THE CEYLON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

No. 9,238 — FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1944.

Published by Authority.

PART I.—GENERAL.

(Separate paging is given to each Part in order that it may be filed separately.)

	PAGE		PAGE
Proclamations by the Governor	169	Trade Mark Notifications	183
Appointments by the Governor	170	"Excise Ordinance" Notices	—
Appointments, &c., of Registrars	—	Patents Notifications	183
Government Notifications	171	Municipal Council Notices	184
Currency Commissioners' Notices	—	Local Government Notices	184
Revenue and Expenditure Returns	—	Sale of Tolls and Other Rents	—
Notices calling for Tenders	178	Road Committee Notices	—
Unofficial Announcements	179	Notices to Mariners	—
Miscellaneous Departmental Notices	180		

PART VIII. published with this issue contains Price Orders.

PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

L. D.—B. 127/32.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. CALDECOTT.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance (Chapter 222), I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do hereby amend the Proclamation under the aforementioned section, published in *Gazette* No. 7,896 of December 4, 1931, by including in the Schedule thereto the temple described in the Schedule hereunder.

By His Excellency's command,

H. A. C. DOBBS,
Acting Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, 11th February, 1944.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Schedule.

Seruwawa Yakgirilen Raja Maha Vihare, situated at Pubbowa in Mahagalboda Megoda North Korale of Weudawili Hatpattuwa in the Kurunegala District.

L. D.—B. 43/43.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. CALDECOTT.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 2 of the Tolls Ordinance (Chapter 150), I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do hereby amend, in the manner specified in the Schedule hereto, the Proclamation relating to the tolls to be levied at the Pannai Ferry published in *Gazette* No. 6,727 of July 16, 1915.

By His Excellency's command,

H. A. C. DOBBS,
Acting Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, 16th February, 1944.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Schedule.

The Proclamation relating to the tolls levied at the Pannai Ferry, published in *Gazette* No. 6,727 of July 16, 1915, is hereby amended in the Schedule thereto as follows:—

(1) by the insertion, immediately after the item relating to vehicles for passengers drawn by one ox, of the following new item:—

"Every vehicle for passengers drawn by two oxen, driver and passengers included .. .. 0·40";

(2) in the item relating to vehicles carrying a load and drawn by two horses or oxen, by the substitution, for "0·60", of "0·75";

(3) in the item relating to vehicles not carrying a load and drawn by two horses or oxen, by the substitution, for "0·20", of "0·30";

(4) by the substitution, for the item relating to bicycles, tricycles and jinrickshas, of the following:—

"Every bicycle .. .. 0·20
Every tricycle or jinricksha .. 0·15";

(5) in the item relating to oxen, cows, calves, sheep, goats and pigs, by the substitution, for "0·2", of "0·5";

(6) in the item relating to foot passengers, by the substitution, for "0·5", of "0·6"; and

(7) in the item relating to motor cars, by the substitution, for "0·80", of "1·00".

L. D.—B. 178/41 No. 994/1 (CY)

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

Seal. A. CALDECOTT.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 13 of the Currency Ordinance, No. 21 of 1941, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, hereby amend the Schedule to the Proclamation under that section published in *Gazette* No. 8,809 of November 7, 1941, as follows:—

(1) in the item relating to the Ceylon Twenty-five-cent Piece (as amended by Proclamation published in *Gazette* No. 9,204 of November 26, 1943)—

(*a*) by the substitution, for the figure "45", of the figure "42·5"; and

(*b*) by the substitution, for the figure "2·916", of the figure "2·754"; and

(2) by the insertion immediately after the item relating to the Ceylon Five-cent Piece, of the following new item, the several particulars contained therein being entered in the appropriate columns in that Schedule:—

"0·05..Ceylon Five-cent Piece..Nickel-brass..50..3.24.. ——..(*——)..None"

By His Excellency's command,

H. A. C. DOBBS,
Acting Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, 14th February, 1944.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 131 of 1944.

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

J 2/44

Mr. E. J. RAJARATNAM to act as Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Western Province, and Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Marriages, Births, and Deaths for the Colombo District, with effect from February 14, 1944, until further orders.

J 2/44

Mr. T. S. S. SYDENHAM-CLARKE to the office of Assistant Government Agent of the District of Colombo with effect from February 14, 1944, until further orders.

J 2/44

Mr. A. L. B. FERDINAND to the office of Additional Assistant Government Agent, Colombo, with effect from February 14, 1944, until further orders.

J 21/41

Mr. C. SITTAMPALAM, Assistant at Mannar to the Government Agent, Northern Province, to act, in addition to his own duties, as Assistant at Vavuniya to the Government Agent, Northern Province ; Deputy Fiscal for the District of Vavuniya ; Assistant Collector of Customs, Mullaittivu ; Deputy Master Attendant, Mullaittivu ; Receiver of Wrecks, Mullaittivu ; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Vavuniya ; and Additional Superintendent of Police, Vavuniya, from February 25 to March 7, 1943, during the absence of Mr. C. B. P. PERERA, or until the resumption of duties by that officer.

J 2/44

Mr. L. J. DE S. SENEVIRATNE to act as Director of Agriculture with effect from February 14, 1944, until further orders.

J 2/44

Mr. S. S. NAVARATNAM to be a Deputy Food Controller, a Deputy Controller under the Essential Commodities Reserves Ordinance, and a Deputy Controller of Prices (Food) for the Island with effect from February 14, 1944, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 14, 1944. — ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

No. 132 of 1944.

N 80/42

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to permit Lieutenant Colonel G. C. M. MACLEOD CAREY, R.A., to relinquish his appointment as Officer Commanding, 1st Coast Regiment, Ceylon Garrison Artillery, with effect from January 13, 1944.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 12, 1944. — ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

No. 133 of 1944.

N 80/42

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve the appointment of Lieutenant Colonel DENNIS WILLIAM LENNOX RICHEY, R.A., as Officer Commanding, 1st Coast Regiment, Ceylon Garrison Artillery, with effect from January 13, 1944.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 12, 1944. — ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

No. 134 of 1944.

N 141/7/41

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to transfer Lieutenant (Temporary Captain) KENNETH COOPER of the 2nd (A.A.) Regiment, Ceylon Garrison Artillery, to the Ceylon Engineers with effect from the date hereof.

He will take seniority in accordance with the date of his promotion to his substantive rank.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 11, 1944. — ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

No. 135 of 1944.

N 2/42

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Ceylon Light Infantry with effect from September 3, 1943, with seniority next after Lieutenant R. L. D. P. PERERA :—

To be Lieutenant.

Second Lieutenant IVAN DERRICK ANDREE EVARTS.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 13, 1944. — ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

No. 136 of 1944.

N 30/42

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has accepted the resignation tendered by Second Lieutenant OLIVER FRANCIS DE WAAS TILLEKERATNE of his Commission in the Ceylon Railway Engineers Corps with effect from January 1, 1944.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 11, 1944. — ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

No. 137 of 1944.

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

No. J. 60/36.

Mr. D. J. K. GOONETILLEKE to be Additional District Judge, Kalutara, Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kalutara, from the 16th to the 22nd February, 1944, during the absence of Mr. J. H. V. S. JAYAWICKRAMA.

No. J. 34/36.

Mr. V. H. WIJEYARATNE to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Nuwara Eliya, on the 12th February, 1944, to try case No. M. C. Hatton 4906/D. C. Nuwara Eliya 239.

J. 35/36.

Mr. M. H. JAYATILEKE to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Panadura, and Additional District Judge, Colombo and Kalutara, on the 11th February, 1944.

No. J. 76/38.

Mr. E. F. C. MODDER to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kurunegala, and Additional District Judge, Kurunegala, on the 12th February, 1944, during the absence of Mr. W. THALGODAPITIYA.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office, Colombo, 14th February, 1944. — J. H. B. NIHILL, Legal Secretary.

No. 138 of 1944.

No. G. 11/43/2.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. THIAGAR KULANTAIVELU has—

(1) been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Punakari-Tunukkai Division, Jaffna District, from the 11th to the 16th February, 1944, while acting in the office of Divisional Revenue Officer of the said Division ; and

(2) been granted authority, under section 365 (1) of that Code, to order post-mortem examination when necessary.

Legal Secretary's Office, Colombo, 11th February, 1944. — J. H. B. NIHILL, Legal Secretary.

No. 139 of 1944.

No. G. 11/43/4.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. ARUMUGAM SABAPATHIPILLAI has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Pachchilaippalli-Karachchi Division, Jaffna District, with effect from the 13th February, 1944, while acting in the office of Divisional Revenue Officer of the said Division.

Legal Secretary's Office, Colombo, 12th February, 1944. — J. H. B. NIHILL, Legal Secretary.

No. 140 of 1944.

No. G. 16/43/2.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. M. A. M. YOOSOOF has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Musali Division, Mannar District, with effect from the 10th February, 1944, until the resumption of duties by Mr. J. M. SABARATNAM.

Legal Secretary's Office, Colombo, 10th February, 1944. — J. H. B. NIHILL, Legal Secretary.

No. 141 of 1944.

No. G. 16/43/1.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. N. PARKIANATHAN has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Mantai Division, Mannar District, with effect from the 11th February, 1944, while acting in the office of District Adigar of the said Division.

Legal Secretary's Office, Colombo, 11th February, 1944. — J. H. B. NIHILL, Legal Secretary.

No. 142 of 1944.

No. G. 21/43/1.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. SEMASINGHE NAVARATNE WANNINAYAKE MUDIYANSELAGE HERAT BANDA NAVARATNE has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Rajawanni Pattu of Demala Hatpattu, Puttalam District, with effect from the 12th February 1944, while holding the office of Korala of the said Pattu.

Legal Secretary's Office, Colombo, 12th February, 1944. — J. H. B. NIHILL, Legal Secretary.

No. 143 of 1944.

No. G. 59/43.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. N. H. MARTIN has been appointed, under section 372 of the Civil Procedure Code, to be, while acting in the office of Fiscal's Marshal, Hatton, an officer specially authorised 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 Hatton from the 16th to the 19th, February, 1944.

Legal Secretary's Office, Colombo, 15th February, 1944. — J. H. B. NIHILL, Legal Secretary.

No. 144 of 1944.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. A. C. ALLES, Advocate, has been appointed to act as Crown Counsel from the 3rd to the 8th February, 1944.

Attorney-General's Chambers, Colombo, 9th February, 1944. — M. W. H. DE SILVA, Attorney-General.

No. 145 of 1944.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 4 (1) of the Muslim Marriage and Divorce Registration Ordinance (Cap. 99), to appoint Mr. SHEIKH MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM HAMEED HUSSAIN MARIKAR of Puttalam to be Kathi for the judicial divisions of Puttalam and Chilaw for the period February 7, 1944, to December 31, 1944, *vice* Mr. H. H. SHEIKH ISMAIL, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

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

Colombo, February 7, 1944.

No. 146 of 1944.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. J. G. AMERESEKERE has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, Village Tribunals, Morawak korale, during the absence of Mr. J. W. D.' ALWIS from February 14 to 17, 1944.

The Kachcheri, Galle, February 14, 1944. — W. O. STEVENS, Government Agent.

No. 147 of 1944.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. J. G. AMERESEKERE has been appointed temporarily, under section 67 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as Additional President, Village Tribunals, Gangaboda pattu, on February 19, 1944, to try Village Tribunal Bandattara Criminal Case No. 2,342.

The Kachcheri, Galle, February 12, 1944. — W. O. STEVENS, Government Agent.

No. 148 of 1944.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. T. LATIFF J. HADGIE, Proctor, Supreme Court, has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, Village Tribunal, Udukinda, during the absence of Mr. C. B. DIMBULANE from February 14 to 19, 1944.

The Kachcheri, Badulla, February 15, 1944. — C. COOMARASWAMY, Government Agent.

No. 149 of 1944.

GA 3747/7

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. ALLAN SENANAYAKE has been appointed temporarily, under section 67 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as Additional President, Three Korales and Lower Bulathgama, on February 4, 1944, to try Village Tribunal, Dehiowita Criminal Case No. 2,394.

The Kachcheri, Ratnapura, February 9, 1944. — E. R. SUDBURY, Acting Government Agent.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

L. D.—CF. 13B 2/39

THE DEFENCE (TRADING WITH THE ENEMY) REGULATIONS, 1939
and
THE TRADING WITH THE ENEMY (CUSTODIAN) ORDER, 1940.

WHEREAS the immovable property more fully described in the Schedule hereto belongs to Stanislaus Rajaratnam:

And whereas the said Stanislaus Rajaratnam is now believed to be residing in Singapore and is an enemy within the meaning of the Defence (Trading with the Enemy) Regulations, 1939, read with the Defence (Trading with the Enemy) Amendment Regulations:

And whereas it is expedient that a Vesting Order should be made in respect of the said immovable property and such powers in regard thereto as are hereinafter contained should be conferred upon the Custodian of Enemy Property:

Now therefore, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Defence (Trading with the Enemy) Regulations, 1939, the Defence (Trading with the Enemy) Amendment Regulations, and the Trading with the Enemy (Custodian) Order, 1940, and all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order—

(1) that all the right, title, and interest of the said Stanislaus Rajaratnam to and in the said immovable property do vest in the Custodian of Enemy Property;

(2) that the said Custodian do have all such powers as may be necessary for the purposes of the control and the management of the said immovable property, including the power to employ such agents as he may consider necessary for such purposes;

and

(3) that out-of-pocket payments made by the said Custodian in relation to the receiving, collecting, vesting, management, holding or disposing of the said immovable property shall be reimbursed to the said Custodian out of such property and shall be chargeable accordingly.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

Nuwara Eliya, 5th February, 1944.

Schedule.

Premises bearing assessment No. 78, Bankshall Street, Jaffna.

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

Notice.

WHEREAS it has been shown to my satisfaction that the seat of Mr. Joseph Isaac Gnanamuttu, Member of the State Council for the Mannar-Mullaittivu electoral district, has by reason of his death become vacant under Article 15 (*a*)

of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by Article 23 (3) and (5) of the Ceylon (State Council Elections) Order in Council, 1931, do by this notice—

(1) order that an election shall be held to fill the vacancy, and

(2) appoint March 15, 1944, as the date, and the Kachcheri at Vavuniya as the place, for the nomination of candidates for the said election.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

Colombo, February 12, 1944.

L. D.—B. 124/37/M. L. A.—B. 1559.

THE VEHICLES ORDINANCE.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 5 of the Vehicles Ordinance (Chapter 155), I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do with effect from the date of the publication of this Notification in the *Gazette* :—

(1) direct that the stamp to be affixed on the counterfoil of a licence issued in respect of a bicycle kept for hire within the administrative limits of the Batticaloa Urban Council shall be of the value of Rs. 5·00; and

(2) rescind the Notification under section 5 of the said Ordinance, published in *Gazette* No. 8,597 of March 29, 1940.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

Colombo, 9th February, 1944.

L. D.—B. 123/37.

THE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES ORDINANCE.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 2 of the Co-operative Societies Ordinance (Chapter 107), I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this special order confer on Messrs. Ariyaratne Piyasena Jayasekera, Ramalingam Rajaratnam and Don Wilmot Wijesekera, officers appointed to assist the Registrar of Co-operative Societies with effect from December 1, 1943, the following powers of the Registrar under that Ordinance :—

(1) power to register societies and the addresses of societies under sections 5, 6, 7 and 15;

(2) power to register amendments of the by-laws of registered societies under section 8;

(3) power to sanction, under section 34 (2), contributions by registered societies, out of nett profits, to a charitable purpose or a common-good fund;

(4) power under sections 35 and 36 to inspect and dissolve registered societies; and

(5) power under section 45 to deal with disputes referred for decision.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

Nuwara Eliya, 5th February, 1944.

L. D.—B. 14/44. M. L. A.—A. 930.

THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE.

Order under Sections 21 and 30.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by sections 21 and 30 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do hereby—

(1) revoke, subject to the provisions of paragraph (5)—

(a) the notification published in *Gazette* No. 7,919 of April 22, 1932, in so far as that notification relates to the limits of the town of Hatton-Dikoya; and

(b) the notification published in *Gazette* No. 7,922 of May 6, 1932, relating to the number of members of the Hatton-Dikoya Urban Council and the electoral divisions of the town of Hatton-Dikoya;

(2) order under section 30 that, subject to the provisions of paragraph (5), the limits of the town of Hatton-Dikoya shall be those defined in the First Schedule hereto;

(3) order under section 30 that, subject to the provisions of paragraph (5), the Hatton-Dikoya Urban Council shall consist of seven members, and the town of Hatton-Dikoya shall be divided into seven electoral divisions with the limits defined in the Second Schedule hereto;

(4) order under section 21 that, for the purposes of the general election of the members of Hatton-Dikoya Urban Council to be held next after the date hereof and for the purposes of the application of the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance in any matter relating or incidental to or connected with that election, the Orders under section 30 hereinbefore set out shall be deemed to be operative on any date prior to the day specified in paragraph (5), on which it may be necessary that those orders should be so operative; and

(5) declare that the provisions of paragraphs (1), (2), and (3) shall come into effect on the day immediately following the date of expiration of the term of office of the members of the Hatton-Dikoya Urban Council who are in office at the date hereof.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

Colombo, 16th February, 1944.

First Schedule.

Limits of the Town of Hatton-Dikoya.

North : From a point 100 feet west of the centre of Nawalapitiya-Hatton road at Culvert No. 20/8 a line drawn eastwards crossing the said road at the said culvert to the northern boundary of Mr. Quintus de Soysa's bungalow premises, thence a line drawn eastwards crossing the Railway Line and Dimbula-Hatton road at Culvert No. 7/3 to a point 100 feet east of the centre of the said cart road, thence a line drawn south-eastwards parallel to and at a distance of 100 feet from the centre of Dimbula-Hatton road to a point due east of Culvert No. 7/6, thence a line drawn eastwards to the north-western corner of Mr. K. Naina Mohammadu's property, thence eastwards along the northern boundary of the said property to the north-eastern corner of the said property.

East : From the last-mentioned point southwards along the eastern boundary of Mr. K. Naina Mohammadu's property to the eastern boundary of the premises occupied by the then Secretary of Hatton Police Court, thence southwards along the eastern boundary of the said premises and a line drawn south-eastwards to the former Mildam, thence to the eastern boundary of Hatton Estate road, thence south-eastwards along the eastern boundary of the said road to the western boundary of Tunnel bungalow premises, thence northwards and eastwards along the western and northern boundaries of the said premises to the north-eastern corner of the said premises, thence a line drawn southwards along the eastern boundary of the said premises to the centre of the confluence of Dik Oya and the stream flowing through 'Fernando Town', thence southwards along the centre line of Dik Oya to a point 100 feet north of the centre of the bridge on Bathford Valley cart road, thence a line drawn eastwards, north-eastwards and south-eastwards parallel to and at a distance of 100 feet from the centre of Bathford Valley cart road to a distance of 270 yards, thence a line drawn south-westwards passing through the centre of the junction of Bathford Valley cart road and the road leading to Darawala Race-course (Now D.M.C. Club) to the centre of Darawala Oya.

South : From the last-mentioned point north-westwards and southwards along the centre line of Darawala Oya and Dik Oya to a point in line with the southern boundary of Dikoya Estate, thence westwards across Dik Oya and Hatton-Dikoya and along the southern boundary of Dikoya Estate to a distance 100 feet from the centre of Hatton-Dikoya road.

West : From the last-mentioned point a line drawn northwards parallel to and at a distance of 100 feet west of the centre of Hatton-Dikoya road to a point behind Mr. M. R. Fernando's 'May Fair' bungalow, thence a line drawn south-westwards across Dunbar Estate to a point on the eastern boundary of the Recreation Grounds (V. O. T. P. 424528) just behind the northern end of the Coronation Memorial Tenements, thence southwards, eastwards and northwards along the eastern, southern and western boundaries of the said Recreation Grounds to the point where the said western boundary meets the western boundary of Dunbar Estate road, thence northwards along the western boundary of the said road to a point behind the Recreation Grounds Pavilion, thence a line drawn westwards across Dunbar Estate to the south-western corner of Messrs. Arasaratnam and Vamadivan's property, thence northwards along the western boundary of the said property to the southern boundary of Dunbar Estate road, thence northwards along the southern and western boundaries of the said road to the western boundary of Derby House premises, thence northwards along the western boundary of the said premises to the western boundary of Dunbar Estate road, thence northwards along the western boundary of the said road as far as the junction with the estate road leading to the old Dikoya-Nawalapitiya cart road, thence a line drawn northwards to meet the Hatton Estate bridle path west of Dunbar Cottage formerly occupied by Mr. Shand, thence a line drawn northwards to the source of the stream west of Mr. Bank's bungalow, thence a line drawn northwards to the western boundary of Mr. M. T. Maniccam's property, thence northwards and eastwards along the western and northern boundaries of Mr. K. Kandiah's property and a line drawn eastwards to a point 100 feet west of the centre of Nawalapitiya-Hatton road at Culvert No. 20/16, thence a line drawn north-westwards parallel to and at a distance of 100 feet from the centre of the said road to the starting point of the northern limit of the area.

Second Schedule.

Limits of the Electoral Divisions of the Town of Hatton-Dikoya.

Electoral Division No. 1—Fruit Hill.

North : From the western extremity of the northern limit of the Urban Council area, eastwards, south-eastwards and again eastwards along the said limit to its eastern extremity.

East : From the last-mentioned point south-eastwards and southwards along the eastern limit of the Urban Council area to the centre of the estate road leading from the Circuit Bungalow, thence westwards and southwards along the centre line of the said road to the centre of the junction with Nursing Home road.

South : From the last-mentioned point northwards and westwards along the centre line of Nursing Home road and crossing the Railway Line to the centre of the junction with Dimbula-Hatton road, thence a line drawn westwards between Messrs. R. S. de Silva's and Sinnathambi's bungalows to the western limit of the Urban Council area at the source of the stream west of Mr. Bank's bungalow.

West : From the last-mentioned point north-westwards along the western limit of the Urban Council area to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Electoral Division No. 2—Residential.

North : From the centre of the Railway Level crossing across Nursing Home road eastwards, southwards and north-eastwards along the southern and eastern limits of Electoral Division No. 1 to the eastern limit of the Urban Council area, thence south-eastwards along the said limit to the north-eastern corner of Tunnel Bungalow premises.

East : From the last-mentioned point southwards along the eastern limit of the Urban Council area to the centre of the confluence of Dik Oya and the stream flowing through "Fernando Town".

South : From the last-mentioned point a line drawn northwards to the centre of the estate path east of Hatton House, thence a line drawn westwards to the Railway Up-Home signal post, thence a line drawn northwards east of Gamman Tenements to the centre of the Railway Line, thence westwards along the centre of the Railway Line to a distance of 200 feet, thence a line drawn southwards to the centre of the terminus of Circular road, thence north-westwards along the centre line of the said road to the centre of the junction with New street, thence westwards along the centre line of New street and Cross street to the centre of the junction with the Main street.

West : From the last-mentioned point north-westwards along the centre line of the Main street and New street behind Hatton Bank to the centre of the Railway Level Crossing, thence north-westwards along the centre of the Railway Line to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Electoral Division No. 3—Dunbar.

North : From the western extremity of the southern limit of Electoral Division No. 1 eastwards along the said limit to the northern extremity of the western limit of Electoral Division No. 2.

East : From the last-mentioned point south-eastwards along the western limit of Electoral Division No. 2 to the centre of the junction of Main street and Cross street, thence southwards along the centre line of Main street to the centre of the junction with Fish Stall road.

South : From the last-mentioned point westwards along the centre line of Fish Stall road to the centre of the junction with Recreation Grounds road, thence westwards and southwards along the centre line of the said road to the centre of the junction with Dunbar Estate road, thence westwards along the centre line of the said road to the centre of the junction with the path leading to Glouroram Bungalow, thence to the western limit of the Urban Council area.

West : From the last-mentioned point north-westwards along the western limit of the Urban Council area to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Electoral Division No. 4—Fernando Town.

North : From the centre of the junction of Cross street and New street south-eastwards and northwards along the southern limit of Electoral Division No. 2 to the centre of the Railway Line, thence eastwards along the said limit to a distance of 200 feet.

East : From the last-mentioned point southwards along the southern limit of Electoral Division No. 2 to the eastern limit of the Urban Council area, thence southwards along the said limit to the centre of the confluence of Dik Oya and Dunbar Stream.

South : From the last-mentioned point westwards along the centre line of Dunbar Stream to the centre of the bridge on Hatton-Dikoya road near Electric Sub-station at Aluthgala.

West : From the last-mentioned point northwards along the centre of Hatton-Dikoya road to the centre of the junction with New street, thence again northwards along the centre line of the said street to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Electoral Division No. 5—Bazaar.

North : From the western extremity of the southern limit of Electoral Division No. 3 eastwards and northwards along the southern and eastern limits of the said division to the western extremity of the southern limit of Electoral Division No. 2, thence eastwards along the said limit to the northern extremity of the western limit of Electoral Division No. 4.

East : From the last-mentioned point southwards along the western limit of Electoral Division No. 4 to its southern extremity.

South : From the last-mentioned point westwards along the centre line of Dunbar Stream to the western limit of the Urban Council area.

West : From the last-mentioned point northwards along the western limit of the Urban Council area to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Electoral Division No. 6—Dikoya.

North : From the western extremity of the southern limit of Electoral Division No. 5 eastwards along the said limit and southern limit of Electoral Division No. 4 to the centre of Dik Oya.

East : From the last-mentioned point southwards along the centre line of Dik Oya to a point on the southern limit of the Urban Council area in line with the southern boundary of Dikoya Estate.

South : From the last-mentioned point westwards along the southern limit of the Urban Council area to its western extremity.

West : From the last-mentioned point northwards along the western limit of the Urban Council area to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Electoral Division No. 7—Darawala.

North and East : From a point on the eastern limit of the Urban Council area 100 feet north of the centre of the bridge on Bathford Valley road eastwards along the said limit to its southern extremity.

South : From the last-mentioned point north-westwards and southwards along the southern limit of the Urban Council area to the centre of the confluence of Darawala Oya and Dik Oya.

West : From the last-mentioned point northwards along the centre line of Dik Oya to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

L. D.—B. 97/31. M. L. A.—A. 823.

THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE.

Order under Sections 21 and 30.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by sections 21 and 30 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Order—

(1) revoke, subject to the provisions of paragraph (4), the Order relating to the number of members of the Chilaw Urban Council published in *Gazette* No. 7,861 of June 19, 1931, and the Order relating to the number and limits of the electoral divisions of the town of Chilaw published in that *Gazette*, as amended by Order published in *Gazette* No. 8,606 of April 26, 1940 ;

(2) order under section 30 that, subject to the provisions of paragraph (4), the Chilaw Urban Council shall consist of nine members and the town of Chilaw shall be divided into nine electoral divisions with the limits defined in the Schedule hereto ;

(3) order under section 21 that, for the purposes of the general election of the members of the Chilaw Urban Council to be held next after the date hereof and for the purposes of the application of the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance in any matter relating or incidental to or connected with that election, the order set out in paragraph (2) shall be deemed to be operative on any day, prior to the day specified in paragraph (4), on which it may be necessary that that order should be so operative ; and

(4) declare that the provisions of paragraphs (1) and (2) shall come into effect on the day immediately following the date of expiration of the term of office of the members of the Chilaw Urban Council who are in office at the date hereof.

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

Colombo, 9th February, 1944.

Schedule.

Electoral Divisions of the Town of Chilaw.

Division No. 1—Wattakkaliya.

North : From a point at the northern limit of the Urban Council area on the western edge of the Matti-Odai Bridge over the Canal south-eastwards along the northern limit of the Urban Council area upto the north-eastern corner of lot 1 in T. S. Sheet No. 1 6/59 2.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards along the northern limit of Urban Council area upto the centre of Puttalam Road, thence along the centre line of the said road to the centre of the junction with Moor Street.

South : From the last mentioned point westwards along the centre line of Moor Street to the centre of the junction with Alutwatta Road.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the centre line of Alutwatta Road and Canal Road to the centre of the Bridge over Watttakkaliya Odai, thence westwards along the centre line of the said bridge and Wattakkaliya Odai, to the centre of the Lake, thence north-wards along the centre line of the Lake to a point in prolongation of the western bank of the Canal, thence again northwards along the said prolongation and western bank of the Canal to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Division No. 2—Ichchampitiya.

North : From a point on the northern limit of the Urban Council area at the south-eastern corner of lot 1 in T. S. Sheet 1 6/59 4 eastwards along the northern limit of the Urban Council area to its eastern extremity.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards and south-westwards along the eastern limit of the Urban Council area to the centre of Kurunegala Road.

South : From the last mentioned point westwards along the centre line of Kurunegala Road, thence northwards along Kachcheri Road, Court Road and Jetty Street to the centre of the junction with Moor Street.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the centre line of Moor Street to the southern limit of Division No. 1, thence eastwards and northwards along the southern and eastern limits of the said division to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Division No. 3—Alutwatta.

North : From a point on the western limit of Division No. 1 at the centre of the Lake north-west of lot 21 in T. S. Sheet 1 6/59 3 west south-eastwards along the said limit to the centre of the Bridge over Wattakkaliya Odai.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards and eastwards along the western and southern limits of Division No. 1 till it meets the western limit of Division No. 2, thence southwards along the said limit to its southern extremity, thence eastwards along the southern limit of Division No. 2 to the centre of the junction of Jetty Street and Fort Road, thence southwards along the centre line of Fort Roadto the centre of the junction with Bridge Street.

South : From the last mentioned point westwards along the centre line of Bridge Street to the centre of the junctin with St. Mary's Street, thence northwards along the centre line of St. Mary's Street to the centre of the junction with Jetty Street, thence westwards along the centre line of Jetty Street to the centre of the junction with Lake Road, thence a line drawn due west across the Railway Line to the centre of the Lake.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the centre line of the Lake to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Division No. 4—Sea Beach.

North : From the western extremity of the northern limit of the Urban Council area southwards along the said limit to the eastern edge of the Lake.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards along northern limit of Urban Council area to the western bank of the Canal and thence to the centre of the Lake, thence along the centre line of the Lake to a point in prolongation with the southern boundary of lot 146 in T. S. Sheet 1 11/3 3 East, thence eastwards along the said prolongation to the eastern limit of the Urban Council area, thence southwards along the said limit to its southern extremity.

South : From the last mentioned point westwards along the southern limit of the Urban Council area to its western extremity.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the western limit of the Urban Council area to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Division No. 5—Cathedral.

North : From the western extremity of the southern limit of Division No. 3 eastwards along the said limit to the centre of the junction of Jetty Street and St. Mary's Street.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards along the centre line of St. Mary's Street, 2nd Cross Street, and Pitipana Road to the centre of the junction with the Lane to the north of lot 78 in T. S. Sheet No. 1 11/3 1 West. (Inset No. 2.)

South : From the last mentioned point westwards along the centre line of the Lane till it meets the Lake Road and thence a line drawn due west across the said road and the Railway Line to the centre of the Lake.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the centre line of the Lake to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Division No. 6—Bazaar.

North : From a point at the centre of the junction of Bridge Street and 2nd Cross Street eastwards and northwards along the southern and eastern limits of Division No. 3 and again eastwards along southern limit of Division No. 2 to the centre of the junction of Court Road and the Lane south of lot 244 in T. S. Sheet 1 11/3 1 East .

East : From the last mentioned point southwards along the southern line of Division No. 2 to the centre of the junction of Corea Avenue and Kurunegala Road.

South : From the last mentioned point westwards along the centre line of Corea Avenue to the centre of the junction with Sea Street.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the centre line of Sea Street, Bazaar Street and 2nd Cross Street to the starting point of the northern limit of the division

Division No. 7—Pitipana.

North : From the western extremity of the southern limit of Division No. 5 eastwards and northwards along the southern and eastern limits of the said division and eastwards along the western limit of Division No. 6 to the centre of the junction of Sea Street and Bazaar Street.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards along the centre line of Sea Street to the centre of the junction of the Lane south of lot 9 in Inset No. 5, T. S. Sheet 1 11/3 3 East, thence westwards and southwards along the centre line of the said lane to the centre of the junction of Ferry Street, thence across Ferry Street to the centre of the approach road to the Public Latrine thence southwards along the centre line of the said road to its southern end, thence a straight line drawn south-westwards to the northern end of St. James Church Circular Road.

South : From the last mentioned point a line drawn due west to the centre of the lake.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the centre line of the Lake to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Division No. 8—St. James'

North : From a point at the centre of the junction of Sea Street and Corea Avenue eastwards along the southern limit of Division No. 6 to the centre of the junction of the said Avenue and Colombo Road.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards along the centre line of Colombo Road to the eastern limit of Urban Council area.

South : From the last mentioned point westwards and north-westwards along the eastern limit of Urban Council area to the edge of the Lake, thence a line drawn due west to the centre of the Lake.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the centre line of the Lake to the southern limit of Division No. 7, thence eastwards along the said limit to its eastern extremity, thence northwards along the eastern limit of the said division to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

Division No. 9—Munneswaram.

North : From a point on the centre of the junction of Colombo Road and Kurunegala Road eastwards along the southern limit of Division No. 2 to the eastern limit of the Urban Council area.

East : From the last mentioned point southwards along the eastern limit of Urban Council area to the landmark at the eastern corner of lot 8 in T. S. Sheet 1 11/3 4 West.

South : From the last mentioned point westwards along the eastern limit of Urban Council area to the eastern limit of Division No. 8.

West : From the last mentioned point northwards along the eastern limit of Division No. 8 to the starting point of the northern limit of the division.

L. D.—B. 13/44. G. O.—N. 31.

COMMISSION.

By His Excellency Sir ANDREW CALDECOTT, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Territories and Dependencies thereof.

A. CALDECOTT.

TO NORMAN EDWARD WEERASOORIA, Esquire, K.C.

GREETING.

WHEREAS I have deemed it necessary to issue a Commission to inquire into and report upon the matters hereinafter mentioned upon which information is, in my opinion, necessary :

Know Ye that I, ANDREW CALDECOTT, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British

Empire, Governor in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Territories and Dependencies thereof, reposing great trust and confidence in your prudence, ability and fidelity, do by these presents nominate, constitute and appoint you, the said NORMAN EDWARD WEERASOORIA to be my Commissioner for the purpose of inquiring into and reporting upon—

(a) the cause or causes that led to the outbreak of fire at the Ragama Branch Hospital on the 25th day of January, 1944;

(b) the question whether there was any deliberate act of mischief or any neglect of duty which led to the outbreak of fire, and, if so, what person or persons were guilty thereof;

(c) the question whether the arrangements at the Hospital for dealing with the emergency caused by such an outbreak of fire were adequate, and, if not, in what respects they should be improved;

(d) the question whether contact was established with the fire service authorities without undue delay by the officer or officers responsible for so doing, and, if not, what the reasons were for the delay;

(e) the number of deaths, the extent of personal injury, the damage to and loss of private property, and the damage to and destruction of buildings, caused directly or indirectly by the fire; and

(f) the question whether such deaths, injury, damage, loss or destruction can in any way be ascribed to the negligence of any officer or officers after the outbreak of the fire, and, if so, the nature and extent of the responsibility of such officer or officers.

And I hereby authorise and empower you to hold all such inquiries and make all such investigations into the aforesaid matters as may appear to you to be necessary; and I do hereby require you to transmit to me a report thereon under your hand as early as possible.

And I do hereby require and direct all public officers and other persons, to whom you may apply for assistance or information for the purposes of this inquiry, to render all such assistance or furnish all such information as may properly be rendered or furnished in that behalf.

Given at Colombo, under the Seal of this Island, the Fifteenth day of February, 1944.

By His Excellency's command,

H. A. C. DOBBS,
Acting Secretary to the Governor.

A. 71/39

THE INDIAN IMMIGRANT LABOUR ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 111).

IT is notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by section 9 (1) of the Indian Immigrant Labour Ordinance (Chapter 111), has been pleased to appoint Mr. C. H. Bois to be a member of the Board of Indian Immigrant Labour with effect from December 17, 1943, in place of Mr. R. Mann who has resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 12, 1944. ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

N. 32/42

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the Regulations published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* of January 26, 1934, to grant the Efficiency Medal (Ceylon) and Clasps as indicated, to the under-mentioned members of the Ceylon Defence Force :—

1ST COAST REGIMENT, CEYLON GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Efficiency Medal.

No. 1373 B.S.M., M. Perera.

REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS, CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY.

2nd Clasp.

No. 9177 A/Cpl. A. W. Kelaart.
No. 9362 A/Cpl. A. G. M. Ismail.

1ST BATTALION, CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY.

1st Clasp.

No. 9885 Sjt. G. B. Weerasuriya.

2nd Clasp.

No. 9287 Pte. C. Sealy.
No. 9330 Cpl. G. E. Daniel.

2ND BATTALION, CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Efficiency Medal.

No. 10553 Pte. A. T. Fernando.

3RD BATTALION, CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Efficiency Medal.

No. 11065 C.Q.M.S., H. D. P. Perera.
No. 10552 L/Sjt. J. W. Bird.
No. 10543 Cpl. Y. R. J. Ratnayake.
No. 10550 Cpl. L. F. Deckker.
No. 7422 A/Cpl. B. P. K. Jayawardena.
No. 10535 L/Cpl. B. S. Silva.
No. 10569 L/Cpl. S. Goonesekera.

1st Clasp.

No. 9782 Cpl. A. C. Saheed.

2nd Clasp.

No. 9583 L/Cpl. A. D. Sappideen.
No. 9327 Pte. H. E. Reimers.

4TH BATTALION, CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Efficiency Medal.

No. 10578 C.S.M., T. A. Roche.
No. 10592 Sjt. D. A. de S. Wickremanayake.
No. 8970 Pte. A. M. de Silva.

5TH BATTALION, CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Efficiency Medal.

No. 10590 C.S.M., W. J. de Wass.
No. 10541 Cpl. D. D. C. Vincent.
No. 10536 Cpl. V. R. de Mel.
No. 10538 L/Cpl. H. A. J. H. Perera.
No. 10282 T/L/Cpl. N. Thiagarajah.
No. 10497 Pte. W. H. de Alwis.
No. 10492 Pte. S. Fonseka.
No. 10374 Pte. R. J. Smale.
No. 10568 Pte. N. S. Mendis.

1st Clasp.

No. 10009 C.S.M., A. N. Kitchilan.
No. 9859 Sjt. O. R. Goonesekera.
No. 10005 T/Sjt. A. A. C. W. Jayasekera.
No. 9912 Cpl. T. K. Ambram.
No. 9893 T/L/Cpl. F. A. Taylor.

2nd Clasp.

No. 9236 Sjt. S. C. Wickremapala.
No. 9367 Sjt. J. W. Philips.
No. 9499 Pte. J. C. V. de Cruze.

REGIMENTAL DEPOT, CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY.

Efficiency Medal.

No. 10577 R.Q.M.S., S. H. Jones.

2nd Clasp.

No. 9497 L/Cpl. P. B. Tennakoon.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 9, 1944. ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

N. 32/42

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of the regulations published in the *Government Gazette* of January 26, 1934, to grant the Efficiency Decoration (Ceylon) to Colonel W. G. Mack of the General Reserve, Ceylon Defence Force.

His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo, February 11, 1944. ROBERT H. DRAYTON, Chief Secretary.

L. D.—B. 165/39.

THE TEA CONTROL ORDINANCE.

Notification No. 76.

REGULATION made by the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands under sections 37 (1) (c) and 42 (2) of the Tea Control Ordinance (Chapter 299).

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

Colombo, February 15, 1944.

Regulation.

The Tea Control Department (Gratuity Scheme) Regulations, 1941, published in *Gazette* No. 8,735 of April 8, 1941, as amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 8,827 of December 12, 1941, are hereby further amended as follows :—

(1) in regulation 3, by the substitution in clause (a), for the words " has resigned ", of the words " save as otherwise provided in regulation 4, has resigned " ;

(2) in regulation 4—

(i.) by the substitution in clause (*c*) for the words "work of the Department," of the words "work of the Department; or";

(ii.) by the insertion, immediately after clause (*c*) of the following new clauses:—

"(*d*) who has been or is transferred from the Department to the Rubber Control Department; or

(*e*) who, while in service in the Department, passes the examination for Class II. of the Government Clerical Service and resigns from his post in the Department, to accept a post under the Government,"; and

(iii.) by the substitution, for the words "retirement, termination or transfer", of the words "retirement, termination, transfer or resignation".

L. D.—B. 166/39.

THE RUBBER CONTROL ORDINANCE.

Notification No. 68.

REGULATION made by the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands under sections 58 (1) (*c*) and 61 (2) (*k*) of the Rubber Control Ordinance, No. 63 of 1938.

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

Colombo, February 15, 1944.

Regulation.

1. The Rubber Control Department (Gratuity Scheme) Regulations, 1941, published in *Gazette* No. 8,735 of April 8, 1941, as amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 8,827 of December 12, 1941, are hereby further amended as follows:—

(1) in regulation 3, by the substitution in clause (*a*), for the words "has resigned", of the words "save as otherwise provided in regulation 4, has resigned";

(2) in regulation 4—

(i.) in clause (*c*), by the substitution for the words "work of the Department, may be paid a gratuity calculated on", of the words "work of the Department; or",

(ii.) by the insertion, immediately after clause (*c*), of the following new clauses:—

"(*d*) who has been or is transferred from the Department to the Tea Control Department; or

(*e*) who, while in service in the Department passes the examination for Class II. of the Government Clerical Service and resigns from his post in the Department, to accept a post under the Government";

(iii.) by the ubstitution, for the words "the basis", of the words "may be paid a gratuity calculated on the basis"; and

(iv.) by the substitution, for the words "retirement, termination or transfer", of the words "retirement, termination, transfer or resignation".

L. D.—B. 164/32. M. A. L.—No. A.I. 324/42.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE.

RULE under section 7 of the Irrigation Ordinance (Chapter 312) made by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within each of the irrigation districts of Martime pattus, Vavuniya North and Vavuniya South in the Northern Province, and approved by the Governor by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 14 of that Ordinance.

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

Colombo, 14th February, 1944.

Rule.

The rules made under the Irrigation Ordinance and published by notification dated February 13, 1933, in *Gazette* No. 7,968 of February 17, 1933, are hereby amended in rule 46 by the substitution in paragraph (1) of that rule, for all the words and figures from "provided" to the end of that paragraph, of the following:—

"Provided that, in the Vavuniya North Division, the proprietor of each land shall erect only that portion of the fence which adjoins that land, and no responsiblity for erecting any fence shall be on the proprietor of any land which does not adjoin that fence."

M. A. L.—No. A.I. 19/41.

THE IRRIGATION ORDINANCE.

Scheme for the Improvement of Village Irrigation Works.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance (Ch. 312) approved under section 8 (1) (*b*) at a meeting duly held on April 28, 1941, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Kotamaduna anicut irrigation work in the Badulla 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,
Minister for Agriculture and Lands.

Colombo, February 12, 1944.

Scheme.

1. Name and description of work: Improvements to Kotamaduna anicut, Buttala Division, Badulla District, Province of Uva.

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

Private lands under cultivation ..	67 acres approximately
Private lands not under cultivation	12 acres approximately
Crown lands under cultivation ..	—
Crown lands not under cultivation	—

3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, an anicut and head sluice, deviation channel, 3 channel spills, and bunding a breach in the channel up to the estimated cost of Rs. 8,000 is undertaken by the Government.

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

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

IT is hereby notified that the persons whose names appear in the schedule annexed hereto have been appointed members of the Divisional Agricultural Associations constituted in terms of the report of the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands, approved by the State Council and ratified by His Excellency the Governor.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
Colombo, February 15, 1944.

Schedule.

Colombo District.

HEWAGAM KORALE DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(*d*) *Representatives of Village Committees.*

Hanwella Udugahapattu: Mr. S. R. Gunawardena.
Aturugiriya: Mr. T. S. Goonawardena.
Hanwella Meda: Mr. Ariyadasa Jayawardena.

(*e*) *Representatives of Co-operative Societies.*

Co-operative Union, Pore: Mr. T. J. Jayawardena.

(*g*) *Nominated Members.*

Mr. D. S. Munasinghe.
Mr. D. E. W. Dassanayake.
Mr. H. D. D. Gunasekera.
Mr. D. T. Senanayake.
Mr. K. P. P. Nanayakkara.

SALPITI KORALE DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(*d*) *Representatives of Village Committees.*

Mampe-Kesbewa: Mr. L. D. B. Wanigasuriya.
Udugaha-Palata: Mr. K. D. James Appu.

(*e*) *Representatives of Co-operative Societies.*

Salpiti Korale Co-operative Union: Mr. P. D. W. Gunatilake.

(*g*) *Nominated Members.*

Mr. D. B. Paul Peiris, J.P.
Mr. P. D. W. Gunatilake.
Mr. A. D. Abraham.
Mr. P. D. H. Wijegunawardena.
Mr. M. J. F Jayawardena.

ALUTKURU KORALE NORTH A DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(*d*) *Representatives of Village Committees.*

Otara Palata: Mr. S. R. de Silva.
Talahena: Mr. K. Don Edward.

(g) *Nominated Members.*

Rev. Heenatiyana Dhamaloka Thero.
Mr. S. E. de Silva.
Mr. S. James de Silva.
Mr. H. R. de Silva.
Mr. J. P. de S. Wickramaratne.

ALUTKURU KORALE NORTH B DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(d) *Representatives of Village Committees.*

Minuwangoda-Andiambalama : Mr. Y. D. Wijewardena.

(g) *Nominated Members.*

Mr. W. F. Samaratunga.
Mr. B. C. Perera.
Mr. D. S. Jayasinghe.
Mr. D. J. Jayawardena.
Mr. M. P. de Z. Siriwardena.

Trincomalee District.

KODDIYAR PATTU DIVISIONAL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

(d) *Representatives of Village Committees.*

Sampur : Mr. E. Sathasivam.
Malligaitivu : Mr. M. Chelliah.
Kaddaparichchan : Mr. K. Kanapathippillai.
Toppur : Mr. M. Seilutheen.

(e) *Representatives of Co-operative Societies.*

Mr. Navanamaraicayar Sinnamaraicayar, Mutur.

(g) *Nominated Members.*

Sampur : Mr. P. Thambiah.
Mutur : Mr. A. Abdul Majeed.
Kiliveddy : Mr. K. Kanapathippillai.

L. D—B. 66/38.

THE FAUNA AND FLORA PROTECTION ORDINANCE.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by section 12 (3) of the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Cap. 325), the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands by this notification extends to the 7th day of May, 1944, the period for which the declaration made by the District Warden of the Matale District under section 12 (1) of the Ordinance on the 7th day of February, 1944, and set out in the Schedule hereto, shall be in force.

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

Colombo, 12th February, 1944.

Schedule.

I, R. H. D. Manders, District Warden of the Matale District, do hereby declare under section 12 (1) of the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Cap. 325) the area specified hereunder to be an area within which damage by elephants is apprehended.

A licence authorising the holder thereof to hunt, shoot or kill any such elephant will, on application made to me, be issued subject to such conditions as may be necessary or expedient, free of charge. A licence to capture any such elephant will be issued on payment of a licence fee at the rate of Rs. 50 per animal.

The Kachcheri, R. H. D. MANDERS,
Matale, February 7, 1944. District Warden, Matale District.

Area referred to.

Gangala Pallesiya pattu and Gangala Udasiya pattu in Matale East Division.

C. D. C./F 35.

THE FOOD CONTROL ORDINANCE.

Notification.

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 4 (3) of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132), read with the Defence (Food and Price Control) (Transfer of Powers) Regulations, by me under section 4 (1) of the Ordinance, and published in *Gazette* No. 9,237 of February 11, 1944, have been confirmed by the Board of Ministers on February 14, 1944.

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

Colombo, February 17, 1944.

Schedule.

1. Order No. 68 under section 4 (1) (d) prohibiting the removal from the Customs premises of any rice, paddy, wheat, wheat flour or Kurakkan which is imported into Ceylon, except under permit.

2. Order No. 69 under section 4 (1) (e) assuming control of every granary, warehouse or store in the Chalmers Granaries and the Manning Market in which rice is stored for the purpose of trade.

3. Order No. 70 under section 4 (1) (g) directing the Food Controller to take steps for the allocation of supplies of rice, paddy, wheat, wheat flour and kurakkan to merchants and distributors in certain parts of Ceylon, and to organize and administer a system of rationing such supplies.

THE DEFENCE (CONTROL OF TEXTILES) (No. 1.) REGULATIONS, 1943.

IN terms of Regulation 42 (a) of the above regulations the following notice is published for general information.

S. H. WADIA,
February 14, 1944. Controller of Textiles.

Textiles Control Notice No. 24.

COMMENCEMENT OF LICENSING OF TEXTILES DEALERS IN THE REVENUE DISTRICTS OF MATALE AND NUWARA ELIYA.

1. Under Regulation 16 of the Defence (Control of Textiles) (No. 1) Regulations, 1943, all DEALERS of all classes, including indent and commission agents as well as hawkers in textiles—

(a) whose places of business are situated or who hawk within the limits of the REVENUE DISTRICTS of MATALE AND NUWARA ELIYA, and

(b) who can prove to my satisfaction, under Regulation 17, that they are the proprietors of an ESTABLISHED BUSINESS in textiles IN THE OPEN MARKET in the said areas, and that they carried on business as such DURING THE FIRST WEEK of the month of JANUARY, 1943, are hereby required to make application for a dealer's licence, addressed to:—

The Controller of Textiles,
No. 106, Havelock Road,
Havelock Town, COLOMBO.

(NOT to the undersigned by name)

to reach at the above address not later than 12 noon on Saturday, 26th February, 1944, WITH THE WORDS "APPLICATION FOR LICENCE" WRITTEN CONSPICUOUSLY ON THE ENVELOPE IN THE TOP LEFT-HAND CORNER.

2. In filling up Section 1—Applicant's Affidavit in the Application Form, after giving the name of the Village or Town if there is no Post Office in such village, the name of the Post Office serving the village should also be inserted, so that the post cards of acknowledgment and licences may be correctly addressed for delivery by the Post Office.

3. HAWKERS in the above Districts, when sending their applications should attach to them at least SIX RECEIPTS FOR PURCHASES of textiles by them for a few months immediately prior to January 8, 1943. Such receipts should be SECURELY FASTENED to the application with pins or stitched to it, so that they do not become detached. The applicant's name should also be written on the top receipt, all receipts being pinned together.

4. DEALERS in other Districts will be called upon to apply in due course by subsequent Press Notices, and SHOULD NOT APPLY till so called upon.

5. Dealers within the Revenue Districts of MATALE and NUWARA ELIYA, who commenced to deal in textiles AFTER THE FIRST WEEK OF JANUARY, 1943, are requested to refrain from applying or corresponding about their eligibility for a licence. They are advised to sell out their stocks at regulated prices, and give up their business in textiles.

6. BROKERS in textiles, *i.e.*, those who ran no establishments or held no stocks, but purchased textiles locally from one dealer, and sold them locally to another, are NOT RECOGNISED in the Regulations as dealers and SHOULD NOT APPLY for licences.

7. Applications must be made only in the authorised printed form of "Application for Licence to Trade in Textiles", which may be obtained from the respective Kachcheries on presentation of a ten-cent (10c.) postage stamp. The stamp will be affixed to the form in the space provided for it, and will be cancelled by the Issuing Clerk by signing, dating, and punching it, whereafter the stamped form will be handed to the applicant who should STUDY IT CAREFULLY fill up all the particulars required, and send it by post addressed as indicated in para. 1 above.

8. Receipt of every application will be acknowledged by post cards within 10 days. If a post card does not reach within say 15 days, attention should be invited, giving the date when the application was posted. The correct Postal Address should be given as required in para. 2 above for this purpose.

9. If any dealer in the 2 Revenue Districts mentioned in this Notice has BRANCHES OUTSIDE those 2 districts, particulars about such branch offices or HEAD OFFICES SHOULD BE ENTERED in cage (2) of Section II. of the Application Form, though Applications are restricted in this notice to dealers in the above 2-Districts only, subject to the instructions in para. 10 below.

10. Those dealers in the above 2 Districts who have a Head Office or branch in Colombo Municipality or in Colombo, Kalutara, Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Anuradhapura, Kandy, Batticaloa or Trincomalee Revenue Districts should find out from their Head Office or branch, whether in its application for a licence the branch in MATALE OR NUWARA ELIYA Revenue Districts has already been mentioned in such application in respect of the Head Office or branch in Colombo Municipality or in Colombo, Kalutara, Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Anuradhapura, Kandy, Batticaloa or Trincomalee Districts, and if so, NO fresh application should be sent for the branch in MATALE OR NUWARA ELIYA Districts.

11. HAWKERS, who hawk textiles within the above 2 Districts, but who have already applied for licences in respect of Colombo Municipality or of Colombo, Kalutara, Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Anuradhapura, Kandy, Batticaloa or Trincomalee Districts, also need NOT apply again.

S. H. WADIA,
Controller of Textiles.

Colombo, February 14, 1944.

TRADE DISPUTE, NEUCHATEL GROUP, NEBODA.

IN pursuance of section 8 (4) of the Essential Services (Avoidance of Strikes and Lockouts) Order, 1942, it is hereby notified that a petition presented by the Ceylon Indian Congress Labour Union in connection with a trade dispute arising out of notices to quit issued on (1) Sebastian, Head Kangany, (2) Sinnappan, (3) Arulai, (4) Sandiai, (5) Maria Michael, and the termination of the services of (6) Ponnasamy without notice by the Manager, Neuchatel Group, Neboda, and the refusal of the Manager to attend a conference under the 7-point agreement was referred in terms of section 6 (2) of the aforesaid Order to a Tribunal appointed by His Excellency the Governor under the proviso to section 5 of the said Order.

2. The Tribunal has made an Award dated January 29, 1944, in terms of an agreement arrived at between the parties which is as follows :—

(1) Re *Sebastian*. The Respondent Company is to provide him with a room on Kokhena, in his son-in-law Susapillai's lines, across the river, which he may occupy with his wife and family other than Joachim, provided Joachim is not to come to the estate except for brief periods and those for good reason. The Respondent Company will continue to pay Sebastian a pension of Rs.10 a month and pence money on the Tamil labourers of his gang so many as go on working on this estate. Sebastian is to move from his present house to Kokhena by February 15, 1944. The Company will also pay Sebastian the present arrears of pension.

(2) Re *Ponnasamy, Sengamalam and Bapamma* alias *Bapai*. All these three are to leave the estate forthwith *i.e.*, by the end of this month. The Respondent Company will pay Ponnasamy and Bapai one month's pay. Respondent will endeavour to trade a correct discharge ticket for Ponnasamy, since his present ticket gives various particulars wrong, and if that fails, will issue Ponnasamy a fresh discharge ticket.

(3) Re *Sinnappan, Maria Michael, Arulai and Sandiai and Sengo Kangani and Muthu and Mariai and Sittirasi and Meenatchi and Koothai and Sittapillai and Meera Saib and Katchi Umma*. All these are to leave the estate by the 8th prox. They will be given their discharge tickets and wages due up to the date of expiry of the period in their notice on their calling at the Superintendent's Office to receive them. Mr. Ponnambalam promises that they will peacefully leave the estate.

3. The Tribunal has also entered a finding on the issue of the law which is that the Manager is bound by the 7-point agreement entered into by representatives of the Planting Industries and the Trade Unions.

A. E. CHRISTOFFELSZ,
Controller of Labour.

Colombo, February 15, 1944.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of 3,000 unused cadjans in lots of 500, delivery to be taken at Government Pyrethrum Station, Mahacoodagalla, Brookside.

2. Tenders should be addressed to the Director of Agriculture, Peradeniya, and should reach him by February 25, 1944.

SALE of approximately one hundred tons of Scrap Iron (pieces of old galvanized sheets, tins, &c.) *ex* Steel Rolling Factory. Tenders close at 12 noon on Tuesday, February 29, 1944. For full particulars and tender forms apply to the Director of Commerce and Industries, Times Building, Fort, Colombo, on or before Monday, the 28th instant.

THE Divisional Agricultural Officer, Northern Division, Anuradhapura, will receive tenders for supply of about 20,000 half round tiles of not less than 10 in. by 4 in. to the Government Farm at Hingurakgoda up to 12 noon on March 4, 1944. The rate tendered should be for 1,000 tiles and should include transport to the spot. Tenders should be marked " Tender for Supply of Tiles to Hingurakgoda Farm ", on the envelope.

2. For particulars, apply to the Farm Manager, Hingurakgoda, or the Agricultural Officer, Anuradhapura.

Peradeniya, February 15, 1944. Director of Agriculture.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, General Treasury, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, February 22, 1944, for the construction of Beligamuwa-Nilagama road, Matale.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Assistant Government Agent, Matale, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

The Kachcheri, R. H. D. MANDERS,
Matale, January 28, 1944. Assistant Goverment Agent.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M., on Wednesday, March 15, 1944, for Constructing a Dispensary and Apothecary's Quarters at Mulliyawalai, Mullaittivu.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Vavuniya, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, March 10, 1944, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. Register of Contractors registered for building works.

T. H. LEADER,
Colombo, February 15, 1944. for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, Superintending Engineer's Office, E. D., P. W. D., Badulla, will receive tenders up to 2 P.M., Wednesday, March 15, 1944, for the Supply of Rubble and Metal, on the 2nd mile Roehampton Diyatalawa road.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Executive Engineer, P. W. D., Diyatalawa, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, March 10, 1944.

T. H. LEADER,
February 15, 1944. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS will be received by me up to 12 noon, on Tuesday, February 29, 1944, for the transport of paddy, rice and kurakkan from Purchasing Centres to Central Stores and from one Supply Station to another as ordered by me, and for loading, unloading and stacking of paddy, rice and kurakkan, during the six months commencing on April 1, 1944.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on deposit of Rs. 50 from the undersigned from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

W. HOLMES,
The Kachcheri, Assistant Government Agent.
Hambantota, February 15, 1944.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, General Treasury, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon, on Tuesday, March 14, 1944, for the construction of Rural Hospitals at the following places :—

(1) Dalugama (W. P.).
(2) Ahangama (S. P.).
(3) Alutgamaweediya (W. P.).
(4) Welegapota (Sab.).
(5) Katupotha (N.-W. P.).
(6) Mundel (N.-W. P.).
(7) Galagedera (C.P.) (Tumpane).

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the Office of the Sanitary Engineer, 22, 43rd lane, Wellawatta, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

A cash deposit of Rs. 10 for each Hospital must be made to the credit of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services at the Bank of Ceylon or at any Kachcheri outside Colombo, and the receipt for same produced before any tender form can be issued.

22, 43rd lane, J. W. DE ALWIS,
Wellawatta, February 15, 1944. Sanitary Engineer.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Uva Trading Company, Limited.

THE Twenty-third Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Uva Trading Co,, Ltd., will be held at Mattigatenne, at 5.30 P.M., on Saturday, February 26, 1944.

Agenda.

1. To receive the report of the Directors and Accounts for the year ended December 31, 1943.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect Directors and Office-bearers for the current year.
4. To transact any other business of which due notice may have been given.
5. To appoint Auditors for the current year.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 19 to 26, 1944, inclusive.

By order of the Board,
A. P. CAMAL,
Secretary.

The Watapota Rubber and Tea Estates, Limited.

WHEREAS Miss Enid Gwendoline Tarrant and Tudor Yestin Price, both of England, executors of the last will and testament of Herbert Tarrant, deceased, have applied to the Directors of the above-named Company for the issue of a duplicate certificate in respect of (50) ordinary fully paid shares of Rs. 10 each, numbered 8626/8675 registered in the name of the said Herbert Tarrant, the original of which is represented to have been mislaid, lost or destroyed, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT if within two weeks hereof no claim is made to or no objection lodged with the undersigned the Directors will proceed to deal with such application for duplicate certificate the original of which will be deemed to have been cancelled.

CARSON & COMPANY, LIMITED,
Agents and Secretaries,
The Watapota Rubber & Tea Estates, Ltd.

Colombo, February 18, 1944.

The United Textiles, Limited.

AT the Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company held at 5 P.M. on February 14, 1944, at 18½A, Imperial Bank Buildings, Fort, Colombo, the following resolution was passed as an extraordinary resolution :—

. . . . . .

That the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business and it is advisable to wind up the same and that the Company be accordingly wound up as a "CREDITORS VOLUNTARY WINDING UP" and that Mr. M. N. Sambamurti of Imperial Bank Buildings, Fort, be appointed liquidator for the purpose at a remuneration of Rs. 750 (Rupees Seven Hundred and Fifty only).

. . . . . .

J. S. DANIELS,
Colombo, February 14, 1944. Chairman.

The Dehiowita Rubber Company Limited.

THE Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 24, 1944, to March 2, 1944, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
CUMBERBATCH & Co.,
Colombo, February 16, 1944. Agents and Secretaries.

The High Forests Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 49th Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 28, 1944, at 12 noon.

Business.

1. To read the Auditors' Report.
2. To receive the Report of the Directors and the Accounts for the year ended December 31, 1943.
3. To declare a dividend.
4. To sanction the contribution of Rs. 5,000 to such Services Welfare Organizations as shall be decided upon at the Meeting.
5. To elect a Director.
6. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
7. To transact any other business of which due notice has been given.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 21 to 28, 1944, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
WHITTALL & Co.,
Colombo, February 18, 1944. Agents and Secretaries.

The Torrington Tea Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 25th Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 28, 1944, at 11.30 A.M.

Business.

1. To read the Auditors' Report.
2. To receive the Report of the Directors and the Accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1943.
3. To declare a dividend.
4. To elect a Director.
5. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
6. To transact any other business of which due notice has been given.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 21 to 28, 1944, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
WHITTALL & Co.,
Colombo, February 18, 1944. Agents and Secretaries.

The Drayton (Ceylon) Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 51st Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 14, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Monday, February 28, 1944, at 11 A.M.

Business.

1. To read the Auditors' Report.
2. To receive the Report of the Directors and the Accounts for the twelve months ended December 31, 1943.
3. To declare a dividend.
4. To elect a Director.
5. To appoint Auditors for the current year.
6. To transact any other business of which due notice has been given.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 21 to 28, 1944, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
WHITTALL & Co.,
Colombo, February 18, 1944. Agents and Secretaries.

Auction Sale.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Ernest Henry MacGregor of Colombo, administrator of the estate of Robert Aikman Smith, deceased .... Plaintiff.

No. 413-M. B. Vs.

Mohamed Ibrahim Lebbe Mohamed Mahroof of 183, New Moor street, Colombo .....Defendant.

BY virtue of the commission and decree issued to me in the above action, I shall sell by public auction at 5 P. M. at the spot on Wednesday, March 15, 1944, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 7,690 together with interest on Rs. 6,000 at the rate of 9 per centum per annum from October 1, 1941, till September 4, 1943, and thereafter on the aggregate amount at 9 per centum per annum till payment in full and costs of suit incurred Rs. 277·56 and prospective Rs. 98·59 :—

All that house and ground formerly bearing assessment No. 1277/60 and presently bearing assessment No. 183, situate and lying at New Moor street, within the Municipal limits of the District of Colombo in the Western Province; bounded on the north by the garden of J. L. Perera, on the east by the house of Isboe Lebbe Neyna Marikar, on the south by the New Moor street, and on the west by the house of Uduma Lebbe Isboe Lebbe; containing in extent 14 perches and 97/100ths of a perch (A 0. R 0. P 14 97/100) according to title plan No. 32,804 dated January 12, 1829, authenticated by C. Schneider, Surveyor-General.

For inspection of title deeds apply to Messrs. Gratiaen & De Rooy, Proctors and Notaries, Trinity place, Colombo, or the undersigned—

'Phone : 4985.
20, Ballie street, Fort, Colombo,
J. G. VANDERSMAGT,
Auctioneer and Commissioner.

Auction Sale.

UNDER decree in D. C., Colombo, Case No. 900/M.B. against B. Simona Perera of Boralesgamuwa. Sale on March 15, 1944, at 5 P.M. at the spot. Undivided ½ share of Kahatagahawatta together with the entirety of the tiled house standing thereon situated at Boralesgamuwa in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale ; and bounded on the north by High road to Bellantara, east by land of D. D. de Ruberu and Millegahawatta, south by Bangiyawatta, and west by Esthrakanatta ; containing in extent 3 acres.

W. D. E. ABRAHAM,
282, Hulftsdorp, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale in D. C., Batticaloa, Case No. 487 Testy.

Samuel Nallaretnam Velupillai of Koddamunai, Executor of the late Mr. S. V. Thevanayagampullai, Koddamunai.

Vs.

(1) T. Nallammah, (2) T. Alagammah, (3) T. Pakkiyaretnam, (4) V. Mahesparam (minor), (5) V. Rajendram (minor), (6) V. Thiyagarajah (minor), (7) V. Ramachandra (minor), (8) V. Pathmanathan (minor), by their guardian, the 3rd respondent, (9) T. Kirupairetnam (minor), (10) T. Thirunavukarasu (minor), (11) T. Selvapathy (minor), by their guardian, the 14th respondent, (12) Kandapper Kanakammah, (13) T. Sinnatamby as Manager of Sri Kandaswamy Temple of Araipattai and (14) S. Dharmaretnam ..... Respondents.

UNDER and by virtue of commission issued to me in the above case I shall sell by public auction the elephant and cart at Pattunai estate, in Akkora pattu, Batticaloa, E. P., belonging to the deceased, on March 11, 1944, at 4 P.M. at the spot.

K. MUTTULINGAM,
Commissioner and Auctioneer.

Batticaloa, February 9, 1944.

Application for Enrolment as an Advocate.

I, Joseph Victor Terence de Fonseka, B.A. (Hons.), London, of 16, Mary's road, Bambalapitiya, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as an Advocate of their Lordships' Court.

Colombo, February 15, 1944. J. V. T. DE FONSEKA.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Vaitilingam Navaratnam of Neeraviaddy, Vannarponnai, Jaffna, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said Court.

February 11, 1944. V. NAVARATNAM.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Milton Samarakkody of Vintanappola road, Mount Lavinia, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of their Lordships' Court.

February 11, 1944. MILTON SAMARAKKODY.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Supramaniam Ambalawaner of Puttur East, Jaffna, and presently of 93, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be duly admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said Court.

S. AMBALAWANER.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Nallaturai Edwards of Batticaloa, presently of Dordwyk, 9th lane, Bambalapitiya, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of their Lordships' Court.

February 14, 1944. N. EDWARDS.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Banduwardena Bodinagoda of Bentota, and presently of 77, Cotta road, Borella, do hereby give notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of their Lordships' Court.

Colombo, February 11, 1944. B. BODINAGODA.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Sivaguru Siva-Rajah of Sivasthan, Chavakachcheri, presently of 3, Buchanan street, Bambalapitiya, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of their Lordships' Court.

February 14, 1944. S. SIVA-RAJAH.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Thamotharam Gunaretnam of Atchuvely, Jaffna, presently of 79, New Chetty street, Colombo, do hereby give notice that I shall, six weeks hence, apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of the said Court.

February 14, 1944. T. GUNARETNAM.

Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.

I, Cuthbert Maurice Vernon de Silva, of 4, Arthur's place, Bambalapitiya, do hereby given notice that, six weeks hence, I shall apply to the Honourable the Chief Justice and the other Judges of the Honourable the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a Proctor of their Lordships' Court.

Bambalapitiya, February 16, 1944. VERNON DE SILVA.

APPLICATIONS FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES.

I hereby give notice that I have on July 14, 1943, applied to the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, for the licence shown in the Schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period ending September 30, 1944, in compliance with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.

Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: P. Saravanaperumal, Wellington Theatre, Trincomalee.

Description of licence applied for: Entertainment bar licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Wellington Theatre, Moor street, Trincomalee.

P. SARAVANAPERUMAL,
Manager, Wellington Theatre.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned packages which have been lying in the Customs premises will be sold by public auction on February 29, 1944, from 1.30 P.M. onwards unless previously cleared.

2. All goods sold but not cleared within three clear days after the approval of sale will become liable to the payment of rent at the rates prescribed in the Customs Tariff.

3. A deposit of at least 25 per cent., at the discretion of the officer conducting the sale is payable immediately after the sale of each item. In the event of a bidder not completing payment within three days of the approval of the sale the deposit will be liable to forfeiture.

4. Goods which are subject to import licence will not be delivered unless the purchaser produces the necessary licence from the Controller of Imports.

Kochchikadde Premises.—Ex s.s. "Moses Rogers" of August 18, 1943—A large quantity of loose Jute.

Preventive Office.—174 Piston Rings, 47 fountain pens, 9 wrist watches.

Indian Goods Shed.—

Serial No. 182	..	1 package calendars
Serial No. 64	..	1 case cotton piece goods
Serial No. 71	..	1 case helmets
Serial No. 72	..	1 bundle cloth
Serial No. 73	..	1 bag Holy Ash

Baggage Office.—13 one-gallon tins of thinner, 1 bottle thinner.

Serial No. 3748	..	2 bed sheets
Serial No. 365	..	1 package Seaman's effects
Serial No. 7605	..	1 package Seaman's effects
Serial No. 7683	..	1 watch (broken) and 1 gold ring
Serial No. 1062	..	1 lot electric cable
Serial No. 8196	..	1 bundle hoop iron
Serial No. 7398/7402		5 bags beedi leaves
Serial No. 8175	..	1 Winchester rifle (·32) and 72 cartridges
Serial No. 2619	..	1 camera
Serial No. 6316	..	65 cakes soap
Serial No. 4687	..	1 trunk wooden toys
Serial No. 4623	..	189 boxes cuff links
Serial No. 8931	..	1 fishing canoe

R. L. JONES,
for Principal Collector of Customs.

No. A. 177 (iii.)
H. M. Customs,
Colombo, February 15, 1944.

Customs Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that, subject to the conditions governing Customs Sale, one bundle of beedies and one bag of beedy tobacco will be sold by public auction at the Custom House, Point Pedro, on Monday, February 28, 1944, at 11 A.M.

N. JC. 258,

H. M. Customs, Jaffna, February 14, 1944.

C. BALASINGHAM, for Collector of Customs.

Debarring from holding the Post of Head Teacher.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the teacher whose particulars are given below is debarred from being a Head Teacher for a period of 3 years with effect from March 1, 1944 :—

Registration Number of teacher : P. V. 2742.
Name of Teacher : Mrs. D. A. Ranaweera.
School in which employed at the time the offence was committed : Kg/Udamba Siyambalapitiya S. M. (Priv.) School.
Particulars of Certificates : 1st Class Trained.
Management : Mr. S. H. Ranaweera.
Reason for debarring : Falsification of feeding and attendance registers.

Education Office, Colombo, February 7, 1944.

H. S. PERERA, Director of Education.

Schools attached to Places of Religious Worship.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following school attached to a place of religious worship is under the temporary management of the Director of Education with effect from January 3, 1944 :

Bd/Soragune Temple School.

Education Office, Colombo, February 11, 1944.

H. S. PERERA, Director of Education.

Change of Management.

UNDER the provisions of section 31 (1) of Ordinance No. 31 of 1939, it is hereby notified for general information that upon the recommendation of the Governing Body for C. M. S. Educational Institutions, Proprietor of C/Kotte C. M. S. Girls' English school, Miss R. Opie of Ladies College, Colombo, is appointed as the Manager of the said school in place of the late Miss G. F. Opie.

Education Office, Colombo, February 11, 1944.

H. S. PERERA, Director of Education.

Change of Management.

UNDER the provisions of section 31 (1) of Ordinance No. 31 of 1939, it is hereby notified for general information that upon the recommendation of the Methodist Missionary Society, South Ceylon District, Proprietor of Methodist Schools, the following are appointed as the Managers of schools as given below with effect from March 1, 1944 :—

(1) Rev. C. B. Gogerly, Chapel lane, Wellawatta, will become Manager of Colombo schools in place of Rev. D. J. Bartholomeusz.
(2) Rev. F. S. de Silva, Charles place, Moratuwa, will become Manager of Moratuwa, Panadure and Kalutara schools in place of Rev. G. A. F. Senaratne.
(3) Rev. D. J. Bartholomeusz, Richmond Hill, Galle, will become Manager of Galle-Ambalangoda schools in place of Rev. F. S. de Silva.

Education Office, Colombo, February 7, 1944.

H. S. PERERA, Director of Education.

Change of Management.

UNDER the provisions of section 31 (1) of Ordinance No. 31 of 1939, it is hereby notified for general information that, upon the recommendation of Mr. L. A. M. P. Lankatilaka, Proprietor of Ku/Etampola (Priv.) Sinhalese Mixed School, Mr. L. A. M. P. Lankatilaka is appointed as the Manager of the said school in place of the Divisional Inspector of Schools, N. W. D., with effect from March 1, 1944.

Education Office, Colombo, February 1[illegible]1944.

H. S. PERERA, Director of Education.

Change of Management.

UNDER the provisions of section 31 (1) of Ordinance No. 31 of 1939, it is hereby notified for general information that upon the recommendation of the Governing Body for C. M. S. Educational Institutions, Proprietor of J/Chundikuli Girls' College, Jaffna, the Rev. J. T. Arulanantham of St. John's College, Jaffna, is appointed as the Manager of the said school in place of the late Miss G. F. Opie with effect from January 25, 1944.

Education Office, Colombo, February 15, 1944.

H. S. PERERA, Director of Education.

Harvesting of Paddy in Matale District Emergency Area.

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulation 37, the Defence (Purchase of Foodstuffs) Regulations and the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, I do hereby order :—

(1) that all persons harvesting paddy within the Chief Headman's Division of Matale North and the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Matale East (excluding Pallesiya pattu and the following wasamas in Ambanganga korale :—Pussella, Gurubebila, Kumbaloluwa and Raitalawa) between February 1, 1944, and July 31, 1944, shall give ten days' notice of the harvesting of the crop to the Village Headman of the area in which the paddy field is situated ;

(2) that any owner, cultivator, shareholder or other person having interest in any paddy field situated within the areas mentioned in clause (1) of this order—

(*a*) shall not remove any paddy from the field or the threshing floor until a record of such paddy is taken by the Vel Muladeniya of the area concerned.

(*b*) may remove any threshed paddy thereafter from the threshing floor to his barn or other place of storage situated within the same Chief Headman's or Divisional Revenue Officer's division only on a written pass obtained from the Vel Muladeniya or the Village Headman concerned ;

(*c*) shall retain the paddy in the barn or other place of storage until directions are given regarding its disposal by me or by a person duly authorised by me ;

(3) that permits for the removal of paddy to places situated outside the Chief Headman's or the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division referred to should be obtained from me after making application on the prescribed form.

The Kachcheri, Nalanda, February 15, 1944.

R. W. TENNEKOON, Assistant Government Agent (Emergency).

NOTICE is hereby given that Boralessa Bridge, situated on 26th mile, Toppu-Puttalam Canal, on the Ging-oya Village Committee road, will be closed for all traffic from February 28, 1944, until further notice, to enable repairs to be carried out to the bridge.

A canoe, for the conveyance of pedestrians only, will be provided during the period the bridge is closed for traffic.

Public Works Office, Colombo, February 14, 1944.

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

Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943.

(*Yala 1944*).

IN terms of Regulation 2 (1) of the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, published in *Government Gazette* No. 9,176 of September 27, 1943, I, Benjamin Franklin Perera, Assistant Government Agent, the Proper Authority for the purpose of these Regulations for the Kegalla District, do hereby prescribe March 1, 1944, as the date by which operations for the cultivation of all paddy lands situated within the Kegalla District, shall commence for the Yala season, 1944.

2. All paddy lands within this district on which operations shall not have commenced by the date prescribed will be liable to be taken possession of by me in terms of Regulation 3 of the said Regulations unless adequate cause is shown to me.

The Kachcheri, Kegalla, February 15, 1944.

B. F. PERERA, Assistant Government Agent.

Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance.

I, N. E. Ernst, District Warden of the Kurunegala District, do hereby declare under section 12 (1) of the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Chapter 325), the area specified hereunder to be an area within which damage by elephants is apprehended.

A licence authorising the holder thereof to hunt, shoot or kill any such elephant will, on application made to me, be issued subject to such conditions as may be necessary or expendient, free of charge.

A licence to capture any such elephant will be issued on payment of a licence fee at the rate of Rs. 50 per animal.

February 15, 1944. N. E. ERNST, District Warden.

Area referred to.

Potanegama village in Nikawagampaha korale, Hiriyala hatpattu.

Bounded as follows:—

North: Boundary of Mudiyannegalawewa in Wanni hatpattu.

South: Village boundaries of Karagassewa and Galgiriya Konwewa.

East: Village boundaries of Bulnewa, Taranagolla, Palu gassewa and Weerasangiliyagama.

West: Galgiriyakanda.

I, R. H. D. Manders, District Warden of the Matale District, do hereby declare, under section 12 (1) of the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Cap. 325), the area specified hereunder to be an area within which damage by elephants is apprehended.

A licence authorising the holder thereof to hunt, shoot or kill any such elephant will, on application made to me, be issued subject to such conditions as may be necessary or expedient, free of charge. A licence to capture any such elephant will be issued on payment of a licence fee at the rate of Rs. 50 per animal.

The Kachcheri, Matale, February 7, 1944. R. H. D. MANDERS, District Warden.

Area referred to.

Gangala Pallesiya pattu and Gangala Udasiya pattu in Matale East Division.

Internal Purchase Scheme.

Harvesting of Paddy in Chief Headmen's Divisions of Kandy Gravets, Tumpane, Harispattu, Patahewaheta and Udunuwara and Yatinuwara of the Kandy Revenue District and the Chief Headman's Division of Udahewaheta of the Nuwara Eliya Revenue District.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulation 37, and the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 9,176 of September 27, 1943, I do hereby direct that no cultivator, owner, shareholder, or other person having interest in any lands cultivated with paddy and situated within the Chief Headman's Divisions of Kandy Gravets, Tumpane, Harispattu, Patahewaheta and Udunuwara and Yatinuwara of the Kandy Revenue District and the Chief Headman's Division of Udahewaheta of the Nuwara Eliya Revenue District, shall remove any paddy from such lands or the threshing floors appurtenant thereto until a record of the paddy crops have been taken by the Village Headmen or other officer authorised by me in writing.

2. After a record of such paddy is taken the persons entitled to a share of paddy may remove their paddy to their barns or places of storage on a written pass obtained from the Village Headman.

3. For removal of paddy outside a Chief Headman's or Divisional Revenue Officer's Division a permit should be obtained from the Kachcheri, Kandy.

Kandy, February 9, 1944. J. W. H. O'REGAN, Assistant Government Agent (Emergency).

Internal Purchase Scheme.

Harvesting of Paddy in Matale District.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulation 37, the Defence (Purchase of Foodstuffs) Regulations and the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, published in the *Government Gazette* No. 9,176 of September 27, 1943, I do hereby direct that no cultivator, owner, shareholder or other person having interest in any lands cultivated with paddy and situated within the Matale Pallesiya pattu and Pussella, Gurubebila, Kumbaloluwa and Raitalawa wasamas in Ambanganga korale in Matale East division and the whole of Matale South division of the Matale Revenue District, shall remove any paddy from such lands or the threshing floors appurtenant thereto until a record of the paddy crops has been taken by the Village Headman or other officer authorised by me in writing.

2. After a record of such paddy is taken the persons entitled to a share of paddy may remove their paddy to their barns or places of storage on a written pass obtained from the Village Headman.

3. For removal of paddy outside the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Matale East from the above-mentioned Headquarters Area of Matale East or the Chief Headman's division of Matale South a permit should be obtained from the Kachcheri, Matale.

The Kachcheri, Matale, February 15, 1944. R. H. D. MANDERS, Assistant Government Agent.

Danger of Rabies.

NOTICE is hereby given that as there is a danger of rabies in Nuwara Eliya District in the Central Province, the said area is hereby proclaimed from January 1, 1944, under the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333).

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

This notice shall remain in force till June 30, 1944.

The Kachcheri, Nuwara Eliya, February 8, 1944. R. M. G. MONYPENNY, Assistant Government Agent.

Rabies.

NOTICE is hereby given that as I am satisfied that there is a danger of rabies in the rural area of the Ratnapura District the whole district outside the Ratnapura Urban Council area is hereby proclaimed from February 11, 1944, under section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333).

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

The Kachcheri, Ratnapura, February 11, 1944. E. R. SUDBURY, Government Agent.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Regulation 7 of the Defence (Purchase of Foodstuffs) Regulations, 1942, as amended by Regulation 6 of the Regulations published in the *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,077 dated February 3, 1943, I hereby request every person who proposes to remove the whole or a portion of the crop of any field situated in the Four Gravets, Wellaboda pattu, Gangaboda pattu and Kandaboda pattu in the Matara District, from the Chief Headman's Division in which that field is situated to any other Chief Headman's Division to furnish me within six weeks of the publication of this notice all the particulars asked for in Form D. F. C. 34, copies of which can be obtained from my office.

It should be carefully noted that it is an offence not to comply with this order. Further, if no application is made as requested all stocks of paddy are liable to be requisitioned under the Internal Purchase Scheme.

Form D. F. C. 34 is the usual form that has to be filled before permits to transport rice or paddy are given and the information is being requested in advance so that everything possible may be done to verify the information given in the form and to expedite the issue of the permits.

The Kachcheri, Matara, February 15, 1944. H. JINADASA, Assistant Government Agent.

School of Agriculture, Peradeniya.

APPLICATIONS for admission to the Two Years' Course for the Certificate of the School will close on March 15, next.

Further particulars from the—

Peradeniya, February 16, 1944. Principal.

Auction Sale of Empty Second-hand Colas Drums.

650 empty second-hand Colas drums will be sold by public auction at the Oil Installation, Kolonnawa pump-house grounds, on Thursday, February 24, 1944, at 2 P.M.

Colombo Port Commission, Colombo, February 16, 1944. A. VANLANGENBERG, for Chairman.

Cancellation of the Registration of Place of Worship for Solemnization of Marriages.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Marriage Registration Ordinance (Chapter 95), I, Richard Bryant Naish, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the registration of the under-mentioned building, which is no longer used as a place of public Christian worship for the solemnization of marriages therein, is cancelled.

Number: 581.

Date of Registration: January 4, 1938.

Description: Sunny Side.

Situation: Lady McCallum's Drive, Hewa Eliya in Nuwara Eliya Four Gravets of the Nuwara Eliya District.

Minister, or Proprietor, or Trustee: Rev. J. N. Philip, Minister.

Religious denomination on whose behalf the building is registered: The Apostolic Church.

Registrar-General's Office, Horetuduwa, Moratuwa, February 12, 1944. R. B. NAISH, Registrar-General.

BT/L479/900

The Co-operative Societies Ordinance, No. 16 of 1936.

Closure of Liquidation Proceedings of Co-operative Societies.

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 44 (2) of Ordinance No. 16 of 1936 that the liquidation of the Jaffna Co-operative Central Stores, Ltd., was closed on February 8, 1944.

Colombo, February 9, 1944. S. C. FERNANDO, for Registrar, Co-operative Societies.

In the Matter of Nalim of Company, Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938.

WHEREAS there is reasonable cause to believe that Nalim & Co., Ltd., a Company incorporated on September 21, 1939, under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance, No. 51 of 1938, is not carrying on business or in operation.

And whereas notice was published in *Gazette* No. 9,159 of August 20, 1943, that the name of Nalim & Co., Ltd., would at the expiration of three months from that date be struck off the register, unless cause was shown to the contrary.

And whereas Nalim & Co., Ltd., 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 Nalim & Co., Ltd., was on November 9, 1943, struck off the register of companies and that the said Company is hereby dissolved.

E. C. PAUL, Registrar of Companies.

Office of the Registrar of Companies, Department of Commerce and Industries, Colombo, February 10, 1944.

Survey Department, Ceylon.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Mechanic in the Survey Department Instrument Repair Workshop.

2. Applicants must be natural born British subjects of Ceylonese descent. They should have a fair knowledge of English and have had a training in Workshop Practice at the Ceylon Technical College or in any other recognized Workshop, and be capable of attending to repairs of clocks and the adjustment of delicate scientific instruments. Applications from candidates already in Government Service should be forwarded through the Heads of their Departments.

3. The appointment is in the fixed non-pensionable grade and the salary attached to the post is Rs. 480 per annum rising by annual increments of Rs. 36 to Rs. 1,128. War allowance will be paid. No rent allowance is payable unless the candidate holds an appointment under the Ceylon Government and was appointed before June 1, 1934. Leave and other conditions of service will be as recommended in Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934.

4. The appointment will be on one year's probation in the first instance, and the selected candidate, if not already in the service, will have to pass a medical examination.

5. Applications with copies (not originals) of testimonials should reach this office before noon, February 28, 1944.

Surveyor-General's Office, Branch C., Colombo, February 11, 1944. R. J. JOHNSTON, Surveyor-General.

TRADE MARK NOTIFICATIONS.

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

(1) Trade Mark No. 8,341. (2) Date of Receipt: January, 19, 1944. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): THE URILLAC CO., LIMITED (a British Company), Mount Vernon, Rawdon, near Leeds, Yorkshire, England; manufacturing chemists. (4) Address for service in the Island: C/o Julius & Creasy, Fort, Colombo. (5) Class: 3. (6) Goods: Chemical substances, prepared for use in medicine and pharmacy. (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

URILLAC.

R. B. NAISH, Registrar of Trade Marks,

Registrar-General's Office, Horetuduwa, Moratuwa, February 10, 1944.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

The following specification has been accepted:—

No. 3,229 of June 16, 1943.

Stephen Towers Clarke.

"Improvements in or relating to the fermentation of beer".

Abstract.—The specification refers to improvements in the fermentation of beer. According to the invention, fermentation takes place under pressure in a closed vessel fitted with a dome shaped cover and an outlet pipe. The end of the pipe is fitted with a nipple or other pressure controlling device, and is connected to the top of an yeast back, situated above the fermenting vessel, and normally in communication with the atmosphere through an outlet valve.

As fermentation proceeds, yeast is forcibly ejected through the nipple into the yeast back. When clean yeast starts to issue from the nipple, the dirty head and impurities are washed away leaving the yeast back clean for the collection and storing of pitching yeast. The yeast drainings may be returned to the fermenting vessel by means of a pipe provided for the purpose.

There are 7 claims and 2 sheets of drawings.

Patent Office, Rajagiri, February 11, 1944. R. H. PAUL, Registrar of Patents.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL. RC.

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 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 cost, be duly paid.

The Municipal Office, Colombo, February 16, 1944.

TUDOR V. PERERA, for Municipal Commissioner.

Schedule.

For 3rd quarter, 1941, to 3rd quarter, 1943.—On March 17, 1944: Premises Nos. 107/79–85, Fransewatta lane, and 670/1, Alutmawatta road.

For 3rd quarter, 1942, to 3rd quarter, 1943.—On March 17, 1944: Premises Nos. 702/24–25, Alutmawatta road.

For 2nd quarter, 1943.—On March 18, 1944: Premises Nos. 212/16–39, Gas Works street.

KANDY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Proclamation under Section 10A (1) of the Rabies Ordinance, 1893.

THE area within the Municipal Limits of Kandy is hereby proclaimed under section 10A (1) of the "Rabies Ordinance, 1893," as an area within which there is danger of rabies, and the public are hereby warned that any dog found in any place or road, or any place other than a private building, compound or garden within the Municipal Limits of Kandy, not being tied up or led, will be destroyed forthwith by any person authorised by me in writing.

Kandy, February 11, 1944.

W. GOPALLAWA, Municipal Commissioner.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

DEHIWALA-MOUNT LAVINIA URBAN COUNCIL.

True Account of Revenue and Expenditure during the Year 1943.

REVENUE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
A.—General revenue :—		
(1) Property rate ..	121,877 94	
(2) Acreage tax ..	—	
(3) Vehicles and animals tax ..	2,631 0	
(4) Licence duties ..	44,325 92	
(5) Other taxes ..	—	
(6) Refund of stamp duties ..	3,020 0	
(7) Refund of liquor licences ..	957 0	
(8) Compensation for opium revenue	—	
(9) Fines by court ..	936 34	
(10) Auctioneers' and Brokers' licences	50 0	
(11) Interest	331 11	
(12) Sale of old stores ..	107 64	
(13) Refund of overpayments ..	928 80	
(14) Miscellaneous	2,550 76	
(15) Warrant costs	4,475 74	
		182,192 25
B.—Thoroughfares :—		
(1) Subsidy in lieu of labour tax ..	11,068 20	
(2) Other collections ..	585 42	
		11,653 62
C.—Resthouses and ambalams :— ..	—	—
D.—Council lands and buildings :—		
(1) Rents	1,373 46	
(2) Sale of produce ..	216 20	
(3) Rents Housing Scheme ..	5,953 50	
(4) Rents Slum Clearance Scheme ..	949 0	
		8,492 16
E.—Public health :—		
(1) General—		
(a) Fines	—	
(b) Fees for services of midwife ..	—	
(c) Grant maternity home ..	900 0	
		900 0
(2) Scavenging—		
(a) Fees	—	
(b) Sale of refuse ..	7 50	
(c) Fines on contractors and labourers	38 0	
		45 50
(3) Conservancy—		
(a) Fees	3,054 27	
(b) Sale of refuse ..	—	
(c) Fines on contractors and labourers	140 50	
		3,194 77
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—		
(a) Fees	—	
(b) Sale of refuse ..	—	
		—
(5) Water supply—		
(a) Water rates	—	
(b) Private water service fees ..	—	
		—
(6) Hospitals—		
(a) Contributions from Government ..	—	
(b) Rent of hospital grounds ..	—	
		—
(7) Markets and galas—		
(a) Rents	2,880 0	
(b) Boutiques and stalls ..	4,798 57	
(c) Fees for private markets ..	—	
(d) Licences	—	
(e) Grain store rents ..	—	
		7,678 57
F.—Public recreation :—		
(1) Rents	—	
(2) Cattle grazing fees ..	—	
(3) Licences for public performances	119 50	
		119 50
G.—Cemeteries :—		
(1) Fees	335 50	
(2) Hire of hearse ..	—	
(3) Graves sold for erecting monuments	1,193 50	
		1,529 0
H.—Dog registration :—		
(1) Registration fees ..	401 0	
(2) Fines	—	
(3) Sale of dog collars ..	—	
(4) Seizing fees	37 33	
		438 33
I.—Weights and measures :—		
(1) Fees for stamping ..	128 96	
(2) Fines	—	
		128 96
J.—Electricity Department :—		
(1) Sale of current ..	144,136 2	
(2) Rent of meters ..	11,524 45	
(3) Works executed for customers ..	4,688 40	
(4) Miscellaneous	2,846 32	
		163,195 19
K.—Fire protection :—		
(1) Fees	—	
		—
L.—Supply of fruit trees :— ..	—	—
M.—Reading room :— ..		
(1) Subscriptions	—	
		—
MM.—War emergency measures :—		
(1) Contributions by Central Government for—		
(a) Civil Defence measures ..	—	
(b) Evacuation Schemes ..	28 0	
(c) Essential Service Labour Corps	—	
(d) Food Production Schemes ..	—	
(e) Food and Price Control ..	—	
(f) Information and propaganda ..	—	
(g) Relief of distress caused by enemy action ..	—	
(2) Other contributions ..	—	
(3) Profits from Rice and Food Depot advance account ..	7,188 90	
(4) Miscellaneous	—	
		7,216 90
		386,784 75
Other receipts :—		
Deposits		42,095 95
Advances		72,349 16
Damage to roads by Military ..		6,000 0
Fixed deposits		17,000 0
Aided Latrine Scheme ..		236 68
Assisted Wiring Scheme ..		195 68
Advance food control ..		1,001,273 41
Advance currystuffs ..		29,202 24
Advance for evacuation ..		3,732 52
		1,558,870 39
Balance on December 31, 1942 ..		11,954 9
Total		1,570,824 48

EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
A.—General expenditure :—		
(1) Salaries of officers—		
(a) Secretary	4,200 0	
(b) Clerks and Revenue Inspectors	18,767 17	
(c) Peons	1,580 56	
(d) Cost of technical advisers ..	—	
(e) Pensions	376 68	
(f) Assessor	1,800 0	
(g) Allowance to cashier ..	117 0	
(h) War allowance ..	1,735 33	
		28,576 74
(2) Establishment expenses—		
(a) Allowances	2,084 95	
(b) Travelling	3,194 10	
(c) Commission to tax collectors..	3,698 51	
(d) Assessors' fees ..	—	
(e) Legal expenses ..	921 5	
(f) Stationery, printing ..	8,513 42	
(g) Registration of voters and elections	—	
(h) Cost of vehicle, boat and assessment plates ..	3 50	
(i) Cost of audit ..	1,411 7	
(j) Holiday Railway tickets ..	248 42	
(k) War allowance ..	—	
		20,075 2
(3) Refunds	367 81	
		367 81
(4) Contributions and grants ..	352 0	
		352 0
(5) Flood relief	—	
		—
B.—Thoroughfares :—		
(1) Salaries and wages—		
(a) Superintendent of Works { Salary ..	3,681 30	
(a) Superintendent of Works { Allowances ..	871 57	
(b) Overseers	577 19	
(2) Maintenance	28,982 12	
(3) Plant and tools ..	940 60	
(4) Lighting	2,275 50	
(5) Dust laying	—	
(6) Cost of badges and faretables ..	—	
(7) Acquisition } ..	1,757 17	
(8) Improvements }		
(9) Loan charges	1,008 0	
(10) Shade trees	—	
(11) Surveys	233 12	
(12) New works	—	
(13) Cost of cutting down trees ..	11 0	
(14) Town planning.. ..	3,847 0	
(15) War allowance ..	425 40	
		44,609 97
C.—Resthouses and ambalams :—		
(1) Salaries	—	
(2) Maintenance	—	
(3) Furniture and equipment ..	—	
(4) Improvements ..	—	
		—
D.—Council lands and buildings :—		
(1) Wages	1,179 54	
(2) Commission to collectors ..	—	
(3) Rent of office	—	
(4) Maintenance	1,257 14	
(5) Furniture	261 10	
(6) Loan charges	—	
(7) New works	—	
(8) Model Housing Scheme—		
(a) Maintenance.. ..	1,086 58	
(b) Insurance	67 50	
(c) Loan repayment ..	3,740 0	
(d) Assessment	445 64	
(9) Slum Clearance Scheme—		
(a) Maintenance.. ..	340 23	
(b) Insurance	34 50	
(c) Loan repayment ..	1,536 0	
(d) Assessment	79 20	
(10) War allowance ..	173 58	
		10,201 1
E.—Public health :—		
(1) General—		
(a) Salaries (Inspectors and Midwives)	10,450 51	
(b) Allowances	3,328 71	
(c) Uniforms	1,367 50	
(d) Office expenses ..	346 46	
(e) Disinfectants ..	905 44	

EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
(f) Instruments and drugs ..	237 89	
(g) Drainage construction ..	—	
(h) Drainage compensation ..	—	
(i) Expenses of Health Week ..	—	
(j) Hire of ambulance ..	—	
(k) Maternity and child welfare work	11,314 96	
(l) Analysis of milk ..	40 80	
(m) Provision for mid-day meals	—	
(n) I. D. H. Bills ..	163 93	
(o) War allowances ..	811 15	
		28,967 35
(2) Scavenging—		
(a) Wages	10,078 88	
(b) Carts, bulls and lorries ..	4,939 25	
(c) Stores	—	
(d) Incinerator	600 47	
(e) War allowances ..	1,834 70	
		17,453 30
(3) Conservancy—		
(a) Wages	53,043 23	
(b) Carts, bulls and lorries ..	15,419 9	
(c) Stores	—	
(d) Rent of night soil depot ..	180 0	
(e) Maintenance of latrines ..	32 40	
(f) Acquisition	—	
(g) Construction	—	
(h) War allowances ..	14,366 70	
		83,041 42
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—		
(a) Wages	—	
(b) Maintenance	—	
(c) Acquisition	—	
(d) Construction.. ..	—	
(e) Cattle disease ..	—	
		—
(5) Water supply—		
(a) Wages	—	
(b) Stores	—	
(c) Maintenance ..	486 35	
(d) Acquisition	—	
(e) Construction ..	329 58	
(f) Loan charges ..	—	
(g) Commission to collectors ..	—	
		815 93
(6) Hospitals—		
(a) Wages	3,154 50	
(b) Maintenance.. ..	2,584 11	
(c) Paupers	35 50	
(d) Plague	244 71	
(e) War allowances ..	348 70	
		6,367 52
(7) Market and galas—		
(a) Wages	1,359 0	
(b) Maintenance.. ..	946 47	
(c) Printing, &c... ..	—	
(d) Construction.. ..	—	
(e) Compensation ..	—	
(f) Acquisition	—	
(g) Loan charges ..	3,498 99	
(h) Lighting	421 29	
(i) War allowance ..	145 47	
		6,371 22
F.—Public recreation :—		
(1) Wages	1,209 40	
(2) Maintenance	94 25	
(3) Allowance to band ..	—	
(4) Acquisition	—	
(5) War allowance ..	90 5	
		1,393 70
G.—Cemeteries :—		
(1) Wages	2,370 66	
(2) Maintenance	113 0	
(3) Loan charges	640 0	
(4) War allowance.. ..	193 99	
		3,317 65
H.—Dog registration :—		
(1) Destruction of dogs ..	88 25	
(2) Commission to collectors ..	6 28	
(3) Cost of dog collars ..	—	
(4) Fees to seizers	286 7	
(5) Maintenance of dog pound ..	76 5	
		456 65

EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
I.—Weights and measures :—		
(1) Fees to Inspectors ..	—	—
J.—Electricity Department :—		
(1) Generation of electricity—		
(a) Fuel	—	
(b) Oil, waste and engine room store	—	
(c) Salaries and wages at works ..	—	
(d) Purchase of current ..	75,873 18	75,873 18
(2) Repairs and maintenance—		
(a) Buildings	—	
(b) Engines, boilers, machinery and plant	—	
(c) Meters, switches and other apparatus	1,097 5	
(d) Maintenance ..	11,511 53	
(e) War allowance ..	676 4	13,284 62
(3) Service and house connnections—		
(a) Materials	1,398 60	
(b) Labour (temporary) ..	650 26	
(c) Refunds	24 83	2,073 69
(4) Management and general expenses—		
(a) Salaries (electrician and clerk)	7,084 27	
(b) Salaries (outdoor staff) ..	3,696 60	
(c) Printing and stationery ..	1,289 50	
(d) Sundries	3,734 94	
(e) Holiday Railway tickets ..	78 70	
(f) Audit fees	951 48	
(g) War allowance ..	639 28	17,474 77
(5) Loan charges—		
(a) Interest	9,714 49	
(b) Capital repayment ..	14,349 64	24,064 13
(6) Extensions and improvements ..	—	
(7) Depreciation E. L. Scheme ..	—	—
K.—Fire protection :—		
(1) Cost of fire extinguishers refills..	35 0	35 0
L.—Supply of fruit trees ..	—	—
M.—Reading room :—		
(1) Wages	—	
(2) Periodicals	—	
(3) Maintenance	—	—
MM.—War emergency measures		
(1) Establishment charges—		
(a) Salaries and fixed allowances..	—	
(b) Casual travelling expenses ..	—	
(c) Rent of accommodation ..	—	
(d) Office equipment, stationery..	—	
(e) Incidental	—	
(2) Lighting restrictions ..	—	
(3) A. R. P. measures—		
(a) Public shelters and trenches ..	—	
(b) Protection of buildings ..	—	
(c) Wardens' service ..	—	
(d) Rescue service ..	—	
(e) Casualty service ..	—	
(f) First-aid service ..	—	
(g) Canteen service ..	—	
(h) Fire fighting service ..	—	
(i) Emergency repair service ..	—	
(4) Evacuation	—	
(5) Essential Service Labour Corps	—	
(6) Emergency water supply ..	—	
(7) Food production ..	—	
(8) Price control	—	
(9) Relief of distress caused by enemy action ..	—	
(10) Loss from rice and food depots advance account ..	—	
(11) Information and propaganda ..	—	
(12) Miscellaneous	—	—
		385,172 68

EXPENDITURE.		Total. Rs. c.
Other payments—		
Deposits	..	16,503 40
Advances	..	74,501 69
Damage to roads by Military ..	..	5,795 97
Fixed deposits	..	27,375 0
Advance food control ..	..	1,006,706 26
Advance currystuffs ..	..	27,617 45
		1,543,672 45
Balance on December 31, 1943 ..	..	27,152 3
	Total	1,570,824 48

I, Simon Abeywickrama, Chairman, Urban Council, Dehiwala-Mount Lavinia, not being a Christian, do hereby affirm that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above is a true and correct statement of all monies received and paid during the year 1943 on account of the Dehiwala-Mt-Lavinia Urban Council.

S. ABEYWICKRAMA,
Chairman.

Certified to be correct :

ARTHUR J. ATAPATTU,
Member.

Affirmed to before me on this 12th day of February, 1944.

R. SIMON PERERA,
Justice of the Peace.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities for the Year ending December 31, 1943.

LIABILITIES.			Rs. c.
Deposits		..	73,278 52
Reserve for depreciation ..		..	20,000 0
Slum Clearance Scheme balance on loan		..	4 97
Civil Defence work balance ..		..	0 25
	Rs. c.		
Grant on account of damaged roads by Military ..	6,000 0		
Less expenditure ..	5,795 97		204 3
Surplus at December 31, 1942 ..	2,975 59		
Revenue for 1943 .. 386,784 75			
Expenditure for 1943.. 385,172 68			
	1,612 7		4,587 66
			98,075 43

ASSETS.			Rs. c.
Cash and cheques in hand ..		..	2,600 64
Under remittance to Bank ..		..	0 90
Cash at Kachcheri ..		..	783 12
	Rs. c.		
Cash at Bank ..	41,146 17		
Add remittances in transit ..	10,276 54		
	51,422 71		
Less uncashed cheques ..	27,618 21		
	23,804 50		
Less Bank credit not accounted ..	37 13		23,767 37
Fixed deposits ..		..	29,875 0
Advance account ..		..	7,919 22
Aided Latrine Scheme		..	916 31
Assisted Wiring Scheme		..	128 7
Evacuation advance ..		..	339 23
Food control, rice ..		..	27,684 89
Food control, currystuffs ..		..	4,060 68
			98,075 43

I, Simon Abeywickrama, Chairman, Urban Council, Dehiwala-Mt. Lavinia, not being a Christian, do hereby affirm that to the best to my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Dehiwala-Mt. Lavinia Urban Council on December 31, 1943.

S. ABEYWICKRAMA,
Chairman.

February 12, 1944.

Certified to be correct :

ARTHUR J. ATAPATTU,
Member.

Affirmed to before me on this 12th day of February, 1944.

R. SIMON PERERA,
Justice of the Peace.

Loan Account.

Date of Loan.	Amount. Rs. c.	Rate of Interest. Per Cent.	Amount of Annual Repayment. Rs. c.	Amount paid up to December 1943. Rs. c.	Amount Outstanding. Rs. c.	Date of Extinction.
10.12.1930	140,000 0	5	5,833 33	70,000 0	70,000 0	10.12.1955
25. 5.1931	35,000 0	5	1,458 33	16,041 63	18,958 37	25. 5.1956
10.12.1931	10,000 0	5	416 67	4,583 34	5,416 66	10.12.1956
6. 9.1932	10,000 0	5	416 67	4,166 65	5,833 35	6. 9.1957
24. 2.1934	8,000 0	5	400 0	3,600 0	4,400 0	24. 2.1954
29. 9.1934	15,000 0	4	600 0	5,400 0	9,600 0	29. 9.1959
29. 9.1934	15,000 0	4	600 0	6,125 22	8,874 78	29. 9.1959
15.10.1934	15,000 0	4	750 0	6,750 0	8,250 0	15.10.1954
15.12.1934	15,000 0	4	750 0	6,750 0	8,250 0	15.12.1954
15. 2.1935	20,000 0	4	1,000 0	8,000 0	12,000 0	15. 2.1955
1. 9.1936	9,000 0	4	391 30	1,956 50	7,043 50	1. 9.1961
12. 1.1937	10,000 0	4	400 0	2,400 0	7,600 0	12. 1.1962
10. 3.1937	25,000 0	4	1,000 0	6,000 0	19,000 0	10. 3.1962
4. 5.1940	20,000 0	4	800 0	2,400 0	17,600 0	4. 5.1965
	347,000 0			144,173 34	202,826 66	

S. ABEYWICKRAMA,
Chairman.
February 12, 1944.

L. SIMON PERERA,
Justice of the Peace.

MORATUWA URBAN COUNCIL.

(Statement of Actual Receipts and Payments during the year 1943).

(*Published* vide *section 189 (2) of Ordinance 61 of 1939.*)

HEADS OF RECEIPTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
A.—General revenue :—		
(1) Property rate, 173 (1) — Previous years	20,575 80	
(1) Property rate, 173 (1) — Current year	42,588 32	
(2) Acreage tax	—	
(3) Vehicles and animals tax, 175 (1) (*a*)	1,406 0	
(4) Licence duties	18,634 17	
(5) Other taxes, 175 (1) (*c*)	—	
(6) Refund of Stamp Duties (Schedule VI.)	1,957 0	
(7) Refund of rent of foreign liquor taverns	277 0	
(8) Compensation for opium revenue	3,758 0	
(9) Fines by Court (not included elsewhere)	10 0	
(10) Auctioneers' and Brokers' licences	30 0	
(11) Interest	921 81	
(12) Sale of old stores	18 75	
(13) Refund of overpayments	—	
(14) Miscellaneous	16,262 69	
(15) Warrant Costs, &c. — Costs	580 75	
(15) Warrant Costs, &c. — Other	42 75	
(16) Contribution from Electrical Department on account of services rendered by Secretariat staff	2,588 48	
		109,651 52
B.—Thoroughfares :—		
(1) Subsidy in lieu of labour tax	14,716 17	
(2) Other collections, *e. g.*, fines for injuries, &c. (98) cattle seizing fees (104) (2), sale of badges and faretables, &c.	—	
		14,716 17
C.—Resthouses and ambalams :—		
(1) Fees, (61)	1,594 27	
		1,594 27
D.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere) :—		
(1) Rents	6,224 89	
(2) Sale of produce	1,431 10	
(3) Sale of land	—	
		7,655 99
E.—Public health :—		
(1) General—		
(*a*) Fines under Part IV.	169 50	
(*b*) Fees for services of midwife	—	
(2) Scavenging—		
(*a*) Fees 170 (9) (*b*)	15 0	
(*b*) Sale of refuse	18 0	
(*c*) Fines on contractors and labourers	175 50	
(3) Conservancy—		
(*a*) Fees, 170 (9) (*b*)	3,825 80	
(*b*) Sale of refuse (132)	110 0	
(*c*) Fines on contractors and labourers	801 50	

HEADS OF RECEIPTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
(4) Slaughterhouse and cattle pound—		
(*a*) Fees 170 (10) (*a*)	592 25	
(*b*) Sale of refuse	—	
(5) Water supply—		
(*a*) Water rates (143) (*b*), 148	—	
(*b*) Private Water Service fees	—	
(6) Hospitals—		
(*a*) Contribution from Government	—	
(*b*) Rent of hospital grounds	—	
(*c*) Collections in till (free dispensary)	9 49	
(7) Markets and galas—		
(*a*) Rents, 170 (11)	206 64	
(*b*) Boutiques and stalls, 170 (11)	2,424 75	
(*c*) Fees for private markets, 152 (3)	—	
(*d*) Licences, 165 (1)	330 0	
(*e*) Grain store rents	—	
		8,678 43
F.—Public recreation 170 (*b*) 172 (1) (*g*) :—		
(1) Rents	394 81	
(2) Cattle grazing fees	—	
(3) Licences for public performances	162 0	
		556 81
G.—Cemeteries (Cemeteries Ordinance, Cap. 181) :—		
(1) Fees	807 0	
(2) Hire of hearse	—	
(3) Graves sold for erecting monuments	—	
		807 0
H.—Dog Registration (Dog Registration Ordinance, Cap. 334, and Rabies Ordinance Cap. 333) :—		
(1) Registration fees	766 50	
(2) Fines	49 75	
(3) Sale of dog collars	0 25	
(4) Seizing fees	1 55	
		818 5
I.—Weights and measures (Weights and Measures Ordinance, Cap. 127) :—		
(1) Fees for stamping	361 60	
(2) Fines	2 50	
		364 10
J.—Electricity Department :—		
(1) Sale of current	71,719 66	
(2) Rent of meters	8,011 96	
(3) Works executed for customers	2,562 21	
(4) Miscellaneous	439 63	
(5) Refund of overpayments	—	
		82,733 46
K.—Fire protection :—		
(1) Fees	—	
		—
L.—Supply of fruit trees :—	—	
		—
M.—Reading rooms and libraries :—		
(1) Subscriptions	24 55	
		24 55

HEADS OF RECEIPTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
MM.—War emergency measures :—		
(1) Contribution by Central Government for—		
(a) Civil Defence measures ..	—	
(b) Evacuation schemes ..	—	
(c) Essential Service Labour Corps	—	
(d) Food production schemes ..	—	
(e) Food and price control ..	—	
(f) Information and propaganda	—	
(g) Relief of distress caused by enemy action ..	—	
(h) Miscellaneous ..	—	
(2) Other contributions ..	—	
(3) Profit from rice and food depots—advance account ..	10,000 0	
(4) Miscellaneous ..	—	
		10,000 0
Other receipts :—		
Deposits		31,871 99
Advances		16,350 17
Stores advance account ..		—
Fixed deposits		—
Ceylon Savings Bank, securities account		2,293 86
Reserve for depreciation ..		5,624 75
Advances—currystuffs depots ..		211,729 28
Government grant for repairs to roads damaged by military traffic ..		12,000 0
Total receipts		517,470 40

HEADS OF PAYMENTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
A.—General expenditure :—		
(1) Salaries of officers (not otherwise charged)—		
(a) Secretary	3,960 0	
(b) Clerks and Revenue Inspectors	10,267 89	
(c) Peons	1,654 28	
(d) Cost of technical advisers ..	—	
(e) Pensions	1,583 17	
(2) Establishment expenses—		
(a) Allowances (not otherwise charged) ..	2,196 95	
(b) Travelling	1,259 24	
(c) Commission to tax collectors (not otherwise charged) ..	7,057 79	
(d) Assessors' fees ..	1,146 75	
(e) Legal expenses ..	588 80	
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising and office expenses (not otherwise charged) ..	4,663 43	
(g) Registration of voters and elections	—	
(h) Cost of vehicle, boat and assessment plates ..	510 70	
(i) Cost of audit ..	978 93	
(j) Holiday railway tickets ..	—	
(k) Contribution in aid of hospital treatment to Council's officers	—	
(l) War allowance ..	1,321 47	
(m) Settlement of advance—rates misappropriated ..	3,629 97	
(3) Refunds	163 18	
(4) Contributions and grants ..	3,835 0	
		44,817 55
B.—Thoroughfares :—		
(1) Salaries and wages—		
(a) Superintendent of Works } Salary ..	3,007 67	
(a) Superintendent of Works } Allowances	600 0	
(b) Overseers	693 0	
(2) Maintenance	3,666 11	
(3) Plant and tools	152 70	
(4) Lighting	269 20	
(5) Dust laying ..	—	
(6) Cost of badges and faretables ..	—	
(7) Acquisition	—	
(8) Improvements ..	—	
(9) Loan charges	—	
(10) Shade trees	—	
(11) Surveys	71 5	
(12) New works	368 81	
(13) War allowance ..	342 9	
		9,170 63

HEADS OF PAYMENTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
C.—Resthouses and ambalams :—		
(1) Salaries	246 0	
(2) Maintenance	113 0	
(3) Furniture and equipment ..	432 60	
(4) Improvements ..	—	
(5) War allowance ..	43 34	
		834 94
D.—Council lands and buildings (not charged elsewhere) :—		
(1) Wages	605 16	
(2) Commission to collectors ..	—	
(3) Rent of office	—	
(4) Maintenance	712 75	
(5) Furniture	82 78	
(6) Loan charges	7,786 0	
(7) New works	234 45	
(8) War allowance	141 82	
		9,562 96
E.—Public health :—		
(1) General— ..	—	
(a) Salaries (Inspectors and Midwives) and wages ..	8,752 81	
(b) Allowances	3,398 90	
(c) Uniforms	48 75	
(d) Office expenses ..	739 76	
(e) Disinfectants ..	143 15	
(f) Instruments and drugs ..	707 46	
(g) Drainage construction ..	—	
(h) Drainage compensation ..	—	
(i) Expenses of Health Week ..	87 50	
(j) Prevention of epidemics ..	894 48	
(k) Milk analyses	38 9	
(l) War allowance ..	724 83	
(2) Scavenging—		
(a) Wages	14,277 28	
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorries ..	269 50	
(c) Stores	36 60	
(d) Incinerator	—	
(e) War allowance ..	169 4	
(3) Conservancy—		
(a) Wages	33,408 68	
(b) Carts, bulls, and lorries ..	553 25	
(c) Stores	674 80	
(d) Rent of night soil depot ..	—	
(e) Maintenance of latrines ..	21 70	
(f) Acquisition	—	
(g) Construction	—	
(h) War allowance ..	217 31	
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—		
(a) Wages	245 86	
(b) Maintenance ..	109 70	
(c) Acquisition	—	
(d) Construction	—	
(e) Cattle disease ..	—	
(f) War allowance ..	54 8	
(5) Water supply—		
(a) Wages	—	
(b) Stores	—	
(c) Maintenance ..	9 0	
(d) Acquisition	—	
(e) Construction ..	—	
(f) Loan charges	—	
(g) Commission to collectors ..	—	
(h) War allowance ..	—	
(6) Hospitals—		
(a) Wages	—	
(b) Maintenance	—	
(c) Paupers	337 63	
(d) Free Ayurvedic dispensary ..	3,747 77	
(e) Tuberculosis control ..	—	
(f) War allowance ..	182 91	
(7) Markets—		
(a) Wages	988 29	
(b) Maintenance	111 2	
(c) Printing, &c.	—	
(d) Construction	—	
(e) Compensation	—	
(f) Acquisition	—	
(g) Loan charges	—	
(h) War allowance ..	125 5	
		71,075 20

HEADS OF PAYMENTS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
F.—Public recreation, 170 (6), 172 (1) (*g*) :—		
(1) Wages	259 50	
(2) Maintenance	165 45	
(3) Allowance to band	—	
(4) Acquisition	—	
(5) Contributions and grants	145 0	
(6) War allowance	57 34	
		627 29
G.—Cemeteries (Cemeteries Ord. Cap. 181) :—		
(1) Wages	396 75	
(2) Maintenance	1 36	
(3) Construction	125 70	
(4) War allowance	—	
		523 81
H.—Dog Registration (Dog Registration Ord., Cap. 334, and Rabies Ord., Cap. 333) :—		
(1) Destruction of dogs	285 0	
(2) Commission to collectors	—	
(3) Cost of dog collars	123 0	
(4) Fees to seizers	248 26	
(5) Maintenance of dog pound	182 0	
(6) Construction	—	
(7) War allowance	42 57	
		880 83
I.—Weights and Measures (Weights and Measures Ord. Cap. 127) :—		
(1) Fees to inspectors	—	
J.—Electricity Department :—		
(1) Generation of electricity—		
(*a*) Fuel	—	
(*b*) Oil, waste and engine room stores	—	
(*c*) Salaries and wages at works	31,127 30	
(*d*) Purchase of current	—	
(*e*) War allowance		
(2) Repairs and maintenance—		
(*a*) Buildings	30 50	
(*b*) Engines, boilers, machinery and plant	—	
(*c*) Meters, switches and other apparatus	2,623 90	
(*d*) Maintenance of supply mains or transmission lines	1,243 1	
(3) Service and house connections—		
(*a*) Materials	2,425 23	
(*b*) Labour (temporary)	121 24	
(*c*) War allowance	—	
(4) Management and general expenses—		
(*a*) Salaries, &c. (Electrician and Clerks)	4,292 55	
(*b*) Salaries, &c. (outdoor staff)	6,251 69	
(*c*) Printing and stationery	1,396 88	
(*d*) Sundries	2,143 85	
(*e*) Audit and legal fees	1,500 0	
(*f*) Holiday railway tickets	—	
(*g*) War allowance	824 95	
(*h*) Contribution to general revenue towards services rendered by Secretariat staff	2,588 48	
(5) Loan charges—		
(*a*) Interest	6,254 34	
(*b*) Capital repayment	10,804 1	
(6) Extensions and improvements	—	
(7) Reserve for Depreciation	5,624 75	
(8) Refunds	0 93	
		79,253 61
K.—Fire protection :—		
(1) Cost of fire extinguishers' refills, &c.	—	
L.—Supply of Fruit trees	—	
		—
M.—Reading rooms and libraries :—		
(1) Salaries and wages	810 66	
(2) Books, periodicals, &c.	133 82	
(3) Furniture	—	
(4) Maintenance	293 40	
(5) War allowance	131 50	
		1,369 38
MM.—War emergency measures :—		
(1) Establishment charges—		
(*a*) Salaries and fixed allowances	—	
(*b*) Casual travelling expenses	—	
(*c*) Rents of accomodation	—	
(*d*) Office equipment, printing, stationery, &c.	—	
(*e*) Incidental	—	
(2) Lighting restrictions—	—	
(3) A. R. P. measures—		
(*a*) Public shelters and trenches	—	
(*b*) Protection of buildings	—	
(*c*) Wardens' service	—	
(*d*) Rescue service	—	
(*e*) Casualty service	—	
(*f*) First-Aid service	—	
(*g*) Canteen service	—	
(*h*) Fire-fighting service	—	
(*i*) Emergency repair service	—	
(4) Evacuation	—	
(5) Essential Service Labour Corps	—	
(6) Emergency water supply	—	
(7) Food production	—	
(8) Price control	—	
(9) Relief of distress caused by enemy action	—	
(10) Loss from rice and food depots advance account	—	
(11) Information and propaganda	—	
(12) Miscellaneous	—	
Total expenditure		218,116 20
Other Payments :—		
Deposits		30,932 41
Advances		34,429 70
Stores advance account		0 35
Fixed deposits		25,000 0
Ceylon Savings Bank, securities account		2,961 3
Reserve for depreciation		15,360 4
Advances currystuffs depots		179,477 49
Repairs to roads damaged by military traffic		3,400 36
Total payments		509,677 58

	Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1942	44,050 90
Add receipts during 1943	517,470 40
	561,521 30
Less payments during 1943	509,677 58
Balance on December 31, 1943	51,843 72

I, Adrian Christopher Wilfred Peiris, Chairman, Moratuwa Urban Council, do hereby swear that the above is to the best of my knowledge and belief a true and correct statement of all monies received and paid by virtue of Ordinance No. 61 of 1939, on account of the Moratuwa Urban Council, during the year 1943.

A. C. W. PEIRIS,
Chairman.

Sworn before me at Moratuwa this 12th day of February, 1944.

S. LEONARD DE MEL,
Justice of the Peace.

Certified as correct :
B. D. MENDIS,
Member.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

LIABILITIES.			Rs. c.
Deposits			50,115 1
Reserve for depreciation—electric distribution			41,382 83
Housing scheme—slum clearance			13,348 50
Advances—currystuffs depots (excess of income over expenditure)			33,399 46
Grant for damage to roads by military traffic (balance)			8,599 64
Surplus at December 31, 1942		2,237 47	
Revenue for 1943	237,600 35		
Expenditure 1943	218,116 20	19,484 15	
			21,721 62
			168,567 6

ASSETS.			Rs. c.
Advances			22,172 50
Fixed deposits in Bank of Ceylon			75,000 0
Ceylon Savings Bank, securities account			19,550 84
Cash in hand			3,658 7
Cash imprest			150 0
Cash at Bank of Ceylon	56,568 44		
Less uncashed cheques	10,152 30		
	46,416 14		
Add Cheques, &c., sent to Bank but not realized till after December 31, 1943	1,619 51		
		48,035 65	
			168,567 6

I, Adrian Christopher Wilfred Peiris, Chairman, Moratuwa Urban Council, do hereby swear that the above is to the best of my knowledge and belief a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Moratuwa Urban Council on December 31, 1943.

A. C. W. PEIRIS,
Chairman.

Sworn before me at Moratuwa, this 12th day of February, 1944.

S. LEONARD DE MEL,
Justice of the Peace.

Certified as correct :
B. D. MENDIS,
Member.

Rabies.

NOTICE is hereby given that as a danger of rabies exists within the Administrative Area of the Urban Council of Negombo, the said area is hereby proclaimed under the provisions of section 11 (1) and (2) of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333), for a period of six months from January 1, 1944.

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

Council Offices,
Negombo, February 7, 1944.

M. JOSEPH,
Chairman.

Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1944.

The Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939.

IT is hereby notified that the Anuradhapura Urban Council has—

(1) under section 175 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1944, a tax on the vehicles and animals mentioned in the schedule hereto at the rates specified in that schedule, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Anuradhapura Urban Council ; and

(2) under section 176 (3) of the Ordinance, ordered that the said tax shall be payable on or before March 31.

Office of the Urban Council,
Anuradhapura, January 14, 1944.

F. P. SENARATNA,
Chairman.

Schedule.

	Rs. c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, handcart, jinricksha, bicycle or tricycle	5 0
For every bicycle or tricycle or bicycle car or cart or tricycle car or cart :—	
(*a*) if used for trade purposes	2 50
(*b*) if used for other than trade purposes	1 0
For every double-bullock cart or hackery	3 0
For every single-bullock cart or hackery	2 0
For every handcart	3 0
For every jinrickśha	2 0
For every horse, pony, or mule	1 0
For every bullock or ass	0 50

MATARA URBAN COUNCIL.

Statement of Receipts and Payments for 1943.

RECEIPTS.			Rs. c.
Revenue.			
A.—General :—			
Property rate			51,913 52
Vehicles and animals tax			1,505 0
Licence duties			26,951 64
Refunds and grants			5,748 0
Other general revenue			2,580 24
B.—Thoroughfares :—			
Subsidy in lieu of labour tax			6,757 56
Other collections			1,229 0
C.—Resthouses and ambalams			5,063 15
D.—Council lands and buildings			2,687 36
E.—Public health :—			
General			15 0
Scavenging			7 0
Conservancy			104 0
Slaughter-house and cattle pound			407 50
Markets and galas			4,670 2
F.—Public recreation			109 0
G.—Cemeteries			722 0
H.—Dog registration			80 0
I.—Weights and measures			18 80
J.—Electricity Department			72,088 20
			182,656 99
Other receipts :—			
Deposits			28,934 13
Advances			131,157 69
Damage to roads by military transport account			1,000 0
Balance on December 31, 1942			4,239 61
			347,988 42

PAYMENTS.			Rs. c.
Expenditure :			
A.—General :—			
Salaries of officers			11,630 47
Establishment expenses			9,975 11
Refunds			469 1
Contributions and grants			250 0
Expenses in connection with U. C. conferences			795 0
B.—Thoroughfares :—			
Salaries and wages			2,778 0
Maintenance, &c.			12,029 85
Surveys			80 56
C.—Resthouses and ambalams			2,381 77
D.—Council lands and buildings			1,083 71
E.—Public health :—			
General			10,057 94
Scavenging			14,711 30
Conservancy			22,636 56
Slaughter-house and cattle pound			40 50
Water supply			66 0
Hospitals			2,603 95
Markets and galas			4,261 56
F.—Public recreation			3,752 36
G.—Cemeteries			1,521 5
H.—Dog registration			365 90
J.—Electricity Department			77,570 31
MM.—Emergency expenditure			143 93
			179,204 84
Other payments :—			
Deposits			13,660 30
Advances			118,228 62
Balance on December 31, 1943			36,894 66
			347,988 42

I, Wilmot Balasuriya, Chairman, Urban Council, Matara, do hereby affirm that the above is to the best of my knowledge and belief a true and correct account of all monies received and paid by virtue of Ordinance No. 61 of 1939, on account of the Matara Urban Council during the year 1943.

W. BALASURIYA,
Chairman.

Affirmed to, before me at Matara, this 5th day of February, 1944.

A. M. BUHARI,
Justice of the Peace.

Certified as correct :
W. GUNASEKERA,
Member.