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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 492 of 1940.

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

J 154/38

Mr. V. VISWALINGAM to be, in addition to his other duties, Assistant Government Agent, Jaffna District, on August 24, 1940.

J 23/40

Mr. S. S. NAVARATNAM, Assistant at Vavuniya to the Government Agent, Northern Province, to be, in addition to his own duties, Assistant at Mannar to the Government Agent, Northern Province; District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Magistrate, Mannar; Deputy Fiscal for the District of Mannar; Assistant Collector of Customs, Mannar; Master Attendant, Mannar; Receiver of Wrecks, Mannar; Additional Superintendent of Police, Mannar; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Mannar; and Official Visitor to the Mandapam Camp from August 16 to 17, 1940, during the absence of Mr. W. D. GUNARATNE, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

I 3/40

Mr. G. E. CHITTY, Advocate, to act as Crown Counsel with effect from August 12, 1940, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 22, 1940.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.

No. 493 of 1940.

N 21/40

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotion in the 2nd (Anti-Aircraft) Regiment, Ceylon Garrison Artillery, with effect from August 1, 1940, to fill an existing vacancy:—

To be Captain: Lieutenant FREDERICK CECIL DE SARAM.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 13, 1940.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.

No. 494 of 1940.

N 54/40

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to post Captain TOM NEVILLE WYNNE-JONES of the 2nd (Anti-Aircraft) Regiment, Ceylon Garrison Artillery, to the Reserve of his Corps with effect from August 1, 1940.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 16, 1940.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.

No. 495 of 1940.

N 54/40

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to post Lieutenant and Quartermaster ELMER JOHN WINFRED SOLOMONS of the Ceylon Light Infantry to the Reserve of his Corps with effect from August 6, 1940.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 14, 1940.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.

No. 496 of 1940.

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

J 69/36

Mr. V. C. MODDER to be Additional District Judge, Nuwara Eliya, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, and Additional Magistrate, Badulla-Haldummulla, during the absence of Mr. H. S. ROBERTS, on August 31, 1940.

J 39/36

Mr. J. S. V. S. JAYAWICKRAMA to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Tangalla, on August 19, 1940, to enable judgment to be delivered in D. C., Tangalla, case No. 4,473.

J 39/36

Mr. L. G. POULIER to be Additional District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Magistrate, Tangalla, during the absence of Mr. W. OLEGASAGREM, from August 22 to 24, 1940.

J 27/36

Mr. A. L. SAVUNDRANAYAGAM to be Additional District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Additional Magistrate, Mannar, during the absence of Mr. W. D. GUNARATNA, on August 17 and 18, 1940.

J 38/36

Mr. V. E. RAJAKARIER to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Ratnapura, on August 20, 1940, to enable judgments to be delivered in D. C., Ratnapura, case No. 6,614, and C. R., Ratnapura, case No. 24,394.

J 83/36

Mr. P. B. TENNEKOON 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. WIJEYWARDENE, from August 14 to 17, 1940.

J 83/36

Mr. P. B. TENNEKOON 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. WIJEYWARDENE, on August 18 and 19, 1940.

J 16/36

Mr. T. B. PANABOKKE to be Additional Commissioner of Requests, Gampola, and Additional District Judge, Kandy, for the judicial division of Gampola, on August 24, 1940, to try M. C., Gampola, cases Nos. 19,607 and 19,272.

J 56/36

Mr. M. VYTHIALINGAM to be Additional Magistrate, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Jaffna at Mallakam, Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kayts, and Additional District Judge, Jaffna, during the absence of Mr. R. RAMACHANDRAN, from August 18 to 21, and on August 24 and 25, 1940.

J 65/36

Mr. A. ARUMUGAM to be Additional Magistrate, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Jaffna at Mallakam, Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kayts, and Additional District Judge, Jaffna, during the absence of Mr. R. RAMACHANDRAN, on August 22 and 23, 1940.

J 50/38

Mr. M. VYTHIALINGAM to be Additional Magistrate, Mallakam, on August 31, 1940, to hear M. C., Mallakam, case No. 21,222.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

ROBERT H. DRAYTON,
Legal Secretary.

No. 497 of 1940.

E 17/40

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, in exercise of the power vested in him under Article 12 (1) of the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, to appoint the Extra Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Southern Province, to be an Assistant Registering Officer for the Balapitiya, Udugama, and Galle electoral districts.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 17, 1940.

ROBERT H. DRAYTON,
Legal Secretary.

No. 498 of 1940.

G 24/36/4

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. W. F. T. RAJAKARUNA has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for the Vidane Arachchies' divisions of Welitara, Kosgoda, and Uragaha in the Bentota-Walallawiti korale, and Additional Inquirer for Wellaboda pattu, Galle District, during the absence of Mr. K. A. DE S. R. WIJAYASINHA, on August 15 and 17, 1940.

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 15, 1940.

ROBERT H. DRAYTON,
Legal Secretary.

No. 499 of 1940.

G 24/36/15

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. K. A. DE S. R. WIJAYASINHA has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be, in addition to his other duties, an Inquirer for Bentota-Walallawiti korale, during the absence of Mr. D. A. ASSALAARACHCHI from August 22 to September 13, 1940.

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 16, 1940.

ROBERT H. DRAYTON,
Legal Secretary.

No. 500 of 1940.

G 31/36

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. D. SIRIMANNE has been appointed under section 372 of the Civil Procedure Code, to be, while acting in the office of Fiscal's Marshal, Panadura, an officer specially authorized to administer the Oaths or Affirmations which are requisite to the making of affidavits mentioned in section 371 of the said Code, for the judicial division of Panadura, from August 14 to 17, 1940.

Legal Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 14, 1940.

ROBERT H. DRAYTON,
Legal Secretary.

No. 501 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. PIANKARA HEWA PREMARATNE SUGATHADASA 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, August 12, 1940.

No. 502 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ABDUL MAJEED MOHAMED MARZUK 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, August 12, 1940.

No. 503 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. EMMANUEL THOMAS DAVID FRANCIS DE SILVA 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, August 12, 1940.

No. 504 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. ALFRED STANLEY DE ALWIS 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, August 12, 1940.

No. 505 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. WALTER BENJAMIN RODRIGO to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Kandy, and to practise as such in the English language.

G. C. S. COREA,

Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, August 12, 1940.

No. 506 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. GANGABODDE HEWAGE NIMAL KULASOORIYA to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Galle, and to practise as such in the English language.

G. C. S. COREA,

Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, August 12, 1940.

No. 507 of 1940.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. RANSIDHARA DAMBAWINNE to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Ratnapura, and to practise as such in the English language.

G. C. S. COREA,

Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, August 12, 1940.

No. 508 of 1940.

G 3859

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf Mr. P. B. HETIPOLA has been appointed temporarily under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198) as President, Village Tribunals, Wannihattapattu, during the absence of Mr. L. H. ILANGANTILEKE, from August 14 to 15, 1940.

The Kacheheri,

Kurunegala, August 9, 1940.

N. E. ERNST,

Government Agent.

No. 509 of 1940.

T 8180

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf Mr. M. T. JAINU DEEN, Proctor, Supreme Court, has been appointed temporarily under section 67 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198) as Additional President, Village Tribunals, Yatikinda-Wiyaluwa, on August 29, 1940, to try Village Tribunal Irrigation (Badulla) case No. 40.

The Kacheheri,

Badulla, August 16, 1940.

J. R. WALTERS,

Government Agent.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

I 9/40

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR in that behalf Mr. JOSEPH DONALD PIERIS, Clerk in Class III. of the Clerical Service, is appointed to be Additional Registrar of Lands for the Nuwara Eliya District, with effect from September 1, 1940, vice Mr. M. M. SENEVIRATNE appointed probationer in the scheme of Divisional Revenue Officers.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 19, 1940.G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.

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

KARUVALTAMBY KULANTIVELU to act as Registrar of Lands, Trincomalee, for two days from August 16, 1940, during the absence of the Registrar, M. J. PILLAINAYAGAM, on leave.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, August 21, 1940.R. S. V. POULIER,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

L. D.—B 15/36

M/HA. CF 157/40

THE PRISONS ORDINANCE.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 32 (1) of the Prisons Ordinance (Chapter 44), I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this notice appoint, with effect from the date hereof, the persons mentioned hereunder to be members of the Local Visiting Committee in respect of the prison established in the premises of the Old Military Detention Barracks at Kandy:—

- (1) Mr. Arthur A. Perera.
- (2) Mr. Nigel I. Lee.
- (3) Mr. J. D. Sargent.
- (4) Dr. G. W. Karunaratna.

Kandy, August 20, 1940,

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

L. D.—B 29/36

E. C.—L 2192 (Pt. iv.)

THE EXCISE ORDINANCE.

Excise Notification No. 359.

Transport or Possession of Fermented Toddy in Vadamaradchi Division of the Jaffna District.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 12 and 16 (iii.) of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 42), I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Notification, rescind Excise Notification No. 342 published in *Gazette* No. 8,439 of March 17, 1939, with effect from October 1, 1940.

Colombo, August 9, 1940.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

L. D.—CF 26/40

CF. D 566/39

THE text of the following Order in Council, whereby the Order in Council framing reprisals for restricting further the commerce of Germany, dated November 27, 1939, and published in *Gazette* No. 8,561 of December 22, 1939, is applied with modifications for the purpose of restricting the commerce of Italy, is published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colombo, August 20, 1940.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of
June, 1940.

Present:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, by reason of a declaration of war against His Majesty by Italy, His Majesty has been compelled to proclaim the existence of a state of war with Italy:

And whereas by an Order in Council dated the 27th day of November, 1939, His Majesty was pleased to direct certain measures to be taken against the commerce of Germany as an act of retaliation against the violations of the laws and customs of war, the rights of neutrals and the obligations of humanity committed by the German Government and recited in the said Order:

And whereas these violations have continued and are evidently part of the settled method of waging war which Germany has adopted:

And whereas Italy by her actions has associated herself with Germany in the present war and has thereby made herself a party to the method of waging war adopted by Germany and will share in any advantages derived therefrom:

And whereas the commerce of Italy will, equally with that of Germany, be employed to further the common cause of the enemies of His Majesty:

And whereas these facts give to His Majesty an unquestionable right to apply to the commerce of Italy measures similar to those taken against that of Germany:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

Subject to the substitution of the 4th day of June, 1940, for the 4th day of December, 1939, in Articles 1 and 2 thereof, the Order in Council dated the 27th day of November, 1939, shall apply for restricting the commerce of Italy in the same manner as it applies for restricting the commerce of Germany.

RUPERT B. HOWORTH.

HA 19/40

QUARTERLY EXAMINATION FOR CIVIL SERVANTS AND OTHER PUBLIC OFFICERS.

It is hereby notified that an examination for officers, in the Civil Service, under the revised regulations, will be held at the Galle Face Secretariat on Monday, October 21, 1940, and following days, namely :—

Monday, October 21	..	Sinhalese
Tuesday, October 22	..	Law
Wednesday, October 23	..	Law
Thursday, October 24	..	Accounts, History and Geography, and Public Service Regulations
Friday, October 25	..	Tamil
Saturday, October 26	..	Tamil

The examination for officers in the Police Force and the Forest Department, and the *vidua voce* examination in the vernaculars for officers in the Public Works Department, the Survey Department, the Post and Telegraph Department, the Department of Agriculture, the Irrigation Department, the Railway Department, the Harbour Engineer's Department (Colombo Port Commission), and the Department of Electrical Undertakings, will be held at the same time and place.

Candidates are required to send in their applications to the Director of Education through the Heads of their Departments, so as to reach the Education Office, Colombo, not later than September 30, 1940.

Officers in the Civil Service should state in their applications whether they are presenting themselves for the first or second examination, and whether they intend taking Sinhalese or Tamil.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.

H 131/40

It is hereby notified that the Public Service Regulations published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 7,865 of June 30, 1931, as amended by the notification dated September 15, 1939, and published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 8,512 of September 22, 1939, are further amended by the deletion of the words "or minor" in the footnote to Public Service Regulation 147.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 16, 1940.

G. S. WODEMAN,
Chief Secretary.

(D. S. 284)

PN 1220

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Minutes on Pensions dated February 5, 1934, it is hereby notified that the holders of the offices specified below are entitled to pension :—

Valuation Department.

Assistant Valuer (General).
Assistant Valuer (Rating).

By His Excellency's command,

Financial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 14, 1940.

C. H. COLLINS,
Acting Financial Secretary.

L. D.—B 16/37
E. C. L.—R. 79

THE EXCISE ORDINANCE.

Excise Notification No. 358.

Supplementary Licence to extend Hours of Sale.

It is hereby notified that by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 24 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 42), the Governor has directed that with effect from September 1, 1940, Excise Notification No. 219 published in *Gazette* No. 7,845 of April 17, 1931, be amended in Schedule I, thereto, by the substitution for item 15 of the following :—

"15. Supplementary licence to extend hours of sale—

Up to 12 midnight	..	Rs. 10 per day
Up to 1 A.M.	..	Rs. 15 per day
Up to 1.30 A.M.	..	Rs. 20 per day
For every additional half hour after 1.30 A.M.	..	Rs. 5 per day "

Ministry of Home Affairs,
Colombo, August 12, 1940.

D. B. JAYATILAKA,
Minister for Home Affairs.

THE CATTLE ORDINANCE.

It is hereby notified that the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands has, in pursuance of the powers vested in that Committee by regulation 1 of the regulations made under section 3 of the Cattle Ordinance (Chapter 330), declared the District of Matale in the Central Province to be a branding district and has assigned to that district the letter L.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, August 19, 1940.

L. D.—B 142/40

THE CATTLE ORDINANCE.

It is hereby notified that the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands has, in pursuance of the powers vested in that Committee by regulation 1 of the regulations made under section 3 of the Cattle Ordinance (Chapter 330), declared the District of Galle in the Southern Province to be a branding district and has assigned to that district the letter G.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, August 19, 1940.

THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS (REGULATION) ORDINANCE,
No. 29 of 1939.

It is hereby notified that the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands has, in pursuance of the powers vested in that Committee by section 6 (1) of the Agricultural Products (Regulation) Ordinance, No. 29 of 1939, after consultation with the Agricultural Products Regulation Board, prescribed from the date of publication of this notification—

- (a) That in order to obtain a licence to import a specified quantity of Red Onions, an importer must purchase Ceylon Grown Red Onions, in the ratio of fifty bags of 112 lb. each of Ceylon Grown Red Onions to one hundred bags of 112 lb. each of Imported Red Onions.
- (b) The standard price for this commodity and the standard place remain the same as in the notification of July 16, 1940.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

LAND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 320).

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. A. C. Ross of Beligama estate, Galewala, to be a member of the Local Land Advisory Committee established under section 10 of the Land Development Ordinance for the Revenue District of Matale in place of Mr. W. Gopallawa, who has left the district.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 312).

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance (Cap. 312), approved under section 8 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on January 18, 1940, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Galkande anicut irrigation work in the Colombo District, and sanctioned by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 45 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,
Minister for Agriculture and Lands.
Colombo, August 19, 1940.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work : Improvements to Galkande anicut, Dasiya pattuwa, Alutkuru korale north, Colombo District, Western Province.

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

Private lands under cultivation	.. 93 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation	.. —
Crown lands under cultivation	.. —
Crown lands not under cultivation	.. —

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, (a) a 100-ft. diversion weir, (b) a 12-in. and a 4-in. sluice on the left bank, and (c) a 9-in. sluice and one drainage crossing for the right bank field channel, up to the estimated cost of Rs. 4,400 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) In consideration of the aforesaid undertaking on the part of the Government, the proprietors on their part undertake to complete the following items of work free of all charges, namely, approximately 180 cubes excavation in cutting right and left bank field channels, way leave for the channels, all such work being in accordance with the specifications issued by the Divisional Irrigation Engineer and to the satisfaction of the Government Agent.

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

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

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 312).

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance (Cap. 312), approved under section 8 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on June 2, 1937, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the tract known as the Badugoda fields in the Ittapana Salt Water Exclusion Scheme irrigation work in the Kalutara District, and sanctioned by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 41 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,

Colombo, August 19, 1940. Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work: The tract known as the Badugoda fields (comprising those fields which drain into the Badugoda and Ittapana elas extending to the north for a distance of about half a mile north of the Badugoda-Loolbaduwa District Road Committee road, on the west by Bentota-Ittapana District Road Committee road and Ittapana-ela, on the south by Bentota river, and on the east by Loolbaduwa tract) Ittapana Salt Water Exclusion Scheme, Wallawita pattuwa, Pasdun korale west, Kalutara District, Western Province.

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

Private lands under cultivation	.. 215 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation	.. 30 acres approximately
Crown lands under cultivation	.. 45 acres approximately
Crown lands not under cultivation	.. —

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, a sluice, salt water exclusion bund and a system of collecting drains, up to the estimated cost of Rs. 9,400 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) In consideration of the aforesaid undertaking on the part of Government, the proprietors on their part agree to repay to the Government a sum of Rs. 2,450 in part settlement of the cost, incurred by the Government in the construction of the items of work aforesaid, by a construction rate of Re. 1 per acre per annum for a period of 10 years from the date of completion of the irrigation work or until the said sum has been fully repaid.

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

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

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 312).

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance (Cap. 312), approved under section 8 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on March 1, 1940, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Periyakulam irrigation work in the Anuradhapura District, and sanctioned by

the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 41 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,

Colombo, August 19, 1940. Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work: Improvements to Periyakulam, Kalagam korale north, Kalagam palata, Anuradhapura District, North-Central Province.

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

Private lands under cultivation	.. 207 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation	.. 77 acres approximately
Crown lands under cultivation	.. —
Crown lands not under cultivation	.. 50 acres approximately

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, two 50-ft. masonry spills at the R. B. of Periyakulam tank, raising existing L. B. spill by 0.30 ft. and raising bund up to the estimated cost of Rs. 5,200 is undertaken by the Government.

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

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

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 312).

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance (Cap. 312), approved under section 8 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on June 30, 1939, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Nivunhela Ninde anicut irrigation work in the Kegalla District, and sanctioned by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 41 of the aforesaid Ordinance, and by Article 93 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,

Colombo, August 19, 1940. Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

SCHEME.

1. Name and description of work: Nivunhela Ninde anicut, Dehigampal korale, Kegalla District, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

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

Private lands under cultivation	.. 133 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation	.. —
Crown lands under cultivation	.. —
Crown lands not under cultivation	.. —

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, construction of an anicut, flood bund, and a controlled head sluice, extension of R. B. channel, a syphon under the ela, and other masonry structures, up to the estimated cost of Rs. 5,100 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) In consideration of the aforesaid undertaking on the part of Government the proprietors agree to contribute, after the completion of the work, all labour required for its maintenance and repair, free of all charges, free way leave for the requisite flood bunds and minor deviation of R. B. channel and cutting of all necessary field channels.

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

THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 61 OF 1939.

Special Water Rate for 1941.

IT is hereby notified that the Nawalapitiya Urban Council has, in terms of section 143 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, with the sanction of the Executive Committee of Local Administration, imposed for the year 1941, within the area situated within the administrative limits of the Nawalapitiya Urban Council, a special water rate of 4 per centum payable on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, for the quarter ending on the said days respectively, on the annual value of all immovable property situated within such area, subject to such limits and exemptions as may be authorized by by-laws made under section 170 of the Ordinance.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,

Colombo, August 17, 1940. Minister for Local Administration.

THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 61 OF 1939.

Special Conservancy Rate for 1941.

IT is hereby notified that the Nawalapitiya Urban Council has, in terms of section 143 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, with the sanction of the Executive Committee of Local Administration, imposed for the year 1941, within the area situated within the administrative limits of the Nawalapitiya Urban Council, a special conservancy rate of 3 per centum payable on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, for the quarter ending on the said days respectively, on the annual value of all immovable property, situated within such area subject to such limits and exemptions as may be authorized by by-laws made under section 170 of the Ordinance.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,
Minister for Local Administration.
Colombo, August 17, 1940.

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THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 61 OF 1939.

Property Rate for 1941.

IT is hereby notified that the Jaffna Urban Council has, under section 173 (1) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, and with the approval of the Governor given by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said section, imposed for the year 1941 a rate of 10 per centum on the annual value of all immovable property within the town of Jaffna, payable quarterly on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, respectively.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,
Minister for Local Administration.
The Ministry of Local Administration,
Colombo, August 15, 1940.

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THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 (2) (ix.) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198) made by the Village Committee of the Kalutara, Paiyagal, and Maggon baddas village area in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration and confirmed by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 49 (3) of the Ordinance.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,
Minister for Local Administration.
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

BY-LAWS.

Conservancy and Scavenging.

1. The Chairman may, by a notice in writing served on the owner of any premises situated within an area for which a conservancy service has been established, require such owner to close any cesspit that may be situated on the premises and substitute for such cesspit a pail latrine of a size and type, and in such a position on the premises, as may be approved by the Chairman.
2. Every owner on whom a notice referred to in by-law 1 has been served shall duly comply with the requirements of such notice within such time, in no case to be less than one month, as may be specified in such notice.
3. No person other than a conservancy labourer, employed by the Village Committee shall remove or otherwise dispose of the night soil from any premises on which a pail latrine, in accordance with these by-laws, has been built.
4. Every occupier of premises served by the conservancy service other than an occupier who is exempted by the Village Committee on the ground of poverty, shall pay monthly to the Village Committee a conservancy fee at the rate specified in the schedule hereto.
5. Upon the establishment of a scavenging service for the whole or any specified part of the village area, every occupier of any premises situated within an area for which such service has been established, shall deposit or cause to be deposited all ashes, sweepings and other refuse from his premises, in buckets or bins with suitable covers and of such shape and size as may be approved by the Chairman of the Village Committee.
6. The occupier of any premises referred to in by-law 5, shall—
 - (1) daily between such hours as the Chairman may from time to time notify by beat of tom-tom or otherwise, place or cause to be placed such buckets or bins by the edge of the road outside such premises but so as to cause no obstruction to traffic on the road; and
 - (2) remove or cause to be removed such buckets or bins, within half an hour of the emptying of such buckets or bins by the scavenging labourers of the Village Committee.

7. No person shall place any ashes, sweepings or other refuse on any road except in such buckets or bins and at such hours as are referred to in by-law 6.

8. Every occupier of any premises served by the scavenging service, other than an occupier who is exempted by the Village Committee on the ground of poverty, shall pay monthly to the Village Committee a scavenging fee at the rate specified in the schedule hereto.

9. The conservancy fee referred to in by-law 4 and the scavenging fee referred to in by-law 8 shall be paid to the Chairman of the Village Committee on or before 10th day of the month immediately following the month in respect of which they are due; provided that when the occupier has given written notice in advance to the Chairman that the premises will not be occupied during the whole of any specified month, and such occupier subsequently satisfies the Chairman that such premises were in fact not occupied during the month, no conservancy or scavenging fee shall be payable in respect of such month.

SCHEDULE.

	Rs.	c.
Conservancy fee	1	0
Scavenging fee	0	50

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THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198) made by the Village Committees of the Nikaweratiya, Udubaddawa, Dodangasala, Makandura, Rambodagalla, Murutenge, Tamborombuwa, Galgomuwa, Wellawa, Gokarella, Ehetuwewa, Potuhara, and Maho village areas in the Kurunegala District, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration and confirmed 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, August 15, 1940.

BY-LAWS RELATING TO THE TAX ON VEHICLES AND ANIMALS.

Section 47.

1. (1) For the purpose of the tax on vehicles and animals levied under section 47 of the Village Communities Ordinance, every person who has possession or custody or control of any vehicle or animal liable to such tax shall fill up and return to the Chairman a schedule in such form as may be provided for the purpose by the Committee.
 - (2) The schedule shall be returned to the Chairman within seven days of its receipt by the person to whom such schedule is delivered.
2. If any person, after having filled up and returned such schedule, acquires, keeps or uses any vehicle or animal, not mentioned in such schedule, he shall, within one month of acquiring any such vehicle or animal, notify the Chairman in writing of the fact of such acquisition, and further furnish true and correct information in respect of every such vehicle or animal so acquired, kept or used.
3. Subject to the provisions of section 47 (2) of the Ordinance every person who has furnished the schedule referred to in by-law 1 shall without further notice be liable, in respect of vehicles or animals entered in such schedule to pay the tax for the year for which such schedule is furnished, and every person who has sent the written notice required by by-law 2 shall be liable to pay the tax on vehicles or animals referred to in such notice for the year in which such vehicles or animals were acquired by him or otherwise came into his possession.
4. Every person who, having furnished the schedule required by by-law 1 or the written notice required by by-law 2, claims to be exempt under section 47 (3) of the Ordinance from the liability to pay the tax in respect of any vehicle or animal which is entered in or referred to in such schedule or notice shall forthwith give notice in writing to the Chairman of his claim for such exemption specifying the grounds on which such claim is made.
5. The annual tax payable under the provisions of section 47 of the Ordinance shall be paid at the office of the Committee on or before March 31 in each year: Provided that in any case where the schedule referred to in by-law 1 or the written notice referred to in by-law 2 is furnished to the Chairman after the thirty-first day of March in any year, the tax in respect of each vehicle or animal referred to in such schedule or notice shall be payable within one month of the date on which such schedule or notice is so furnished.
6. On payment of the annual tax the Chairman shall issue or cause to be issued in respect of every vehicle for which such tax is paid, a metal plate with the distinguishing letters specified in the schedule hereto and with figures denoting the year for which the plate is issued and the corresponding number in the register of vehicles. Where any such plate becomes indistinct or defaced by use or otherwise, the owner shall return it to the Chairman and shall be entitled on making a payment of 25 cents to receive a fresh plate. The Chairman may, on his being satisfied by affidavit or otherwise that any such plate has been lost or stolen, issue a fresh plate on the application of the owner and on payment by such owner of 50 cents

7. The owner or person in charge of every vehicle shall affix the plate referred to in by-law 6 on a conspicuous part of the vehicle in respect of which such plate was issued.

8. In these by-laws—

“Committee” means the Nikaweratiya Village Committee, Udubaddawa Village Committee, Dodangaslanda Village Committee, Makandura Village Committee, Rambodagalla Village Committee, Murutenge Village Committee, Tamborombuwa Village Committee, Galgomuwa Village Committee, Wellawa Village Committee, Gokarella Village Committee, Ehetuwewa Village Committee, Potuhera Village Committee or the Maho Village Committee as the case may be;

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee.

SCHEDULE.

In the case of Nikaweratiya Village Committee the letters N. V. C.
In the case of Udubaddawa Village Committee the letters U. V. C.
In the case of Dodangaslanda Village Committee the letters D. V. C.

In the case of Makandura Village Committee the letters M. V. C.
In the case of Rambodagalla Village Committee the letters R. V. C.
In the case of Murutenge Village Committee the letters M. V. C.
In the case of Tamborombuwa Village Committee the letters T. V. C.

In the case of Galgomuwa Village Committee the letters G. V. C.
In the case of Wellawa Village Committee the letters W. V. C.
In the case of Gokarella Village Committee the letters G. V. C.
In the case of Ehetuwewa Village Committee the letters E. V. C.
In the case of Potuhera Village Committee the letters P. V. C.
In the case of Maho Village Committee the letters MHO. V. C.
The colour of the figures, letters, and plates for each year shall be determined by the Committee.

12. It shall be the duty of the market-keeper to maintain order within the limits of the market.

13. No person shall obstruct or resist the market-keeper or any person appointed by the Chairman to superintend any village market or to collect the rents or fees or to enforce order or cleanliness therein, whilst in the execution of his duties.

14. In these by-laws—

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee;
“Committee” means the Village Committee of the Kandawel and Tambagam pattus village area.

Schedule.

Rents and Fees.

	Rs.	c.
Motor vehicles entering the market premises for loading or unloading goods—		
For each lorry	0	25
For each omnibus	0	25
For each motor car other than a lorry or omnibus .. .	0	15
Vehicles other than motor vehicles entering the market premises for loading or unloading goods—		
For each double-bullock cart	0	15
For each single-bullock cart	0	10
For each hackery	0	6
For each pingo of goods kept for sale in any space outside any stall	0	4
For each head load of goods kept for sale in any space outside any stall	0	2
For each stall	0	25
For each coop of not more than 12 fowls kept for sale in any space	0	12
For each fowl or chicken or any species of birds kept for sale within a coop in any space	0	2
For each animal or carcass or any animal kept for sale in any stall or space	0	25

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THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 (2) (xi.) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of Kandawel and Tambagam pattus village area in Atakalan korale in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration and confirmed by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 49 (3) of the Ordinance.

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

Colombo, August 15, 1940.

BY-LAWS.

1. Within a radius of one mile of any village market no market commodities shall be sold at any private market or fair on any day on which the village market is held.

2. Every village market shall be opened from 6 A.M. to 9 P.M. on the days on which the market is held.

3. Every person bringing any vehicle within and using the premises of any village market for the purpose of loading or unloading goods, or using a stall seat or space in a village market shall pay for such use a rent or fee according to the rates set out in the schedule.

4. The rent or fee payable in respect of the use of the premises of a village market or of any stall seat or space therein shall be paid in advance to the Chairman or to any market-keeper appointed for the purpose or to any person authorized by the Chairman to collect such rent or fee.

5. The Chairman, market-keeper or person authorized under by-law 4 shall issue a receipt for any rent or fee paid to him.

6. Every occupant of a stall, seat or space in a village market shall keep such stall, seat or space clean and free from filth or rubbish.

7. No person using or occupying any portion of a village market shall—

(a) behave in a disorderly manner or commit any nuisance in or about the market, or

(b) carry on any cooking in the market, or

(c) damage or in any way deface or pollute any portion of the building or any property of the Committee in or about the market.

8. No person shall sell or expose for sale any cooked food at any village market except in such portions of the market as are set apart for the purpose and indicated by notice or sign exhibited on the spot by or under the authority of the Chairman.

9. No occupant of a stall, seat or space in a village market shall enclose in any way that stall, seat or space or any other portion of the market or erect any awning or screen or fixture of any kind without the permission of the Chairman.

10. No person suffering or who has recently suffered from any contagious or infectious disease shall occupy any stall, seat or space in a village market or expose for sale thereat any provisions whatsoever until the period of infection or of incubation is over.

11. No person shall keep any vehicle within the premises of any village market for a longer period than is necessary for loading goods into or unloading goods from such vehicle.

L. D.—B 137/40

THE SHOPS ORDINANCE, No. 66 OF 1938.

IN terms of section 17 (3) of the Shops Ordinance, No. 66 of 1938, it is hereby notified that the Closing Order made under section 15 of the Ordinance, and published in *Gazette* No. 8,642 of July 26, 1940, has been approved by the State Council and ratified by the Governor.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.

Colombo, August 21, 1940.

APPOINTMENT OF A KATHI.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under section 4 (1) of the Muslim Marriage and Divorce Registration Ordinance (Chapter 99), to appoint Mr. Abubekr Mohamed Buhari, Proctor and Justice of the Peace, of Jasmine Lodge, Matara, as Kathi of the judicial division of Matara, with effect from October 1, 1940, till December 31, 1940, *vice* Mr. M. I. Abdul Raheman.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.

Colombo, August 14, 1940.

L. D.—B 154/33

THE POST OFFICE ORDINANCE.

RULE made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 30 of the Post Office Ordinance (Chapter 146).

J. L. KOTELAWALA,
Minister for Communications and Works.

The Ministry of Communications and Works,
Colombo, August 15, 1940.

RULE.

The Inland Post Rules, 1934, published in the *Supplement to Gazette* No. 8,093 of November 30, 1934, as last amended by rule published in *Gazette* No. 8,624 of June 14, 1940, are hereby further amended in Rule 91A by the substitution for the words—

“damaged currency notes”, of the words “currency notes or current coin or jewellery”.

Correction.

IN the Notification under the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, dated August 15, 1940, and appearing in the *Government Gazette* No. 8,651 of August 16, 1940, on page 1396, relating to Preserved Milk, the maximum retail price per tin under column 4 in schedule against Libby's Unsweetened Evaporated Condensed Milk of Standard Pack 48 × 16 oz. should read Rs. 0.60 instead of Rs. 0.61 as appearing therein.

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LOAN BOARD.

Report for the Year 1939.

THE annual report of the Commissioners of the Loan Board for the year 1939 is submitted together with the statement of Loan Board funds duly audited by the Auditor-General.

Loans.—Loans amounting to Rs. 785,590 were granted during the year. This includes the amounts received and paid out on conversion loans at the reduced rates of interest. The corresponding figure for the previous year was Rs. 811,600.

Repayments.—During the year a sum of Rs. 540,352 was received in repayment of principal; this includes the amounts repaid for conversion loans.

Purchase and Sale of Securities.—During the year one security was bought in for Rs. 30,000 and a part security to the amount of Rs. 65,500 was sold in settlement of its relative loan.

Interest.—The amount of interest collected during the year amounted to Rs. 400,576.09 as against Rs. 564,816.83 in 1938. The interest collected was insufficient for the payment of two half yearly dividends of even 2 per cent. each and therefore a sum of Rs. 12,173.48 had to be withdrawn from profits account to allow the payment of these dividends.

Loans outstanding—

	Rs.	c.
Loans (House properties)	3,993,314	58
Loans (Properties held by the Board)	433,534	0
	<u>4,426,848</u>	<u>58</u>

Balance.—The balance with the Deputy Financial Secretary on December 31, 1939, to the credit of suitors amounted to Rs. 295,998.96.

Loan Board Office,
Colombo, July 31, 1940.

By order of the Commissioners,
J. L. STANISLAUS,
Secretary, Loan Board.

CEYLON LOAN BOARD FUNDS, 1939.

A.—Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at December 31, 1939, of the Ceylon Loan Board Funds controlled by the Commissioners by authority of Section 11 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1865.

<i>Liabilities.</i>		Rs.	c.
District and Supreme Court Suitors		9,915,484	85
Interest on Loans and Investments		207,489	38
Profits from sale of Investments		250,435	78
Reserve and Depreciation Fund		214,728	45
		<u>10,588,138</u>	<u>46</u>
<i>Assets.</i>			
Loans (House Properties)		3,993,314	58
Loans (House Properties held by the Board)		433,534	0
<i>Investments—</i>			
British Guiana 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1959-69		62,449	83
Canada 4 per cent. stock 1953-58		53,797	49
Canada 3½ per cent. stock 1950-55		66,768	17
Commonwealth of Australia 3½ per cent. stock 1950-52		61,453	29
Commonwealth of Australia 3½ per cent. stock 1952-56		37,270	59
Consolidated loan 4 per cent. stock, 1957		267,421	85
Cyprus 4 per cent. Inscribed stock 1956-66		64,442	91
Federated Malay States 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1960-70		58,131	49
Funding Loan 2½ per cent. stock 1956-61		271,803	7
Gold Coast 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1960-70		71,418	69
Gold Coast 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1956		198,754	99
Jamaica 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1956-61		202,967	25
Kenya 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1961-71		589,281	44
London Electric Transport Finance Corporation, Ltd., 2½ per cent. Gtd. Debentures 1950-55		23,263	67
New South Wales 5½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1947-57		137,522	49
New Zealand 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1949		107,949	57
New Zealand 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1946		67,432	53
New Zealand 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1947		66,103	81
Nigeria 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1955		60,788	93
Sierra Leone 3½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1958-63		91,742	67
South African 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1945-75		49,831	42
Trinidad 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1965-70		62,068	77
Uganda 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1951-71		93,138	88
Indian Government 4½ per cent. stock 1958-68		394,891	73
Indian Government 4 per cent. loan 1960-70		298,058	75
Ceylon 3½ per cent. loan 1957-62		358,680	0
Ceylon 3½ per cent. State Mortgage Bank Debentures		1,217,258	0
Ceylon 4 per cent. State Mortgage Bank Debentures		151,500	0
Ceylon 3½ per cent. loan 1949-57 (50 per cent. purchase)		4,900	0
Fixed deposits in Local Banks		200,000	0
Due from Government Agents and their Assistants		138,720	91
Recoverable Advances on Loans		677	77
Balance with Imperial Bank awaiting investment		100,000	0
Balance with Deputy Financial Secretary		530,798	92
		<u>10,588,138</u>	<u>46</u>

B.—Statement of Receipts and Payments by the Deputy Financial Secretary on account of Loan Board Uninvested Funds for the Year ended December 31, 1939.

	Suitors.		Interest.		Reserve and Depreciation Fund.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs. c.	
Balance on December 31, 1938	34,284	6	289,127	30	12,733	76
Receipts in 1939	2,155,233	92	410,576	9	54,827	8
	<u>2,189,517</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>699,703</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>67,560</u>	<u>84</u>
Payments in 1939	1,893,519	2	489,592	98	42,871	29
	<u>295,998</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>210,110</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>24,689</u>	<u>55</u>

C.—Statement of Particulars of Reserve and Depreciation Fund on December 31, 1939.

	Rs.	c.
Gold Coast 4½ per cent. stock 1956	46,971	75
Funding Loan 2½ per cent. stock 1956-61	41,977	68
Ceylon Government 3½ per cent. Loan 1957-62	69,300	0
Ceylon Government 3½ per cent. Loan 1949-51	4,900	0
Ceylon 3½ per cent. State Mortgage Bank Debentures	66,028	50
Recoverable advances on loans	677	77
Balance with Deputy Financial Secretary	24,689	55
	<u>254,545</u>	<u>25</u>
Less depreciation in middle market value over purchase price of investments	39,816	80
	<u>214,728</u>	<u>45</u>

D.—Statement showing the Collection and Disposal of Loan Board Interest during 1939 and the Balance on December 31, 1939.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
To balance with Deputy Financial Secretary on December 31, 1938	184,332	79				
„ Interest collected in 1939	400,576	9				
			584,908	88		
„ Deficit met from Profits to pay a dividend of 2½ per cent. for each half year			12,173	48		
					597,082	36
Paid to Revenue	75,007	59				
Dividends to Suitors	294,554	90				
Refund of excess interest	30	49				
Reserve and Depreciation Fund	20,000	0				
			389,592	98		
Balance with Deputy Financial Secretary			207,489	38		
					597,082	36

E.—Statement of Particulars of Loan Board Profits Account on December 31, 1939.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
To balance with Deputy Financial Secretary on December 31, 1938			104,794	51		
„ Balance in fixed Deposit			60,000	0		
„ Balance invested in Consolidated loan 4 per cent. stock 1957			97,814	75		
					262,609	26
By Profits transferred to Investment account to meet deficit for payment of two half yearly dividends of 2 per cent. each			12,173	48		
„ Balance profits invested in Consolidated Loan 4 per cent. stock, 1957	97,814	75				
Gold Coast 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1956	30,550	0				
Sierra Leone 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock 1958-63	69,450	0				
			197,814	75		
Balance in Fixed Deposit			50,000	0		
Balance with Deputy Financial Secretary			2,621	3		
					262,609	26

F.—Statement showing the Market Price, &c., of Investments in Sterling and Rupee Securities on December 31, 1939.

Name of Stock.	Face Value.			Purchase Value.				Rate.	Mean Market Value.					
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	Rs.		c.	£.	s.	d.	Rs.	c.
British Guiana 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1959-69	5,000	0	0	5,031	5	0	66,620	0	94	4,700	0	0	62,449	83
Canada 4 per cent. stock 1953-58	3,801	14	2	3,946	16	5	45,509	40	106½	4,048	16	5	53,797	49
Canada 3½ per cent. stock 1950-55	5,000	0	0	5,050	0	0	66,870	0	100½	5,025	0	0	66,768	17
Commonwealth of Australia 3½ per cent. stock 1950-52	5,000	0	0	4,825	0	0	63,890	0	92½	4,625	0	0	61,453	29
Commonwealth of Australia 3½ per cent. stock 1952-56	3,000	0	0	2,981	5	0	40,097	50	93½	2,805	0	0	37,270	59
Consolidated Loan 4 per cent. stock 1957	19,137	10	2	20,906	6	2	281,058	50	103½	19,807	6	5	263,183	79
										318	19	2	4,238	6
Cyprus 4 per cent. Inscribed stock 1956-66	5,000	0	0	4,750	0	0	56,852	75	97	4,850	0	0	64,442	91
Federated Malay States 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1960-70	5,000	0	0	5,025	0	0	66,540	0	87½	4,375	0	0	58,131	49
Funding Loan 2½ per cent. stock 1956-61	23,648	11	5	21,076	19	5	281,846	68	86½	20,456	0	3	271,803	7
Gold Coast 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1960-70	5,000	0	0	4,900	0	0	61,100	85	107½	5,375	0	0	71,418	69
Gold Coast 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1956	14,045	8	7	15,932	13	11	210,358	15	106½	14,958	7	8	198,754	99
Jamaica 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1956-61	16,972	13	4	15,720	18	8	210,699	0	90	15,275	8	0	202,967	25
Kenya 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1961-71	40,875	3	6	40,416	2	8	505,251	0	108½	44,349	11	4	589,281	44
London Electric Transport Finance Corporation, Ltd., 2½ per cent. Gtd. debentures 1950-55	2,000	0	0	1,940	0	0	25,104	0	86½	1,730	0	0	22,986	86
										20	16	8	276	81
New South Wales 5½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1947-57	10,000	0	0	10,869	7	0	126,930	0	103½	10,350	0	0	137,522	49
New Zealand 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1949	8,004	5	4	8,446	16	3	118,297	50	101½	8,124	6	7	107,949	57
New Zealand 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1946	5,000	0	0	5,478	7	6	62,684	0	101½	5,075	0	0	67,432	53
New Zealand 4½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1947	5,000	0	0	5,025	6	0	67,506	0	99½	4,975	0	0	66,103	81
Nigeria 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1955	5,000	0	0	5,125	0	0	67,860	0	91½	4,575	0	0	60,788	93
Sierra Leone 3½ per cent. Inscribed stock 1958-63	7,009	14	9	6,981	13	3	91,503	25	98½	6,904	11	10	91,742	67
South African 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1945-75	3,554	16	4	3,581	13	8	49,570	50	105½	3,750	6	8	49,831	42
Trinidad 3 per cent. Inscribed stock 1965-70	5,338	13	1	5,385	7	4	71,305	0	87½	4,671	6	5	62,068	77
Uganda 5 per cent. Inscribed stock 1951-71	6,460	10	6	6,500	13	8	89,770	0	108½	7,009	13	5	93,138	88
Indian 4½ per cent. stock 1958-68	28,304	9	10	32,726	4	4	438,634	50	105	29,719	14	4	394,891	73
Indian Government 4 per cent. Loan 1960-70	291,500			—			300,000	0	102/4	—			298,058	75
Ceylon 3½ per cent. Loan 1957-62	366,000			—			361,090	0	98	—			358,680	0
Ceylon 3½ per cent. State Mortgage Bank Debentures	1,242,100			—			1,248,310	50	98	—			1,217,258	0
Ceylon 4 per cent. State Mortgage Bank Debentures	150,000			—			150,750	0	101	—			151,500	0
Ceylon 3½ per cent. Loan 1949-51 (50 per cent. purchase)	10,000			—			4,900	0	98	—			4,900	0
							5,230,909	8					5,191,092	28
Deduct mean market value							5,191,092	28						
Depreciation over purchase price							39,816	80						

At b. b. rate on December 31, 1939, i.e., 1/6 1/16.

August, 1940.

J. L. STANISLAUS,
Secretary, Loan Board.S. PHILLIPSON,
Chief Commissioner, Loan Board.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from August 20 to 27, 1940, inclusive.

By order of the Directors, LIONEL EDWARDS, LTD.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo. Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate and Effects of the late Jeyapodiarchige Dona Maria Hamine, deceased.

UNDER instructions from the administrator and with leave of court in the above case, on September 14, 1940, at their respective spots:—at 10 A.M. Valasnakotuwa and Maruvankotuwa, contiguous lands situated in the village of Pulichakulam in Anarudundan pattu of Pitigal korale north of Nilaweli District, in extent 39 acres. At 10.45 A.M.—Land called Manawankotuwachkadu at Pulichakulam aforesaid, in extent 8 acres 3 roods and 4 perches. Also other small lands. See handbills for full particulars.

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

Auction Sale.

Valuable Property at Joseph Fraser road, off Fraser avenue, Bambalapitiya, in close proximity to the Police Park and Joseph Fraser Memorial Nursing Home.

BY virtue of commission issued to me in D. C., Colombo, case No. 11,895/M, I shall sell by public auction at the spot at 5 p.m., on Saturday, September 14, 1940, the following property belonging to (1) M. R. Rathu Aratchige Leela Peris, (2) G. O. Gomes and (3) G. T. Gomes, all of Joseph Fraser road in Bambalapitiya:—

1. All those allotments of land, with the buildings thereon, bearing No. 16 (Ward No. 460) presently bearing Nos. 12, 12 (1) and 17, Tannery path, and 18, Joseph Fraser road, or portions of Jambughawatta partitioned into four allotments of land marked lots X1, X2, X3, and X4 with road reservation leading from Joseph Fraser road in Bambalapitiya and (2) all that defined portion of land called Jambughawatta marked E, with the trees and plantations thereon, situated at Bambalapitiya. Both Nos. 1 and 2 now form one property and of the total extent of 1 acre and 20.55 perches.

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

M. C. CONIAH, Auctioneer and Broker. 221, Hulftsdorp.

Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, No. MB. 245, I shall sell by public auction on Monday, September 16, 1940, at the spot at 3 p.m.:—

1. All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 262, situate at Trincomalee street, within the Municipality of Kandy; and containing in extent 1.7 perches.

2. All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 259, containing in extent 6 perches and situated as aforesaid.

Further particulars from G. Banning de Vos, Esq., Proctor, Kandy, or—

C. F. D. JONKLAAS, Auctioneer. United Services Library, Kandy.

Auction Sale.

UNDER mortgage decree in D. C., Kandy, No. MB. 338, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, September 16, 1940:—

At the 1st mentioned Land at 10 a.m. and the 2nd mentioned Land at 2 p.m.

1. All that land called Gampugodahera, containing in extent 3 pelas paddy sowing, situate at Ududeniya, Udunuwera, Gangapalata, in the Kandy District, Central Province.

2. All that field called Moonamalkumbura of 2 pelas and 5 lahas paddy sowing extent, situate at Kosinne of Pata Hewaheta, Gandahaye korale, in the Kandy District, aforesaid.

Further particulars from G. Banning de Vos, Esq., Proctor, Kandy, or—

C. F. D. JONKLAAS, Auctioneer. United Services Library, Kandy.

Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree in Case No. 37,688, D. C., Galle.

K. M. R. M. Ramaniathan Chettiar of Galle Plaintiff. Sithi Pattuma of Kumbalwella, Galle Defendant.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, September 14, 1940, commencing at 2 p.m. at the spot the following property, to wit:—

All the soil and trees of the defined portion of the land called Warawatta alias Kaluwellewatta, together with the house bearing old No. 27 and new No. 259, situated at Kumbalwella, within the Four Gravets of Galle District; in extent 7.3 perches.

Further particulars apply to F. W. E. De Vos, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court.

N. P. L. WLISEKERA, Licensed Auctioneer. Galle, August 19, 1940.

Auction Sale under Partition Decree in D. C., Galle, Case No. 37,535.

I shall sell by public auction the following property in terms of Partition Ordinance, No. 10 of 1863, on Saturday, October 5, 1940, at 3 p.m. at the spot.

All that the land called an allotment of land, together with the boutique standing thereon, formerly marked No. 87 and thereafter marked No. 85 and now bearing Municipal assessment No. 144, situated at Main street in the Galle Bazaar, Galle; containing in extent three decimal one six perches as per plan No. 3,174 dated August 21, 1939, made by Mr. V. L. D. Abeygonaewardena, Surveyor, and filed of record.

Ratnagiri, D. G. RATNAPALA, Auctioneer. Nawatuna, July 24, 1940.

Auction Sale under Partition Decree in D. C., Matara, Case No. 2,328.

BY virtue of the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on September 28, 1940, at 10 A.M. at the spot, the under-mentioned property:—

All that soil and fruit trees of the land called Wachchigewatta alias Wachchipatabendigewatta alias Kovillegewatta, together with the plantations and all the buildings standing thereon, situate at Karawediya in Weligama, Matara District; containing in extent 23.75 perches as per plan No. 44 file of record.

Further particulars from Messrs. Balasuriya & Daluwatte, Proctors, Matara, or—

Samson Abayaweera, Commissioner. Weligama, August 17, 1940.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Badulla.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Jurisdiction Cornelis Weerasinghe of Badulla, deceased.

Case No. B/958

Between

Dona Sopilla Perera Weerasinghe, presently of Bindunuwewa, Bandarawela Administratrix.

and

Edmund Piyadasa Weerasinghe of Kandy Respondent.

BY virtue of a commission issued to me in the above case I shall put up for sale by public auction on September 14, 1940, commencing at 10 A.M. at Paluhmulla Residouse the following properties, namely:—

All that and those the half share of the tea estate, plantations and premises called and known as Deblanda estate, save and except the portions hereinafter shown as excepted thereon, situated at Kalugahaulle in Horagune in Kandapala korale, Wellawaya division, Badulla District of the Province of Ceylon; and containing in extent 84 acres 1 rood and 26 perches; and bounded as follows:—North by road, Oakwell estate and Crown plantation, east by Buthgoda-oya, south and west by Oakwell estate.

Save and except:

1. An undivided one half part of each of the land in each of the lots No. 1, 2, and 10 in the said plan which parts aggregate 9 acres and 3 1/2 perches.

2. A portion to the south of lot No. 8 in the said plan; containing 1 acre and 2 roods in extent called Bulugahaekumbura, which is the same as registered in volume H 18, folio 70, at the Badulla Land Registry.

3. The land called Polgahagedarakumbura, containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 18 perches according to plan No. 113.

4. All that land called Polgahagedarawatta of about 2 kurunies of kurakkan sowing, situated at Kalugahaullegama aforesaid.

For further particulars, please apply to me or F. Blaze, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary Public, Badulla.

J. P. LANDSBERGER, Commissioner.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Sinhalese Padina of Wahawa, Rambukkana Plaintiff.

No. 1,491.

Vs.

Kawanna Omaru Meera Saibo and others of Rambukkana Defendants.

UNDER the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction at the spot on September 14, 1940, at 10 A.M., the following properties for the recovery of Rs. 3,637.50, to wit:—

1. An allotment of land called Kosgollewatta alias Sekkuwatta of 6 acres and 4 perches in extent with buildings and everything thereon, situated at Hurimaluwa in Meddemedaliya pattu, Kinigoda korale, Kegalla District, Province of Sabaragamuwa. Registered in B 131/291.

2. An undivided 1/2 share of Ambagahakumburehena of 2 pelas paddy sowing extent and situated at Mottappuliya in Meddemedaliya pattu aforesaid. Registered in B 98/152, together with the buildings and everything thereon.

3. All that field called Radakumbura according to plan No. 636 of June, 1920, made by K. B. Nugapitiya; containing in extent 2 pelias and 5 lahas paddy sowing or 1 acre 1 rood and 15 perches, situated at Mottappuliya aforesaid.

4. All that field called Ratnalekumbura of 2 pelias paddy sowing in extent and situated at Hurimaluwa aforesaid.

5. All that land called Pindeniya of 6 lahas paddy sowing in extent as per plan No. 2,068 dated July 27, 1934, prepared by K. B. Nugapitiya, Licensed Surveyor; containing in extent 3 acres and 22 perches, and situated at Mottappuliya aforesaid.

For further particulars apply to Tiddy Abeysekera, Proctor, Kegalla.

SAM A. SUMANASEKERA,
Auctioneer.
Kegalla, August 20, 1940.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor of the Supreme Court.

I, Edwin Benjamin Weerakoon, Proctor of the District Court of Colombo, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said court.

August 19, 1940. E. B. WEERAKOON.

APPLICATIONS FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES, &c.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 7, 1940, applied to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1941, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930:—

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: D. H. Jayawardena, Islington, Rajagiriya.

Description of licence applied for: Foreign liquor restaurant licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: 187, Norris road, Pettah, Colombo.

D. H. JAYAWARDENA.

We hereby give notice that we have on August 12, 1940, applied to the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1941, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930:—

Name and address of applicants: V. Vallipuram, V. Ponniah, and A. Kanapathippillai.

Description of licence applied for: Retail.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: 359, Jaffna Point Pedro road.

V. VALLIPURAM,
V. PONNIAH,
A. KANAPATHIPPILLAI.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 15, 1940, applied to the Government Agent, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1941, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930:—

Name and address of applicant: Chinnamal Gomez Roche, 58, Esplanade street, Kurunegala.

Description of licence applied for: Retail licence for the sale of foreign liquor not to be consumed on the premises.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: 58, Esplanade street, Kurunegala.

STANISLAUS FERNANDO,
for CHINNAMAL GOMEZ ROCHE.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

G/Gintota Sri Medhankara Vidyalaya.

IT is hereby notified for general information that D. Amarasiri Thero, Manager of G/Gintota Sri Medhankara Vidyalaya, is removed from office with effect from September 1, 1940, under section 31 (1) of Ordinance No. 31 of 1939.

Education Office,
Colombo, August 16, 1940.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. C. Subramaniam of Rambukpitiya, Nawalapitiya, has been appointed Manager of the Schools mentioned below in place of the General Manager, Hindu Board of Education, Jaffna.

Schools referred to: K/Nawalapitiya Kathiresan English School, K/Nawalapitiya Kathiresan Tamil School.

Education Office,
Colombo, August 15, 1940.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rao Bahadur Dr. R. R. Williams has been appointed Manager of the schools mentioned below in place of Mr. J. C. V. Rutnam.

School referred to: C/Central College, Colombo.

Education Office,
Colombo, August 15, 1940.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Change of Management.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. A. D. P. Ranasinghe, Native Doctor, Gampaha, has been appointed Manager of the School mentioned below in place of Mr. M. E. P. Samarasinghe, Proctor, S. C. School referred to: Gampaha Free English Night School.

Education Office,
Colombo, August 23, 1940.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Suspension of Teacher's Certificate.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the teacher's certificate particulars of which are given below is suspended for one year with effect from July 1, 1940:—

Name of Teacher: Veeraoudy Sinnathamby.

Registration Number: V 16957.

Particulars of Certificate: Untrained Second Class No. BT 24/1938/1938.

School in which the teacher was employed at the time the offence was committed: Assistant teacher, BT/Araipattai Tamil Mixed School.

Management: The General Manager, Ramakrishna Mission Schools.

Reason for Suspension: For irregularities in the marking of registers.

Education Office,
Colombo, August 17, 1940.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

Suspension of Teacher's Certificate.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the teacher's certificate particulars of which are given below is suspended for one year with effect from August 1, 1940:—

Name of Teacher: Kandiah Kanagasabai.

Registration Number: V 16241.

Particulars of Certificate: Trained First Class No. 19/1930/1934.

School in which the teacher was employed at the time the offence was committed: Head teacher, J/Thayiddy Tamil Mixed School.

Management: Private (Manager, M. F. Kanapathippillai).

Reason for Suspension: For having falsified the registers of the school.

Education Office,
Colombo, August 17, 1940.

L. McD. ROBISON,
Director of Education.

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IN the Matter of The Kandy Hotels Company, Limited (in liquidation) and in the Matter of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938.

Whereas there is reasonable cause to believe that The Kandy Hotels Company, Limited (in liquidation), a company incorporated on May 30, 1895, under the provisions of the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, No. 4 of 1861, is not carrying on business or in operation and is not capable of being fully wound up as no liquidator is acting:

And whereas notice was published in Gazette No. 8,616 of May 24, 1940, that the name of The Kandy Hotels Company, Limited, (in liquidation), would, at the expiration of three months from that date be struck off the register unless cause was shown to the contrary:

And whereas The Kandy Hotels Company, Limited (in liquidation) has not shown cause to the contrary within the period of three months aforesaid:

Now therefore I, Egerton Christison Selvarayan Paul, Registrar of Companies, acting under section 277 (5) of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, do by this notice declare that the name of The Kandy Hotels Company, Limited (in liquidation) was this 16th day of August, 1940, struck off the register of companies and that the said company is hereby dissolved.

E. C. S. PAUL,
Registrar of Companies.

Office of the Registrar of Companies,
Department of Commerce and Industries,
Colombo, August 16, 1940.

Vacancy of Deputy Director of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture, Ceylon.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Deputy Director of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture, Ceylon.

2. The appointment will be on probation for three years in the first instance with prospects of appointment to the permanent establishment. Salary Rs. 13,200—15,600 by annual increments of Rs. 600. Quarters, travelling allowances, leave and passages will be in accordance with the Ceylon Government regulations.

3. In the case of any candidate appointed on or after the date on which a new scale of salary is adopted as a result of the recommendations of the Select Committee on the reports of the Retrenchment Commission such new salary scale will be applicable.

4. The salary scales referred to above will not necessarily apply to applicants already in Government service or to overseas applicants; a special salary may be fixed in such cases.

5. The selected officer will assist the Director of Agriculture in the administrative control of the Department and in the effective co-ordination of the work of the Research and Field Branches of the Department. He will be the central authority for the organization and control of all agricultural research and experiments conducted by the Department of Agriculture.

6. Applicants, who are not already in the Government Service or in the service of any of the Research institutions of the Island, should possess an Honours Degree in Natural Science from a recognized University or Agricultural College and a sound knowledge of the science and practice of agriculture in the tropics, with considerable administrative ability.

7. Applications should be forwarded by letter before September 9, 1940, addressed to the Director of Agriculture, Peradeniya.

E. RODRIGO,
Director of Agriculture.

Peradeniya, August 21, 1940.

Post of Textile Technologist.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Acting Director of Commerce and Industries till 4 p.m. on September 12, 1940, for the post of Textile Technologist in the Department of Commerce and Industries.

2. Applicants should be between the ages of 25 and 40 years. They should have graduated in textile technology at a recognized University. They should possess a thorough knowledge and experience of the Handloom Industry of cotton, silk and wool, and besides have experience of factory work in a responsible capacity in a modern Textile Mill.

3. The post is temporary and non-pensionable and carries a fixed salary of Rs. 300 per mensem. The person appointed will be required to organize and develop in Ceylon the Textile Industry with special reference to the Handloom Industry. The appointment will be on agreement for a period of 4 years in the first instance but continuance of employment would depend on the success attained in organizing and developing the Textile Industry.

4. Rent allowance will not be payable unless the candidate holds an appointment under the Ceylon Government and was appointed before June 1, 1934. 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, the Second Interim Report of the Select Committee on Salaries and Cadres. Should, however, a decision on the recommendations of the recent Retrenchment Commission have been arrived at before the date of appointment any conditions of service so decided upon will be applicable. The condition in this paragraph will only apply if the selected candidate is a Ceylonese.

5. The selected candidate if not already in the employment of the Government of Ceylon will be required before appointment to pass a medical examination as to his physical fitness.

6. Applications from those already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Head of their Department.

D. H. BALFOUR,
Acting Director of Commerce and Industries.

Department of Commerce and Industries,
Colombo, August 21, 1940.

Garden Probationer, Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya.

APPLICATIONS are invited from candidates possessing a University degree in Botany for appointment to the post of Garden Probationer in the Department of Agriculture. Applicants not already in the Public Service must be Ceylonese. Applicants must possess a good working knowledge of the vernacular languages.

2. The salary scale attaching to the post will be Rs. 2,400—5 increments of Rs. 120—Rs. 3,000, or such scale as is determined on the recommendations of the Select Committee appointed to consider the report of the Retrenchment Commission.

3. Applications from candidates already in the Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Heads of their Departments.

4. Applications giving full particulars of age, qualifications, and experience should reach the Director of Agriculture before September 14, 1940.

5. Further particulars may be obtained from the Director of Agriculture, Peradeniya.

E. RODRIGO,
Director of Agriculture.

Peradeniya, August 15, 1940.

List of Jurors and Assessors of the Western Province.

THE List of Jurors and Assessors of the Western Province will be printed as a Supplement to Part II. of the *Government Gazette* of the 30th instant, and copies may be obtained from the Government Record Office, Colombo, on payment.

Officials who require copies of the above-mentioned Supplement can obtain them free of charge from the Government Press, and applications for same should be forwarded as early as possible.

August 21, 1940.

A. C. RICHARDS,
Government Printer.

Prize Court Sales in Prize.

BY Order and for the Account of the Marshal of the Prize Court. Tenders are invited for about 65,264 bags of rice (in lots) ex M. V. "Maro Y".

Tenders to be delivered before 12 noon on Wednesday, August 28, 1940.

For particulars and tender forms apply—

Marshal of the Prize Court,
Office of the Principal Collector of Customs, Colombo.

Sale of Cattle.

A sale by public auction of about 30 young cattle likely to be suitable for breeding purposes will be held at the Government Dairy, Narahenpita, Colombo, on Tuesday, September 17, 1940, at 4 p.m. The following breeds will be represented:—

Scindi, Sahiwal, Sinhala, Ayrshire, Kerry, and Murrah buffalo.

Further particulars can be had on application to the Director of Agriculture, Peradeniya.

20, Baillie street,
Fort, Colombo, August 15, 1940.

J. G. VANDERSMAGT,
Auctioneer and Broker.

The Firearms Ordinance.

I, R. Y. Daniel, Government Agent of the Eastern Province, do hereby, with the approval of the Governor, under section 24 of the Firearms Ordinance (Chapter 139) authorize, within the areas specified in the schedule hereto, the issue of licence in respect of single-barrelled muzzle-loading guns, subject to an annual duty of twenty-five cents, with effect from September 1, 1940.

The Kachcheri,
Batticaloa, July 5, 1940.

R. Y. DANIEL,
Government Agent, Eastern Province.

SCHEDULE.

Eastern Province.

The villages of Mirahala, Kubukgolla, Morana, and Keenana in Panama pattu of the Batticaloa District.

Rabies.

NOTICE is hereby given that as danger of rabies exists in the village of Mankulam in Chinnacheddikulam East in Vavuniya South, Tamil Division of the Mullaittivu District, the said village is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333) for a period of six months from August 13, 1940.

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

The Kachcheri,
Vavuniya, August 13, 1940.

S. S. NAVARATNAM,
Assistant Government Agent.

Rabies.

WHEREAS there have been cases of rabies in the Kegalla District, and there is a danger of an outbreak of rabies in Kegalla District, I, Samson Felix Amerasinghe, Assistant Government Agent for the Kegalla District, by virtue of powers vested in me by section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333) do hereby proclaim the area described in the schedule hereto as an area, within which rabies exist and in which there is a danger of rabies.

The Kachcheri,
Kegalla August 13, 1940.

S. F. AMERASINGHE,
Assistant Government Agent.

Schedule.

Revenue District of Kegalla excluding the area administered by the Urban Council of Kegalla.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Construction of Police Park Avenue off Havelock Road and the Two Branch Roads, viz., Police Park Place and Police Park Terrace.

Amended Apportionment under section 26 of Chapter 199 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon.

THE following is the amended apportionment made by the Municipal Commissioner, Colombo, under sections 26 (3), (4), and (5) of Chapter 199 of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon of the cost of providing at the three private streets known as Police Park avenue, Police Park place, and Police Park terrace:—

- (a) three rubble-metalled and bitumen painted carriageways to a width of 16 feet with half round channels on either side and entrance culverts;
 (b) electric lights;
 (c) water main.

The apportionment appearing in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 8,753 of February 2, 1940, is hereby cancelled.

Premises No. and Street.	Name of Owner.	Total Cost. Rs. c.	Contribution by Council. Rs. c.	Cost of Water Main. Rs. c.	Apportionment. Rs. c.
98, Havelock road	Mrs. S. Rockwood	2,328 75	232 88	—	2,095 87
20, Police Park avenue	Mrs. G. M. Charawanamuttu and Mr. A. M. Charawanamuttu	1,379 1	137 90	—	1,241 11
2, Police Park place	Mrs. C. T. Coomaraswamy	589 87	58 99	—	530 88
4, Do.	Mrs. H. B. Foenander and Mr. C. E. Foenander	383 17	38 32	—	344 85
6, Do.	Dr. G. W. Karunaratne	506 17	50 62	—	455 55
7, Do.	Mrs. H. D. L. Gunasekera	506 14	50 61	—	455 53
22, Police Park avenue	Mrs. I. F. Peiris, Mr. W. F. Abeykoon, and Dr. S. Amerasinghe	1,684 10	168 41	270 6	1,785 75
24, Do.	Mrs. I. F. Peiris	804 16	80 41	57 14	780 89
2, Police Park terrace	Mrs. M. R. de Silva	402 42	40 24	—	362 18
4, Do.	Miss A. Z. Spittel	397 83	39 78	—	358 5
6, Do.	Mrs. C. L. Blaze	370 75	37 7	—	333 68
8, Do.	Mr. P. Thillampalam	340 98	34 10	—	306 88
5, Do.	Dr. G. W. Karunaratne	414 27	41 43	115 2	487 86
3 (i.) & 3, Do.	Mr. V. A. Vangeyzel	515 84	51 58	—	464 26
26, Police Park avenue	Mrs. P. Mailvaganam, Mr. A. W. Mailvaganam and Mr. S. Somasunderam	1,923 89	192 39	129 98	1,861 48
30, Do.	Mrs. L. de Silva	216 62	21 66	—	194 96
31, Do.	Mr. S. R. Amerasekera	560 8	56 1	—	504 7
27, Do.	Miss I. M. Wijetunge and Messrs. E. P., I. M. R., and R. S. Wijetunge	533 40	53 34	219 85	699 91
23, Do.	Mrs. O. D. Y. Ferdinands	595 29	59 53	—	535 76
19, Do.	Mrs. R. B. Schokman	589 87	58 99	—	530 88
15, Do.	Mr. S. J. C. Schokman	589 87	58 99	—	530 88
7 & 11, Do.	Mr. S. R. Amerasekera	1,045 13	104 51	435 20	1,375 82
3, Police Park avenue and 106, Havelock road	Dr. M. R. de Costa	1,572 89	157 29	246 84	1,662 44
		18,250 50	1,825 5	1,474 9	17,899 54

The Municipal Council having considered the objections made regarding the construction of Police Park avenue, Police Park place, and Police Park terrace in pursuance of the notice issued in accordance with Council's resolution of December 7, 1938, approves the amended scheme and estimate of Rs. 17,899.54.

The amended apportionment of cost is as above.

The Town Hall,
Colombo, June 17, 1940.

S. P. WICKRAMASINHA,
Municipal Commissioner, Colombo.

R 6099

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 the Municipal Councils Ordinance (Chapter 193) for arrears of rates due on premises and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction at the place and time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and costs be duly paid.

The movable property is on view at the Municipal Stores, Darley road, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. and will be sold there at 8 A.M. on Monday, September 2, 1940.

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

August 21, 1940.

SCHEDULE.

For 1st quarter, 1940.—Premises No. 162/43-49, Skinners road south: 1 sofa, 1 teapoy, 1 mirror, 2 buckets. 459 and 461, Maradana road: 2 settees. 245, Piachauds lane: 1 hand sewing machine, 1 sofa. 64, Dematagoda road: 1 hand sewing machine 181/27, Deans road: 1 lounge, 3 chairs, 1 Singer sewing foot machine. 64 and 66, Deans road: 1 glass almirah.

R 5842

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,
Colombo, August 21, 1940.

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

SCHEDULE.

For 1st quarter, 1940.—On September 28, 1940: Premises Nos. 86 and 86/1-3, Kew road. On September 24, 1940: Premises No. 170, Skinner's road south; premises No. 291, Drieberg's lane. On September 27, 1940: Premises No. 38/1-3, Rajamalwatta lane; premises No. 102, Rajamalwatta road. On September 17, 1940: Premises No. 37, Millbank place. On September 17, 1940: Premises No. 77, Wilson street. On September 27, 1940: Premises No. 105, Vuystwyke road.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Property Rate for 1941, Kotte.

The Urban Councils Ordinance.

IT is hereby notified that the Kotte Urban Council has, in terms of the Urban Councils Ordinance (Chapter 195), imposed for the year 1941 the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Council:—

Under section 173 (1): A rate of 11 per centum per annum payable on March 31, on June 30, on September 30, and on December 31, for the quarters ending on the said days respectively, on the annual value of all immovable property.

Kotte Urban Council Office,
Rajagiriya, August 15, 1940.

DONALD OBEYSEKERE,
Chairman.

Supplementary Budget, 1940.

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.

A.—(1) General expenditure:—	Supplement- ary Votes	Final Supplement- ary Budget
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Salaries of Officers—		
(e) Pensions	377 0	377 0

	Supplement- ary Votes		Final Supplement- ary Budget.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
2.—Establishment expenses :—				
(e) Legal expenses ..	300	0		
(f) Stationery ..	54	0		
(g) Holiday tickets ..	111	0		
			465	0
(4) Contributions and grants ..	1,150	0	1,150	0
(5) Flood relief ..	375	0	375	0
B.—Thoroughfares :—				
(2) Maintenance ..	2,631	51		
(3) Plants and tools ..	555	0		
(8) Improvements and acquisitions ..	21,000	0		
(12) New works ..	1,887	0		
(14) Town survey ..	1,075	0		
			27,148	51
D.—Council Lands and buildings :—				
(4) Maintenance ..	600	0		
(5) Furniture ..	90	0		
			690	0
E.—Public Health :—				
(1) General—				
(g) Drainage construction ..	2,716	48		
(i) Expenses of health week ..	400	0		
(k) Maternity and Childwelfare work ..	635	0		
(n) I. D. H. bills ..	50	80		
			3,802	28
E.—(2) Scavenging :—				
(c) Stores ..	40	12		
			40	12
E.—(3) Conservancy :—				
(c) Stores ..	30	0		
			30	0
5.—Water supply :—				
(e) Construction ..	3,367	73		
			3,367	73
(7) Markets :—				
(b) Maintenance ..	150	0		
			150	0
F.—Public Recreation :—				
(2) Maintenance ..	900	0		
			900	0
J.—Electricity Department :—				
(3) Service and house connections :—				
(a) Materials ..	3,000	0		
			3,000	0
(6) Extensions and improvements ..	995	50		
			995	50
			42,491	14
			42,491	14

Settled and adopted at the Council Meeting held on August 13, 1940, *vide* Resolution No. 8.

Urban Council Office,
Dehiwala, August 19, 1940.

A. LLOYD SENEVERATNE,
Acting Chairman.

Property Rate for 1941.

The Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939.

IT is hereby notified that the Moratuwa Urban Council has, in terms of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1941 the following rate being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the said Urban Council :—

Under section 173: A rate of 10 per centum per annum payable on March 31, June 30, September 30, and on December 31, for the quarters ending respectively on the said days, on the annual value of all immovable property situated within the administrative limits of the said Council.

Urban Council Office,
Moratuwa, August 15, 1940.

H. I. FERNANDO,
Chairman.

Supplementary Budget of the Negombo Urban Council for the Year 1940.

EXPENDITURE.

	Rs.	c.
J.—Electricity Department :—		
(2) Repairs and maintenance—		
(d) Maintenance of supply mains or transmission lines ..	1,000	0
Total ..	1,000	0

Settled and adopted at a meeting of the Council held on May 14, 1940, by resolution No. 14 (10).

I.—Weights and measures :—		
(2) Cost of standard weights and measures ..	23	52
Total ..	23	52

Settled and adopted at a meeting of the Council held on July 9, 1940, by resolution No. 7 (9).

Office of the Urban Council,
Negombo, August 15, 1940.

S. K. WIJAYARATNAM,
Chairman.

No. E. 118

Rates and Taxes for 1941.

Urban Council, Kalutara.

IT is hereby notified that the Kalutara Urban Council has, in terms of Ordinance No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1941 the following rates and taxes being the same as were in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Kalutara Urban Council, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance :—

Under section 173 (1) : A rate of 12½ per cent. per annum payable on March 31, on June 30, on September 30, on December 31, for the quarter ending on the said days respectively, on the annual value of all immovable property save and except paddy fields.

Under section 175 (1) (a) : A tax in respect of the following vehicles and animals payable on or before March 31, 1941, at the rates specified below :—

	Rs.	c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, handcarts, jinricksha, bicycle or tricycle ..	5	0
For every double-bullock cart or hackery of whatever description ..	3	0
For every single-bullock cart or hackery of whatever description ..	2	0
For every jinricksha ..	2	0
For every bicycle or tricycle, or bicycle car or cart or tricycle car or cart ..	1	0
For every horse, pony or mule ..	2	50

Under section 4 of The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334) and section 246 (1) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, an annual registration fee of Rs. 1.50 on every bitch and Re. 1 on every dog kept within the limits of the Kalutara Urban Council.

Urban Council Office,
Kalutara, August 15, 1940.

P. A. COORAY,
Chairman.

Supplementary Budget of the Nuwara Eliya Urban Council for the Year 1940.

EXPENDITURE.

A.—General expenditure :—

	Rs.	c.
(4) Contributions and grants—		
(e) Contributions to War Charities ..	1,000	0

Settled and adopted at a meeting of the Council held on June 22, 1940, by resolution No. 2.

Office of the Urban Council,
Nuwara Eliya, August 16, 1940.

E. D. I. ABEYSINGHE,
Chairman.

Property Rate for 1941.

IT is hereby notified that the Matara Urban Council has, in terms of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1941 the following rates, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Matara Urban Council, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance :

Under section 173, a rate of 10 per centum per annum payable in equal proportions on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, for the respective quarters ending on the said days, on the annual value of all immovable property within the administrative limits of the said Urban Council, subject however to the limitation, qualification and condition that all properties set out in the schedule hereto shall pay a rate of 5 per centum only in the manner and on the dates specified above.

Urban Council Office,
Matara, August 19, 1940.

W. BALASURIYA,
Chairman.

Schedule.

All properties in the Piladuwa village.

Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1941.

IT is hereby notified that the Matara Urban Council has, in terms of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1941 the following taxes, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Matara Urban Council, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance :

Under section 175 (1) (a) : A tax in respect of the following vehicles and animals, payable on or before March 31, at the rates specified :—

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

Urban Council Office,
Matara, August 19, 1940.

W. BALASURIYA,
Chairman.

Dog Tax for 1941.*The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334).*

IT is hereby notified, that the Matara Urban Council has, in terms of section 4 of the Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1941 a registration fee of Re. 1 for every dog and every bitch kept within the limits of the Urban Council, Matara.

Urban Council Office,
Matara, August 19, 1940.

W. BALASURIYA,
Chairman.

Island: C/o Julius & Creasy, Fort, Colombo. (5) Class: 39.
(6) Goods: Photographic paper. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

SELO

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, August 14, 1940.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Registrar of Trade Marks.

Supplementary Budget of the Kurunegala Urban Council for the Year 1940.

EXPENDITURE.

J.—Electricity Department :—	Rs. c.
3. Service and house connections—	
(a) Materials	400 0

Settled and adopted at a meeting of the Council held on August 10, 1940, by resolution No. 13.

Office of the Urban Council,
Kurunegala, August 14, 1940.

R. E. DE S. JAYASUNDERA,
Chairman.

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

- (1) Trade Mark-No. 7,581. (2) Date of Receipt: July 16, 1940.
(3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): ILFORD, LIMITED (a Company incorporated under the English Companies' Acts), 23, Roden street, Ilford, Essex, England; manufacturers of photographic plates, paper, and films. (4) Address for service in the Island: C/o Julius & Creasy, Fort, Colombo. (5) Class: 1.
(6) Goods: Photographic chemicals, photographic films and plates.
(7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

SELO

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, August 14, 1940.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Registrar of Trade Marks.

Supplementary Budget of the Anuradhapura Urban Council for the Year 1940.

A.—General expenditure :—	Rs. c.
(1) Salaries of officers (not otherwise charged)—	
(b) Clerks and Revenue Inspectors	90 0
D.—Council lands and buildings :—	
(3) Rents of office	80 0
E.—Public Health :—	
(3) Conservancy—	
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorries	750 0
H.—Dog Registration :—	
(3) Cost of dog collars	20 0
	940 0

Settled and adopted at a meeting of the Council held on August 10, 1940, by resolution No. 6.

Office of the Urban Council,
Anuradhapura, August 10, 1940.

S. NATARAJA,
Chairman.

NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, No. 8 of 1912."**Arrack Rent Sale, 1940-41, Batticaloa District.**

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of selling arrack by retail at the under-mentioned localities during the period October 1, 1940, to September 30, 1941, subject to the General Conditions applicable to all Excise Licences published by Excise Notification No. 329 in *Government Gazette* No. 8,368 of May 11, 1938, and to Arrack Rent-Sale Conditions for 1940-41 published in the *Government Gazette* No. 8,616 of May 24, 1940.

2. Every tender shall be made on the prescribed form and be accompanied by a Kachcheri receipt for Rs. 500 in respect of each tender form for each tavern. The number and date of the receipt must be entered on the face of the tender form.

3. Tenders should be addressed to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa. Every tender must be placed in a sealed envelope clearly marked on the top left hand corner with the name of the tavern in respect of which the tender is made and the number on the list of sanctioned taverns. The envelope shall be—

- (a) deposited in the Kachcheri tender box, or
(b) handed over to the Government Agent or to his Office Assistant; or
(c) sent by registered post addressed to the Government Agent so as to reach the Kachcheri before the time fixed for closing the tenders.

4. Every tender or bid shall be made by the tenderer or bidder in his own name. No tender or bid made through an agent, will be accepted. No person shall send in more than one tender for any one tavern. Tenders not made strictly in accordance with the Conditions of Sale or which are in any way not in order will not be considered.

5. Tender forms will be issued at any Kachcheri in the Island, the office of the Excise Commissioner, Colombo, the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise, Jaffna, and the office of the Superintendent of Excise, Trincomalee, to those who produce Kachcheri receipt for Rs. 500, in respect of each tender form.

6. Tenders close at Batticaloa Kachcheri on Monday, September 2, 1940. The time fixed for closing tenders for each tavern is specified below against the respective taverns. Tenderers must be present at the time their tenders close.

7. (i.) The Government Agent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders without assigning any reason therefor.

(ii.) Conditions of Sale and other particulars can be obtained on application at the Batticaloa Kachcheri.

8. The attention of all prospective tenderers is drawn to the fact that from and after October 1, 1940, tapping for, drawing of, and manufacturing sweet toddy without any licence, permit or authority will be allowed all over the Island, and also to condition 27 (4) (f) of the Arrack Rent Sale Conditions, 1940-41.

The Kachcheri,
Batticaloa, August 19, 1940.

R. Y. DANIEL,
Government Agent.

LOCALITIES REFERRED TO.

Rent Area—Batticaloa District.

No. of Tavern.	Division.	Local Area (within which Tavern may be sited).	Tenders close at A.M.
5	.. Karayaku pattu	.. Within the village of Periya-nilavanai	10. 0
7	.. Akkaraipattu	.. Within the village of Karung-kodditivu	10. 15

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

THE following Specification has been accepted.

No. 3,101 of June 24, 1939 (Date applied for under Section 50 of the Ordinance, June 27, 1938).

Rubber-Stitching.

"Process for the preparation of purified latex and of rubber, gutta-percha, balata and the like."

Abstract.—This invention relates to a process for the preparation of purified latex, as well as of rubber, gutta-percha, balata, abiuwana, jelutong, gondang and the like therefrom. That the latex is treated with Na OH solution at normal pressure and that the hot latex is immediately dialysed at boiling temperature but before it is dialysed, it is diluted to about 20 per cent. by introducing free steam by means of a perforated heating plate by which the latex is heated to boiling point as well as diluted. That the latex which is subjected to the dialysis through regenerated cellulose (cellophane) is coagulated preferably after dilution to approximately 5 per cent. and the coagulum is washed and dried. If desired thereafter worked up by coagulation or other manner, to rubber, gutta-percha, balata and such like products. There are six claims.

G. D. PAREKH,
Registrar of Patents.

TRADE MARK NOTICES.

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NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M., on Wednesday, September 11, 1940, for Soil Drainage, Water Supply (Hot and Cold) and Storm Water Drainage to the New Operating Theatre, General Hospital, Colombo.

2. Tenders must be sent in duplicate under one registered cover (each copy being separately sealed) on forms obtainable from the Executive Engineer, Buildings, Torrington square, Colombo, from whom all particulars and information can be obtained and at whose office plans can be seen.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, September 6, 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. 50.

No tender deposit will be returned until the agreement with conditions of contract and specification issued with the tender forms have been returned unsigned to the Executive Engineer from whom they were received.

5. Tenders should be firm and subject to no variation for fluctuation in prices.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

A. J. R. SCHARENGUIVEL,
for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, Southern Division, Galle, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M. on Wednesday, September 4, 1940, for the Construction of V. D. Clinic at Horana in Kalutara District.

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, August 30, 1940.

4. The amount of tender deposit is Rs. 5.

5. Tenders should be firm and subject to no variation for fluctuation in prices.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

T. H. LEADER,
for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M., on Wednesday, September 11, 1940, for Water Supply Scheme to "Ambalantota Rice Mills".

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, September 6, 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. 10. No tender deposit will be returned until the agreement and Specification issued with the tender form have been returned intact to the Executive Engineer from whom they were obtained.

5. Tenders should be firm and subject to no variation for fluctuation in prices.

P. W. D. Head Office,
Colombo, August 20, 1940.

T. H. LEADER,
for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one year commencing from October 1, 1940.

2. All tenders should be sealed and should be addressed to the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, or be sent through the post under registered cover.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for _____" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, not later than midday on September 10, 1940.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected. Applications for tender forms accompanied by deposit receipts referred to in clause 6, must be made well ahead of the closing date for the different services mentioned in the schedule hereunder.

No application for tender forms will be entertained after 3 p.m. on Friday preceding the closing date for tenders for any of the services referred to.

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

7. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security according to the schedule hereunder, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract; also to furnish with each tender a letter in duplicate signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become an additional security for the due performance of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

8. Contracts may not be assigned, sublet, or otherwise transferred without the previous written sanction of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services. Sanction will not be given for any transfers, including powers of attorney, in favour of persons in the defaulting contractors' list. No defaulting contractor should be employed on any service connected with the contracts or the tenders.

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

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender or the whole of it for an year or any portion thereof.

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

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

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

In the case of persons who have carried out contracts with the Medical Department, but not in the division or district concerned in the notice calling for tenders, they should state in which division or district or divisions or districts they held contracts.

In the cases of persons who have carried out Government contracts with departments other than the Medical Department, the name of such department and the district in which the service was rendered should be stated.

14. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, Colombo.

S. T. GUNASEKARA,
Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.
Colombo, August 21, 1940.

Service.	Schedule referred to.	
	Tender Deposit. Rs.	Security. Rs.
<i>Transport of Stores from—</i>		
Anuradhapura Railway Station	50	100
Badulla Railway Station	50	100
Batticaloa Railway Station	50	100
Chilaw, &c., Railway Station	50	100
Galle Railway Station	50	100
Haputale Railway Station	50	100
Hatton Railway Station	50	100
Kandy Railway Station	50	100
Kekirawa Railway Station	50	100
Mirigama Railway Station	25	50
Ratnapura Railway Station	50	100
Rambukkana Railway Station	50	100

<i>Removal and burial of dead bodies from—</i>		
Kandy Hospital	25	50

<i>Purchase of kitchen refuse from—</i>		
The General Hospital, Colombo	25	50
The Mental Hospital, Angoda	25	50

Tender for Leather Machinery, &c.

TENDERS are invited for the construction of the machinery, &c., shown in schedule below. Items shown in Part I. of the Schedule will have to be constructed under the supervision of the Leather Expert of this Department and delivered and fitted up at the Leather Tannery situated within the Colombo Municipal limits. Items shown in Part II. will have to be constructed at the Tannery under the supervision of the Leather Expert.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to—

The Chairman of the Tender Board,
General Treasury, P. O. Box 500,
Colombo.

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Leather Machinery, &c." in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Tender Board not later than midday on September 10, 1940.

5. Tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at the Department of Commerce and Industries, 4th Floor, Times Building, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

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

7. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or a Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to, or left at, the address given by the tenderer. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 500.

10. Specification, plans, and form of tender can be seen and all information obtained at the Department of Commerce and Industries on any week day between the hours 2 P.M. and 4.30 P.M., and on Saturdays between 12 noon and 1 P.M.

11. The quantities and description as issued in the tender must not be altered in any way. Tenders which are incomplete owing to the non-insertion of any rate or rates or in any other material way will be rejected.

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

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

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

15. The Director of Commerce and Industries may, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, give notice in writing of his objection to the employment by the contractor of any person specified in such notice, and no such person shall be employed by the contractor.

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

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

17. The successful tenderer will be required to employ only Ceylonese labourers in carrying out the work tendered for.

The employment of only Ceylonese labourers in carrying out the work tendered for will be made a condition of the contract and the failure on the part of the successful tenderer to fulfil this condition will be treated as a breach of the terms of the contract and will render the contract liable to cancellation; Provided however that in exceptional circumstances the Head of the Department with whom the contract is entered into may permit the contractor to employ any non-Ceylonese labourers previously approved by him in writing with the concurrence of the Treasury. The employment of non-Ceylonese labourers without such approval in writing and concurrence is forbidden.

The term "Ceylonese" shall mean and include all natural born British subjects born of parents domiciled in Ceylon.

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

D. H. BALFOUR,
Acting Director of Commerce and Industries,
Department of Commerce and Industries,
Colombo, August 17, 1940.

Schedule above referred to.

Part I.

- (a) Three wooden turbines for liming and bathing paddles in hardwood
- Two turbines each 6 ft. long, diameter 3 ft. with 2 inch shafts and with 2 balls and bearings combined into one with one gear wheel and cog wheel with the pedestal loose and fast pulley diameter 3 ft. One turbine 7 ft. long, diameter 3 ft. with 2 inch shaft and with balls and bearings with fast and loose pulley of 3 ft. diameter.
- (b) One tanning drum, metal parts only with one gear wheel fast and loose pulley diameter 3 ft. Two tanning paddles metal parts only combined in one with fast and loose pulley of 3 ft. diameter and one gear wheel and cog wheel with the masonry Pedestal.

Part II.

- One soak pit .. Inside dimensions 7 ft. x 5 ft., height 3 ft. above floor level. Width of wall 1 ft. with brick and cement plaster.
- One lime paddle .. Inside dimensions 7 ft. x 5 ft., height 4½ ft. Width of wall 1 ft. with brick and cement plaster.
- One lime pit .. 7 ft. x 5 ft., height 3 ft. Width of wall 1 ft. with brick and cement plaster.
- Two Bathing paddles 6 ft. x 5 ft., height 4½ ft. Width of wall 1 ft. with brick and cement plaster.

Purchase of Coconut Poonac, Mahara Prison.

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of all the coconut poonac turned out at Mahara Prison, Ragama, during the period October 1, 1940, to September 30, 1941. Tenders which should be in sealed envelopes marked "Tenders for Coconut Poonac, Mahara Prison" should be addressed to the Superintendent of Mahara Prison, Ragama, and should reach his office on or before 12 noon on September 14, 1940.

The successful tenderer will be required to furnish (a) cash security in Rs. 25 for the due performance of the contract, and (b) stamp duty Rs. 10 for the completion of the agreement. For further particulars on the subject apply to the undersigned.

Mahara Prison,
August 20, 1940.

C. P. BROHIER,
Superintendent.

EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

Tenders for the Transport of Arrack, &c., to and from
Excise Warehouses and Railway Goods Sheds in
Kalutara District.

TENDERS will be received by the Chairman of the Tender Board, General Treasury, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, for the above-mentioned service, up to 12 noon on Tuesday, September 3, 1940. The contract for the service will commence on October 1, 1940, and will be operative for one year from that date. The contract will be renewed for good service.

2. Tenders will be accepted only on forms issued at the Excise Head Office, Colombo, or at the Office of the Superintendent of Excise, Distilleries, Kalutara.

3. Further particulars relating to tenders can be obtained from the Excise Head Office on application.

Excise Head Office,
Colombo, August 17, 1940.

S. H. WADIA,
Excise Commissioner.

Supply of Sundry Articles.

TENDERS will be received by the Superintendent of Excise, Distilleries, Kalutara, up to 12 noon on Saturday, September 7, 1940, for the supply of articles in the schedule annexed hereto, to the Excise Warehouse, or warehouses at Kalutara for a period of one year from October 1, 1940.

2. Tenders should be calculated on the basis of the quantities stated in the schedule referred to.

3. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit a sum of rupees 50 as security, to be refunded at the termination of his contract, and to sign a bond, for the due fulfilment of his contract, on a Rs. 10 stamp to be supplied by him.

4. The Superintendent of Excise, Distilleries, Kalutara, reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders and the right of accepting any tender or any portion of a tender.

5. Further information can be obtained on application to the above officer.

Office of the Excise Commissioner,
Colombo, August 17, 1940.

C. W. NICHOLAS,
for Excise Commissioner.

Schedule referred to.

100 eggs, 7 lb. sugar, 1 packet isinglass, 7 lb. firewood, 1 nutmeg 1 lb. sweet cummin, 1 lb. saffron, 1 iron sieve, 1 phial vanilla, 1 lb. wire, 1 lb. wire nails, 1 cartload of sea sand, 1 coir rope for drawing water, 100 gunnies, 1 cwt. straw, 100 skeins coir, 1 lb. sack string, 1 lb. chalk, 1 sack needle, 1 string rod (pimbaru).

Transport of Arrack, Batticaloa, 1940-43.

THE Assistant Commissioner of Excise, N. D., Jaffna, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Thursday, September 12, 1940, for :-

- (1) the transporting of casks of arrack (capacities of casks varying from 100 to 130 gallons each) from the Railway Goods Shed, Batticaloa, to the Arrack Warehouse, Batticaloa, for each of the periods :- (a) from October 1, 1940, to September 30, 1941, (b) from October 1, 1940, to September 30, 1942, and (c) from October 1, 1940, to September 30, 1943; and
- (2) for returning empty casks from the said warehouse to the said goods shed within the aforesaid periods.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable either (i.) at the Office of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise, N. D., Jaffna, or (ii) the Office of the Superintendent of Excise, Trincomalee, on production of a receipt for Rs. 10 deposited at a Treasury or Kacheheri on account of tender forms for this service. All particulars on the subject may be obtained from the said officers.

Excise Head Office,
Colombo, August 15, 1940.

T. V. SARAVANAMUTTU,
for Excise Commissioner.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the following properties belonging to the Loan Board :—

" Merton ", 41, Guildford crescent, Colombo, in extent 3 roods and 12 perches.

" Queen's Hall ", 19, Barnes place, Colombo, in extent 1 acre.

together with the buildings standing thereon. Upset prices of Rs. 52,000 and Rs. 75,000, respectively have been fixed and the highest offers above these figures will be accepted but the Loan Board is at liberty to reject any or all the offers if it sees fit. In suitable circumstances a portion of the purchase price may be allowed to remain on mortgage of the property.

All tenders should be under sealed cover and should be addressed to—

The Chief Commissioner, Loan Board,
Secretariat Room No. 223,
P. O. Box 500,
Colombo.

Tenders should be marked " Tender for Loan Board properties " in the left hand top corner of the envelope and should reach the above address not later than 12 noon on Wednesday, the 28th instant.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Secretary, Loan Board, Secretariat Room No. 114, P. O. Box 500.

By order,
J. L. STANISLAUS,
Secretary, Loan Board.

August 20, 1940.

Tenders for the Construction of Semi-permanent Buildings at the Uppuveli Animal Breeding Centre, Trincomalee.

THE Agricultural Officer, Eastern Division, Batticaloa, will receive tenders at his office up to midday of September 2, 1940, for the construction of semi-permanent buildings at the Uppuveli Animal Breeding Centre, Trincomalee.

Further particulars can be obtained from the Assistant Veterinary Surgeon, Trincomalee.

E. RODRIGO,
Director of Agriculture.

Peradeniya, August 20, 1940.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

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THE EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE) ACT, 1939.

CF. D 653/40

DEFENCE regulation made by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 1 of the Emergency Powers (Defence) Act, 1939, of the Imperial Parliament, as adapted, modified and extended to Ceylon by the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) Order in Council, 1939.

By His Excellency's command,

E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, August 23, 1940.

REGULATION.

Regulation 24 of the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations published in the *Supplement to Gazette* No. 8,533 of October 20, 1939, is hereby amended in paragraph (1) thereof by the substitution, for the words " the defence of the Island ", of the words " the defence of the Island or the efficient prosecution of the war ".