received in action, whether afloat or ashore, or have died through the destruction of their ship, or have been drowned or have suffered other violent death due directly and wholly to war service, or have died of disease attributable to active service, may be appointed as King's Cadets.

King's Cadets will be entitled to the following privileges in cases where the Admiralty are of opinion that substantial help is needed towards the expenses of their naval training:—

- (1) The grant of an Outfit Allowance of 40*l.* on first entry.
- (2) The remission of fees at Dartmouth.
- (3) The remission of supplementary allowances mentioned in paragraph 18.

In cases where the above conditions are fulfilled by Cadets, already in the Service, the Admiralty may at their discretion, authorise the remission of all future payments in respect of training fees and supplementary allowance.

King's Cadets will be eligible for Children's Allowances as prescribed by the regulations, but will not receive Educational Allowances.

Applications for King's Cadetships must be received a month before a Cadet is due to join Dartmouth.

DURATION OF COURSE, TERMS, &C.

11. Naval Cadets will undergo a course of instruction at the R.N. College, Dartmouth, extending over eleven terms, or 3½ years. On passing out of Dartmouth, they will be sent to sea for a further period of training as a Naval Cadet before being rated Midshipmen.

12. The following are the approximate dates for the beginning and end of the three terms at the College, and the lengths of the vacations:—

16th January to 8th April.	Four weeks at Easter (vacation).
6th May to 4th August.	Seven weeks at Midsummer (vacation).
22nd September to 21st December.	Four weeks at Christmas (vacation).

13. The friends of the Cadets must be prepared to receive them during all the vacations.

14. All Naval Cadets, while at the Royal Naval College, Dartmouth, and while serving with the Fleet, shall be subject to the regulations respecting Cadets in force for the time being.

Naval Cadets may be called upon to undergo a trip in a submarine or a flight or flights in Naval aircraft during their course at the College.

FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS.

15. For Cadets entering under these regulations, payment will be at the rate of 150*l.* per annum for the period under training at the College, to be paid in sums of 50*l.* every term IN ADVANCE on receipt of a claim from the Director of Navy Accounts, to whom cheques, crossed "Bank of England," should be made payable. But the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty reserve the power of selecting from among the Cadets entered on each occasion, a number with respect to whom reduced fees will be allowed. The reduced scales will be allowed only in cases where the pecuniary circumstances of the parents are, in the opinion of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, such as to justify it. Forms of application for admission at the reduced scales will be issued in respect of all candidates who are selected* after the interview to attend the Qualifying Examination, and when duly filled in should be returned as soon as possible *by such parents as desire to make application for the reduced scale*. If the parents or guardians of a Cadet are resident abroad, arrangements should be made with an agent in Great Britain to pay claims for fees, &c. In such cases (and others in which payment is made through an agent, *e.g.*, banker, relative, &c.) the name and address of the agent should be communicated to the Director of Navy Accounts.

Parents or guardians who may find especial difficulty in meeting the initial cost of outfit may, at Admiralty discretion, be granted an outfit allowance of 40*l.* but if this is granted, the fees otherwise payable will be increased at the rate of £12 per annum. Special application should be made to the Admiralty when the application for reduced fees is forwarded, if parents or guardians desire to avail themselves of this arrangement.

If a Cadet is absent at home on sick leave for a period of 21 days or more in any one term, an abatement of half the normal fee for the period of his absence is made from the claim for the following term, when the full duration of his absence is known. No such abatement is granted when a Cadet is sick in a Naval Hospital.

* Note.—Parents abroad will, however, be furnished with forms of application, prior to this selection if they so desire.

16. In addition to the above payments, any expenses incurred by a Cadet for clothing, sports, books, instruments, washing, &c., as well as the allowance of 1s. a week paid as pocket money, are included in the account sent to the parent by the Director of Navy Accounts.

17. No pay is allowed to the Cadets in the College except in the case of Cadet Captains, who receive a small weekly allowance.

18. The fees specified in paragraph 15 will cease on the Cadet leaving Dartmouth, when he will normally be sent to a Cadets' training ship, for a period of approximately eight months, to complete his training before being appointed Midshipman. During the period of training in the Cadets' training ship he will be paid at the rate of 1s. a day and an allowance at the rate of £36 a year, payable in advance, will be required from his parent or guardian to cover his expenses. This allowance together with the Cadet's pay of 1s. a day and the allowance for messing, should normally be sufficient to meet all his expenses during the cruise, including pocket money, messing, subscriptions, laundry, normal issues of clothing, books and miscellaneous expenses. Should this not be the case, the deficit which would probably be of small amount, would be chargeable to the parent or guardian. On the other hand, any saving which accrues owing to the Cadet's personal expenses being less (*e.g.*, during periods of sickness) will be allowed for in the final settlement, and any credit balance refunded to the parent or guardian.

19. The parent or guardian of every Cadet is required to provide outfit under the regulations in force.

20. All travelling expenses for Cadets are advanced by the Paymaster of the College who will charge the sum to the Cadet's personal account.

21. When a Cadet has completed his training and is appointed a Midshipman, his pay is sufficient to enable him to meet normal current expenses afloat, and it should therefore not be necessary for parents or guardians to make personal allowances, except as may be required to meet the cost and upkeep of uniform and of travelling expenses on leave. It is undesirable that young officers should have control of considerable sums of money, but to enable a Midshipman to meet these expenses and to visit places of interest whilst serving abroad the parent or guardian may remit a sum not exceeding £50 per annum, to the Director of Navy Accounts, to be placed by him under the control of the Captain, to be expended for the purposes stated and at such times as the Captain may approve.

MEDICAL AND DENTAL TREATMENT.

22. While at the R.N. College, Cadets may receive free of expense such treatment as can be afforded by the Naval Medical Staff, or in the Sick Quarters, of the College. They are admitted to Naval Hospitals for treatment only in exceptional circumstances. When so admitted, no charge for treatment is made, but the normal College fees continue to be payable. Cadets are not eligible for medical treatment at the public expense whilst on leave.

23. Cadets while at the R.N. College are not eligible to receive dental treatment at the public expense and parents or guardians should arrange for Cadets to receive necessary dental treatment during vacations. Should urgent dental treatment be found necessary during term, the Cadet will be referred to a local civilian dental surgeon, the cost of treatment being defrayed by the parent or guardian.

24. Cadets borne for pay for service afloat (see paragraph 18) are eligible for medical and dental treatment at the public expense, under the regulations applicable to officers generally.

GENERAL REGULATIONS AT DARTMOUTH.

25. Inasmuch as the Cadets have a weekly allowance paid to them as pocket money, and a charge is made to pay the expenses attending their amusements, it is unnecessary that their friends should give them any money, except on joining or on their return from the vacations, and the amount should be then reasonable. Such money as may be required by a Cadet for any special circumstance will be advanced by the Paymaster under the authority of the Captain.

26. Any valuable gold watches or chains brought by the Cadets to the College will be taken from them and placed in security until the Cadets return home. Silver watches may be used.

27. Instructions to Cadets joining the College for the first time will be sent by the Commanding Officer. Cadets rejoining the College will be expected to make their own arrangements for doing so.

28. Cadets are to bring their linen clean, and clothes and boots in good order, when they join the College and also when they return from leave, and the outfit must be complete. A list of the clothes left behind will be sent with Cadets when they go on leave.

29. Cadets are not permitted to open accounts with tradesmen. Parents or guardians are requested not to allow their sons' outfitters to supply clothes or other articles without their authorisation.

30. Each Cadet on joining and on returning after the vacations is required to produce a health certificate—signed by his parent or guardian *not earlier than the day before the Cadet's return*—to the effect that, so far as is known, he has not, for at least three weeks immediately preceding his return, been exposed to any infectious disease, or entered any house where such disease had existed. A certificate, drawn up in the necessary form, is sent to each parent and failure on the part of the Cadet to produce this certificate, duly filled up and signed, on his return may entail his *not being received*.

If a Cadet is placed on the sick list, information is always sent to his parents or guardians, who are also kept informed of the progress of the patient should the illness be in the slightest degree serious.

With a view to dealing with possible scarlet-fever outbreaks in the College, all new entry Cadets will, subject to parents' consent, undergo the Dick test to ascertain their susceptibility to the disease.

31. Letters relative to the Cadets should be addressed to "The Commanding Officer, Royal Naval College, Dartmouth," if the Cadet is at Dartmouth, or "The Commanding Officer, H. M. S. . . . , c/o G. P. O., London," if the Cadet is serving afloat, and not to the Captain by name.

Parents or guardians of Cadets must inform the Admiralty and the Commanding Officer of the College or the ship in which the Cadet is serving of any permanent change of residence without delay.

CURRICULUM.

32. While the course at the College is designed to meet the special needs of a naval officer, it is far from being purely vocational. The allocation of class periods to subjects is approximately as follows:—

Mathematics, pure and applied	..	..	..	6
Science, with laboratory work	..	..	..	6
Engineering	..	..	4 (or 2 in the first 4 terms)	
French	..	..	..	4
History, including Naval History	..	..	..	2
English	..	..	..	3
Geography	..	..	2 (in the first 4 terms)	
Scripture	..	..	..	2
Seamanship	..	..	..	2
Navigation and Pilotage (in the last year)	..	..	..	2 or 3
Drill and Physical Training	..	..	..	2

Also one period a week during the first seven terms is given up to lectures on "Special Subjects" outside the ordinary curriculum.

33. A Cadet's place in his term is decided partly by marks for current work and partly by examination at the end of term. After examination at the end of the eighth term, the ablest Cadets are selected to take during their last year a course of study different in some respects from that given to all other Cadets. This group of selected Cadets, called the Alpha Class, is organized to afford greater opportunities for private study together with a limited choice of subjects in which rather more advanced work may be attempted. Cadets in the Alpha Class do not take the ordinary papers in the Passing-out Examination except in Seamanship, Navigation and Engineering, but if their work in all subjects proves satisfactory, they are awarded First Classes.

PASSING OUT.

34. The Passing-out Examination is representative of all subjects studied at the College, with the exception of Religious Knowledge and the "Special Subjects," which do not form part of the official examination. Marks for work done during previous terms are combined with the marks directly awarded in the examination.

First, Second and Third Classes will be awarded, and the class obtained in passing out from the College counts afterwards towards promotion to the rank of Sub-Lieutenant, promotion being accelerated according to the following scale:—

For a First Class	..	..	2 months
For a Second Class	..	..	1 month

The amount of time awarded is subject to revision.

ADMIRALTY PRIZES.

35. The following is a list of the Admiralty prizes for Cadets at Dartmouth:—

Robert Roxburgh Prize.—Books, accoutrements, &c., to the value of £15 awarded each term to the Cadet who obtains the highest place in his term on passing out.

Graham Naval History Prize.—Books, instruments, accoutrements, &c., to the value of £6 : 6 : 0, awarded to the Cadet of the 8th, 9th or 10th Term who obtains the highest place in a voluntary examination (usually held in the Easter Term) on a special book or period of Naval History.

Harold Tennyson Prize.—Books to the value of about 3*l.* 10*s.*, awarded each term to the Cadet of the 9th Term who comes out first in an examination in English Literature.

Passing Out.—Two prizes each, one for the Alpha Class and one for the rest, for Mathematics, French, Science, History and English; one prize each for Scripture, Engineering, Navigation and Seamanship.

Tenth Term.—One prize for Scripture Repetition.

Ninth Term.—One prize for Navigation.

Eighth and Seventh Terms.—One prize each for Mathematics, French, Engineering, Science, Scripture, Seamanship, History and English.

Sixth and Fifth Terms.—One prize each for Mathematics, French, Science, History, English, Scripture Repetition, Grand Aggregate and Geography.

Special prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Headmaster for work of outstanding merit during the course.

WITHDRAWAL.

36. Cadets may be required to withdraw at any time, if, in the opinion of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty—

- (1) They fail to reach a satisfactory standard, or
- (2) Their conduct is unsatisfactory, or
- (3) They are unsuitable for the naval service.

Parents or guardians may also be requested to withdraw Cadets from the College if payment of fees, &c., is not made promptly in accordance with these regulations.

37. It is to be distinctly understood that the period of training, including the time spent as a Cadet in a seagoing ship, is a time of probation, and that the parent or guardian of a Cadet is required to withdraw him immediately, on the receipt of an official request for his withdrawal.

38. When a Cadet is found to be making insufficient progress, a letter is sent to his parent or guardian, warning him of the possibility of having to withdraw the Cadet unless a marked improvement takes place. This warning is generally issued a term in advance, to enable the parent provisionally to make other arrangements for continuing the boy's education in case his withdrawal should become necessary.

By command of their Lordships,

ADMIRALTY.

R. H. A. CARTER.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSIONS IN THE ROYAL NAVY.

With a view to preventing candidates who may be physically unfit for His Majesty's Service from incurring the inconvenience and expense of preparing for commissions in the Royal Navy, it is suggested that they undergo examination by the medical adviser of the family, or any other qualified medical practitioner, to whom the following list of defects which cause rejection may be submitted for guidance.

It is to be understood that this private examination is merely suggested as a guide for intending candidates and to lessen the chances of disappointment, and that it is by no means intended to take the place of, or to influence in any way, the regular official physical examination.

1. A weak constitution, imperfect development, physical weakness, either hereditary or from chronic disease, wounds, or injuries.

2. Skin disease, unless temporary or trivial.

3. Malformation of the head, deformity from fracture or depression of the bones of the skull, impaired intellect, epilepsy, paralysis, or impediment of speech.

4. Squint, deformity, or any chronic disease of the eye or eyelids.

Candidates for Cadetships at the Royal Naval College, Dartmouth, must possess distant vision, Snellen, 6/6 and near vision, Snellen, D = 0.5 (Jaeger, 1) in each eye tested separately without glasses. The limits of hypermetropia permissible (under homatropine) are:—*In the better eye*, Hypermetropia, 1.5 dioptré. Simple hypermetropic astigmatism, 0.75 dioptré. Compound hypermetropic astigmatism: The error in the more hypermetropic meridian must not exceed 1.5 dioptré of which not more than 0.75 dioptré may be due to astigmatism.

In the worse eye, Hypermetropia, 2.5 dioptries. Simple hypermetropic astigmatism, 1.0 dioptr. Compound hypermetropic astigmatism, 2.5 dioptries in the meridian of greater error, of which not more than 1.0 dioptr. may be due to astigmatism.

The fields of vision must be normal.

Colour vision. The minimum standard acceptable is Grade I as defined in Medical Research Council, Special Report Series, No. 185 (H. M. Stationery Office).

5. Impaired hearing, or discharge from one or both ears, or any disease of the external, middle, or internal ear.

6. Disease of the bones of the nose, or of its cartilages, nasal polypus, or disease of the naso-pharynx.

7. Disease of the throat, tongue, palate, or tonsils; many unsound or functionless teeth,* deformity of the jaws resulting in inefficient occlusion of the teeth, unhealthy gums, disease of the glands of the throat or neck external cicatrices, if at all extensive, and especially if adherent.

8. Functional or organic disease of the heart or blood vessels, deformity or contraction of the chest, or any symptom of lung disease or tendency thereto.

9. Undue swelling or distension of the abdomen, obesity, disease or enlargement of the abdominal organs. Rupture, weakness or distension of the abdominal rings; any disease of the bladder or incontinence of urine.

10. The existence of any serious defect of the genital organs, or of varicocele, when it clearly forms or is likely to form a serious impediment to the efficient performance of duty, e.g., when it is associated with varicose veins or piles.

11. Paralysis, weakness, impaired motion, or deformity of the upper or lower extremities, from whatever cause; a varicose state of the veins, especially of the leg. Bunions, distortion or malformation of the hands, feet, fingers or toes.

12. Distortion of the spine, of the bones of the chest, or pelvis, from injury or constitutional defect.

No person will be admitted into His Majesty's Service unless he has been vaccinated or re-vaccinated during the last five years.

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* i.e.—Seven teeth missing or irreparable in persons under 17 years of age on the date of entry, ten missing or irreparable in persons above the age of 17; a tooth is considered irreparable if it cannot obviously be made permanently serviceable by dental repair. Credit may be given for teeth which have not erupted, provided failure to erupt is not due to abnormality. Candidates must, however, possess a sufficient number of sound opposing molars and incisors to ensure an efficient masticating area. The numbers given above are intended as a general guide only.

The subjects for the Special Entry examination of Naval Cadets are under revision and candidates for the November, 1940, examination should be advised to obtain the latest information from the Civil Service Commission or from the Admiralty.

By His Excellency's command,

M. M. WEDDERBURN,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 4, 1940.

M. L. A.—B 406/L. D.—B 63/38

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE.

BY-LAW made by the Kurunegala Urban District Council under sections 164 and 168 of the Local Government Ordinance (Chapter 195), approved by the Local Government Board and confirmed by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said section 164.

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

Colombo, December 28, 1939.

BY-LAW.

The by-laws relating to pensions and gratuities published in *Gazette* No. 8,181 of December 13, 1935, as amended by by-law published in *Gazette* No. 8,384 of July 29, 1938, are hereby further amended as follows:—

- (1) in by-law 13, by the omission of the Proviso to paragraph (1) of that by-law; and
- (2) by the addition, immediately after by-law 16, of the following new by-law (17):—

" 17. (1) The Council may, with the approval of the Governor, pay a gratuity in accordance with the provisions of this by-law to the widow or to the children or to the dependants of any officer or servant who dies in the service of the Council after he has completed five years' public service as defined in by-law 13 (2) and while he is in receipt of a salary of not less than Rs. 360 per annum.

(2) (a) In the case of any officer or servant referred to in paragraph (1) who was holding a post on the fixed establishment of the Council at the time of his death, the gratuity payable under this by-law shall be a sum equal to twelve times the monthly salary drawn by him in respect of that post at that time.

(b) In the case of any officer or servant referred to in paragraph (1) who was not on the fixed establishment of the Council at the time of his death, the gratuity payable under this by-law shall be a sum equal to three times the monthly

salary of the post held by him at that time, and an additional sum equal to such monthly salary for each minor child surviving him: Provided however that such additional sum shall not be payable in respect of more than nine such minor children in any one case.

(c) In the case of any officer or servant referred to in paragraph (1) who was holding a post on the fixed establishment of the Council at the time of his death but was in receipt of a salary of less than Rs. 360 per annum, the gratuity payable under this by-law shall be a sum equal to three times the monthly salary drawn by him in respect of that post at that time, and an additional sum equal to such monthly salary for each minor child surviving him; Provided however that such additional sum shall not be payable in respect of more than nine such minor children in any one case.

(3) The gratuity shall be payable—

(a) where the widow of the deceased officer or servant survives him, to such widow, whether or not there is any child of such widow surviving him; or

(b) where the widow, whether with or without children, and also children by a previous marriage of the deceased officer or servant, survive him, to the widow and to the children of such previous marriage in such manner and in such proportion as the Council may determine; or

(c) where there is no widow surviving, to the children of the deceased officer or servant in such manner and in such proportion as the Council may determine; or

(d) where there is no widow or child of the deceased officer or servant surviving him, to the dependants who were living with and maintained by him at the time of his death.

(4) Where any child, to whom the amount of any gratuity or share of a gratuity is payable under this by-law, is a minor, such amount may be paid to some person approved by the Council, for the use and benefit of such child."

M. L. A.—B 1766/L. D.—B 202/39

THE VEHICLES ORDINANCE.

REGULATION under section 16 of the Vehicles Ordinance (Chapter 155), made for the town or place within the administrative limits of the Kegalla Urban District Council, by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said section.

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

Colombo, December 28, 1939.

REGULATION.

When any solo pedal cycle is being ridden or wheeled along by any person on any highway—

- (1) he shall not carry any other person on such cycle ; and
- (2) no other person shall cause or permit himself to be carried on such cycle.

G 2346/L. D.—B 50/33

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 49 (3) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), that the following by-laws under section 49 (2) (iii) of the Ordinance, made severally by the Village Committees of those village areas of the Kalutara District which are set out in the schedule hereunder, have been approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration and confirmed by the Governor.

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

Colombo, January 5, 1940.

SCHEDULE.

Village areas of—

Kumbukke pattu
Udugaha pattu.
Munwattelage pattu.
Adikari pattu.
Panadure and Talpitibaddas.
Waddu and Waskadubaddas.
Kalutara, Paiyagal, and Maggonbaddas.
Beruwal, Alutgam, and Malewanbaddas.
Meegama, Iittapana, and Welipenna Vidane Arachchis' Divisions.
Horawala, Dodangoda, and Matugama Vidane Arachchis' Divisions.
Gangaboda pattu.
Maha pattu (north and south).

By-laws.

CAPITATION TAX.

Exemption.

1. (1) The following classes of persons are hereby exempted from the liability to pay the capitation tax :—
 - (a) accredited priests or ministers of any religious denomination,
 - (b) members of the Ceylon Defence Force,
 - (c) Railway Telegraph linesmen, and
 - (d) persons over 55 years of age.

(2) Any person who has paid the land tax imposed by the Committee for any year shall, from the date of such payment, be exempt from the liability to pay the capitation tax for that year.

Preparation of Lists.

2. The person or persons authorized in that behalf in writing by the Chairman, shall on or before December 1 in each year, prepare in such form as may be specified by the Chairman, a list of all persons resident within the village area who are liable to pay the capitation tax for the next succeeding year.

3. The chief occupier of every house shall, whenever required by the Chairman or by any duly authorized person, fill in to the best of his knowledge any form supplied to him for the purposes of the preparation of the list, or furnish all such information, written or oral, as may be required, relating to the number of persons resident in the house (including the householder himself), and the name, age and race, and other particulars of each such person,

4. The list prepared in each year shall be kept at the office of the Village Committee or at any other suitable place appointed by the Chairman and shall be open for inspection to the public from December 1 to 31 of that year.

5. Any person whose name is included in the list may by a written statement addressed to the Chairman on or before January 31 next succeeding, object to the inclusion of his name in the list on the ground that he is not a voter, or that he has ceased to be resident in the village, or that he is exempted by by-law 1 from the liability to pay the capitation tax. The Chairman shall, after holding such inquiry as he may consider necessary, make such order as may seem to him just.

6. Any person not already exempted under by-law 1 may, on or before February 15, make a written application to the Chairman for exemption from the liability to pay the capitation tax for that year. The Chairman may exempt such person from such liability for that year, or for life, or for such other period as he may think fit, on the ground that such person is by reason of bodily infirmity or disease, incapable of performing labour.

7. The list shall be revised in accordance with the orders made by the Chairman under by-law 5, and with the exemptions granted under by-law 6, and shall be certified under the hand of the Chairman on or before March 1, as the final list of the persons liable to pay the capitation tax for that year.

Annual Programme of Works.

8. (1) The Committee shall at a meeting to be held on or before March 15 in each year—

- (a) prepare a programme of all the items of work which have to be constructed or maintained during that year ;
- (b) determine the number of days for which each person included in the final list should be called upon to perform labour for that year in payment of the capitation tax due from him ;
- (c) determine the rate, not exceeding fifty cents in respect of each day, at which the labour due from any person may be commuted by payment of money.

(2) Notice of the matters determined by the Committee under paragraph (1), shall be published by the Chairman as soon as may be, by beat of tom-tom in the village area and by the exhibition of written notices in conspicuous places in that area.

9. In the case of any item of work not included in the programme referred to in by-law 8 (1) any person included in the final list may be called upon to contribute labour for an additional period, but so however, that the total period for which any one person may be called upon to perform labour in any year does not exceed ten days.

Commutation of Tax.

10. Any person whose name is in the final list prepared for any year may commute his liability to perform labour for that year by making payment of money on or before March 31 of that year at the rate determined by the Committee under by-law 8 (1).

11. Not less than one week before the date appointed by the Chairman for the commencement of any item of work, information shall be given in the village area by beat of tom-tom, and by the exhibition of written notices under the hand of the Chairman, specifying the place at which the work is to be done, the persons who are required to perform the labour necessary, the number of days for which each person has to contribute labour and the hours of work on each such day. The persons required to contribute labour may be described in the notice either by name or as inhabitants of any specified village or part of a village or group of villages.

12. (1) Every person who elects to commute his liability to perform labour by making payment of money shall pay the money to such officer and at such place as may for the time being be appointed by the Committee.

(2) A written receipt in such form as may be provided for the purpose by the Committee shall be issued under the hand of the officer to whom such payment is made.

Performance of Labour.

13. Every person whose name appears in the final list referred to in by-law 7 and who has not commuted his liability to perform labour, shall attend with such implements and tools as may be necessary and perform labour on the days and at the time and place specified in such notice as may be issued, exhibited or published by the Chairman in that behalf.

Performance or Commutation of Double Labour.

14. Every person who fails to perform labour on any day on which he is required to do so by by-law 13, shall be deemed to be in default on that day and shall be liable to

perform double labour, that is to say, labour for two days in respect of each day for which he is in default.

15. Any person who is liable to perform double labour may commute his liability to perform such double labour by making payment of money at the rate determined under by-law 8 (1): Provided that no person shall be permitted to make payment of money in commutation of the liability to perform such double labour after the expiry of a period of one month from the earliest day in respect of which he is in default.

16. Every person who is liable to perform double labour under by-law 14 and has not made payment in commutation thereof under by-law 15 shall attend with such implements and tools as may be necessary and perform labour on such days and at such time and place as may be specified in a notice which shall be issued by the Chairman. Such notice shall not require any person to perform labour for any period exceeding in length the total number of days for which such person is liable to perform labour under by-law 14.

17. In these by-laws—

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee;

“Committee” means the Village Committee;

“list” means the list of persons liable to pay the capitation tax in a village area.

18. The rules published by Notification dated March 24, 1934, in *Gazette* No. 8,042 of April 6, 1934, and deemed to be by-laws by virtue of the provisions of section 20 (1) of the Village Communities Amendment Ordinance, No. 60 of 1938, are hereby amended under the heading “sub-sections (25), (26), and (27)—Labour” by the rescission of rules 1 to 13.

L. D.—B 125/34

THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in the Governor by section 33 of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance (Chapter 181) and delegated to the Executive Committee of Health by order under Article 94 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, published in *Gazette* No. 8,211 of April 3, 1936, the Executive Committee of Health has, on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Village Committee of the Hanwella Medapattu village area, approved of the provision of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of a burial ground, and of the use of that land as a burial ground by Munagamage Don Hendrick and the members of his family.

The Ministry of Health,
Colombo, January 8, 1940.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

SCHEDULE.

Part of an allotment of land called Beruketiyamukalana, situated at Horagala village in Meda pattuwa in Hewagam korale, Colombo District, Western Province; containing in extent 2 roods and shown in plan No. 2,886 dated February 9, 1938, prepared by Mr. James O. Orr, Licensed Surveyor, and bounded as follows:—

North by land purchased by M. Siman Fernando and presently of B. Abraham Silva.

East by Mala Dala (portion of Beruketiyamukalana).

South and west by portion of Beruketiyamukalana.

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Colombo, January 8, 1940.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

SCHEDULE.

An allotment of the land called Ingingahawatta *alias* Mahapelawatta, situated at Pamburana West, within the Four Gravets of Matara, Southern Province; containing in extent 34·11/16 perches and shown as lot E in the survey plan No. 1,716 (dated September 9, 1911), prepared by Mr. L. G. Pereira, Licensed Surveyor, and bounded as follows:—

North by lot D of the same land.

East by cart road.

South by lot F of the same land, and

West by Thambugewatta claimed by Dona Francina Nanayakkara.

L. D.—B 125/34

THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in the Governor by section 33 of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance (Chapter 181) and delegated to the Executive Committee of Health by order under Article 94 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, published in *Gazette* No. 8,211 of April 3, 1936, the Executive Committee of Health has, on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Assistant Government Agent, Matara, approved of the provision of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of a burial ground, and of the use of that land as a burial ground by Muhandiram Arumabaduge Mathias de Silva Amarasuriya, the members of his family and their descendants.

Colombo, January 8, 1940.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

SCHEDULE.

An allotment of land called Ingingahawatta *alias* Mahapelawatta, situated at Pamburana West within the Four Gravets of Matara, Southern Province; containing in extent 34·11/16 perches and shown as lot F in the survey plan No. 1,717 (dated September 9, 1911), prepared by Mr. L. G. Pereira, Licensed Surveyor, and bounded as follows:—

North by lot E of the same land.

East by cart road.

South by lot G of the same land.

West by Thambugewatta claimed by Dona Francina Nanayakkara.

L. D.—B 125/34

THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in the Governor by section 33 of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance (Chapter 181) and delegated to the Executive Committee of Health by order under Article 94 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, published in *Gazette* No. 8,211 of April 3, 1936, the Executive Committee of Health has, on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Village Committee of the Otara palata village area in the Chilaw District, approved of the provision of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of a burial ground, and of the use of that land as a burial ground by S. E. Kurera of Gonawila in Otara palata central of Pitigal korale south, Chilaw District, and the members of his family.

The Ministry of Health,
Colombo, January 8, 1940.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

SCHEDULE.

An allotment of land called a divided portion of Kahatagahena (lot marked A in plan No. 1,551), situated at Gonawila in Otara palata central of Pitigal korale south, Chilaw District, North-Western Province; containing in extent 11·5 perches shown in plan No. 1,629 of November 23, 1936, drawn by Moses Waas, Licensed Surveyor, Nainamadama; and bounded on the north and west by the remaining portion of Kahatagahena marked A in plan No. 1,551 of March 25, 1935, drawn by Moses Waas, east by road reservation separating a portion of the same land belonging to S. Miguel Kurera, and south by a portion of Kahatagahena marked B in plan No. 1,551.

L. D.—B 56/33

THE QUARANTINE AND PREVENTION OF
DISEASES ORDINANCE.

REGULATION made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by sections 2 and 3 of the Quarantine and Prevention of Diseases Ordinance (Chapter 173).

By His Excellency's command,

Colombo, January 8, 1940. W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

REGULATION.

The Regulations made under sections 4 and 5 (now sections 2 and 3) of the Quarantine and Prevention of Diseases Ordinance (Chapter 173), and published in *Gazette* No. 8,029 of January 26, 1934, as last amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 8,561 of December 22, 1939, are hereby further amended in item 7D of the Schedule thereto as follows:—

(a) by the renumbering of paragraph (ii.) as paragraph (iii.);

(b) by the insertion, immediately after paragraph (i.), of the following new paragraph:—

“(ii.) Use of Circuit Bungalow—

	Rs.	c.	
(a) For each person of the age of 12 years or over	For a period not exceeding 6 hours	1	0
	For a period exceeding 6 hours and not exceeding 24 hours	2	0
	For each additional period of 6 hours or part thereof beyond the period of 24 hours	0	50
(b) For each person over 3 years of age and under 12 years	For a period not exceeding 6 hours	0	50
	For a period exceeding 6 hours and not exceeding 24 hours	1	0
	For each additional period of 6 hours or part thereof beyond the period of 24 hours	0	25
(c) Infants of the age of 3 years or under			Free

(c) by the substitution in the Note to that item for the figure “(i)”, of the following:—“(i) and (ii).”

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D., Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M. on Wednesday, January 31, 1940, for the Reconstruction of the Jaffna Obelisk Light.

Tenders must be sent in duplicate under one registered cover (each copy being separately sealed) on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, Jaffna District, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, January 26, 1940, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for works of this type.

The amount of tender deposit is Rs. 25.

No tender deposit will be returned until the plans and specification issued with the tender form have been returned to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

Public Works Office, C. H. BRADLEY,
Colombo, January 9, 1940. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, Northern Division, P. W. D., Jaffna, will receive separate tenders up to 11 A.M. on January 31, 1940, for the following services:—

(a) Maintenance of Government Buildings, Jaffna, in area “A” within the U. D. C. limits of Jaffna Town during the calendar year 1940.

(b) Maintenance of Government Buildings, Jaffna, in area “B” within the U. D. C. limits of Jaffna Town, together with the buildings at Kopay, Tinnevely, and Mandaitivu in the Jaffna District during the calendar year 1940.

(c) Maintenance of Government Buildings within the U. D. C. limits of Trincomalee within the calendar year 1940.

2. Each tender must be sent in duplicate under one registered cover (each copy being separately sealed) on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineers concerned from whom all particulars and information can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on January 26, 1940, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. register of contractors registered for works of this type.

4. The amount of tender deposit is Rs. 25 in each case.

Public Works Office, C. H. BRADLEY,
Colombo, January 9, 1940. for Director of Public Works.

L. D.—B 9/30

THE MEDICAL WANTS ORDINANCE.

RULE made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 32 (1) of the Medical Wants Ordinance (Chapter 176).

By His Excellency's command,

Colombo, January 8, 1940. W. A. DE SILVA,
Minister for Health.

RULE.

The rules under section 32 (1) of the Medical Wants Ordinance (Chapter 176), published in *Gazette* No. 6,549 of February 21, 1913, as last amended by rule published in *Gazette* No. 8,415 of November 25, 1938, are hereby further amended in rule 3A under the heading “Notes.—Mileage”, by the substitution, for all the words from “Mileage to be paid” to “rate of 25 cents a mile”, of the following:—

“Mileage will be paid according to rates shown in Financial Regulations as revised by Government from time to time in accordance with the mode of conveyance used, for the actual distance travelled in that conveyance. It will be charged proportionately if two or more calls are paid in the distance claimed for.”

Tenders for Supply of Batalees.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of Batalees delivered at Welikada Prison, Colombo, as per particulars given below for a period of eight months from February 1, 1940, to September 30, 1940:—

Batalees for Welikada Prison:—Fresh cut, straight, and suitable for tat-making and not less than 15 feet in length with a minimum girth of 2½ inches throughout.

Tenders should reach Prison Headquarters (Branch Prison Industries), Colombo, not later than midday on January 31, 1940. Quotations should be made on the prescribed printed forms, obtainable on application and on production of Treasury or Kachcheri receipt for the sum of Rs. 5 being tender deposit, from the under-signed from whom all particulars relating to the conditions of the contract may be obtained.

Prison Headquarters, C. C. SCHOEMAN,
(Branch Prison Industries), Inspector-General of Prisons.
Colombo, January 8, 1940.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.**The Ceylon Ice and Cold Storage Company, Limited
(In Liquidation).**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Ceylon Ice & Cold Storage Company, Limited (in Liquidation), will be held at the Office of the Liquidator, Times of Ceylon Building, Main street, Colombo, on Saturday, January 20, 1940, at 11 A.M.

Business.

"To receive and, if thought fit, adopt the accounts of the Liquidator for the year ended at December 12, 1939."

M. J. HARDING,
Liquidator.

Colombo, January 5, 1940.

Globe Motors, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Office No. 103, Turret road, Colpetty, Colombo, on January 20, 1940, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the 12 months ended April 30, 1939.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
4. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,

L. G. PERERA,
Secretary.

Colombo, January 12, 1940.

In the District Court of Kandy.

X 236. In the matter of a petition for the winding up under section 164 of No. 51 of 1938 of the Mutual Loan Agency

The Mutual Loan Agency Petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company is directed to be heard before the District Court of Kandy, on January 24, 1940, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and any member, creditor or contributory desirous to support or oppose the making of an order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing in person or by Counsel for that purpose. A copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor member or contributory of the said Association requiring same by the Secretary of the District Court of Kandy, on payment of the regulated charge of the same.

E. CARTHIGASER,
Proctor for Petitioner.

Kandy, January 9, 1940.

Auction Sale.

A Splendid Bungalow bearing Assessment No. 13 and Building Site situated along 60th Lane off Hampden Lane, Wellawatta, Colombo.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me by the District Court of Colombo, in Case No. 10,911(M), I shall put up for sale by public auction at the spot, commencing at 5 P.M. on Saturday, February 3, 1940:—

(1) Lot C the bungalow and premises bearing assessment No. 13, situated along 60th lane off Hampden lane in Wellawatta, being bounded on the north by lot A, on the east by lot F (reservation for road 30 feet wide), on the south by 60th lane, and on the west by lots 149 and 147, containing in extent 31.70 perches.

(2) The lot D (a splendid building site) being bounded on the north by lot B, on the east by ditch, on the south by 60th lane, and on the west by lot F (reservation for road 30 feet wide); and containing in extent 30.56 perches (subject however to such rights if any over the said lot F being a road reservation 30 feet wide granted to the owners for the time being of lots marked A and B.)

The above two properties belong to Bentotage Eusina Fernando and Wannapurage Gomanis Fernando (wife and husband) both of 57th lane, Wellawatta, Colombo.

For further particulars please apply to S. Somasundaram, Esq., Proctor and Notary, 381, Dam street, Colombo, or—

No. 145, Norris road,
Colombo.

R. C. Mc HEYZER,
Auctioneer and Broker.

Correction.**Notice.**

In the District Court of Colombo.

The Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation of Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 1,320.

Vs.

(1) Euphemia Grace Millicent Senanayake of Colombo, and (2) Don Stephen Senanayake of Colombo, Administrators of the ~~late~~ ^{estate of the late} Don Charles Senanayake Defendants.

WITH reference to the Sale Notice which appeared in the Government Gazette of December 22, 1939, please take notice that the name of the deceased "Don Carolis Senanayake" as appeared therein should read as "Don Charles Senanayake".

J. G. VANDERSMAGT,

Auctioneer and Commissioner.

20, Baillie street,
Colombo,

**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in D. C., Colombo,
Case No. 11,058/M.**

I shall sell by public auction the following property belonging to the defendant, Abdul Latiff Marikar Abdul Sameem on Saturday, February 3, 1940, at the spot, at 4 P.M., for the recovery of the amount of decree.

All that allotment of land with the buildings standing thereon bearing ~~the~~ ^{the} assessment No. 37, and presently No. 29, situated along Market street in Pettah Ward within the Colombo Municipality in extent 155/100 perches.

Full particulars from R. Muttusamy, Proctor, Supreme Court.

M. C. CONIAH,

Auctioneer and Broker.

221, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale.

Valuable Properties at Forbes Road, Maradana and Nugegoda.

UNDER commission in case No. 11,193/M.D.C., Colombo, on February 9, 1940, at their respective spots, at 4 P.M.:—
Lot A defined portion of Hedawalagahawatta with trees and plantations at ~~the~~ ^{the} present No. 22, Jambugahamulla road (Nugegoda), in extent 28 perches. At 5 p.m.—From and out of Doewewatta, all that divided portion, premises No. 24, Forbes road, Maradana, Colombo, in extent 12 92/100 perches. For the recovery of the amount of the decree from the defendants—(1) Siddi-aratchige Seelawathie and 2 others. See Handbills for full particulars.

21, Belmont street,
Hulftsdorp.

A. P. KOELMEYER,
Commissioner.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undernoted packages which have been lying in the Baggage Office, Canal Yard and Indian Goods Shed beyond the time allowed bylaw, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, January 30, 1940, from 1.30 P.M. onwards previously cleared. All goods sold but not cleared within three clear days after approval of sale will become liable to the payment of rent at the rates prescribed in the Customs Tariff.

Baggage Office.—Serial No. 2,724, Gloucester, 1 parcel containing two tins sardines; serial No. 3,131, 1 Ukelele; serial No. 4,481, Orion, 1 parcel picture post cards; serial No. 4,722, Manila Maru, 1 packet safety matches; serial No. 7,173, Norden, 1 package containing 3 tins cigarettes; serial No. 7,312, 1 package containing 2 lb. tea; serial No. 4,761, 1 parcel containing 7 opals, 1 blue sapphire and 3 emeralds.

Canal Yard.—Serial No. 423, Derbyshire, 12 earthenware pipes, 5 pieces tubes; serial No. 426, 1 lot hoop iron, 1 lot round bars, 20 steel sheets, 1 galvanized sheet, 2 flat bars iron, 3 steel sheets, 2 bundles angles, 1 galvanized pipe, 14 round bars iron, 1 flat bar iron, 1 lot ceiling boards, 1 lot asbestos sheets.

Indian Goods Shed.—Serial No. 53, invoice 1 of June 19, 1939, 1 bundle tobacco; serial No. 36, W. B. 36/54 of April 30, 1939, 2 cases films; serial No. 77, W. B. 52/113 of July 10, 1939, 1 parcel tools.

No. P. O. 328,
H. M. Customs,
Colombo, January 8, 1940.

C. J. OORLOFF,
for Principal Collector.

THE MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE, No. 45 OF 1938.

List of Applications for Licences for Omnibuses and Lorries.

IN terms of section 46 (1) (b) of the Motor Car Ordinance, No. 45 of 1938, as amended by Ordinance No. 38 of 1939, a notice of applications for licences for omnibuses and lorries for 1940 is published hereunder for general information.

Provisions of section 46 (2) (a) and (b) and of section 46 (4) of the Motor Car Ordinance apply to objections against the issue of licences.

Objections must be made to the Commissioner of Motor Transport, Colombo, in the manner prescribed by the following regulations (published in *Government Gazette* No. 8,533 of October 20, 1939), so as to be received by him not later than 3 P.M. ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1940. Any objection not conforming to these requirements will not be considered.

“ Regulation 1.—Every objection in respect of an application for a licence for an omnibus or lorry shall be made by a written statement on good and suitable paper which shall be signed by the person making the objection. Where the objection is made by anybody corporate or firm it shall be signed by a person duly authorized in that behalf by such body or a partner of that firm, as the case may be.

Regulation 2.—Every objection shall be made in duplicate and the original shall, where the objection is made by any person other than a licensing authority, bear stamps to the value of Rs. 2.50.

Regulation 3.—Every statement of objection shall set out the specific grounds on which the objection is based and shall indicate, by reference to the name of the applicant for the licence and to the distinctive number of the motor car, the application in respect of which the objection is made.

Regulation 4.—No objection relating to more than one motor car shall be made in any one statement of objection.”

N.B.—If the application is for an omnibus or lorry “under construction” the serial number given to the application in the list should also be quoted.

Office of the Commissioner of Motor Transport,
Colombo, January 9, 1940.

J. N. ARUMUGAM,
Commissioner of Motor Transport.

Applications for Licences for Buses.

Serial No.	Distinctive No.	Name and Address of Applicant.	Proposed Routes.
2211	Under construction	W. M. Munasinghe, Katunayaka	Colombo to Hunupitiya <i>via</i> Wattala
2212	Do.	do.	do.
2213	Do.	W. P. Darlis de Silva, Kandegoda, Ambalangoda	Colombo to Galle. (To replace X 5263)
2214	Do.	G. J. Perera, Melsiripura, Kurunegala	Kurunegala to Dambulla. (To replace A 3188)
2215	Do.	M. H. Nandoris, Padupola, Ginigathhena.	Kitulgala, Hatton, and Maskeliya
2216	X 9927	M. E. de Silva, Field View, Katugastota road, Kandy	Kandy-Galagedera-Kurunegala
2217	Under construction	D. W. Gunasekara, Katunayaka	Pamunugama to Colombo
2218	H 821	L. R. Thomas Appuhamy, Matammama, Minuwangoda	Gampaha to Rambawewa <i>via</i> Minuwangoda, Giriulla, Narammala
2219	Z 3243	B. M. Rodrigo & Co., 24, Symond's road, Maradana	Fort to Mount Lavinia
2220	Z 3610	do.	do.
2221	Z 3304	do.	do.
2222	Z 4234	do.	Lotus road to Modera
2223	Z 3356	do.	Fort to Mount Lavinia
2224	Under construction	H. Podiappuhamy, Golahela, Kegalla	Kegalla-Aranayaka
2225	Do.	do.	Kegalla-Bulathkohupitiya
2226	Z 5873	B. D. S. Gunasekara, Munagama, Horara	Horana-Colombo <i>via</i> Kesbewa
2227	Under construction	A. Rengon <i>c/o</i> A. K. Karupiah, Napalaboka, Luckylana, Uda Pussellawa	Highforest-Nanuoya (with Nuwara Eliya, Kirklees branch)
2228	Z 2751	W. William Silva, Alutgama, Bentota	Alutgama-Kalutara
2229	Under construction	D. V. Amarasekara, 40, Bloemendahl road, Colombo	Colombo-Negombo. (To replace L 725)
2230	Z 1898	B. M. Rodrigo & Co., 24, Symond's road, Maradana	Fort to Mount Lavinia
2231	Z 4507	do.	do.
2232	Under construction	do.	Kadawata to Colombo <i>via</i> Dalupitiya, Wattala
2233	Do.	do.	Wattala to Dalupitiya
2234	Do.	do.	Kadawata to Wattala <i>via</i> Dalupitiya
2235	X 3678	do.	Gasworks street to Peliyagoda
2236	X 3677	do.	do.
2237	Z 6786	do.	Fort to Mount Lavinia
2238	Z 6785	do.	do.
2239	Z 2406	N. Thanmavarathar, Chunnakam	Jaffna to Chunnakam and Keerimalai
2240	Under construction	H. B. S. de Silva, Weraduwa, Matara	Matara-Hakmana. (To replace L 518)
2241	Do.	P. A. Wickramasuriya, Meddawatta, Matara	Galle-Batticaloa <i>via</i> Tissa and Bibile. (To replace L 623)
2242	Do.	A. D. B. de Silva, Denagama, Hakmana	Matara-Hakmana. (To replace L 724)
2243	Z 6674	B. D. S. Gunasekara, Munagama, Horana	Horana-Colombo <i>via</i> Kesbewa
2244	Under construction	D. A. Seneviratne, Ratnagiri, Nuwara Eliya	Nuwara Eliya-Nanu-oya Nuwara Eliya-Uda Pussellawa, Kirklees. (To replace F 1652)
2245	Z 6241	M. Nicholas Fernando, Alfred Cottage, Tudella, Ja-ela	Colombo to Negombo <i>via</i> Ja-ela, Minuwangoda
2246	Under construction	G. Wimalasena, Wawinna, Pallegama, Wattegama	Hunasgiriya-Weragantota
2247	X 1752	B. M. Rodrigo & Co., 24, Symond's road, Maradana	Wattala to Dalupitiya
2248	R 211	K. W. Sahabandu, Unawatuna, Galle	Galle-Matara
2249	X 8972	W. C. Perera, Weliwita, Angoda	Colombo to Hanwella <i>via</i> Low Level road
2250	X 5929	do.	Colombo-Ratnapura <i>via</i> Low Level road
2251	S 623	W. C. Perera, Weliwita, Angoda	Colombo to Kaduwela <i>via</i> Low Level road

Serial No.	Distinctive No.	Name and Address of Applicant.	Proposed Routes.
2252	Under construction	D. T. Wijeyasingha, Weuda	Kandy to Kurunegala. (Replacement of Q 976)
2253	Do.	do.	Kandy-Kurunegala. (Replacement of Q 860)
2254	Do.	D. J. Balasuriya, Mawatagama, Kurunegala	Kurunegala-Galagedera-Kandy. (Replacement of D 3404)
2255	Do.	K. G. Charles, Golahela, Kegalla	Kegalla-Bulathkohupitiya
2256	Do.	do.	Kegalla-Avissawella
2257	U 1207	S. Thurajappah, Puliyaangoodal, Kayts	Velanai-Pannai
2258	I.C. 320	T. C. M. G. Bastian Cooray, Katukurunda, Kalutara	Colombo to Alutgama
2259	Under construction	B. M. Rodrigo & Co., 24, Symond's road, Maradana	Colombo to Hunupitiya <i>via</i> Wattala, Hunupitiya, Hendala road (from junction with Negombo road to Hunupitiya Railway Station)
2260	Do.	do.	Colombo to Hunupitiya <i>via</i> Wattala, Hunupitiya-Hendala road from junction with Negombo road to Hunupitiya Railway Station)
2261	Do.	S. Sithamparapillai, Sittampalam road, Anuradhapura	Anuradhapura-Jaffna, Anuradhapura-Trincomalee
2262	Do.	do.	Anuradhapura-Trincomalee
2263	Z 952	M. Jayasena, Peliyagoda, Kelaniya	Colombo-Nawagomuwa
2264	Z 1762	do.	do.
2265	X 5096	do.	do.
2266	X 6556	do.	do.
2267	Z 5035	do.	Colombo-Hanwella <i>via</i> Kaduwela
2268	Under construction	M. Benjamin Perera, 227, Egoda Kolonnawa	Gothatuwa. Kolonnawa <i>via</i> High Level road, Baseline road and Colombo
2269	A 2861	T. R. S. Fernando, Elson Cottage, Rawatawatta, Moratuwa	Egoda-Uyana to Ratmalana, Egoda-Uyana to Colombo
2270	Z 9412	G. Suddappu, Wetara, Polgasowita	Horana to Colombo <i>via</i> Kesbewa
2271	Under construction	Cyril Peterson, Janahita Hotel, Badulla	Bandarawela-Badulla and U. D. C. limits Badulla (Town service)
2272	Do.	L. D. Silva, c/o E. W. Godawela, Badulla	Bandarawela-Ettampitiya-Badulla <i>via</i> Uva Highlands
2273	Do.	A. P. Jinadasa, Bibile	Bibile-Batticaloa <i>via</i> Mahaoya, Chenkaladi, Padiyatalawa
2274	X 6752	V. G. D. Saris Obeysekera, Pottewela, Hakmana	Matara-Hakmana-Beliatta
2275	Z 6702	D. M. Wickrama Surendra, Station road, Matara	Matara-Beliatta-Tissa
2276	B 1305	W. D. Abraham Perera, Kirillawala	Colombo-Kurunegala <i>via</i> Ambepussa Kandy road
2277	X 662	W. P. Rosline Perera, Wennappuwa	Colombo-Chilaw-Puttalam
2278	Z 519	D. P. Peter Dias, Mulleriyawa, Angoda	Colombo-Ratnapura <i>via</i> Low Level road. (In replacement of Z 5873)
2279	Z 9502	D. S. Silva, 3rd Udayarthoppuwa, Negombo	Negombo-Colombo
2280	Under construction	D. A. H. Wijeyasinghe, Weuda	Kandy-Hataraliyadde <i>via</i> Galagedera. (To replace D 2659)
2281	X 9260	K. D. Michel Appuhamy, Mconamaldeniya, Kuliyaipitiya	Hettipola to Colombo <i>via</i> Madampe
2282	Z 3090	do.	do.
2283	Under construction	T. R. S. Fernando, Elson Cottage, Rawatawatta, Moratuwa	Koralawella-Kesbewa. (To replace E 653)
2284	D 2743	S. Wahab, Madawala, Wattagama	Kandy-Teldeniya <i>via</i> Katugastota
2285	A 1907	S. Sathasivam, Mathakal, Pandaterruppu	Jaffna-Pandaterruppu-Mathakal-Illavalai
2286	H 727	A. Mariampillai, Chankavai West, Pandaterruppu	do.
2287	V 991	D. M. Punchi Banda, Karamada, Geliyoa	Kandy-Gampola-Pupuressa
2288	Under construction	T. Arnolis Perera, Ginigathena	Ginigathena to Nawalapitiya to Norton Bridge
2289	Do.	S. A. Samarasinghe, Hettimulla, Kegalla	Kegalla to Avissawella. (To replace F 1631)
2290	X 9596	D. M. Wickremasinghe, Kiribathgoda, Kelaniya	Colombo-Yakwala
2291	X 7290	H. Wijeratne, Tappington, Katugastota road, Kandy	Kandy-Deanston <i>via</i> Katugastota. (To replace D 2462)
2292	Under construction	N. M. Sheriff Deen, Kotiyagalla, Bogawantalawa	Campion, Hatton, Maskeliya, Upcot. (In replacement of Z 5797)
2293	Do.	do.	Campion-Hatton. (In replacement of Z 2186)
2294	Do.	do.	Campion-Hatton-Maskeliya and Upcot. (In replacement of Z 4862)
2295	Do.	do.	Campion-Hatton. (In replacement of D 1715)
2296	Do.	do.	Campion-Hatton. (In replacement of D 2400)
2297	Z 4862	P. Palis Cooray, Bogawantalawa	Hatton-Campion, Hatton-Kintyre-Upcot
2298	Z 5797	do.	do.
2299	D 2400	do.	do.
2300	Z 2186	do.	do.
2301	X 5679	J. D. Babby Singho, Makandana, Kesbewa	Colombo-Kesbewa
2302	A 3103	M. James Appuhamy, Welipenna	Matugama-Alutgama
2303	Under construction	D. T. Wijeyasingha, Weuda	Rambodagalla-Kandy <i>via</i> Kurunegala. (In replacement of Q 931)
2304	Do.	do.	Rambodagalla-Kandy <i>via</i> Kurunegala. (In replacement of Q 930)
2305	X 4625	S. M. Sali Lebbe, Alawatugoda, Katugastota	Kandy-Ankumbura
2306	Z 5705	do.	Kandy-Ankumbura
2307	IC 44	D. A. Seneviratne, Ratnagiri, Nuwara Eliya	Kandy-Nuwara Eliya

Applications for Licences for Lorries.

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4023	Under construction	The Lunawa (Ceylon) Tea and Rubber Estates, Ltd., 14, Prince street, Fort, Colombo	All motorable roads in the Island
4024	X 5068	A. James Fernando, Horagasmulle, Divulapitiya	Colombo District North of Kelani river, and route Colombo to Rattota <i>via</i> Kurunegala, Galawela and Matale, Colombo to Anuradhapura <i>via</i> Puttalam
4025	Under construction	W. M. Munasinghe, Katunayaka	Colombo, Colombo District, Puttalam, and Chilaw Districts
4026	Z 5322	A. Simon Perera, Brandiyawatta, Kelaniya	Colombo District, Colombo-Badulla, and Colombo-Nuwara Eliya
4027	C 6170	C. S. Antony & Co., 651, Bloemendahl road, Colombo	Colombo city
4028	Z 4318	The Divisional Transportation Superintendent, C. G. K., Colombo	Within the Kurunegala and Colombo Districts and relief between stations in the event of railway traffic dislocation

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4029	Under construction	A. M. Y. Hadjar, Koddaimunai, Batticaloa	Batticaloa District, Batticaloa to Badulla <i>via</i> Bibile, Batticaloa to Moneragala <i>via</i> Bibile
4030	Z 9303	D. R. Hamilton, Superintendent, Oodoverre estate, Demodera	Uva Province and occasional trips on special permits from the licensing authority
4031	U 1714	The Uva Forwarding Agency, Badulla	All motorable roads in Uva, Eastern, Central, Sabaragamuwa, and Western Provinces. (To replace U 961)
4032	Z 2958	The D. A. D. S. T., Military Headquarters, Slave Island	Whole Island
	W. D. L. 22		
4033	Z 9167	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 20		
4034	Z 9168	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 21		
4035	Z 9204	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 26		
4036	Z 9187	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 30		
4037	9198	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 32		
4038	Z 9190	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 34		
4039	Z 9188	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 35		
4040	X 7875	do.	do.
	W. D. L. 42		
4041	Under construction	H. Muhandiram, Laxana Villa, Gongawela road, Matale	Kandy, Matale, Jaffna, and Nawalapitiya, Nuwara Eliya
4042	Do.	U. W. S. de Silva, 40, Trincomalee street, Matale	Matale District, and route Matale to Kurunegala, Matale to Anuradhapura, Habarana, Kekirawa, Elahera
4043	F 1620	V. C. Oosman, 4, Second Gabo's lane, Pettah, Colombo	Colombo District (Western Province)
4044	D 3484	H. James Appu, Thihagoda	Matara and Hambantota Districts and Matara to Colombo
4045	Under construction	N. A. V. Geedrick Alwis, Kalmunai	Batticaloa District to Colombo, Badulla, Wellawaya, Balangoda road to Colombo and Tissa road to Colombo
4046	Do.	D. J. Balasuriya, Mawatagama, Kurunegala	North-Western Province, Central Province, and the route from Kurunegala to Colombo <i>via</i> Alawwa
4047	Do.	M. S. N. Omerbatcha, Gampola	Central Province, route Colombo to Gampola
4048	Z 6956	E. D. Simon Singho, Horana	Colombo, Kalutara, and Ratnapura Districts
4049	Under construction	A. P. Janardana Palle, 319c, Idama, Moratuwa	Colombo District and Central Province route Colombo to Kandy <i>via</i> Kegalla
4050	Z 9341	The General Manager, A & E. Motor Transport, Ltd., Wattagama	Central Province and occasional running to Colombo
4051	X 4705	W. D. Obias Appuhamy, Kurugala, Padukka	Colombo District, Kalutara District, and Ratnapura District
4052	Z 202	R. Andirisappu, Mullaittivu, Jaffna District	Matara District to Hambantota, Mullaittivu District to Jaffna, Matara to Batticaloa <i>via</i> Ratnapura, Wellawaya
4053	Z 9418	K. R. L. P. L. Sockalingam Chettiyar, 292, Sea street, Colombo	Colombo to Uva Province <i>via</i> Ratnapura, extension to Hunupitiya and Kelaniya
4054	Under construction	M. P. Silva, Horampella Mills, Minuwangoda	North-Western Province and Colombo District
4055	X 6215	S. E. A. Silva, Andiambalama	Colombo District and routes Colombo to Chilaw and Colombo to Kurunegala, Panadura, Pannala
4056	D 2375	K. A. Fernando, Dunagaha	Negombo District, Colombo District, Kurunegala District, Chilaw District, Kegalla District, and Puttalam District
4057	C 7485	The Executive Engineer, Matara	Southern Province
4058	X 4384	C. P. Mohamed & Bros., Ry. Town, Anuradhapura	From Sea of Parakrama to Polonnaruwa Ry. Station, Colombo to Anuradhapura and then to Polonnaruwa
4059	V 1016	A. Ekmon Appuhamy, Kulupona, Horana	Western, Sabaragamuwa, and Southern Provinces
4060	Z 1340	M. P. Jotipala, Indra Stores, Kahawatta	Western Province and Ratnapura District, route Colombo to Ratnapura <i>via</i> low level road
4061	X 4119	J. M. D. Joseph Appuhamy, 50, St. Joseph street, Negombo	North-Western Province, Western Province, north of Kelani river, Colombo City-Colombo-Kolonnawa additional service Colombo District, south of Kelani river in place of Colombo Kolonnawa and Wariyapola, Kandy
4062	A 3240	M. Nicholas Fernando, Alfred Cottage, Tudella, Ja-ela	Colombo to Puttalam and Negombo District
4063	Under construction	R. A. Don Peeris, Maswela estate, Pussellawa	Pussellawa, Ulapane, Gampola, Atabage and from Kandy to Maswela estate, Maswela
4064	Z 3808	T. Y. Wright, Superintendent, Mahakande Estate, Peradeniya	Mahakande, Peradeniya for Kandy District and Peradeniya to Colombo
4065	X 8305	L. B. Godamune, Bowala, Kandy	Central, North-Western, and North-Central Provinces
4066	X 4980	G. Wimalasena, Mawinna, Pallegama, Wattagama	Central Province, Matale, and Colombo
4067	X 4108	K. A. M. Seneviratne, Kengalla, Digane	Central Province and Kurunegala District, Colombo-Kandy route <i>via</i> Kegalla
4068	E 413	M. V. Fernando, Didula Estate, Kaduganawa	Kandy and Aranayaka Districts
4069	C 4635	The Municipal Commissioner, Town Hall, Colombo	Within the Municipal limits of Colombo and outside the limits on special occasions
4070	C 4633	do.	do.
4071	Z 6480	K. A. Paulis Perera, St. Nicholas Cottage, Tudella, Ja-ela	North-Western Province, Kurunegala to Colombo <i>via</i> Alawwa road, Kurunegala to Colombo <i>via</i> Giriulla and Divulapitiya, Kolonnawa, Colombo to Matale <i>via</i> Kandy
4072	X 8003	K. Simon Silva, Gallamuduna Group, Dolosbage	Dolosbage-Kandy and Matale, Dolosbage-Colombo
4073	Z 9493	R. Struthers, P. W. D. R. A. F. Station, China Bay, on behalf of the Under Secretary of State for Air, Ministry, London	R. A. F. Station, China Bay area
4074	A 3141	R. Jayatilake, Divulapitiya	Colombo City, Western Province, north of Colombo, Dandagomuwa, and Kurunegala
4075	Under construction	M. P. de Z. Siriwardena, Divulapitiya	Colombo District and Negombo District and from Colombo to Kurunegala <i>via</i> Alawwa and <i>via</i> Giriulla
4076	Do.	H. P. Perera, Nedungomuwa, Weliveriya	Colombo District, north of Kelani river and Colombo city, Kurunegala and Kandy Districts, Kurunegala to Matale
4077	Z 9443	D. C. Perera, Rodney Stores, Cotta road, Colombo	Western, North-Western, Southern, Central, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces
4078	X 516	K. B. L. Perera & Sons, 185/187, Prince of Wales avenue, Colombo	Kandy District and route Colombo to Kandy
4079	K 626	do.	do.

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4080	Z 575	W. F. A. Tissera, Nainamadama, Wennappuwa	North-Western Province and Colombo District (Negombo District included)
4081	Under construction	Edmund Aluwihare, Rest Harrow estate, Wattagama	Central Province and Kurunegala District and Kegalla District in Sabaragamuwa Province
4082	X 8973	D. E. Rodrigo, Gonawella estate, Rangalla	Kandy District, Kandy-Rangala <i>via</i> Kegalla to Colombo
4083	Under construction	K. Abraham Saibo & Co., Haputale	Nuwara Eliya District, Uva <i>via</i> Ratnapura to Colombo
4084	Do.	do.	do.
4085	Z 1351	M. A. R. L. Abdul Majeed, Alutgamweediya, Hettiwatta, Bentota	Kalutara and Colombo Districts and Southern Province and from Colombo to Ratnapura <i>via</i> Avissawella
4086	Z 3082	D. P. Tillakaratne, Miriswatta, Kosgama	Matale District, North-Central Province and route Kosgama to Anuradhapura <i>via</i> Avissawella, Kurunegala, and Dambulla Colombo and Ratnapura Districts
4087	Z 4496	D. H. Kalatuwawa, Kalatuwawa	Central Province and route Kandy to Hunupitiya and Kelaniya <i>via</i> Colombo. (To replace IC 116)
4088	Under construction	T. P. L. Jusey Perera, 108, Colombo street, Kandy	Kandy District and routes Kandy to Colombo <i>via</i> Kegalla
4089	Z 2495	P. R. M. Muttaiyah Chettiyar, 61, Madawala road, Katugastota, c/o M. S. Hameed	Kandy District and routes Kandy to Colombo <i>via</i> Kegalla
4090	U 1192	V. Thuraiappah, Vidattaltivu	Mannar, Vavuniya, and Mullaittivu Districts
4091	X 727	The Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Mannar	P. W. D. roads, Mannar District
4092	Z 3338	E. H. Hitchcock, Superintendent, Loolecondera Group, Deltota	Within estate and between estate and Kandy Railway Station (<i>via</i> Peradeniya or Hanguranketa)
4093	Z 9189	Colombo Commercial Co., Ltd., P. O. Box No. 33, Colombo	Sabaragamuwa and Western Provinces
4094	B 2147	M. Hewage Appuhamy, 1101, Peradeniya road, Kandy	Central Province and route Dambulla to Trincomalee <i>via</i> Anuradhapura
4095	K 201	W. A. D. Gunewardene, Gunesthan, 40th lane, Wellawatta	Within an area of 20 miles from G. P. O., Colombo
4096	X 6454	D. E. Ratnayake, Maharagama Fibre Mills, Giriulla	Kurunegala District, Kandy District, Chilaw District, Colombo District and the route Giriulla-Colombo, Puttalam District, Colombo town, Negombo District
4097	Under construction	P. D. Jothia Fernando, Pambadeniya, Alawwa	Kurunegala District, Colombo District North and Colombo Town and route Colombo to Kurunegala District <i>via</i> Warakapola, Alawwa
4098	D 2880	P. H. Somasundera, Kambiadiya, Muruthalawa, Peradeniya	Kandy District, Nuwara Eliya and Kurunegala routes
4099	A 3045	R. P. Seedis, The Reliable Motor Works, Matara	Southern Province and Colombo and special route within Colombo Municipal limits and Kelaniya
4100	Z 755	B. A. Lewis Singho, Kalatuwawa	Colombo District, Ratnapura District, and Badulla
4101	D 2331	B. Catherina Fernando, 116, Indibedda, Moratuwa	Western Province, south of Kelani river and Colombo to Chilaw and Colombo to Dondra <i>via</i> Galle
4102	Z 5422	K. P. Thegis Singho, Kotadeniyawa	Kegalla District, Colombo North District, Kurunegala District and route Kurunegala to Colombo <i>via</i> Narammala, Giriulla, and Divulapitiya
4103	X 6644	H. M. Ran Banda, Hanguranketa	Kandy and Nuwara Eliya Districts
4104	Under construction	D. Coomaraswamy, Gatagahawella Group, Rangalla	Kandy to Rangalla, Kandy to Urugalla and from Kandy to Colombo
4105	Z 2818	H. M. Appuhamy, Norton Bridge	Between Norton Bridge and Colombo and Colombo to Maskeliya
4106	X 6151	D. W. Patabadigo Arlis Silva, Ambalantota	Uva, Southern, Western, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces
4107	D 2054	T. James, Socony Service Station, Matale	Vavuniya, Chettikulam, Kandy, and Matale
4108	S 682	W. P. Rosline Perera, Wennappuwa	North-Western Province, Northern Province, Eastern Province North-Central Province, Central Province, Western Province
4109	Under construction	C. S. de S. Gunasekera, 5th lane, Colpetty	Kurunegala District and routes Kuliyaipitiya to Kandy and Kuliyaipitiya to Colombo <i>via</i> Pannala, Natandiyaya, and Madampe
4110	Do.	M. S. Peris, Werellegama, Galagedera	Kandy District, Nuwara Eliya, Kurunegala, and Matale
4111	Do.	H. B. Sarnelis, Godawela, Polgahawela	Kurunegala District and Kurunegala to Colombo and Kurunegala to Kandy
4112	Do.	S. Sithamparapillai, Sittampalam road, Anuradhapura	North-Central Province, Northern Province, Trincomalee and Colombo
4113	Z 8215	The Colonial Motor and Engineering Co., Ltd., 297, Union place, Colombo	All Provinces except Northern
4114	Z 9355	P. Sidambaram Pillai, Galboda Group, Madulkele	Knuckles-Wattegama, Nugatenne-Wattegama-Kandy, Rangala-Wattegama-Kandy and Kandy, Wattagama-Colombo. (To replace X 8973)
4115	K 675	H. L. Thelenis, 372, Pettigalawatta, Galle	Southern Province and routes Deniyaya to Badulla and Deniyaya to Batticaloa
4116	L 457	do.	Southern Province and Colombo
4117	Z 8423	The Ceylon Safety Matches Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Kelaniya	Western, Southern, Sabaragamuwa, Central, Eastern, North-Central, Uva, and North-Western Provinces
4118	Under construction	W. F. G. Abeysinghe, Ja-ela	Colombo District, Colombo City, Kurunegala District and Matale District routes Colombo to Kegalla to Matale and Kandy to Kurunegala <i>via</i> Galagedera
4119	U 1663	W. S. Handy, 95/7, Lake road, Slave Island	Within the Colombo Municipal limits
4120	X 4974	L. William Singho, 461, Prince of Wales avenue, Colombo	Colombo District, Kurunegala District <i>via</i> Kandy and Matale
4121	X 838	H. L. Sugathadasa, 29/19, Lockgate lane, Maradana	Whole Island
4122	X 3840	P. B. Navaratne Nillegoda, Teevali Hill estate, Kadugannawa	Kandy District
4123	Under construction	H. H. A. Caldera, Hokandara North, Talangama	Colombo District
4124	X 1362	K. E. Perera, Burullapitiya, Minuwangoda	Colombo City, North-Western Province, Colombo District, north of Kelani river and route Colombo, Kolonnawa, Mannar, and Mullaittivu
4125	Under construction	W. S. P. Panjadas, 80, Maliban street, Colombo	Uva Province and route from Koslanda to Colombo <i>via</i> Ratnapura-Kelaniya, Hunupitiya and Kolonnawa, Koslanda to Colombo <i>via</i> Nuwara Eliya and Kandy, Koslanda to Galle <i>via</i> Tissamaharama. (To replace IC 172)
4126	Do.	do.	Uva Province and route Namunukula to Colombo <i>via</i> Ratnapura, Namunukula to Colombo <i>via</i> Nuwara Eliya and Kandy, Namunukula to Galle <i>via</i> Tissamaharama
4127	Do.	S. A. Martin Perera, Kotiyakumbura, Ruanwella	Colombo District and Sabaragamuwa Province
4128	Do.	V. R. M. V. A. Letchmanan Chettiyar, 301, Sea street, Colombo	Hunupitiya-Colombo to Talawakele and Kandy District
4129	Under construction	do.	Ratnapura District and route Colombo, Hunupitiya to Rakwana
4130	F 1353	Thomas Rubera, Ankumbura	Kandy-Ancumbura <i>via</i> Alawatugoda, Kandy-Matale <i>via</i> Alawatugoda, and Central Province

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4131	Z 8195	H. W. Amarasuriya, Citrus Group, Akmeemana, Galle	Colombo-Galle P. W. D. road, Irnaduwa-Yakkalamulla D. R. C. road, Yakkalamulla-Kurunduwatta P. W. D. road, on the Galle-Udugama road, Kurunduwatta-Labuduwa D. R. C. road, Labuduwa-Narawala P. W. D. road on the Galle-Neboda road
4132	Z 2438	Nalim & Co., Ltd., 140, Front street, Colombo	In the District of Colombo and Colombo City to Dehiwala and Mount Lavinia
4133	Z 9173	Secretary, Royal Colombo Golf Club, Colombo	Colombo
4134	Z 9174	do.	Colombo
4135	B 892	H. A. McLaren, Gikiyanakande estate, Neboda	On estate, also in the Kalutara District when occasion arises
4136	Z 9455	M. H. M. Junaid, 143 (old No. 70-71), Main street, Galle	Southern, Western, Central, Eastern, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces
4137	X 2968	P. V. Arnolis, Bopagoda, Akuressa	Southern Province
4138	C 7945	P. H. W. Silva, 50, Main street, Ambalangoda	Western and Southern Provinces
4139	C 9531	G. O. Rodrigo, c/o C. E. Perera, Pelmadulla	In the Districts of Badulla, Ratnapura, Kalutara, and Colombo
4140	Under construction	R. J. Wijetunga, Elgiriya Walauwa, Akuressa	For the carriage of goods from Galle and Matara to my estates and green leaf from my Divisions to my Galagawa estate
4141	Z 108	Tambypillai Brothers, 53, Main street, Colombo	Western, North-Western, Sabaragamuwa, Central, Uva, Eastern, Southern Provinces and route Dambulla to Trincomalee
4142	Z 9085	C. N. E. J. de Mel, Principal, Farm School, Peradeniya	From Experiment Station, Peradeniya, to Kandy Hospital and from Experiment Station to Yahalatenne estate, Kandy
4143	Under construction	C. F. Jonklaas, Superintendent of Harriland estate, Nawalapitiya	Ambagomuwa, Kotmale, Norton Bridge and Kandy District
4144	Do.	D. A. A. Pedru Appuhamy, Matammana, Minuwangoda	Colombo Town and Colombo District, north of Kelani river. (In replacement of X 7939)
4145	X 2938	E. W. Ellis, Farnham bungalow, Puwakpitiya	All Ceylon except Northern and Eastern Provinces
4146	U 1252	T. B. Davithsingho, Haliela	Uva Province, Eastern Province, route Badulla to Tissamaharama
4147	B 2393	P. Jothipala, c/o D. B. Hendrick Silva, Haliela	Uva, Badulla, Batticaloa, Badulla to Hatton District and Central Province
4148	X 2921	W. B. Fernando, Udakanampella, Pugoda	Kegalla District, Avissawella, Kaduwela, Colombo, Colombo, Kurunegala <i>via</i> Koohchikade, Nattandiya
4149	D 2136	E. M. Bisomenike, 88, Katugastota road, Kandy	North-Central Province and route Colombo-Trincomalee, Mannar, Kandy
4150	W 968	D. C. Kumarasingha, Ruwanwella	Sabaragamuwa Province, Kegalla District, Colombo District (through Avissawella, through Hanwella Low Level road)
4151	Z 3115	P. D. S. Senawiratne, Mt. Catherine, Madarangoda, Kadugannawa	Kadugannawa to Colombo and from there to Kandy and to Talawakele
4152	F 1557	U. L. Abusali, Madawala, Wattagama	Central Province
4153	Under construction	A. D. Palis, Bobewila, Rangala	Central Province
4154	X 4442	M. B. Panabokke, Riverside, Kahatapitiya, Gampola	Kandy, Kegalla, and Colombo Districts
4155	Z 9501	The Hindustan Construction Co., Ltd., Norton Bridge	Kandy District and route Kandy to Colombo
4156	Z 7101	A. F. Mohamed, 170, Colombo street, Kandy	Central, Uva, Southern, Western, and North-Western Provinces
4157	Z 6648	do.	Western, Central, Sabaragamuwa, Uva, North-Central, and Eastern Provinces
4158	X 6134	D. J. Ponwira, Patricia, Peradeniya road, Kandy	Central, North-Western and Sabaragamuwa Provinces and Colombo District
4159	Z 9302	P. S. Fernando & Bros., 100 and 101, Colombo street, Kandy	Central Province, Western Province, Southern Province, and Kurunegala District
4160	X 1010	K. B. L. Perera & Sons, 185/187, Prince of Wales avenue, Colombo	Colombo, Kandy, and Nuwara Eliya Districts and route Colombo to Kandy
4161	Z 5639	A. L. R. M. Alagirisamy Pillai, Dehiowita	Kegalla, Sabaragamuwa Province, Colombo District. (Alteration of area approved)
4162	Z 3121	K. T. Somapala, Main street, Matara	Uva Province and route Badulla-Colombo and route Tissa-Colombo <i>via</i> Matara. (Alteration of area approved)
4163	Under construction	P. Ismail, 218/14, Wolfendhal street, Colombo	Colombo District, Kurunegala District, Kandy District, Nuwara Eliya District, Kalutara District, and Ratnapura District
4164	Z 5537	M. Subbiah, Proprietor, General Trading Corporation, 116, Stewart place, Colpetty	Island wide
4165	Z 5336	do.	do.
4166	C 9889	V. S. S. Mahalingam Chetty, Old No. 25/52, Stewart street, Slave Island	Colombo M. C. limits
4167	Under construction	The Colombo Soap Manufacturing Co., 192, Old Moor street, Colombo	In all parts of the Island
4168	Z 2958	Messrs. Millers, Ltd., Colombo	Western, Sabaragamuwa, North-Western, Southern, Central, and Uva Provinces
4169	D 2054	T. James, Socony Service Station, Matale	Matale District, Kandy District, Chettikulam, Nawalapitiya and Nuwara Eliya District
4170	Under construction	D. S. Balasuriya, c/o B. A. Mendis, Petrol Service Station, Nagalagam street, Grandpass	Colombo, Kurunegala, and Kandy Districts. (Replacement of X 8991)
4171	Do.	K. A. S. Perera, Aranayaka	Colombo District, Central Province route Colombo to Kandy
4172	Z 5002	A. S. S. Sadayappa Chettiyar, Kahanawita, Dehiowita	Kegalla District and route Colombo <i>via</i> Avissawella
4173	C 6215	A. Jayaweera, Tangalla	Tangalla to Galle, Tangalla, Hakmana, Matara, Tangalla, Midderiya, Tangalla, Ratnapura, Tangalla-Tissa
4174	X 8691	M. M. S. Abutalibu, Moragahamula, Urugala	Kandy District, Nuwara Eliya District, route Kandy-Colombo <i>via</i> Kegalla
4175	D 2193	V. S. L. Shahul Hameed, Alawatugoda, Katugastota	Central Province and route Kandy to Colombo
4176	X 9275	C. W. Baker, Superintendent, Gallebodde estate, Galboda	Gallebodde estate and occasionally to Kandy, Nawalapitiya or Hatton
4177	X 6978	W. W. de Silva, Thimbrigaskatuwa, Negombo	Kurunegala, Mullaitivu, Kalpitiya, Colombo, Negombo, Puttalam, Anuradhapura
4178	Z 3343	W. W. de Silva, Thimbrigaskatuwa, Negombo	Mullaitivu, Kalpitiya, Kurunegala, Negombo, Colombo, Puttalam, Anuradhapura
4179	Under construction	D. C. Rajapakse, Welhena, Minuwangoda	Kurunegala District, Chilaw District, and Colombo District
4180	Do.	J. T. L. Braddon on behalf of the English & Scottish Jt. Co-op. Wholesale Society, Ltd., Kolapatana estate, Kotmale	Between Kotmale-Nawalapitiya and to Lindula, Hatton, Kandy and Colombo when necessary

C/Colpetty St. Thomas' College Preparatory School.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above school situated within the Colombo Municipality, Colombo District of the Western Province, under the management of the Church of Ceylon has been registered as a grant-in-aid school with effect from November 1, 1938.

Education Office, L. MCD. ROBISON,
Colombo, January 8, 1940. Director of Education.

Kg/Kandegama Sinhalese Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Galle Buddhist Educational Society, Ltd., for grant-in-aid of the above school which is situated within the Beligal korale, Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Observations will be received not later than February 12, 1940.

Education Office, L. MCD. ROBISON,
Colombo, January 5, 1940. Director of Education.

Mr/Tudawa Sinhalese Mixed School. (B. T. S.)

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Colombo Buddhist Theosophical Society, Ltd., for grant-in-aid of the above school which is situated within the Matara Urban District Council limits, Matara District of the Southern Province.

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Education Office, L. MCD. ROBISON,
Colombo, January 8, 1940. Director of Education.

Kopay Training School.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Director of Education on or before January 30, 1940, for the post of Assistant Training Master (Tamil), Kopay Training School. The appointment will be on a temporary basis pending consideration of the Report of the Retrenchment Commission, Sessional Paper XIV. of 1939, by the Select Committee of the State Council. The salary of the post will be according to qualifications and based on the scales appearing in Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934. These scales are subject to revision by the Select Committee of the State Council. The conditions of service will be those applicable to the New Entrants to the Public Service.

2. Candidates should be Ceylonese with at least 5 years' of teaching experience. Teachers with the following qualifications may apply:—

- (1) Graduates,
 - (2) 1st Class English Trained,
 - (3) Bilingual Trained.
 - (4) 1st Class Tamil Trained with fair knowledge of English.
- { With sound knowledge of Tamil.

3. Applications should be made on a special form which is obtainable from the Education Office (Branch S/G).

Education Office, L. MCD. ROBISON,
Colombo, January 3, 1940. Director of Education.

Irrigation Department, Ceylon.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Junior Assistant Irrigation Engineer. Applicants must have completed articles or apprenticeship under a Civil Engineer and have passed sections A and B of the examination for Associate Membership of the Institution of Civil Engineers or possess a degree in Civil Engineering entitling them to exemption from those sections.

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 2,700 per annum rising to Rs. 3,600 per annum by annual increments of Rs. 150. The appointment will in the first instance be in a probationary capacity for three years.

3. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will in the case of a new entrant to the Public Service be governed by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII of 1934. No rent allowance is payable unless the applicant holds an appointment under the Ceylon Government and was appointed before June 1, 1934.

4. Applicants must be prepared to present themselves at the Office of the Director of Irrigation, Colombo, if required, at their own expense, to attend any interview which may be necessary.

5. A sound physique is necessary for Irrigation Service; and the selected candidate before appointment will be required to pass a strict medical examination as to his physical fitness.

6. Applications with copies of testimonials must be sent to the Director of Irrigation (and not to me personally), P. O. Box 500, Colombo, before January 31, 1940, stating age, whether married or single, training, experience, and professional qualifications. An application from a person already in the Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Head of his Department.

S. G. TAYLOR,
Acting Director of Irrigation.
Office of the Director of Irrigation,
Post Box No. 500,
Colombo, January 8, 1940.

Ceylon University College.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1940.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the above examination will begin on May 27, 1940, and not on May 20, 1940, as previously notified.

S. A. PAKEMAN,
Acting Principal,
Ceylon University College,
Colombo, January 9, 1940. Ceylon University College.

FORD V-8, 2½ ton lorry, X-6048; Done only 15,000 miles. Tyres new and engine in very good condition. Apply Assistant Adjutant, Ceylon Engineers Headquarters, Galle Bück, Colombo, on or before January 31, 1940.

Sale of Publications and Papers.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned publications will be sold by public auction on Wednesday, January 24, 1940, at the Council Chamber, at 2 P.M.:

- (1) The Illustrated London News
 - (2) The Sphere
 - (3) Punch
 - (4) Time and Tide
 - (5) The New Statesman and Nation
 - (6) Reader's Digest
 - (7) Current History
 - (8) Vacher's Parliamentary Companion
- } Weeklies available from January to December, 1940.
- } Monthlies available from January to December, 1940.

The successful purchaser will be entitled to copies of the above publications for the period noted against them a week later in the case of weeklies and a month later in the case of monthlies.

2. Copies of the following will also be auctioned at the same time:—

- (1) The Times, London
 - (2) The Hindu, Madras (including the Sunday Illustrated)
 - (3) The Dinamina
- } Daily Edition.

The successful purchaser will be entitled to the copies a week later.

The Council Chamber, E. W. KANNANGARA,
Colombo, January 9, 1940. Clerk of the State Council.

13 Lines Coal Supply, 1940-41.

THE Ceylon Government Railway is prepared to receive 25 ton samples of Locomotive coal to be tested in connection with the supply of coal during the next financial year.

Delivery is to be made on or before March 31, 1940, free of expense and at supplier's risk, at the Railway Coal Grounds at Mutwal.

Further information may be obtained from the Railway Storekeeper, Maradana.

General Manager's Office, W. G. HILLS,
Ceylon Government Railway, Acting General Manager,
Colombo, January 8, 1940.

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Sale of Coconuts.

801 coconuts will be sold by public auction at the Government Dairy, Narahepita, Colombo, on January 19, 1940, at 4 P.M.

E. RODRIGO,
Acting Director of Agriculture.
Department of Agriculture,
Peradeniya, January 9, 1940.

Sale of Timber.

THE following trees standing in a demarcated area of one acre in Kankaniamulla Proposed Reserve will be sold by auction on Friday, 26th instant, at the Range Forest Office, Dandegamuwa, at 10 A.M.

2. The purchaser is required to fell all trees in the said one acre and have the area cleared and burnt at his own expense before March 31, 1940.

Trees referred to.

- 1 Jak tree = 13 cubic feet.
- 13 Milla trees = 147 cubic feet.
- 10 Del trees = 178 cubic feet.
- 1 Dawulkurundu tree = 26 cubic feet.
- 5 Hedawaka trees yielding about 10 cubic yards of firewood.
- 36 Common trees yielding about 100 cubic yards of firewood.

3. For further particulars application should be made to the Divisional Forest Officer, Kurunegala, or the Range Forest Officer, Dandegamuwa.

T. A. STRONG,
Conservator of Forests.

The Forest Ordinance.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by rule 24 of the rules relating to Forests not included in a Reserved or Village Forest, made under section 20 of the Forest Ordinance (Chapter 311), and published in *Gazette* No. 8,057 of June 8, 1934, I, T. A. Strong, Conservator of Forests, do hereby with the sanction of the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands, rescind the under-mentioned rates prescribed for sleepers under the heading "Concession Rates for Timber" in the notification published in *Gazette* No. 8,059 of June 15, 1934.

Office of the Conservator of Forests, T. A. STRONG,
P. O. Box 500, Conservator of Forests.
Colombo, January 8, 1940.

Rates rescinded.

The flat rate of Re. 1 per Broad Gauge and 50 cents per Narrow Gauge charged as royalty on all sleepers converted for the use of the Ceylon Government Railway irrespective of species.

BY virtue of the powers in me vested under the provisions of paragraph 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Cap. 333), I do hereby proclaim the Colombo and Negombo Districts of the Western Province, as an area within which there is a danger of rabies. Any dog found in any public place or road not being tied up or led will be destroyed.

The Kachcheri,
Colombo, December 22, 1939.

W. O. STEVENS,
Government Agent.

SALE OF TOLL AND OTHER RENTS.**Sale of the Exclusive Right to Levy and Receive Tolls at the Pannai-Mandaitivu Ferry.**

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the Government Agent of the Northern Province (hereinafter referred to as the Government Agent) or by his Office Assistant, at the Jaffna Kachcheri, at 12 noon on Monday, March 4, 1940, for the purchase of the exclusive right of levying and receiving the tolls payable at the Pannai-Mandaitivu ferry for a period of five years from October 1, 1940. Every tenderer must quote the amount which he is prepared to pay as rent for the said period of five years. The rent will be payable in twenty equal instalments, the first of which will be due and payable in advance on September 30, 1940. The subsequent instalments will be due and payable in advance on the last day of each succeeding quarter.

2. If no tender is received, or if the tenders received are not satisfactory, the exclusive right of levying and receiving the said tolls will be put up to public auction, after the opening of the tenders, on the day fixed for the receipt of the tenders.

3. The successful tenderer or bidder will be required, *inter alia*, to provide and maintain two power boats, one of 18-20 brake horse power for the transport of passengers, and the other of 12 brake horse power for propelling a ferry boat for vehicles which will be provided and maintained by the Government. Tenderers must attach to their tenders plans and specifications giving full particulars of the power boats which they propose to provide for the above-mentioned purposes.

4. The grant of the exclusive right of levying and receiving the tolls at the said ferry will be subject to the Conditions of Sale, which are available for reference at the Jaffna Kachcheri and which the successful tenderer or bidder will be required to sign, and to the provisions of the Tolls Ordinance (Cap. 150).

5. The Government Agent's acceptance of any tender or bid will be subject to confirmation by the Executive Committee of Communications and Works.

6. Every tender must be handed in by the tenderer personally or sent by registered post, and must be accompanied by a Treasury or Kachcheri receipt acknowledging a deposit of a sum of One hundred rupees. Where a tender is sent by registered post, the words "Tender for Pannai-Mandaitivu Ferry Toll" must be clearly written in the top left-hand corner of the envelope. No tender received after the day and hour mentioned in paragraph 1 above will be considered. No tender will be considered unless the tenderer is present in person or by attorney at the time of the opening of the tenders. If any tenderer or bidder on being declared to be the purchaser of the exclusive right of levying and receiving the tolls payable at the said ferry, declines or fails to make forthwith a deposit of 1/25th of the purchase amount hereinafter referred to and to sign the Conditions of Sale, or fails to furnish the required security when called upon to do so, the tender deposit, or any part payment made on account of the said 1/25th of the purchase amount, will be declared forfeited and the defaulter will render himself liable to have his name entered in the list of defaulting contractors. Subject to this exception, the deposits of all other tenderers or bidders will be returned after the Conditions of Sale have been signed by the successful tenderer or bidder.

7. The successful tenderer or bidder will be required to deposit with the Government Agent forthwith 1/25th of the purchase amount in cash, and, if the Government Agent's acceptance of his tender or bid is confirmed by the Executive Committee of Communications and Works, to furnish approved security by hypothecation of title deeds for one-eighth of the purchase amount or in cash for one-tenth of the purchase amount, within twenty days of the date of the receipt by him of the notification of the Executive Committee's confirmation of the acceptance of his tender or bid.

8. The successful tenderer or bidder will also be required to deposit on the day of the sale a sum to be fixed by the Government Agent as security for payment of the cost of all special repairs to the ferry boat for vehicles referred to in paragraph 3 above necessitated by the negligence of the successful tenderer or bidder or his servants.

9. The successful tenderer or bidder will also be required to pay the Crown Proctor's fees for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds of the properties tendered by him as security and for examining and settling the security bond, the fees charged by the Crown Proctor for examining documents and drawing the security bond, the expenses of appraising the properties, and the stamp duty on the bond under the Stamp Ordinance.

10. Every title deed tendered as security must be accompanied by a certificate from the Registrar of Lands to the effect that the land or lands to which it relates is or are unencumbered. This certificate must be obtained at the cost of the person tendering the security.

11. The Government Agent reserves to himself the absolute right of rejecting any tender or all the tenders received, or any bid or all the bids received (if the exclusive right of levying and receiving the said toll is put up to public auction) without giving any reason for such rejection.

12. Further information may be obtained on application to the Government Agent of the Northern Province, The Kachcheri, Jaffna.

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, January 9, 1940.

R. B. NAISH,
Government Agent.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

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COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.**Sale of Immovable Property.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Municipal Commissioner, Colombo, in terms of section 135 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 193) 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, G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
Colombo, January 10, 1940. for Municipal Commissioner.

SCHEDULE.

For 2nd quarter, 1939.—On February 7, 1940: Premises No. 32, Messenger street. For 2nd and 3rd quarters, 1939.—On February 9, 1940: Premises No. 11/11, Mosque lane. On February 9, 1940: 90, Rajamalwatta road. On February 19, 1940: 29, Dematagoda road. On February 16, 1940: 191, Piachauds lane, and 259, Piachauds lane. On February 3, 1940: 21, Charlemont road. For 3rd quarter, 1939.—On February 15, 1940: 160, Jampettah street, 99/2-4, New Moor street, 64 and 18, St. Johns road, 158, Jampettah street. On February 8, 1940: 27, Dematagoda place, 42 Clifton lane. On February 10, 1940: 447, 524 and 525/4-17, Narahenpitiya road, 110/1 and 292/11, Timbirigasyaya road. On February 9, 1940: 702/24-25, 702/32, 702/39, 702/45-46 and 808/4, Alutma-watta road, 155/4 and 155/5-7, Daniels road, 21/1, 45, 39,

59/1-2, 59, 69, 48, 407/1-4, 409, 409/1-3, 372/12, 360, 427, 401/1-4, 407 and 382, Fergusons road, 81/1 and 114/2, Fransewatta lane, 67, 65, 115, Mattakkuliya Church road, 63/3, 368/7-12, 368/1-6, 213, 227/5, 227/7, 228/4-5, 234, 240, 276/21, 276/24, 276/29, 350/4-5, 350/10 and 356/3, Modera street, 60/56-57, 111/1-3, 158/1, 158/2-4, 60/91-95, 173 and 60/67-70, Pasbatal road, 28/3-4 and 48, Rajamalwatta lane, 47, 93, 82/4, 27/11, 27/12, Rajamalwatta road, 55, 72, 72/1-5, 89, 89/1 and 100, Rodrigo place, 9, St. Elmos lane, 64/44, St. Marys lane, 22/1-4 and 22, St. Marys road, 198, Vuystwyke road, 27 and 43/2, Vine street north, 140, Vuystwyke road, 51, 52/1, 31/1-4, 15, 23, and 19, Zavira lane. On February 3, 1940: 11, School avenue, 15, Vincent lane, 156 and 152, Kirillapone Canal Bank. On February 9, 1940: 158, Pasbatal road.

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 of Colombo, in terms of section 135 of Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 193), for arrears of drainage instalments 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 instalments 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, January 22, 1940.

January 9, 1940.

G. H. N. SAUNDERS,
for Municipal Commissioner.**SCHEDULE.**

For 3rd quarter, 1939.—Premises No. 9, Arthur's place: 1 wall clock.

Construction of Alfred House Gardens Extension.**(Apportionment under section 26 of Chapter 199 of the Legislative Enactments.)**

WITH reference to notice dated September 7/13, 1939, appearing in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 8,512 of September 22, 1939, it is hereby notified in terms of section 26 (6) of chapter 199 of the Legislative Enactments that the Municipal Council of Colombo having carried out the works of construction mentioned therein, the amended apportionment of the actual cost is as follows:—

Premises No. and Street.	Name and Address of Owner.	Cost of making Street. Rs. c.	Cost of Culvert. Rs. c.	Total Cost. Rs. c.	Contribution by Council. Rs. c.	Cost of Water Main. Rs. c.	Total Apportionment. Rs. c.
9, Selbourne road and 45, Alfred House Gardens	R. Sri Pathmanathan Esq., 45, Alfred House Gardens, Kollupitiya	1,099 55	19 5	1,118 60	111 86	—	1,006 74
13, Selbourne road.	W. Pole Fletcher, Esq., "Saltoun," Queen's road, Kollupitiya	1,099 55	—	1,099 55	109 96	267 7	1,256 66
		2,199 10	19 5	2,218 15	221 82	267 7	2,263 40

Town Hall,
Colombo, January 3, 1940.

S. P. WICKRAMASINHA,
Municipal Commissioner.

THE GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.**General Meeting.**

Thursday, November 9, 1939, at 2.30 p.m.

The Council met this day at 2.30 p.m., pursuant to notice dated November 2, 1939.

Present:—Mr. W. Dahanayake, the Mayor, presiding; and Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab, Deputy Mayor; J. E. Perera; F. Magdon Ismail; A. H. E. Fernando; E. de S. Wijayaratne; D. S. Goonesekera; A. William Wijeratne; W. T. Wijekulasuriya; E. D. Nagahawatte; P. Dahanayake; A. M. Saheed; and T. W. Roberts.

1. The minutes of the General Meeting held on October 12, 1939, copies thereof having been furnished to each member, were taken as read and confirmed.

2. Pursuant to notice Mr. P. Dahanayake asked the following questions which the Mayor answered:—

Q.—(1) Will the Council in future not prosecute persons for building houses without submitting plans? A.—Prosecution will be authorized only if there is no response to requests for correction.

Q.—(2) Why has the Council prosecuted others without giving similar concessions? A.—This is not true. Since I assumed duties, in all instances of offences under the Housing Ordinance, ample opportunities have been offered for the correction of defects and the avoidance of prosecution. In pursuance of this policy, only three prosecutions for offences under the Housing Ordinance have been authorized by me, while a considerable number have been saved the trouble of attending court.

Q.—(3) Did the Mayor go through the file to verify that the Building Inspector did not recommend a prosecution? A.—Yes. The Building Inspector did not recommend prosecution. It is not a part of his duties to do so.

Q.—(4) Can Mr. Regis Wekunagoda or for a matter of that anyone else raise a wall by two feet from an existing wall without the permission of the Council? A.—Permission is necessary.

Q.—(5) What are the special reasons for the Engineer to go out of his way and request him to submit plans when he did not do so without reporting the matter to Council? A.—I am not aware of any special reasons. Mr. Wekunagoda was called upon to remedy certain defects within a reasonable time. As he did so, there was no prosecution.

Q.—(6) Has he not prosecuted others for similar offences without giving chances like this to them? Is there any justification to shield this individual further without prosecuting him even now? A.—See reply to (2) above. I rigidly follow the same policy for one and all. If prosecution is authorized against Mr. Wekunagoda, there would be discrimination.

3. Pursuant to notice Mr. D. S. Goonesekera asked the following questions which the Mayor answered:—

Q.—(1) What percentage of rates is levied in each of the ten Wards for 1939? A.—A uniform assessment rate of 7 per cent. on the annual value of all properties is levied through the town, a water rate of 6 per cent. within the water-served area; and a lighting rate of 4½ per cent. within the area lit with electricity. According to this system a total rate of 17½ per cent. is levied in Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, and rates of 13 per cent., 11½ per cent. and 7 per cent. in different parts of the remaining wards according to the boundaries of the water and lighting areas.

Q.—(2) What are the amounts collected as assessment rates on houses and premises and the conservancy tax in each Ward in 1938? A.—A statement giving the information required is tabled.

Q.—(3) In regard to the clearing of the canals of this town in 1938, and the first half of 1939, (a) how much money has been spent on each canal? (b) how many cubic feet of silt were removed from each? (c) how many men were employed on each canal? A.—A statement giving the information required is tabled.

Q.—(4) In regard to the scavenging of the streets of this town (a) how many labourers and overseers are employed on each street daily? (b) how many hours do they work per day? A.—(a) It is not possible to give this information, but a statement showing the arrangements in force for the scavenging of each Ward and the number of kanganyas and labourers employed for the purpose is tabled. (b) The hours of scavenging are from 7 A.M. to 11 A.M. and 12.15 P.M. to 4 P.M.

Q.—(5) In regard to the repairing of the tarred roads of the town for the year 1938 and the first half of 1939, (a) how many square feet of road have been done? (b) how much money has been spent from each square foot? A.—The information required cannot be given as the contractor is paid for keeping all the roads in good condition and not according to the area repaired.

4. Pursuant to notice Mr. E. D. Nagahawatte asked the following question which the Mayor answered:—

Q.—Will the Mayor be pleased to ask the Medical Officer of Health to prepare a sample of compost manure from the street sweepings and send it on to the Public Analyst asking the latter for a report on the fertilizing properties it contains? A.—Composting has been undertaken in Ceylon by certain local authorities and the analysis of a typical sample tested by the Agricultural Chemist has yielded the following results:—

	Organic Material, Per cent.	Air Dried. Per cent.
Moisture	46.6	6.7
Organic matter	7.0	29.8
Ash	36.4	63.5
Nitrogen	0.69	1.21
Potash	0.44	0.77
Phosphoric acid	0.47	0.82
Stones and foreign material	—	27.5

The Medical Officer of Health considers that the analysis of a sample of compost made in Galle will give the same results, as the materials used, viz., street refuse and night soil, and the method adopted, will be the same as in other towns.

As the street refuse is now being utilized for the purpose of filling up the swamp in Kandewatta purchased by the Council, and as this work will be continued during the next few years, no action is considered necessary for the present.

5. Pursuant to notice Mr. T. W. Roberts asked the following questions which the Mayor answered:—

Q.—(1) On what grounds was Hinni Appuhamy dismissed? A.—On two grounds, namely, that he extorted unauthorized payments from grass-cutters, and that he instigated some persons to creep into the reservoir premises through the barbed wire fence.

Q.—(2) Was he given an opportunity to cross-examine the witnesses who testified against him? A.—Yes. All papers connected with the dismissal are tabled.

6. Pursuant to notice Mr. E. D. Nagahawatte moved:—(1) It is the opinion of this Council that a three year plan should be drawn up to give effect to the recommendations of this Council on the motions of members for new works involving capital expenditure, and that provision should be made in each of the next three budgets for a certain number of such new works. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Four Standing Committees for consideration.

(2) It is the opinion of this Council that a loan should be raised for the purpose of providing electric lights along Brown's road and the remaining portion of the Morris road. Mr. T. W. Roberts seconded, and Mr. J. E. Perera supported the motion. Resolved to refer the matter to the Finance Committee for consideration.

(3) It is the opinion of this Council that a communication should be addressed to the Government Agent, Southern Province, suggesting that the supervision and maintenance of the Mahawatta Cemetery be given over to the Municipality. Mr. A. H. E. Fernando seconded, and Mr. D. S. Goonesekera spoke on the motion. Resolved to refer the matter to the Sanitation and Law Committees for joint consideration.

7. Pursuant to notice Mr. T. W. Roberts moved:—“That the Council should remove its meter from each house in which the meter readings since March have shown that consumption of water is less than the statutory maximum”. Mr. F. Magdon Ismail seconded, and Mr. J. E. Perera supported the motion. Resolved to refer the matter to the Finance Committee for consideration.

8. Pursuant to notice Mr. D. S. Goonesekera moved:—(1) As the triangular block of land situated in the Galle Bazaar and known as the old bus stand is now in a neglected and filthy condition, this Council is of opinion that the big “Mara” tree standing thereon be removed and the entire block be paved with stone and cement as such an improvement would add much to the health and beauty of the spot. The Mayor seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Works Committee for consideration.

(2) As the present slaughter-house is in a filthy and dilapidated condition and as the said slaughter-house is at present situated in a thickly populated business area of the town causing much inconvenience, this Council is of opinion that immediate steps be taken to demolish the said slaughter-house and to erect a new slaughter-house on modern sanitary lines on a new site to be selected by the Council. Mr. J. E. Perera seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Works Committee for consideration.

(3) As the water of the ela lying between the pumping station at Pettigala-ela and the Gangarama Temple remain stagnant and as this stagnant water has now become a breeding place for mosquitoes and is otherwise injurious to the health of the inhabitants of this locality, this Council is of opinion that the said stagnant stream or ela be filled up and a drain and a road be constructed in its place. Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Sanitation Committee for consideration.

(4) As the poorer classes in the thickly populated areas like Magalle, Jakotuwa, Pettigalawatte, Weliwatte, Galle Bazaar and China Garden, obtain their water supply from the street stand-pipes, and as these stand-pipes contain only one tap to each stand thus causing much inconvenience, this Council is of opinion that such stand-pipes be fixed with an extra tap to prevent inconvenience to the poor and also to prevent congestion at the stands. The Mayor seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Works Committee for consideration.

(5) As the Mahawatta Cemetery is used as a burial place by the majority of the people residing within the Municipal town limits of Galle and as the said cemetery is now situated just adjoining the Municipal limits of Galle, this Council is of opinion that the said cemetery be included within the Municipal town limits of Galle with prior sanction of the Governor and that the said cemetery be placed under the supervision of this Council. The Mayor seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Sanitation and Law Committees for joint consideration.

(6) This Council is of opinion that in future when meat stalls are leased out by this Council, a condition be included in the said leases that the stalls be closed on the Wesak Poya day. Mr. A. H. E. Fernando seconded. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab opposed the motion. Mr. A. M. Saheed said that he did not think the matter was one within the purview of the Council, and appealed to the mover to withdraw it. Messrs. E. de S. Wijayarathne, T. W. Roberts, and F. Magdon Ismail also opposed the motion. Mr. P. Dahanayake supported it. Mr. J. E. Perera also spoke. The mover replied. The motion was then put to the meeting and carried by 7 votes to 4. Mr. D. S. Goonesekera called for a division which resulted as follows:—*For*.—The Mayor, and Messrs. A. H. E. Fernando; D. S. Goonesekera; A. William Wijeratne; W. T. Wijekulasuriya; E. D. Nagahawatte; and P. Dahanayake. *Against*.—Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab; A. M. Saheed; T. W. Roberts; and F. Magdon Ismail. *Declined to Vote*.—Messrs. J. E. Perera and E. de S. Wijayarathne.

9. The Mayor moved:—(1) That in terms of Rule 2 of the Municipal Pension Minute the post of Kangany in the Health Department be declared to be pensionable one; (2) that in terms of the same rule a pension of Rs. 189.37 per annum be granted to Conservancy Kangany, N. B. Stephen, with effect from January 1, 1940. Mr. A. H. E. Fernando seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Finance Committee for consideration.

(Mr. T. W. Roberts left the meeting at this stage.)

10. Pursuant to notice Mr. A. M. Saheed moved:—(1) That in the opinion of this Council no meeting should be continued later than 8 p.m. Mr. F. Magdon Ismail seconded. Messrs. W. T. Wijekulasuriya, P. Dahanayake and E. de S. Wijayarathne opposed the motion. Mr. D. S. Goonesekera appealed to the mover to withdraw it. The mover replied. The motion was then put to the meeting and declared lost, 3 voting for and 9 against, and the division being as follows:—*For*.—Messrs. J. E. Perera; F. Magdon Ismail; and A. M. Saheed. *Against*.—The Mayor, and Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab; A. H. E. Fernando; E. de S. Wijayarathne; D. S. Goonesekera; A. William Wijeratne; W. T. Wijekulasuriya; E. D. Nagahawatte; and P. Dahanayake.

(2) That in the opinion of this Council no member should be allowed to speak on any motion for more than 15 minutes. Mr. J. E. Perera seconded and suggested that the motion be amended to read as follows:—"That in the opinion of this Council the speeches of members should, as a general rule, be limited to 15 minutes". The mover agreed to the suggestion and, with the permission of Council, amended the motion accordingly. Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya pointed out that the motion was not in order as it was contrary to by-law 27 (3) of the by-laws relating to the Conduct of Business at Meetings. The Mayor ruled that the motion was in order. Mr. F. Magdon Ismail supported the motion. Messrs. E. de S. Wijayarathne and W. T. Wijekulasuriya opposed it. The mover replied. The motion was then put to the meeting and declared lost, 3 voting for and 8 against, and the division being as follows:—*For*.—Messrs. J. E. Perera; F. Magdon Ismail; and A. M. Saheed. *Against*.—The Mayor, and Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab; A. H. E. Fernando; E. de S. Wijayarathne; A. William Wijeratne; W. T. Wijekulasuriya; E. D. Nagahawatte; and P. Dahanayake. *Declined to Vote*.—Mr. D. S. Goonesekera.

11. Pursuant to notice Mr. E. de S. Wijayarathne moved:—The construction of the bridge over Koppe-ela leading from the Gintota Railway Station yard to Mahawatte be taken up at once. The Mayor seconded. Resolved to refer the matter to the Works Committee for consideration.

12. To consider applications received for the post of Revenue Inspector:—Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya moved that a Special Committee be appointed to consider the applications and to make recommendations thereon to the Council. Mr. E. D. Nagahawatte seconded. On the suggestion of the Mayor it was resolved that the Special Committee do consist of the following Members:—Messrs. A. H. E. Fernando; D. S. Goonesekera; A. William Wijeratne; E. de S. Wijayarathne; E. D. Nagahawatte; and P. Dahanayake. Mr. A. M. Saheed moved that the Special Committee should be asked to select not more than 10 names for submission to the Council. Mr. F. Magdon Ismail seconded. The motion was put to the meeting and declared lost, 4 voting for, and 7 against, and the division being as follows:—*For*.—Messrs. A. M. Saheed; A. I. H. A. Wahab; J. E. Perera; and F. Magdon Ismail. *Against*.—The Mayor, and Messrs. A. H. E. Fernando; E. de S. Wijayarathne; A. William Wijeratne; W. T. Wijekulasuriya; E. D. Nagahawatte; and P. Dahanayake. *Declined to Vote*.—Mr. D. S. Goonesekera.

13. To consider the delegation of powers, duties and functions under the following Ordinances:—(1) The Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333); (2) The Cemeteries and Burial Grounds Ordinance (Chapter 181). The Mayor moved that the powers, duties and functions under the above Ordinances be delegated to the Commissioner. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab seconded.—Carried.

14. To sanction the following supplemental votes:—(a) Rs. 100 under Vote 18—Advertisements; (b) Rs. 80 under Vote 93—(Cemetery) labourers.—Sanctioned.

15. To consider a report by the Accountant on the work of his Assistant, Mr. M. Lekamge. The Mayor moved Council into Committee to consider this matter. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab seconded.—Carried.

Council in Committee—

After consideration of the Accountant's report and after hearing a statement on the matter by the Mayor, Council in Committee resolved that, as regards, the charge of insubordination, Mr. Lekamge should be asked to tender an unqualified apology to the Accountant, and that he (Mr. Lekamge) should be warned to co-operate in future in the work of the office—the warning to be entered in his personal file and history sheet. Mr. Lekamge then appeared before the Council in Committee and offered to the Accountant, who was also present, an unqualified apology and a promise to co-operate with the Accountant in future to the best of his (Mr. Lekamge's) ability. The Accountant accepted the apology and the assurance of co-operation. Council in Committee also resolved that the duty list of the Assistant to the Accountant should be duly revised by the Mayor.

Council then resumed, and the Mayor moved that the above resolutions of the Council in Committee be adopted. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab seconded.—Carried.

16. Considered the following extracts from the minutes of the Tender Board of October 19, 1939:—Considered tenders received for the supply of stores and materials for Municipal Departments—

A.—HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

(1) *Anti-Mosquito Larval Mixture*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of the Shell Co. of Ceylon, Ltd., at 50 cents per gallon.

(2) *House Conservancy Buckets*.—Recommended that, as A. R. A. Hassen does not now agree to supply 400 buckets on the required terms, in accordance with the resolution of Council dated October 12, 1939, the tender of M. B. Mohamed be accepted at Rs. 135 per 100 buckets on condition that he supplies the required quantity before the end of February, 1940.

(3) *Special Type Conservancy Collecting Carts*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Colin Thome & Co., Ltd., at Rs. 245 per cart.

(4) *Disinfecting Fluid*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Clark Spence & Co., for "Jaline" White Disinfectant Fluid co-efficient 18/20 at Rs. 89 per 40-gallon drum. With regard to the supply of petrol it was resolved to obtain quotations from the local agents for "Caltex", "Socony", and "Shell" petrol respectively.

B.—WORKS DEPARTMENT.

(1) *Hot Tar Emulsion for re-surfacing Roads*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Caltex Ceylon, Ltd., for "Texaco" No. 96, Paving Cement" at 61 cents per gallon, f.o.r. Colombo.

(2) *Cold Tar Emulsion for patching Roads*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of the Shell Co. of Ceylon, Ltd., for "Colas" at 64 cents per gallon, f.o.r. Colombo.

(3) *G. I. Piping and Fittings*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.

(4) *Becks self closing Push Taps*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.

(5) *Copper Wire Cloth*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.

- (6) *Pig Lead*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (7) *Lead Wool*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (8) *Spun Yarn*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (9) *White Bituminous Paint*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (10) *Red Bituminous Paint*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (11) *Black Bituminous Paint*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Clatex Ceylon, Ltd., at Rs. 2.50 per gallon, f.o.r. Colombo.
 (12) *Na Timber*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.

C.—ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

- (1) *Bolts and Nuts*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Ceylon Hardware Stores at the rates quoted.
 (2) *House Service Boxes*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (3) *Cables*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (4) *Cement*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (5) *Fuses*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (6) *Rubber Gloves*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (7) *Insulators*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (8) *Lamps*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (9) *Meters*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (10) *Kerosine Oil*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of M. A. Rahim at 81½ cents per gallon.
 (11) *Ursa Oil*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of Messrs. Caltex Ceylon, Ltd., at Rs. 2.40 per gallon, f.o.r. Colombo.
 (12) *Paint*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (13) *Heavy G. I. Pipes*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (14) *Brass Screws*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (15) *Stay Rods*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (16) *Street Lamp Fittings*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (17) *Henley's Line Taps*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (18) *Timber (Teak)*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (19) *Wire*.—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be called for as the need arises.
 (20) *Cotton Waste*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of M. A. Rahim at Rs. 28 per cwt.

It was also recommended that, in view of the lack of tenders and the uncertainty of the market due to the international situation, the Mayor be authorized to accept quotations in the case of all items for which no tender has been accepted.

Resolution.

With regard to the supply of petrol the Mayor moved the acceptance of the quotation of R. M. Ramasamy at Re. 1.58 per gallon. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab seconded.—Carried.

The recommendations of the Tender Board with regard to all the other items were accepted.

17. The following extracts from the minutes of the Standing Committees were laid before the Council :—

(a) *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Law and General Subjects of October 23, 1939.*

- (2) Considered papers relating to the putting up of a name board at the entrance to Madawalamulla lane.—Recommended that inquiries be made from Mr. Wewelwela whether he admits the right of the public to use the footpath leading from Kumbalwella road to Kitulampitiya road.
 (3) Considered the claim of Mr. G. S. A. P. Sahabandu for compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance.—Recommended that no compensation be paid as the Committee is of opinion that in the circumstances of the case Mr. Sahabandu is not entitled to compensation.
 (5) Considered a letter from the Manager of the New Oriental Hotel, protesting against the regulation prohibiting the parking of cars along Middle street.—Recommended that the present system do continue.

Resolution.

With regard to item (5) the Mayor moved as an amendment that the present restriction against the parking of vehicles along Middle street, between Lighthouse street and Church street, be removed. Mr. A. M. Saheed seconded.—Carried by 9 votes to 3, the division being as follows :—*For*.—The Mayor, and Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab ; F. Magdon Ismail ; A. H. E. Fernando ; D. S. Goonesekera ; A. William Wijeratne ; W. T. Wijekulasuriya ; E. D. Nagahawatte ; and A. M. Saheed. *Against*.—Messrs. J. E. Perera ; E. de S. Wijayarathne ; and P. Dahanayake.

The recommendations of the Standing Committee with regard to the remaining items were adopted.

(b) *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of October 23, 1939.*

- (3) Considered the following motion of Mr. T. W. Roberts at the General Meeting of Council on September 18, 1939 :—“ That it is the duty of this Council to have analyses made and published (a) of the well water sold for drinking purposes in Galle ; (b) of the pipe water as it leaves the standpipes ”. Recommended with regard to (a) that the Medical Officer of Health be asked to prepare draft by-laws for controlling the sale of water in the town by private vendors ; and with regard to (b) that inquiries be made from the Government Analyst with a view to getting the analyses of water done by his Department from next year.
 (4) Considered the following motion of Mr. T. W. Roberts at the General Meeting of Council on September 18, 1939 :—“ That it is the duty of this Council to have a few analyses made of select samples of the well water used for drinking in Municipal limits ”.—Recommended that steps be taken to have analyses made of samples of well water taken from ten wells situated in the ten different wards, such wells to be selected by the Medical Officer of Health from a list of five wells supplied by the Member for each Ward.
 (5) Considered the following motion of Mr. T. W. Roberts at the General Meeting of Council on September 18, 1939 :—“ That the present system of distribution of water, by which Kaluwella-Richmond Hill localities receive water freely for 3 or 4 hours thrice a day and certain other ratepayers receive pipe water scantily twice a day and sometimes no water in the evening is unfair and should be revised by the Works Committee ”.—Recommended that no action be taken in view of the fact that the whole town is being supplied with water daily from 5.30 A.M. to 11.30 P.M. with effect from October 23, 1939. Recommended, further, that if restriction becomes necessary in the future, the Works Committee be consulted on the matter.
 (6) Considered tenders for the following services for 1940 :—(1) *Supply of Bulls and Drivers for Scavenging Carts*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of L. O. E. de Silva at the rate of Rs. 48 per mensem for a pair of bulls and driver and Rs. 34 per mensem for a single bull and driver. (2) *Supply of Coir Dust*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of E. D. P. de Silva at the rate of Rs. 10 per 100 bags of 2½ bushels each. (3) *Supply of Screened Metal and Random Rubble : Metal*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of W. Goonewardene at the rate of Rs. 7.60, Rs. 8.30, Rs. 9, and Rs. 12.75 per cube of 2 in., 1½ in., 1 in., and ¾ in. metal respectively ; *Random Rubble*.—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of W. Goonewardene at the rate of Rs. 7 per cube. (4) *Whitewashing and/or Colour*

Washing Municipal Buildings.—Recommended that fresh tenders be called for by notices in English and Sinhalese, and that the painting of garden seats and sign boards be also included. (5) *Supply of Sea Sand.*—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be obtained as the need arises. (6) *Supply of Ekels, Baskets, Coir Yarn, Coconuts, Coconut Oil, Ekkel Brooms and Coir Brooms.*—Recommended the acceptance of the tender of K. Ineris Silva at the following rates:—*Ekels*: 75 cents per 100 bundles of 50 ekels each; *Baskets*: large size (with lugs) Rs. 1.75 per dozen, small size (without lugs) Re. 1.25 per dozen; *Coir Yarn*: 8 cents per lb.; *Coconuts*: Rs. 3.50 per 100; *Coconut oil*: 20 cents per bottle; *Ekkel Brooms*: 10 cents each; *Coir Brooms*: 10 cents each. (7) *Lease of Fruit Trees at the Segregation Camp and Infectious Diseases Hospital, Dadalla.*—Recommended that fresh tenders be called for by notices in English and Sinhalese. (8) *Supply of Gravel.*—Recommended that no tender be accepted and that quotations be obtained as the need arises.

(7) Considered three applications for water service.—Recommended that the applications be allowed.

Resolution.

Resolved that the above recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.
(Mr. T. W. Roberts returned to the Meeting at this stage).

(c) *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of October 26, 1939.*

(2) Lists of demolished buildings in Wards Nos. 2, 5 and 6.—Recommended that the rates be struck off.

(3) Considered the question of waiving the rates due for 1939 on the following properties on the ground of poverty of the owners:—No. 16/3, Kandewatta Mosque lane; No. 472/2, Colombo road; and No. 35/2, Kuimbalwella Footpath No. 1.—Recommended that the rates due on the above properties for 1939, amounting to Rs. 4.42, be waived on the ground of poverty of the owners.

(5) To recommend the following supplemental votes:—(a) Rs. 200 under Vote 19—Overtime; (b) Rs. 300 under Vote E. 5/1—(Service Mains) Wages; (c) Rs. 500 under Vote E. 5/2—(Service Mains) Materials.—Recommended.

(6) To recommend in terms of Rule 2 of the Municipal Pension Minute the grant of a pension of Rs. 265.33 to S. W. Charles, Hiyare Overseer, who has been condemned by a Medical Board as unfit for further service.—Recommended the grant of a pension of Rs. 265.33 per annum with effect from November 2, 1939.

(7) Application from M. J. Don Alexander, Circulating Peon, for an increased scale of salary or an enhanced bicycle allowance.—Recommended that his bicycle allowance be increased to Rs. 120 per annum with effect from November 1, 1939.

(8) To declare, in terms of Rule 2 of the Municipal Pension Minute, the post of Accounts Clerk in the Municipal Office to be a pensionable one.—Recommended that the post of Accounts Clerk in the Municipal Office be declared a pensionable one.

(9) Considered an application from the St. John Ambulance Brigade for a donation from Municipal Funds.—Recommended the payment of an annual grant of Rs. 100 with effect from 1940.

(10) Considered an application from the Government Agent, Southern Province, for an increased contribution of Rs. 1,000 for the construction of the proposed footbridge over the Koppe-ela.—Recommended that the Government Agent, Southern Province, be informed that the Council is unable to increase its promised contribution of Rs. 300 less the amount already expended on the preparation of plans and estimates, and further that the Council is of opinion that a bridge costing much less than Rs. 1,000 should be constructed.

(12) Considered—(1) Audit Query No. 57/I.M. of September 13, 1939, regarding the need for retaining the services of the temporary canvasser in the Electricity Department; (2) the question of transferring him to the Municipal Office as Accounts Clerk of the Conservancy Department.—Recommended with regard to (1) that the temporary canvasser in the Electricity Department be informed that his services as such will not be required after December 31, 1939; and with regard to (2) that he be transferred to the Municipal Office as Accounts Clerk with effect from January 1, 1940, on an initial salary of Rs. 576 per annum rising to Rs. 1,200 by annual increments of Rs. 48. Mr. A. M. Saheed dissented from recommendation (2).

(15) To approve the refund of a sum of Rs. 38.25 to Mahinda College being the amount over-recovered on account of electricity dues from November, 1938 to July, 1939.—Recommended that the refund be approved and that a supplemental vote of Rs. 38.25 under Head E. 7/13 be sanctioned for the purpose.

(16) Considered the installation of a separate feeder for the Power House load.—Recommended that the offer of the Government Electrical Department for the sale of two feeder panels for Rs. 1,700 be accepted, and that a supplemental vote of Rs. 1,800 be sanctioned for the purpose.

(17) Considered an application from the Galle Child Welfare Association for an increased grant of Rs. 750 for 1940.—Recommended that the grant for 1940 be increased to Rs. 750.

(19) Considered the following motion of Mr. A. H. E. Fernando at the General Meeting of Council on October 12, 1939:—"That the annual licensing fee for tea and coffee boutiques and eating houses be reduced from Rs. 6 to Rs. 3 with effect from January 1, 1940".—Recommended that the annual licensing fee be reduced to Rs. 4 with effect from January 1, 1940.

(20) Considered the following motion of Mr. A. H. E. Fernando at the General Meeting of Council on October 12, 1939:—"That the annual tax and stamp duty on a vehicle drawn by two bullocks and by one bullock respectively be recovered as follows with effect from January 1, 1940: Tax, Rs. 2 in either case; stamp duty, Rs. 4 for the former and Rs. 2 for the latter".—Recommended that, with effect from January 1, 1940, the tax be reduced to Rs. 2 in either case, and the stamp duty to Rs. 4 in the case of a vehicle drawn by two bullocks, and Rs. 2 in the case of a vehicle drawn by one bullock.

(21) Considered the following motion of Mr. A. H. E. Fernando at the General Meeting of Council on October 12, 1939:—"That the annual licensing fee for every bullock or ass be reduced from Re. 1 to 50 cents with effect from January 1, 1940.—Recommended that no reduction be made.

(22) To recommend a supplemental vote of Rs. 60 for the internal telephone extensions to the office rooms of the Mayor and Commissioner respectively.—Recommended.

(23) To confirm the appointment of Mr. D. V. Seneviratne as Assessment Clerk, and Distraing Officer for the Fort Ward.—Recommended that Mr. D. V. Seneviratne be confirmed in his present post and that he be placed on the following scale of salary with effect from January 1, 1940:—Rs. 480—Rs. 48—Rs. 1,200.

(24) Considered an estimate of Rs. 478.50 for providing two street lamps along Closenberg road.—Recommended that the estimate be passed and that a supplemental vote be sanctioned.

(25) Considered the amendment of the rules relating to the domestic two-part tariff as regards the recovery of a disconnection fee of Rs. 5 when the supply is taken for a period of less than one year.—Recommended that in all cases where there is a change from one tariff to another no "disconnection" fee be charged, and that the following rule be deleted:—"A disconnection fee of Rs. 5 will be made when the supply is taken for a period of less than one year".

(26) Considered an application from the Galle Law Association for an annual grant for the maintenance and upkeep of the Law Library.—Recommended that provision be made in next year's budget for a grant of Rs. 250 to the Galle Law Association for the maintenance and upkeep of the Law Library.

(27) Considered, together with the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets, the question of the lease of Market Stalls, &c., for 1940.—Recommended (1) that in the case of the Green market, Fruit market, Offal market (and room), Dewatte market, Municipal shops and boutiques, tea boutique in the Fort, and the room in the Fish Auction Shed, the leases be offered to the present lessees at the same rentals as in 1939, that in the case of those who renew their leases fresh security deposits be taken for 1940, and that in the case of any vacant stalls or rooms the leases be sold by public auction; (2) that in the case of the stalls in the Meat market the leases be offered to the present lessees at the same rentals as in 1939, provided they agree to reduce the price of beef and mutton as follows with effect from January 1, 1940:—Beef without bones, 23 cents per lb.; beef with bones, 18 cents per lb.; mutton without bones, 75 cents per lb.; mutton with bones, 60 cents per lb.; (3) that in the case of the Fish market, the stalls be sold by public auction at the rates fixed for 1939; (4) that in the case of the fruit trees in the Fort, Wackwella road, Katugoda, Elliot road, Weliwatte, Maitipe, Hirimbure, and at the Bataduwa Depot, the leases be sold by public auction; and (5) that in the case of the

fruit trees in the Dadalla Cemetery and the Victoria Park, the leases be offered to the Cemetery-keeper and the Park-keeper respectively at the same rentals as in 1939. Messrs. A. H. E. Fernando, A. I. H. A. Wahab, D. S. Goonesekera, and P. Dahanayake refrained from voting in favour of recommendation (1) only so far as the Green market was concerned.

Resolution.

With regard to item (9) Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya moved as an amendment "the payment of a grant of Rs. 100 for 1940." The Mayor seconded.—Carried.

With regard to item (10) it was resolved that the matter be referred to the Works Committee for consideration along with Mr. E. de S. Wijayarathne's motion on the matter.

With regard to item (12) Mr. A. M. Saheed moved as an amendment to recommendation (2) that applications for the post be called for in the usual manner. Mr. J. E. Perera seconded. The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost; 4 voting for and 7 against, and the division being as follows:—*For*.—Messrs. A. M. Saheed, J. E. Perera, F. Magdon Ismail, and T. W. Roberts. *Against*.—The Mayor and Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab, A. H. E. Fernando, A. William Wijeratne, W. T. Wijekulasuriya, E. D. Nagahawatte, and P. Dahanayake. *Declined to Vote*.—Messrs. E. de S. Wijayarathne and D. S. Goonesekera. It was then resolved by 8 votes to 3 that both recommendations of the Standing Committee be adopted.

With regard to item (19) Mr. J. E. Perera moved as an amendment that the annual licensing fee do remain at Rs. 6. Mr. T. W. Roberts seconded. The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost, 4 voting for and 6 against. The recommendation of the Standing Committee was then put to the meeting and adopted by 9 votes to 4.

With regard to item (26) Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya moved as an amendment that consideration of the matter be deferred. The Mayor seconded. The amendment was put to the meeting and carried by 8 votes to 4.

With regard to item (27) the Mayor informed the meeting, as regards recommendation (2), that the butchers had agreed in writing to sell beef and mutton at the rates proposed. Mr. F. Magdon Ismail moved as an amendment to recommendation (2) that tender be invited for the lease of the stalls in the Meat market. Mr. T. W. Roberts seconded. The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost, 2 voting for and 11 against. The recommendations of the Standing Committee with regard to this item were then put to the meeting and adopted.

The recommendations of the Standing Committee with regard to all the remaining items were adopted.

(d) *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Sanitation and Markets of October 26, 1939.*

(2) Considered, together with the Standing Committee on Finance, the question of the lease of Market Stalls, &c., for 1940.—Recommended (1) that in the case of the Green market, Fruit market, Offal market (and room), Dewatté market, Municipal shops and boutiques, tea boutique in the Fort, and the room in the Fish Auction Shed, the leases be offered to the present lessees at the same rentals as in 1939, that in the case of those who renew their leases fresh security deposits be taken for 1940, and that in the case of any vacant stalls or rooms the leases be sold by public auction; (2) that in the case of the stalls in the Meat market the leases be offered to the present lessees at the same rentals as in 1939, provided they agree to reduce the price of beef and mutton as follows, with effect from January 1, 1940:—Beef without bones, 23 cents per lb.; beef with bones, 18 cents per lb.; mutton without bones, 75 cents per lb.; mutton with bones, 60 cents per lb.; (3) that in the case of the Fish market the stalls be sold by public auction at the rates fixed for 1939; (4) that in the case of the fruit trees in the Fort, Wackwella road, Katugoda, Elliot road, Weliwatte, Maitipe, Hirimbure, and at the Bataduwa Depot, the leases be sold by public auction; and (5) that in the case of the fruit trees in the Dadalla Cemetery and the Victoria Park, the leases be offered to the Cemetery-keeper and the Park-keeper respectively at the same rentals as in 1939. Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab; A. H. E. Fernando; D. S. Goonesekera; and P. Dahanayake refrained from voting in favour of recommendation (1) only so far as the Green market was concerned.

(3) Considered the question of providing a site for a temporary ward for tuberculosis patients.—Recommended that Government be asked to establish a temporary ward for tuberculosis patients at the back of the Segregation Camp premises in Dadalla pending permanent arrangements as regards the establishment of Anti-tuberculosis Institutions.

(4) Considered what action should be taken to ensure that all fish landed on the beach or otherwise brought to the town is taken to the Fish Auction Shed for disposal as required by the Municipal By-laws.—Recommended that no further action be taken in the matter, in view of the recent decision of Council to appoint a Revenue Inspector.

(5) Considered the following motion of Mr. T. W. Roberts at the General Meeting of Council on October 12, 1939:— "That the Sanitation Committee should prepare a scheme to reduce the incidence of phthisis in Galle, particularly (a) by facilitating early diagnosis; (b) by subsidies to patients or other means likely to produce more thorough isolation of patients and likely to reduce the spread of infection".—Recommended, with regard to (a), that inquiries be made from Government with regard to the establishment of an Anti-tuberculosis Clinic for diagnosing tuberculosis patients; and, with regard to (b), that the Medical Officer of Health be asked to report on the matter.

Resolution.

With regard to item (3) the Mayor moved as an amendment that the recommendation of the Standing Committee be not adopted. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab seconded. Mr. T. W. Roberts moved as a further amendment that consideration of the matter be deferred for a period of six months. Mr. D. S. Goonesekera seconded. Mr. A. William Wijeratne suggested a period of three months, to which Messrs. T. W. Roberts and D. S. Goonesekera agreed. Mr. E. de S. Wijayarathne opposed the recommendation of the Standing Committee and supported the amendment proposed by the Mayor. Messrs. W. T. Wijekulasuriya and A. William Wijeratne supported the amendment proposed by Mr. Roberts. The Mayor's amendment was first put to the meeting and declared lost, 6 voting for and 7 against, and the division being as follows:—*For*.—The Mayor and Messrs. A. I. H. A. Wahab, F. Magdon Ismail, A. H. E. Fernando, E. de S. Wijayarathne, and E. D. Nagahawatte. *Against*.—Messrs. J. E. Perera, D. S. Goonesekera, A. William Wijeratne, W. T. Wijekulasuriya, P. Dahanayake, A. M. Saheed and T. W. Roberts. Mr. Roberts' amendment that consideration of the matter be deferred for a period of three months was then put to the meeting and carried. Mr. E. de S. Wijayarathne declining to vote.

The recommendations of the Standing Committee with regard to the remaining items were adopted.

18. To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 17.50 under Vote 12—Rents.—Sanctioned.

19. To consider a letter dated October 30, 1939, from Mr. P. A. Wadood and 40 others protesting against property No. 18 and 20, Talapitiya, being utilized for the purpose of a temporary cattle pound:—Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya moved that the matter be referred to the Sanitation Committee for consideration. Mr. F. Magdon Ismail seconded.—Carried.

20. To consider letter No. B. 1592 dated November 3, 1939, from the Commissioner of Local Government with regard to the amendment of Regulation 3 (b) of the Galle Street Collections Regulations, 1938:—The Mayor moved, that Regulation 3 (b) of the Galle Street Collections Regulations, 1938, be amended to read as follows:—"Two persons nominated from time to time by the Galle Municipal Council with the approval of the Executive Committee of Local Administration". Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab seconded.—Carried. Messrs. T. Roberts, P. Dahanayake, and E. de S. Wijayarathne declining to vote.

21. To consider the interim report of the Special Committee appointed to report on ways and means of increasing revenue.

The Mayor moved that the interim report of the Special Committee be adopted, with effect from January 1, 1940, subject to the following amendments, viz., as regards recommendation (3), that permits be issued to not more than 30 outside hawkers and, as regards recommendation (4), that an annual licence fee of 50 cents be charged for each permit issued. Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya seconded.—Carried.

22. To recommend a person for appointment as Unofficial Visitor to the Civil Hospital, Galle, for the year 1940. The Mayor moved that Mr. A. H. E. Fernando, M.M.C., be recommended for appointment as Unofficial Visitor to the Civil Hospital, Galle, for the year 1940. Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya seconded.—Carried.

23. To fix a date for the next General Meeting of the Council and the Special Meeting to consider finally the budget for 1940 :—Agreed that the next General Meeting be held on December 7, 1939, at 2.30 P.M., and the Special Meeting on December 14, 1939, at 2.30 P.M.

24. The following documents were laid on the table :—

- (1) Letter from the Secretary to the Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce of October 20, 1939, in regard to two resolutions on Food Control passed by the Council on October 4, 1939.
- (2) Letter No. G. 901/39 dated October 30, 1939, from the Superintendent of Police, Southern Province, with regard to the extension of the time limit for the halting of buses at the old bus stand.
- (3) Statement of Receipts and Disbursements to the end of October, 1939.
- (4) Progress Report of Works done on estimates during October, 1939.
- (5) Report of the Inspector of Vehicles on carriages plying for hire during October, 1939.
- (6) Report of the Municipal Electrical Engineer.
- (7) Diaries of (a) the Medical Officer of Health ; (b) the Municipal Works and Waterworks Engineer ; (c) the Inspector of Works ; and (d) the Manager, Health Department.

Confirmed on December 7, 1939 :

W. DAHANAYAKE,
Mayor of Galle.

GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements from January to November 30, 1939.

RECEIPTS.	Amount Estimated.		Receipts to November 30, 1939.		DISBURSEMENTS.	Amount Estimated for 1939.		Expenditure from January to November 30, 1939.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Taxes ..	11,000	0	10,310	25	Non-effective charges ..	27,076	0	19,695	6
Rates ..	150,000	0	134,491	33	Administrative charges ..	114,724	0	96,064	22
Licences ..	32,600	0	28,352	51	Health Department :—				
Judicial fines ..	5,500	0	3,890	26	Sanitation ..	2,960	0	1,878	11
Slaughter-house fees ..	3,750	0	3,069	31	Anti-plague measures ..	5,100	0	3,843	57
Conservancy fees ..	35,500	0	32,168	82	Conservancy ..	39,950	0	33,129	12
Market rents ..	19,083	0	14,175	10	Scavenging ..	28,633	0	25,601	42
Rents ..	10,225	0	8,804	11	Pettigalawatta canal ..	3,457	0	2,593	50
Cemetery fees ..	300	0	344	50	Works Department :—				
Water ..	4,775	0	4,451	66	Recurrent ..	30,148	0	24,908	11
Miscellaneous ..	99,453	0	39,031	46	Extraordinary ..	38,964	0	21,600	69
Total Revenue ..	372,186	0	279,089	31	Waterworks :—				
Electricity Department loan ..	—	—	45,000	0	Recurrent ..	9,045	0	4,495	44
Deposits ..	—	—	22,141	98	Extraordinary ..	40,100	0	19,581	96
Fixed Deposit Account ..	—	—	20,750	0	Municipal court ..	3,250	0	1,899	88
Advances repaid ..	—	—	2,017	58	Markets ..	2,823	0	2,001	62
Advances repaid by Electricity Department ..	—	—	136,096	88	Slaughter-house ..	1,772	0	1,199	61
Petty cash account ..	—	—	5,478	74	Police cattle pound ..	441	0	323	12
Cheques returned by bank ..	—	—	248	54	Cemetery ..	610	0	424	10
Electricity Department Suspense Account ..	—	—	13,363	0	Street lighting ..	31,000	0	28,416	67
Electricity Department Advance Account ..	—	—	46,580	75	Miscellaneous ..	91,040	0	20,640	76
Total Receipts ..	—	—	571,666	78	Total Expenditure ..	471,098	0	308,296	96
Cash Balance on January 1, 1939 ..	—	—	186,443	61	Deposits repaid ..	—	—	23,286	95
					State Mortgage Bank ..	—	—	20,750	0
					Advances ..	—	—	6,426	17
					Fixed Deposits ..	—	—	137,650	0
					Advance to Electricity Department Revenue Account ..	—	—	80,440	45
					Stamp Duty State Mortgage Bank ..	—	—	130	21
					Advance to Electricity Department Capital Account ..	—	—	55,921	10
					Electricity Department Suspense Account ..	—	—	13,363	0
					Petty Cash Account ..	—	—	5,500	32
					Cheques returned by bank ..	—	—	248	54
					Electricity Department Advance Account ..	—	—	50,314	64
					Total disbursements ..	—	—	702,328	34
					Cash balance on November 30, 1939 ..	—	—	55,782	5
Total ..	—	—	758,110	39	Total ..	—	—	758,110	39

Surplus and Deficit Account.

	Amount.		Amount.		
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Expenditure from January 1 to November 30, 1939 ..	308,296	96	Surplus on January 1, 1939 ..	91,811	59
Surplus on November 30, 1939 ..	62,603	94	Revenue from January 1 to November 30, 1938 ..	279,089	31
Total ..	370,900	90	Total ..	370,900	90

Balance Sheet, November 30, 1939.

LIABILITIES.	Amount.		ASSETS.	Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Deposits—Miscellaneous	28,253	10	Cash in State Mortgage Bank	20,750	0
Surplus	62,603	94	Stamp Duty do.	130	21
Unexpended Balance Electrical Department	111,844	10	Fixed deposits :—		
				Rs.	c.
			Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.,		
			Galle	55,500	0
			Ceylon Savings Bank	5,900	0
			Other Banks	55,560	0
				116,900	0
			Cash in Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd., Galle—		
			Current account	62,025	70
			Less uncashed cheques	6,246	5
				55,779	65
			Cash in hand of Shroff—		
			Petty cash	76	50
			Daily collection	2	40
				78	90
			Advances		7,062
					38
Total	200,701	14	Total	200,701	14

The Municipal Office,
Galle, December 22, 1939.

W. A. GOONETILLEKE,
Accountant.

THELMUTH L. F. MACK,
Acting Municipal Commissioner.

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

Revenue Account from January 1 to November 30, 1939.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimated Expenditure for 1939.		Expenditure from January to November 30, 1939.		INCOME.	Estimated Income for 1939.		Income from January to November 30, 1939.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Generation of Electricity	28,200	0	23,486	99	1. Sale of Electricity	132,000	0	119,161	19
2. Repairs and Maintenance	4,800	0	3,557	8	2. Rent of Meters	9,000	0	7,697	50
3. Distribution of Electricity	17,600	0	12,492	16	3. Services to Consumers	5,100	0	3,875	52
4. Street Lamps	6,850	0	4,385	25	4. Miscellaneous	1,400	0	6,262	67
5. Service Mains	7,000	0	6,917	18					
6. Meter Readings	700	0	498	6					
7. Management and General Expenses	16,590	0	13,553	30					
Total working expenses	81,740	0	64,890	2					
Gross profit carried to nett revenue account	—		72,106	86					
Total	—		136,996	88	Total	147,500	0	136,996	88

Nett Revenue Account, January 1 to November 30, 1939.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Interest on Loan from Local Loan Commissioners	6,127	10	Balance brought forward from 1938	339,567	65
Instalment in repayment of loan from do.	9,423	33	Gross profit	72,106	86
Reserve for renewals	—				
Nett profit on November 30, 1939	396,124	8			
	411,674	51		411,674	51

Advance Account.

	Amount.		Amount.		
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
Value of Stores on January 1, 1939	4,102	23	Expenditure from January 1 to November 30, 1939	46,580	75
Advances from January 1 to November 30, 1939	46,212	41	Unexpended Stores on November 30, 1939	3,733	89
Total	50,314	64	Total	50,314	64

Suspense Account.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Adjustments by payments up to November 30, 1939	13,363	0	Stores purchased but not paid for up to October 31, 1939	13,363	0
Stores not paid for on November 30, 1939	—		Stores purchased but not paid for in November, 1939	—	
	13,363	0		13,363	0

Balance Sheet, November, 1939.

LIABILITIES.	Amount.		ASSETS.	Expended up to		Total.
	Rs.	c.		December 31, 1939.	During 1939.	
Loan from Local Loan Commissioners	70,200	0				
Loan from Local Loan Commissioners—Electric Lighting Extensions	58,310	1				
Loan from Local Loan Commissioners—New K. W. Engine set	45,000	0	Capital—Meters	40,472	61	43,301
Loans redeemed account	69,489	99	Capital—Buildings	43,324	49	44,491
Reserve for renewals	135,897	38	Capital—Mains	268,745	2	274,336
Contribution from Revenue Account	396,124	8	Capital—Engines, &c.	221,908	16	266,497
			Capital—Workshop Tools, &c.	15,762	37	15,949
			Capital—Other expenses	13,309	72	14,867
			Unexpended Stores	—	—	3,733
			Unexpended Balance	—	—	111,844
	775,021	46	Total	603,522	37	775,021

The Municipal Office,
Galle, December 22, 1939.

W. A. GOONETILLEKE,
Accountant.

THELMUTH L. F. MACK,
Acting Municipal Commissioner.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Rabies.

NOTICE is hereby given that as danger of rabies exists in the division of Urban District Council, Kolonnawa, the said division is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 11 (1) and (2) of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333) for a period of six months with effect from January 1, 1940.

Any dog found in any public place or road or any place other than a private building, compound or garden within the said division and not being tied up or led shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith.

D. A. J. TUDUGALLA,
Chairman.
Urban District Council Office,
Kolonnawa, January 8, 1940.

Rabies—Beruwala.

WHEREAS danger of rabies exists at present in the administrative limits of the Beruwala Urban Council:

(1) It is hereby proclaimed under the provision of section 10A (a) and (2) of the Rabies Ordinance, No. 6 of 1929, that the Beruwala Urban Council area is one within which danger of rabies exists.

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

(3) This proclamation shall take effect from the date hereof and be in force till June 30, 1940.

Urban Council Office,
Beruwala, January 5, 1940.

I. L. M. YUSUF,
Chairman.

Rabies.

WHEREAS there is a danger of rabies within the Urban District Council area of Kotte, it is hereby notified under section 10A (1) of Ordinance No. 7 of 1893, as amended by Ordinance No. 6 of 1929, that any dog found in any public place or road or any place other than a private building, compound or garden and not being tied up or led shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith.

This proclamation shall take effect from January 1, 1940, to June 30, 1940.

DONALD OBEYSEKERE,
Chairman.
Kotte Urban District Council Office,
Rajagiri, December 22, 1939.

Dog Tax for 1940.

The Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901.

IT is hereby notified that the Ambalangoda Urban Council has, in terms of section 5 of the Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, imposed for the year 1940 a registration fee of Re. 1 on every dog or bitch kept within the administrative limits of the said Urban Council.

Town Hall,
Ambalangoda, January 8, 1940.

T. C. P. Fernando,
Chairman.

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

Re-sale of Arrack Rent—Jaffna District.

Group No. IV., Kayts and Chankanai.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of selling arrack by retail at the group of taverns referred to above during the period February 1, 1940, to September 30, 1940; subject to the Arrack Rent Sale Conditions appearing on page 841 *et seq.* of *Government Gazette* No. 8,457 of June 9, 1939, and to the general conditions applicable to all Excise licences appearing in Excise Notification No. 329 published in *Government Gazette* No. 8,458 of June 16, 1939.

2. Every tender must be made on the prescribed form which may be obtained at the Jaffna Kachcheri, and must be accompanied by a Treasury or Kachcheri receipt acknowledging the deposit of a sum of Rs. 500.

3. Every tender must be placed in a sealed envelope clearly marked on the top left hand corner: "Group No. IV., Kayts and Chankanai Arrack Taverns," and must reach the Government Agent before the time fixed for the closing of tenders. Tenders will close at 11 A.M. on January 23, 1940. Tenderers should be present at the Kachcheri at the time of closing of tenders.

4. The grantee shall, immediately on being declared to be the purchaser of the privilege, sign the conditions of sale and pay to the Government Agent as a security deposit a sum equivalent to two months' rent payable for that privilege.

Rabies.

NOTICE is hereby given in terms of the provisions in Rabies Ordinance, 1893, and amending Ordinance of 1929, that there is danger of rabies within the administrative limits of this Council.

Any dog found in any place or road, or any place other than a private building, compound or garden, within the limits of the Council, and not being tied up or led shall be liable to be forthwith destroyed, by any person authorized by me in writing.

This proclamation shall be in force for six months from the date hereof.

H. I. FERNANDO,
Chairman.
Urban Council Office,
Moratuwa, January 9, 1940.

Rabies.

Ordinance No. 6 of 1929.

I hereby proclaim the whole area of Panadure town, within the Urban District Council limits, as an area within which rabies exist or within which there is danger of rabies. Any dog found in any public place or road not being tied up or led will be destroyed.

D. R. DE SILVA,
Chairman.
Office of the Urban District Council,
Panadure, January 5, 1940.

5. If any tenderer, on being declared the purchaser of a privilege, declines to sign the conditions of sale or fails to furnish the required security when called upon to do so, the tender deposit made by him will be declared to be forfeited and the defaulter will render himself liable to have his name entered in the list of defaulters in respect of all Excise licences. Subject to this exception the deposits of all tenderers will be returned after the conditions of sale have been signed by the successful tenderer or bidder and the aforesaid security given by the successful tenderer or bidder.

6. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders without assigning any reason for so doing.

7. The time of opening and closing of the taverns referred to are as follows :—

Group No.	Number and Name of Tavern.	Opening Hour.	Closing Hour.
IV.	8, Kayts	8 A.M.	8 P.M.
	9, Chankanai	8 A.M.	7 P.M.

8. Further particulars can be obtained on application at the Jaffna Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,
Jaffna, January 9, 1940.

V. VISWALINGAM,
for Government Agent.

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, January 27, 1940, at 1 P.M. :—

Eight verties, 6 white banians, 3 pieces of rags, 59 sarongs, 40 gauze banians, 17 shirts, 9 cloth belts, 1 sweater, 18 handkerchiefs, 4 leather belts, 1 tie, 4 clothes, 5 coats, 8 coat buttons, 5 shirt studs, 2 combs, 6 pairs of shirt links, 1 pair of trousers, 1 pair of canvas shoes, 3 trouser studs, 2 shawls, 1 gauze shirt.

Welikada Prison,
Colombo, January 5, 1940.

G. V. F. WILLE,
Superintendent.

Sale of Unserviceable Articles.

IT is hereby notified that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Royal College on Saturday, February 3, 1940, at 9 A.M. :—

One microscope ; 1 office ebony ruler ; 1 big clasp knife ; 2 dust bins ; 1 watering can ; 3 water buckets ; 1 pigeon holes ; 17 arm chairs ; 10 students' chairs ; 3 desks ; 1 blackboard stand ; 1 sports notice board ; 4 relay batons.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.