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### APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 590 of 1946.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to order the appointment of Mr. C. VAN LANGENBERG, Assessor, as Acting Assistant Commissioner of Income Tax, with effect from August 1, 1946, during the absence of Mr. T. H. BURAH, Assistant Commissioner, on leave, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,  
Chief Secretary's Office,                      ROBERT H. DRAYTON,  
Colombo, August 14, 1946.                      Chief Secretary.

No. 591 of 1946.

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

J 91/46

Mudaliyar J. W. A. PERERA to act as Registrar-General of Lands and of Marriages, Births and Deaths; Visitor of the Lunatic Asylum; and Director, Government Tourist and Publicity Bureau, with effect from August 9, 1946, until further orders.

Mr. D. WALTON to act as Principal Assistant Registrar-General with effect from August 9, 1946, until further orders.

Muhandiram D. P. E. HETTIARATCHI to act as Second Assistant Registrar-General with effect from August 8, 1946, until further orders.

I 73/43

Mr. J. L. STANISLAUS to act, in addition to his own duties, as Commissioner, National Savings Movements, with effect from July 24, 1946, during the absence of Mr. R. Y. DANIEL, or until further orders.

J 112/45

Mr. A. K. J. HENDERSON to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Deputy Commissioner of Labour with effect from August 5, 1946, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,                      ROBERT H. DRAYTON,  
Colombo, August 14, 1946.                      Chief Secretary.

No. 592 of 1946.

N 20/45

C.D.F.—PROMOTIONS, &c., APPROVED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT.

#### Promotions.

To be Lieutenant.

2/Lt. E. L. PEREIRA, C.L.I. with effect from May 1, 1946.

1409—J. N. A 63523-2,251 (8/46)

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To be Temporary Captain whilst holding an appointment in an ESBD.

Lt. S. D. POTGER, C.I.E. with effect from June 15, 1946.

To be Temporary Major whilst holding a Specialist Appointment.

Capt. R. C. J. RUSTOMJEE, C.M.C. with effect from February 9, 1946.

To be Majors.

Capt. (T/Maj.) A. R. McHEYZER, C.G.A., with effect from May 28, 1946.

Capt. (T/Maj.) V. J. H. GUNASEKERA, C.G.A., with effect from May 28, 1946.

Capt. (T/Maj.) R. E. ASERAPPA, C.L.I., with effect from May 11, 1946.

Relinquishment of Temporary Rank and Reversion to Substantive Rank on Release.

2/Lt. (T/Capt.) D. E. PODISEKERA, C.E. attd Ceylon Pioneers with effect from May 15, 1946.

Posting to Reserve.

Lt. M. F. C. PERERA, C.C.B., with effect from July 1, 1946.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,                      ROBERT H. DRAYTON,  
Colombo, August 4, 1946.                      Chief Secretary.

No. 593 of 1946.

N 20/45

C.D.F.—TRANSFER APPROVED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant L. V. BERENGER, Ceylon Engineers, to Ceylon Cadet Battalion with effect from August 1, 1946, and to take seniority next after Lieutenant A. WEERASINGHE, C. C. B.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,                      ROBERT H. DRAYTON,  
Colombo, August 9, 1946.                      Chief Secretary.

No. 594 of 1946.

N 20/45

C.D.F.—RESIGNATION ACCEPTED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant JOHN PULLE, Ceylon Cadet Battalion, with effect from August 1, 1946.

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,                      ROBERT H. DRAYTON,  
Colombo, August 10, 1946.                      Chief Secretary.

No. 595 of 1946.

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

No. J. 8/36.

Mr. M. A. SAMARAKOON to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Colombo, on the 20th August, 1946, to hear D. C. Colombo Partition Case No. 2041.

No. J. 51/36.

Mr. H. D. RATNATUNGA to be, Additional District Judge, Tangalla, Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Tangalla, and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Hambantota, on the 10th August, 1946, during the absence of Mr. ROLAND DE ZOYSA.

No. CJ. 6/46.

Mr. J. F. PHILLIPS to be District Judge, Trincomalee, Commissioner of Requests and Magistrate, Trincomalee, from the 5th August, 1946, until further orders.

No. J. 3/36.

Mr. T. F. BLAZE to be Additional District Judge, Badulla and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Badulla-Faldummulla, from the 29th August, to the 1st September, 1946, during the absence of Mr. L. W. DE SILVA.

No. CJ. 6/46.

Mr. P. SRI SKANDA RAJAH to act as a Supernumerary Judge in Class I Grade III of the Judicial Service and to be an Additional District Judge, Kegalla, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Kegalla, from the 1st August, 1946, until further orders.

No. CJ. 6/46.

Mr. IVOR DE SARAM to be Additional Magistrate, Colombo, Additional Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Colombo, and Additional District Judge, Colombo, from the 5th August, 1946, until further orders.

No. CJ. 6/46.

Mr. N. L. JANSZ to act as Additional Magistrate, Colombo (at Wellawatte), Additional Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Colombo, and Additional District Judge, Colombo, from the 5th August, 1946, until further orders.

No. J. 2/36.

Mr. M. M. I. KARIAPPER to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional Magistrate, Avissawella, on the 6th and 7th September, 1946, to hear M. C. Avissawella Case No. 34877.

No. J. 34/36.

Mr. V. C. MODDER to be Additional Magistrate, Hatton, on the 28th August, 1946, to hear M. C. Hatton Cases Nos. 8483, 8486, 8712, 8784, 8786, 8787, 8788 and 8789.

No. J. 16/45.

Mr. P. M. JAYAWARDENE to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Galle, Additional Municipal Magistrate, Galle, and Additional District Judge, Galle, from the 12th to the 18th August, 1946, during the absence of Mr. N. M. J. RAJENDRAM.

No. CJ. 6/46.

Mr. P. A. DE S. SENARATNE to be Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Balapitiya, and Additional District Judge, Balapitiya, from the 1st August, 1946, until further orders.

No. J. 27/36.

Mr. V. A. ALEGACONE to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Mannar, and Additional District Judge, Mannar, from the 4th to the 10th and 18th to the 24th August, 1946, during the absence of Mr. V. S. GUNewardENE.

No. J. 27/36.

Mr. V. A. ALEGACONE to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Mannar, and Additional District Judge, Mannar, from the 29th August to the 3rd September, 1946, during the absence of Mr. V. S. GUNewardENE.

No. CJ. 6/46.

Mr. F. C. PERERA to act as Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kurunegala, and Additional District Judge, Kurunegala at Dandagamuwa, from the 1st August, 1946, until further orders.

No. J. 12/36.

Mr. O. M. P. PERERA to be Additional Magistrate, Kurunegala, on the 13th August, 1946, to hear M. C. Dandagamuwa Case No. 15209.

By His Excellency's command,

Legal Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, 12th August, 1946.

J. H. B. NIHILL,  
Legal Secretary.

No. 596 of 1946.

No. G. 5/44.

NOTIFICATION No. 855 of 1944 published in *Gazette* No. 9,324 of October 27, 1944, relating to the appointment of Mr. H. A. RODE to be an Inquirer for Hewagam Korale, Colombo District, with effect from the 18th October, 1944, is hereby cancelled.

Legal Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, 6th August, 1946.

J. H. B. NIHILL,  
Legal Secretary.

No. 597 of 1946.

No. G. 5/44.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. MOHAMMED MUJIBUDDIN BURHAN, Proctor, S. C., has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Hewagam Korale, Colombo District, with effect from the 6th August, 1946.

Legal Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, 6th August, 1946.

J. H. B. NIHILL,  
Legal Secretary.

No. 598 of 1946.

No. G. 6/43/6.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. T. B. M. EKANAYAKA has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Sammanturai Pattu, Batticaloa District, with effect from the 9th August, 1946, until the resumption of duties by Mr. M. I. MOHIDEEN.

Legal Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, 9th August, 1946.

J. H. B. NIHILL,  
Legal Secretary.

No. 599 of 1946.

No. G. 15/43/4.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. H. B. HERATH has been appointed, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to be an Inquirer for Yatikaha Korale North and Kuliyaipitiya Urban Council area in Katugampola Hatpattu, Kurunegala District, with effect from the 10th August, 1946, until the resumption of duties by Mr. L. W. A. M. PUNCHI BANDA.

Legal Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, 10th August, 1946.

J. H. B. NIHILL,  
Legal Secretary.

No. 600 of 1946.

No. V. 60/36.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. S. W. EDIRISURIYA, Proctor, S. C., has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, Village Tribunals, Kandaboda Pattu, and Additional President, Village Tribunals, Gangaboda Pattu, of the Matara District, from the 1st to the 10th August, 1946, during the absence of Mr. C. L. PERERA.

Legal Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, 8th August, 1946.

J. H. B. NIHILL,  
Legal Secretary.

No. 601 of 1946.

IN pursuance of the power delegated to Ministers by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR under Article 40 (3) of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, by the notification of June 6, 1932, Mr. J. P. P. JAYAWARDENA, Assistant Secretary to the Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce, has been appointed to act in addition to his own duties as Secretary to the Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce and Clerk to the Executive Committee of Labour, Industry and Commerce on August 6 and 7, 1946, during the absence of Mr. R. COOMARASWAMY, C.C.S.

G. C. S. COREA,  
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.  
Colombo, August 6, 1946.

No. 602 of 1946.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. ARTHUR JOSEPH DEVANAYAGAM NEVINS SELVADURAI to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Colombo and to practise as such in the English language.

G. C. S. COREA,  
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.  
Colombo, August 3, 1946.

## No. 603 of 1946.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. HENRY SILVA TILLEKERATNE to be a Notary Public throughout the judicial division of Galle and to practise as such in the English language.

G. C. S. COREA,  
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.  
Colombo, August 3, 1946.

## No. 604 of 1946.

N 1087/46.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. N. M. YUSOOF, Proctor, S. C., Kandy, has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, Village Tribunals, Yati Nuwara, Pata Howaheta and Udagampaha korale in Pata Dumbara, during the absence of Mr. M. B. E. SENEVIRATNE, on August 8, 12, and 13, 1946.

The Kachcheri,  
Kandy, August 8, 1946.

R. ALUWIHARE,  
Government Agent.

## No. 605 of 1946.

C/G. 95.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, I have appointed Mr. S. SETHAMPARAPILLAI, Clerk, Batticaloa Kachcheri, temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, Village Tribunals, Karavaku and Sammanturai pattus, Batticaloa District, during the absence of Mr. E. D. SOMANADER from August 5 to 9, 1946 (inclusive).

The Kachcheri,  
Batticaloa, August 3, 1946.

R. H. D. MANDERS,  
Government Agent.

## No. 606 of 1946.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. P. B. HETTIPOLA has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, Village Tribunals, Hiriyala hatpattu, during the absence of Mr. G. M. UDALAGAMA from August 12 to 13, 1946.

The Kachcheri,  
Kurunegala, August 8, 1946.

B. F. PERERA,  
Government Agent.

## No. 607 of 1946.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. E. H. GUNASEKARA, Irrigation Clerk, Badulla Kachcheri, has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, V. T., Wellassa-Bintenna, during the absence of Mr. C. B. RAMBUKOTA from August 12, to 14, 1946.

The Kachcheri,  
Badulla, August 8, 1946.

W. HOLMES,  
Government Agent.

## No. 608 of 1946.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. E. H. GUNASEKARA, Irrigation Clerk, Badulla Kachcheri, has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, V. T., Yatikinda-Wiyaluwa, during the absence of Mr. E. S. A. RATNAYAKE on August 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 23, and 26, 1946.

The Kachcheri,  
Badulla, August 8, 1946.

W. HOLMES,  
Government Agent.

## No. 609 of 1946.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR to me in that behalf, Mr. F. W. TALDEN, Proctor, S. C., Badulla, has been appointed temporarily, under section 65 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Cap. 198), as President, V. T., Yatikinda-Wiyaluwa, during the absence of Mr. E. S. A. RATNAYAKE on August 21, 22, and 24, 1946.

The Kachcheri,  
Badulla, August 8, 1946.

W. HOLMES,  
Government Agent.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

L. D.—B. 179/35

No. 1/4/43 (FSO)

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION (TARIFF) No. 46/1.

*The Customs Ordinance.*

IT is hereby notified that the following resolution under section 9 of the Customs Ordinance (Chapter 185), passed by the State Council at its public session on July 16, 1946, and sanctioned by the Governor has been submitted to and sanctioned by the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

By His Excellency's command,

C. E. JONES,  
Acting Financial Secretary.

Financial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, August 12, 1946.

*Resolution.*

This Council resolves under section 9 of the Customs Ordinance (Chapter 185)—

- (1) that after midnight of the 30th day of September, 1946 import duty upon goods specified in Column I of the Schedule hereto shall be levied and paid at the corresponding general rate set out in Column II of that Schedule;
- (2) that import duty at the aforesaid rate shall unless such duty is earlier altered by resolution of this Council, be levied and paid upon the aforesaid goods until midnight of the 30th day of September, 1947;
- (3) that after midnight of the 30th day of September, 1947 import duty upon the aforesaid goods shall unless such duty is earlier altered by resolution of this Council be levied and paid at the rate leviable and payable on such goods on the 22nd day of July, 1941; and
- (4) that so long as the resolution passed by this Council on September 5, 1944, and published in the *Gazette* of October 13, 1944, is in force, the import duty payable in the case of the aforesaid goods shall be increased by ten per centum thereof.

*Schedule.*

Column I.

Column II.

Cement, per cwt. . . . .

. . . . . 00.75 cts.

L. D.—B 86/38

No. 52/1/19 (BK).

THE SAVINGS CERTIFICATES ORDINANCE.

IT is hereby notified in terms of section 2 (3) of the Savings Certificates Ordinance (Chapter 292), that the resolution set out hereunder which was passed at a public session of the State Council on July 4, 1946, has been approved by the Governor and sanctioned by the Secretary of State.

By His Excellency's command,

The Secretariat,  
Colombo, 9th August, 1946. Acting Financial Secretary.

*Resolution.*

"In terms of section 2 (1) of the Savings Certificates Ordinance (Chapter 292) it is hereby resolved that this Council authorises a sum of money not exceeding Rs. 10,000,000 to be borrowed within Ceylon by the issue of Ceylon Savings Certificates under the said Ordinance".

L. D.—B. 167/34.

THE LAND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE.

IT is hereby notified under section 157 of the Land Development Ordinance (Chapter 320) that the following regulation made by the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands under sections 130 (2) and 155 of that Ordinance has been approved by the State Council and ratified by the Governor.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,  
Minister for Agriculture and Lands.  
Colombo, 8th August, 1946.

*Regulation.*

The regulations under the Land Development Ordinance (Chapter 320), published in *Gazette* No. 8,172 of November 15, 1935, as last amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 8,672 of October 18, 1940, are hereby further amended by the insertion immediately after regulation 16, of the following new regulation:—

"16A. Minister for Agriculture and Lands may exercise powers of the Governor.

The powers of the Governor under sub-section (1) of section 130 may be exercised on his behalf by the Minister for Agriculture and Lands in all cases other than those specified in regulation 16."

## LAND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE (CAP. 320).

IT is hereby notified for general information that the persons whose names appear in the Schedule below have been appointed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government in terms of section 10 (3) of the Land Development Ordinance (Cap. 320) to be members of the Local Land Advisory Committees established under section 10 of the Ordinance.

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

Ministry of Agriculture and lands,  
P. O. Box No. 500,  
Colombo, August 7, 1946.

## Schedule referred to above.

## Northern Province.

## Jaffna District.

Area.	Personnel of Committee.
Delft	1. Mr. K. Ariakutty
Islands Division	2. Mr. V. Pasupathipillai
Valikamam West	3. Mr. S. Thampu 4. Mr. M. Ponnambalam 5. Mr. S. Santiapillai, J.P.
Valikamam North	1. Mr. S. Natesan, M.S.C.
Valikamam East	2. Mr. P. Ampalavaner 3. Adigar A. Naganather 4. Mr. K. Nadarajah 5. Mr. S. Swaminathan
Jaffna Division	1. Mr. R. R. Nalliah, J.P., U.M.
Tenmaradchi Division	2. Mr. C. R. Thambiah, J.P., U.M. 3. Mr. P. Asaipillai 4. Dr. K. Ponniah 5. Mr. V. Karthigesoo, J.P., U.M.
Vadamaradchi	1. Mr. G. G. Ponnambalam, M.S.C.
Pachchilaipali-Karachchi	2. Mr. M. S. Kandaiah
Pooneryn-Tunnukkai	3. Mudaliyar G. Subramaniam 4. Mr. W. Muttucamaru 5. Mr. P. Mortimer Kulasegaram, J.P.

## Province of Uva.

## Badulla District.

Wellawaya Division	1. Mr. J. G. Rajakulendran, M.S.C.
Udukunda Division	2. Mr. Sidney Bolster 3. Mr. E. P. Fernando, J.P. 4. Mr. A. G. Divitotawela 5. Mr. K. D. David Perera
Yatikinda Division	1. Gate Mudaliyar D. H. Kotalawala, M.S.C.
Buttala Division	2. Mr. Duncan Thomas 3. Mr. H. J. Pinto, J.P. 4. Mr. T. B. M. Bandaranayake 5. Mr. J. A. Rambukpota
Bintenne Division	1. Mr. W. Dahanayake, M.S.C.
Wiyaluwa Division	2. Mr. C. F. Troup
Wellassa Division	3. Mr. G. D. Kotagama 4. Mr. J. A. C. Rambukpota 5. Mr. B. R. M. Wijekoon

## 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, 1942, and with the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Order, 1946, that the Orders 118 under section 4 (1) (d), 119 under section 4 (1) (e) and 120 under section 4 (1) (g) of the Food Control Ordinance and published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,587 of July 31, 1946, have been confirmed by the Board of Ministers on August 5, 1946.

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

Colombo, August 8, 1946.

M. A. L.—No. AI. 362/46.

## SCHEME FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF VILLAGE IRRIGATION WORKS.

## The Irrigation Ordinance.

SCHEME in accordance with the provisions of Chapter VI. of the Irrigation Ordinance (Chapter 312) approved under section 8 (1) (b) at a meeting duly held on the thirtieth day of January, 1945, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors within the irrigable area of the Poonawewa irrigation work in the Badulla District, and sanctioned by the Executive Committee of Agriculture and Lands in pursuance of the powers vested in the Governor by section 41 of that Ordinance and

delegated to the said Executive Committee by the Governor by order under Article 94 of the Ceylon (State Council) Order in Council, 1931, published in *Gazette* No. 9,540 of April 12, 1946.

D. S. SENANAYAKE,  
Minister for Agriculture and Lands.  
Colombo, August 12, 1946.

## Scheme.

1. Name and description of work : Poonawewa in Dambawini Palata korale, Udukunda Division in Badulla District, Uva.
2. Extent and nature of lands irrigable under the scheme :—  
Private lands under cultivation . . . 259 acres approximately.  
Private lands not under cultivation —  
Crown lands under cultivation . . . —  
Crown lands not under cultivation —

## 3. Terms agreed upon—

(1) The construction of the following items of the necessary work, namely, restoration of the tank including construction of a retaining wall along L. B. of spill, and erecting a wing wall and apron for sluice, up to the estimated cost of Rs. 8,300 is undertaken by the Government.

(2) In consideration of the aforesaid undertaking on the part of the Government, the proprietors on their part agree to 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.

L. D.—B. 66/46/M. L. A.—BA. 677.

## THE VEHICLES ORDINANCE.

IT is hereby notified that the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon has, by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 5 (1) of the Vehicles Ordinance (Chapter 155), directed that,

(a) the stamp to be affixed to the counterfoil of every licence issued for the year 1947 or any subsequent year in respect of a jinricksha used for hire or reward within the administrative limits of the Revenue District of Jaffna (exclusive of the areas within the administrative limits of—

- (1) the Urban Council, Jaffna, and
- (2) the Sanitary Boards of Point Pedro, Valvettiturai, and Kayts),

shall be of the value of six rupees, and

(b) the notification under section 7 (now section 5) of the Ordinance published in *Gazette* No. 6,842 of December 22, 1916, in so far as it relates to licences for jinrickshas used for hire or reward within the Revenue District of Jaffna (exclusive of the areas within the administrative limits of—

- (1) the Urban Council, Jaffna, and
- (2) the Sanitary Boards of Point Pedro, Valvettiturai, and Kayts),

shall be rescinded.

By His Excellency's command,

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,  
Minister for Local Administration.  
Colombo, August 8, 1946.

L. D.—B. 13/46/M. L. A.—BB. 1035.

## THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS made by the Kadugannawa Urban Council under section 61 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration, and confirmed by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 167 of the Ordinance.

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

Colombo, August 8, 1946.

## By-laws.

## Resthouse.

1. These by-laws shall apply to the resthouse situated within the administrative limits of the Council.

2. (1) The resthouse is intended primarily for the use of travellers. Every person using any part of the resthouse as an office or place of business during his occupation of the resthouse shall pay, in addition to the occupation fee, a

special fee of one rupee and fifty cents for each period not exceeding one hour during which any part of the resthouse is so used as an office or place of business. Every person so using the resthouse shall desist from doing so if the resthouse-keeper so requests in the interests of the comfort and convenience of other visitors to the resthouse.

(2) The Chairman may permit the use of the resthouse or any portion thereof for the purpose of any lunch, dinner, garden party or other organized reception on payment of a fee, for occupation and the use of linen only, of ten rupees for the first six hours and one rupee for every additional period not exceeding one hour.

3. The fees and charges payable in respect of the use and occupation of the resthouse shall be determined according to the rates set out in the Schedule hereto :

• Provided that no fee shall be charged in respect of the following :—

- (a) a child in arms ;
- (b) a servant who is in attendance on a visitor and sleeps within the resthouse ;
- (c) the chauffeur of a car garaged in the resthouse premises if he sleeps in the car or in the garage :

Provided further that the Chairman may order that fees calculated at half the rates set out in the Schedule shall be charged in the case of persons making up a party of school children or students accompanied by a teacher or teachers, such party being not less than twelve in number, if he is satisfied that they are brooking journey at the resthouse in the course of an educational tour.

4. (1) Every visitor shall, on his admission to the resthouse, legibly write his or her correct name in the resthouse visitors' book and shall enter therein in the columns provided for the purpose, his or her permanent address and the date and time of arrival at the resthouse.

(2) No visitor will be entitled to use the resthouse or to be supplied with refreshments until he has complied with the requirements of paragraph (1).

5. No person shall occupy any portion of the resthouse for more than three consecutive days, without the special authority of the Chairman.

6. No charges other than those payable to the Council shall be entered by a visitor in the resthouse visitors' book.

7. The resthouse fees and charges shall be paid in cash on demand. In default of such payment, the resthouse-keeper shall be entitled to refuse further supplies. The attention of visitors is invited to the Hotel Keepers Protection Ordinance (Chapter 30), a copy of which shall be exhibited together with these by-laws in some conspicuous place in the resthouse.

8. (1) No room shall be reserved for any visitor prior to his arrival unless it is engaged at lease one day in advance and unless the occupation fee payable for the period for which reservation is desired is paid in advance when the room is so engaged.

(2) Until the arrival of the person or persons for whom a room is reserved the room shall be at the disposal of any other person requiring it.

(3) Every request for the reservation of a room shall be made in writing addressed to the resthouse-keeper.

9. Where a room which is reserved by any person under by-law 8 is not occupied by him, the fee paid in advance shall be forfeited : Provided that such fee or a portion thereof may be refunded at the discretion of the Chairman, if in his opinion sufficient notice of the cancellation of the reservation has been given ; but in no case shall any refund be made if the Council is deprived of revenue which would otherwise have accrued to it but for the fact that accommodation had been previously reserved.

10. No bed, sofa, or couch in the resthouse shall be used by any visitor for the purpose of sleeping unless a sheet is spread thereon. A breach of this by-law shall be punishable with a fine of five rupees.

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

12. Visitors shall be entitled to call upon the resthouse-keeper to attend on them personally. The resthouse-keeper and servants shall wear clean white coats and cloths when attending on visitors.

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

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

14. No part of the building or premises of the resthouse, other than the kitchen, shall be used by a visitor or his servant for the purpose of cooking any meal.

15. No visitor shall bring any dog into the resthouse unless such dog is under proper control. Where a nuisance is created by the presence of a dog in the resthouse and complaint thereof is made to the resthouse-keeper by a visitor, the owner of the dog shall cause such dog to be removed from the resthouse.

16. A breach of any of the above by-laws other than by-law 10 shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

17. In these by-laws—

“ Chairman ” means the Chairman of the Kadugannawa Urban Council ;

“ Council ” means the Kadugannawa Urban Council.

18. The rules relating to resthouses made by the Provincial Road Committee of the Central Province and published in *Gazette* No. 8,257 of November 20, 1936, as last amended by the rule published in *Gazette* No. 8,454 of May 26, 1939, are hereby rescinded in so far as they apply to the resthouse situated within the administrative limits of the Council.

#### Schedule.

#### Fees and Charges.

1. For each person occupying any portion of the resthouse—

Rs. c.

- (1) where a bed or sofa is used for the purpose of rest or sleep (inclusive of use of towels and linen)—
  - (a) for each period not exceeding 12 hours, or part of such period .. 2 50
  - (b) for each period exceeding 12 hours and not exceeding 24 hours, or part of such period .. 4 0

(2) where a bed or sofa is not used for the purpose of rest or sleep—

- (a) for any period not exceeding 1 hour .. 0 15
- (b) for any period exceeding 1 hour and not exceeding 12 hours, per hour or part thereof .. 0 10

(3) for the use of the kitchen, inclusive of the use of fuel, for each period not exceeding 24 hours, or part of such period .. 2 50

2. Motor vehicles which belong to visitors to the resthouse—

- (1) for each motor car (garaged) for each period not exceeding 24 hours, or part of such period .. 2 0
- (2) for each motor bicycle (garaged) for each period not exceeding 24 hours, or part of such period 1 0
- (3) for any other vehicle (garaged) for each period not exceeding 24 hours or part of such period 0 50

3. For each horse (stabled) for each period not exceeding 24 hours or part of such period .. 0 50

After the lapse of 12 hours, a visitor shall pay for occupation at the rate specified in item 1 (1) (b), irrespective of the fact whether he has made use of a bed or not.

No charge is made for vehicles brought into the resthouse compound, but not garaged, by a visitor.

L./D.—B. 84/31/M.L.A.—BB. 48.

#### THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE.

BY-LAW made by the Kurunegala Urban Council under sections 166 and 170 (9) and (11) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration, and confirmed by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 167 of the Ordinance.

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

Colombo, August 8, 1946.

#### By-law.

The by-laws relating to the ‘market area’ published in *Gazette* No. 7,874 of August 7, 1931, and as last amended by by-law published in *Gazette* No. 7,986 of June 9, 1933, are hereby further amended, in by-law 3 (1) thereof, by the substitution for the words “ a fee of Rs. 6 ” of the words “ a fee of Rs. 15.”

L. D.—B. 71/46/GA 14/82/2.

#### THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 (2) (ix) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Udagampaha Village area in the Nuwara Eliya District, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration, and confirmed by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 49 (3) of the Ordinance.

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

Colombo, August 8, 1946.

*By-laws.*

## Bakeries, Eating-houses, Restaurants and Tea and Coffee Boutiques.

## 1. In these by-laws—

“bakery” means any premises in which bread, biscuits or confectionery is baked for sale as food for human consumption and includes any premises in which such food is prepared or in which the materials for the preparation of such food are stored;

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Village Committee; “Medical Officer of Health” includes a Field Medical Officer.

2. (1) No person shall establish or carry on business at any bakery except on a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.

(2) Every licence issued under this by-law shall expire on the thirty-first day of December in the year in respect of which it is issued.

3. No person shall be entitled to a licence under by-law 2, unless the premises to be used as a bakery are in conformity with the following requirements:—

- (a) the premises must be well ventilated and well lighted;
- (b) the walls must be plastered with lime mortar and white-washed;
- (c) the floor must be cemented;
- (d) the premises must be provided with sufficient latrine accommodation and sufficient drains;
- (e) a ceiling of suitable materials must be provided so as to prevent dirt and dust falling from the roof;
- (f) the premises must not be situated within fifty feet of any cesspit, permanent manure heap, latrine, or open sewer;
- (g) the premises must be provided with a separate kneading room having a superficial floor space of not less than 12 feet by 10 feet;
- (h) there must be free external air space, not less than seven feet wide, on at least two of the sides of the kneading room which contain doors or windows; and
- (i) the door of the oven must not open directly into the kneading room.

## 4. The licensee of a bakery shall cause—

- (a) all utensils, furniture and other requisites used in or belonging to the bakery, to be kept clean;
- (b) the tops of the tables in the bakery to be made of well seasoned, closely-fitting planks, or of some non-harmful impervious material, and the tables to be scraped and cleaned daily;
- (c) the floor of the bakery to be swept at least once in every twenty-four hours, and the sweepings to be placed immediately in an impervious and covered receptacle, and removed from the bakery daily;
- (d) the premises of the bakery to be kept clean and free from effluvia arising from any drain, privy, or cesspit and from any other similar nuisance;
- (e) the flour which is used in the bakery to be kept on a platform raised at least three feet above the ground;
- (f) all refuse from the premises of the bakery to be removed and the drains to be flushed daily;
- (g) at least two spittoons to be kept in some part of the premises other than the kneading room, but so as to be easily accessible to those engaged in the manufacture of bread;
- (h) clean water, clean towels, a nail brush and soap to be provided on the premises for the use of those engaged in the manufacture of bread; and
- (i) a copy in Sinhalese of these by-laws relating to bakeries to be exhibited in a conspicuous part of the bakery.

## 5. The licensee of a bakery shall not—

- (a) allow the bakery to be used as a place for sleeping or for keeping any animal or any article other than an article necessary for the purposes of the bakery;
- (b) allow any bread, biscuits or confectionery to be exposed for sale otherwise than in clean and properly constructed fly-proof glass cases;
- (c) allow any person engaged in the manufacture of bread, biscuits or confectionery to use any flour, water or other materials which are not good and wholesome;
- (d) use or keep in the bakery any furniture or equipment which cannot be moved about for the purpose of cleaning the floor; or
- (e) allow any gambling or disorderly conduct to take place on the premises of the bakery.

6. Every person employed in the preparation or baking of bread, biscuits or confectionery, shall wash his hands before engaging in that process, and shall wear a clean white apron, covering the chest, armpits and body, and also a white cap or turban.

7. No person shall spit within the premises of the bakery except into a spittoon provided for the purpose.

8. No person who is suffering or has suffered from any contagious, cutaneous or infectious disease, or has been in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be

permitted by any person in charge of a bakery to enter the bakery or to take part in the manufacture or sale of bread, biscuits or confectionery, until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

9. (1) It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any Officer authorised by the Chairman in writing, at all reasonable times, and at any time when the process of kneading or baking is being carried on, to enter and inspect the bakery.

(2) The licensee or the person in charge of a bakery shall permit the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any Officer authorised by the Chairman in writing, to enter and inspect the bakery, and shall render the Chairman or such Officer all such assistance as may be necessary.

10. It shall be lawful for the Village Tribunal, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel the licence of any licensee convicted twice or oftener of any breach of any of these by-laws relating to bakeries; and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of such cancellation.

11. (1) No person shall establish or carry on business at any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique, except on a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.

(2) Every licence issued under this by-law shall expire on the thirty-first day of December in the year in respect of which it is issued.

12. No person shall be entitled to a licence under by-law 11, unless the premises to be used as an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique are in conformity with the following requirements:—

- (a) the premises must be well ventilated and well lighted;
- (b) the walls must be plastered with lime mortar and white-washed;
- (c) the floor must be cemented; and
- (d) a ceiling of suitable materials must be provided so as to prevent dirt and dust falling from the roof.

13. The licensee of an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique shall cause—

- (a) the premises thereof to be kept in a clean and sanitary condition;
- (b) all utensils, furniture, or other equipment used in or belonging to the eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique to be kept clean;
- (c) all refuse and dirt in or about the premises of the eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique to be swept and removed twice daily;
- (d) all cakes, sweets and other food exposed for sale on such premises to be kept in clean and properly constructed fly-proof glass cases;
- (e) all waste tea, coffee, or milk and all remnants of food to be collected in a fly-proof receptacle with a close-fitting lid or cover, and removed from such premises twice daily;
- (f) all utensils used in the preparation, sale and consumption of food or drink to be washed with soap and water at least once in every twenty-four hours;
- (g) every utensil or receptacle used by a customer to be washed immediately after such use and before being used by another customer; and
- (h) a list of the names and addresses of all employees to be kept at all times in the premises so as to be available for inspection.

14. The licensee of an eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique shall not permit—

- (a) any waste tea, coffee or milk or any remnants of food to be thrown on the floor of the licensed premises; or
- (b) any gambling or disorderly conduct to take place on the licensed premises.

15. The licensee of an eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique shall cause at least two spittoons to be kept at all times on the licensed premises so as to be readily available to the visitors to the premises, as well as to the employees.

16. No person shall spit within the premises of an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique except into a spittoon provided for the purpose.

17. No person who is suffering or has suffered from any contagious, cutaneous or infectious disease, or has been in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any person in charge of an eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique to enter such place or take part in the preparation or sale of any food or drink therein, until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

18. It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any Officer authorised by the Chairman in writing, at all reasonable times, to enter and inspect any eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique, and the licensee or the person in charge of any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique, shall permit the Chairman or such Officer to enter and inspect the premises, and shall render him all such assistance as may be necessary.

19. It shall be lawful for the Village Tribunal, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel the licence of any licensee convicted twice or oftener of any breach of any of these by-laws relating to eating-houses, restaurants or tea or coffee boutiques, and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of such cancellation.

L. D.—B. 50/46/G. 26/90

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY virtue of the powers conferred by section 11 (1) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), the Executive Committee of Local Administration, with the approval of the Officer Administering the Government by this Notification subdivides, with effect from January 1, 1947, such of the Village Headmen's divisions situated in the Nuwara Eliya Four Gravets village area of the Nuwara Eliya District as are enumerated in column I of the Schedule hereto, into the wards with the limits specified in the corresponding items in column II of that Schedule. The Notification under section 11 (1) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), relating to the Nuwara Eliya Four Gravets village area and published in *Gazette* No. 8,597 of March 29, 1940, is hereby rescinded.

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

Colombo, August 8, 1946.

*Schedule.*

Column I. (Village Headmen's Divisions.)	Column II. (Wards.)
1. Nanu-oya	Ward No. 1.—All that portion of Blackpool and Elk Plains bounded as follows :— North : by the Southern boundary of the Urban Council, Nuwara Eliya, up to the 40th milepost on the Nanu-oya-Nuwara Eliya road on the west, and up to the 50½ milepost on the Nuwara Eliya-Hakgala road on the east ; East : by the Mipilimana Reserve ; South : by Conical Hill and the Central Province and Province of Uva boundary ; and West : by Kikilimana Forest up to Conical Hill.
	Ward No. 2.—All that portion of Nanu-oya Village Headman's area comprising Lorne (Kirimetiya) Somerset, Langdale and Conical Hill bounded as follows :— North : by Kikilimana Forest from the 40th milepost to the point at which it touches the Gravets and Kotmale division boundaries near about Wangioya ; East : by the Central Province and Province of Uva boundary, and Kikilimana Forest from Conical Hill up to the 40th milepost on the Nanu-oya-Nuwara Eliya road ; South : by Dambagastalawaoya and the Ambewela-Nanu-oya Railway line up to the point at which it meets the Ambewela Mahagastota D. R. C. road ; and West : by the Division boundary between Gravets and Kotmale starting from Wangioya up to Dambagastalawaoya.
	Ward No. 3.—All that area known as the town of Nanu-oya as comprised within the following limits :— In length along the high road from Lindula to Nuwara Eliya from the 37th milepost from Kandy to the 38th milepost from Kandy, and in breadth to a distance of 100 yards on either side of the said road within the said limits.
2. Kandapola	Ward No. 1.—All that portion of the Kandapola Headman's wasama lying north of the Nuwara Eliya-Ragala road commencing from the 2nd milepost up to the 8½ milepost and comprising New road, Pelwaditenna, Kandapola including Portswood Vegetable Gardens,

Column I.  
(Village Headmen's Divisions.)

Column II.  
(Wards.)

Ward No. 2.—All that portion of the Kandapola Headman's wasama lying south of the Nuwara Eliya-Ragala road commencing from the 2nd milepost up to the 8½ milepost and comprising Kandapola Colony and Iron Bridge.

Ward No. 3.—All that area known as the town of Kandapola, and bounded as follows :—

North : by the Gansabhawa path from the turn to the Halting Bungalow as far as the Maturata road, and thence a straight line to the river ;

East : by a line drawn from the turn to the Halting Bungalow at right angles to the road to a point 200 feet to the east ;

South : by a line drawn parallel to the road and 200 feet from its centre ; and

West : by a straight line at right angles to the Udapussellawa road at the culvert on Dovedale estate to the west of the end boutique.

L. D.—B. 77/45/GA 14/41/5.

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 (2) (ix) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Tispanē village area in the Nuwara Eliya District, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration, and confirmed by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 49 (3) of the Ordinance.

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

Colombo, August 8, 1946.

I.—*Conservancy and Scavenging.*

1. The Chairman may, by notice in writing served on the owner of any premises situated within an area for which a conservancy service has been established, require such owner to provide a pail latrine of such size and type and in such a position on the premises as may be approved by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health or any Officer authorised by such Medical Officer.

2. If the Medical Officer of Health or an Officer authorised by such Medical Officer certifies that any cesspit or latrine (not being a pail latrine of the size or type referred to in by-law 1) situated in any premises within the area for which a conservancy service has been established is insanitary and dangerous to health, the Chairman may, by notice in writing served on the owner of such premises, require such owner to close such cesspit or latrine.

3. Every owner on whom a notice referred to in by-law 1 or by-law 2 has been so served shall comply with the requirements of such notice within such time, in no case to be less than two months, as may be specified in such notice.

4. Every occupier of premises provided with a pail latrine and situated within an area for which a conservancy service has been established shall maintain such latrine at all times in a sanitary condition and in good repair.

5. No person other than a conservancy labourer employed by the Village Committee shall remove or otherwise dispose of the night soil from any pail latrine within an area for which a conservancy service has been established.

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

7. For the purpose of inspecting any cesspit or any latrine, whether constructed or in course of construction on any premises, it shall be lawful for the Medical Officer of Health or an Officer authorised by him, to enter the premises at any time between sunrise and sunset, and the occupier of the premises shall render such Officer all such assistance as may be necessary for the purpose of inspection.

8. Upon the establishment of a scavenging service for the whole or any specified part of the village area, the occupier of any premises situated within an area for which such service has been established, shall cause all ashes, sweepings and other refuse from his premises to be deposited in a bucket or bin with a suitable cover and of such shape and size as may be approved by the Chairman.

9. The occupier of any premises referred to in by-law 8 shall—

(1) daily between such hours as the Chairman may from time to time notify by beat of tom-tom or otherwise,

- cause such bucket or bin to be placed by the edge of the road outside such premises but so as to cause no obstruction to traffic on the road, and
- (2) cause such bucket or bin to be removed within half an hour of the emptying of such bucket or bin by the scavenging labourers of the Village Committee.

10. No person shall place on any road any bucket or bin referred to in by-law 8 except between such hours as are referred to in by-law 9.

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

12. The conservancy fee referred to in by-law 6 and the scavenging fee referred to in by-law 11 shall be paid to the Chairman or to any person duly authorised by him in writing to collect such fees, on or before the 10th day of the month immediately following the month in respect of which such fees are due.

13. In these by-laws "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Village Committee; "Medical Officer of Health" includes a Field Medical Officer; "Village Committee" means the Village Committee of the Tispano village area.

	Schedule.	Rs.	c.
Conservancy fee	..	1	0 per bucket
Scavenging fee	..	0	25

L. D.—B. 6/46/GA. 14/85/2.

#### THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAW under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Mahapalata village area, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration, and confirmed by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by that section.

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

Colombo, August 8, 1946.

#### By-law.

The by-laws relating to the tax on vehicles and animals published in *Gazette* No. 8,651 of August 16, 1940, in so far as they apply to the Mahapalata village area, are hereby amended in by-law 5, by the substitution for all the words from "at the office" to "in each year:", of the words "on or before the thirty-first day of March in each year, at the office of the Committee or to any person employed by the Committee to collect the tax:".

L. D.—B. 65/46/GD 14/3/9.

#### THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 (2) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Karaitivu village area of the Jaffna District, approved by the Executive Committee of Local Administration, and confirmed by the Officer Administering the Government by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 49 (3) of the Ordinance.

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

Colombo, August 9, 1946.

#### By-laws.

#### II.—Bakeries, Eating-houses, Restaurants and Tea and Coffee Boutiques.

1. In these by-laws—

"bakery" means any premises in which bread, biscuit or confectionery is baked for sale as food for human consumption and includes any premises in which such food is prepared, or in which the materials for the preparation of such food are stored;

"Chairman" means the Chairman of the Village Committee of Karaitivu;

"Medical Officer of Health" includes a Field Medical Officer.

2. (1) No person shall establish or carry on business at any bakery, except on a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.

(2) Every licence issued under this by-law shall expire on the thirty-first day of December of the year in respect of which it is issued.

3. No person shall be entitled to a licence under by-law 2, unless the premises to be used as a bakery are in conformity with the following requirements:—

- (a) the premises must be well ventilated and well lighted;
- (b) the walls must be plastered with lime mortar and white washed;

- (c) the floor must be cemented;
- (d) the premises must be provided with sufficient latrine accommodation and sufficient drains;
- (e) a ceiling of suitable materials must be provided so as to prevent dirt and dust falling from the roof;
- (f) the premises must not be situated within fifty feet of any cesspit, permanent manure heap, latrine or open sewer;
- (g) the premises must be provided with a separate kneading room having superficial floor space of not less than twelve feet by ten feet;
- (h) there must be a free external air space, not less than seven feet wide, on at least two of the sides of the kneading room which contain doors or windows;
- (e) the door of the oven must not open directly into the kneading room.

4. The licensee of a bakery shall cause—

- (a) all utensils, furniture and other requisites used in or belonging to the bakery, to be kept clean;
- (b) the tops of the tables in the bakery to be made of well seasoned, closely-fitting planks, or of some non-harmful impervious material; and the tables to be scraped and cleaned daily;
- (c) the floor of the bakery to be swept at least once in every twenty-four hours, and the sweepings to be placed immediately in an impervious and covered receptacle, and removed from the bakery daily;
- (d) the premises of the bakery to be kept clean and free from effluvia arising from any drain, privy or cesspit and from any other similar nuisance;
- (e) the flour which is used in the bakery to be kept on a platform raised at least three feet above the ground;
- (f) all refuse from the premises of the bakery to be removed and the drains to be flushed daily;
- (g) at least two spittoons to be kept in some part of the premises other than the kneading room but so as to be easily accessible to those engaged in the manufacture of bread;
- (h) clean water, clean towels, nail brush and soap to be provided on the premises for the use of those engaged in the manufacture of bread; and
- (e) a copy in Tamil of these by-laws relating to bakeries to be exhibited in a conspicuous part of the bakery.

5. The licensee of the bakery shall not—

- (a) allow the bakery to be used as a place for sleeping or for keeping any animal or any article other than an article necessary for the purposes of the bakery;
- (b) allow any bread, biscuit or confectionery to be exposed for sale otherwise than in clean and properly constructed fly-proof glass cases;
- (c) allow any person engaged in the manufacture of bread, biscuit or confectionery to use any flour, water or other materials which are not good and wholesome;
- (d) use or keep in the bakery any furniture or equipment which cannot be moved about for the purpose of cleaning the floor; or
- (e) allow any gambling or disorderly conduct to take place on the premises of the bakery.

6. Every person employed in the preparation or baking of bread, biscuit or confectionery, shall wash his hands before engaging in that process and shall wear a clean white apron, covering the chest, armpits and body, and also a white cap or turban.

7. No person shall spit within the premises of the bakery except into a spittoon provided for the purpose.

8. No person who is suffering or has suffered from any contagious, cutaneous or infectious disease, or has been in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any person in charge of a bakery, to enter the bakery or to take part in the manufacture or sale of bread, biscuit or confectionery, until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

9. (1) It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any Officer authorised by the Chairman in writing at all reasonable times and at any time when the process of kneading is being carried on, to enter and inspect the bakery.

(2) The licensee or the person in charge of the bakery shall permit the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health, or the Sanitary Assistant or any officer authorised by the Chairman in writing to enter and inspect the bakery, and shall render the Chairman, or such officer, all such assistance as may be necessary.

10. It shall be lawful for the Village Tribunal, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel the licence of any licensee convicted twice or oftener of any breach of any of these by-laws relating to bakeries; and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of any such cancellation.

11. (1) No person shall establish or carry on business at any eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique, except on a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.



(2) Every licence issued under this by-law shall expire on the thirty-first day of December of the year in respect of which it is issued.

12. No person shall be entitled to a licence under by-law 11, unless the premises to be used as an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique are in conformity with the following requirements:—

- (a) the premises must be well ventilated and well lighted;
- (b) the walls must be plastered with lime mortar and white washed;
- (c) the floor must be cemented;
- (d) a ceiling of suitable materials must be provided so as to prevent dirt and dust falling from the roof.

13. The licensee of an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique shall cause—

- (a) the premises thereof to be kept in a clean and sanitary condition;
- (b) all utensils, furniture or other equipment, used in or belonging to the eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique to be kept clean;
- (c) all refuse and dirt in or about the premises of the eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique to be swept and removed twice daily;
- (d) all cakes, sweets and other food exposed for sale on such premises to be kept in clean and properly constructed fly-proof glass cases;
- (e) all waste tea, coffee or milk and all remnants of food to be collected in a fly-proof receptacle with a close fitting lid or cover, and removed from such premises twice daily;
- (f) all utensils used in the preparation, sale and consumption of food or drink to be washed with soap and water at least once in every twenty-four hours;
- (g) every utensil or receptacle used by a customer to be washed immediately after such use and before being used by another customer; and
- (h) a list of the names and addresses of all employees to be kept at all times in the premises, so as to be available for inspection.

14. The licensee of an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique shall not permit—

- (a) any waste tea, coffee or milk or any remnants of food to be thrown on the floor of the licensed premises; or
- (b) any gambling or disorderly conduct to take place on the licensed premises.

15. The licensee of an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique shall cause at least two spittoons to be kept at all times on the licensed premises so as to be readily available to the visitors to the premises, as well as to the employees.

16. No person shall spit within the premises of an eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique except into a spittoon provided for the purpose.

17. No person who is suffering or has suffered from any contagious, cutaneous or infectious disease, or has been in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any person in charge of an eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique, to enter such place or take part in the preparation or sale of any food or drink therein, until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

18. It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any officer authorised by the Chairman in writing, at all reasonable times to enter and inspect any eating-house, restaurant or tea or coffee boutique, and the licensee shall permit the Chairman, or such officer to enter and inspect the premises, and shall render him all such assistance as may be necessary.

19. It shall be lawful for the Village Tribunal, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel the licence of any licensee convicted twice or oftener of any breach of any of these by-laws relating to eating-houses, restaurants or tea or coffee boutiques, and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of such cancellation.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

#### THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE.

##### Notification.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 20 (2) (d) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, I, George Claude Stanley Corea, Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce, do hereby appoint the Director of Statistics as the competent authority to ascertain monthly the cost of living index number applicable to the workers employed in the Motor Transport Trade.

G. C. S. COREA,

Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.

Colombo, 7th August, 1946.

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#### THE DEFENCE (CONTROL OF IMPORTS) REGULATIONS.

##### Notification.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Regulation 5A of the Defence (Control of Imports) Regulations, [which, in accordance with the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Order, 1946, has effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, of the Imperial Parliament], I, Herbert Kenneth de Kretser, Acting Controller of Imports, do hereby amend the Schedule to Open General Licence No. 1 dated January 30, 1942, and published at page 9 of the *Supplement to Gazette* No. 8,855 of that date, by the insertion, in paragraph 2 of that Schedule, immediately after item (44), of the following new item:—

“(45) Leather belts”

KENNETH DE KRETSER,  
Colombo, 10th August, 1946. Acting Controller of Imports.

#### TEXTILES CONTROL NOTICE No. 268.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for the group purchase of textiles by organisations, business houses, thrift societies, large clubs, &c., for their members and employees and out of every consignment of goods available for retail sale in Colombo a certain percentage is reserved for sale in this manner. In order to eliminate purchase by street sellers, I am prepared to reserve over 100 per cent. of stocks retained in Colombo for disposal in this manner if there is the demand. The demand has not been keen so far: in order to secure the success of the scheme I am now prepared to extend the privilege to organisations in outstations which wish to buy from Colombo retailers. Applicants are requested to note that the purchases must be limited strictly to the coupon books of the members and of their families and not to coupon books purchased or otherwise collected. A printed statement of the nature of the scheme may be had on application made at the offices of the outstation Assistant Controllers.

E. RODRIGO,  
Colombo, August 9, 1946. Controller of Textiles.

#### TEXTILES CONTROL NOTICE No. 269.

A coupon equivalent document No. A 9547 for 500 points issued in favour of S. K. Lonsuwa Nekathenaya of Galgamuwa (Lic. No. Kur-961) is reported to have been lost on May 6, 1946.

Dealers are warned against accepting this coupon equivalent document. If it is tendered by any person, please hand him over to the Police and contact me immediately.

E. RODRIGO,  
August 9, 1946. Controller of Textiles.

#### TRADE DISPUTE—MESSRS. BROWN & CO., LTD., COLOMBO.

THE United Engineering Workers' Union, Colombo, presented a petition to me under section 6 (1) of the Essential Services (Avoidance of Strikes and Lockouts) Order, 1942, with regard to a trade dispute that had arisen between the said Union and Messrs. Brown & Co., Ltd., Colombo. The petition was referred to a Special Tribunal appointed by His Excellency the Governor under the proviso to section 5 of the said Order for adjudication.

The following findings and award dated August 2, 1946, made by the Special Tribunal are published for general information in terms of section 8 (4) of the above-mentioned Order:—

“A petition was presented by the above Union against the respondent Co. complaining that a workman employed by the respondent Co. was dismissed on or about April 6, 1946, wrongfully, unlawfully and without good cause or sufficient justification. It was alleged in the petition that the members of the petitioner-union viewed the action of the respondent Co. in dismissing Karunadasa with alarm and concern.

On the petition being presented to the Commissioner of Labour he found that there was a trade dispute between the petitioner-union and the respondent Co., as apparently he was satisfied that the petition related to a trade dispute, and the matter has come up before me as a Special Tribunal for adjudication upon the dispute.

At the commencement of the inquiry counsel for the respondent made a submission to the effect that the dismissal of a workman does not give rise to a trade dispute as defined by the strikes and lockouts Order. He further submitted that a dismissed workman would not come within the definition of a “workman” as defined by the Order. The Order lays down that on a matter being referred to a Tribunal, after the preliminary steps have been taken by the Commissioner of Labour, the duty of a Tribunal would be as laid down by the

Order, to hear any evidence and to make its award. Assuming, however, that one of the parties to this inquiry is entitled to canvass the question whether a trade dispute exists or not, notwithstanding the finding by the Commissioner of Labour that the position relates to a trade dispute, my opinion with regard to the objection raised is—

- (1) the petition having been presented by the trade union representing the present employees of the Company who are members of that union and who are still workmen employed in essential services performed by the Co. that they, the members of the union view the action of the respondent Co. with alarm and concern, I am inclined to the view that a trade dispute as between the employer and the workmen in connection with the performance of essential services has arisen and that the matter must therefore be adjudicated upon.
- (2) with regard to the argument that a dismissed employee is no longer a workman, the fact that the petition has been presented on behalf of the present workmen who are entitled to protect their own interests by making representations with regard to what they consider to be an unjustifiable dismissal of one of the workmen and thereby obtain relief with regard to their own conditions of employment whereby an unjustifiable dismissal may be avoided in their own case, is a sufficient answer to this argument;
- (3) in view of my finding that the matter of the dispute which has been referred to me is a trade dispute as between workmen and employer, no question of want of jurisdiction which is vested in the Tribunal to deal with the matter can arise. It is true that our Order does not specifically refer in its definition of a "trade dispute" to the employment or non-employment of a workman as in the case of the English National Arbitration Order. But the definition is wide enough to comprehend within its scope a question relating to the unjust dismissal of one of its workmen in respect of which the other body of workmen who are still in employment are entitled to make a complaint and thereby protect their own interests with regard to the terms and conditions of their employment and to prevent what is commonly called the "victimisation" of a workman by the employer.
- (4) finding that the terms of the Order confer on this Tribunal jurisdiction to deal with a trade dispute arising from the non-employment of a workman, it is hardly necessary for me to state that, assuming that the Tribunal has jurisdiction, the question whether a trade dispute does, in fact, exist cannot be canvassed as the finding by the Commissioner of Labour must in the circumstances be regarded as binding.

For the reasons above stated, I decided to hear evidence pertinent to the dispute and I shall now proceed to record my findings.

Karunadasa was employed as a mechanic and he now holds the position of a Foreman attending to the works in the respondent Co. and has for some time past been doing work more or less of a supervisory nature.

On April 4, 1946, Karunadasa whose work chiefly consisted in attending to machinery on estates outside Colombo, was asked by Mr. Simpson, the Engineer-in-charge of works at Brown & Co., Ltd. to go up to Parambe estate to fit the top bar of a rubber roller. He refused to go. Karunadasa was the only man available at the workshop that day to attend to this type of work. Mr. Simpson had received an urgent telephone message from the Superintendent of the estate asking for immediate attention to this rubber roller. Mr. Simpson, in view of the urgency and Karunadasa's unwillingness to go on this job, sent Karunadasa to Mr. Rose, the Chief Engineer of the Co., to receive instructions from him. Mr. Rose gave orders to Karunadasa to proceed to the estate. Karunadasa was unwilling to do so. His only excuse for his refusal was that he could not proceed to do this work without an assistant. It is true that Karunadasa had an injured hand and was thereby incapacitated from doing heavy manual labour. He was told that labourers would be available and probably mechanics too on the estate to assist him both as regards manual labour and any other work involved in fitting the rubber roller. Karunadasa being adamant, Mr. Rose appears to have told him that if he was unwilling to carry out orders he must leave the service of the Company. On the following day (morning) Karunadasa went to work as usual and at about 11 A.M. the timekeeper sent for Karunadasa and asked him to sign a document purporting to be an acknowledgment for receipt of salary due to him which was salary for the four days in April and a further month's salary. Karunadasa refused to sign this receipt. His services were thereafter terminated.

The question for determination is whether the order given by the employers directing Karunadasa to proceed to an estate to do an urgent job was an unjustifiable order,

One must remember the fact, which transpires from the evidence, that Karunadasa's presence on the estate was required by Mr. Roso as he had confidence in his capacity as a skilled workman to supervise and see to the possibility of fitting up the top of the rubber roller with the assistance of labourers and other mechanics who were presumably available on the estate. In judging Karunadasa's wilful disobedience of lawful orders, one must remember his state of mind at the time. This workman was nursing a grievance against the management and particularly against Mr. Rose, the Chief Engineer, for not giving him a salary of Rs. 200 which Karunadasa thought he was entitled to get; the management thought otherwise. Karunadasa himself admits that from about the year 1943 he was dissatisfied with Brown & Co., Ltd. because, according to him, they did not treat him as well as he deserved.

Soon after the order was given to him on April 4, Karunadasa went and saw Mr. Henry, the Secretary of the United Engineering Workers' Union, and reported the matter. Mr. Henry appears to have given correct advice, in that he told Karunadasa that he should, in obedience to lawful orders, proceed to the estate, and if he found that the work could not be proceeded with without further assistance, to send a telegram to the Manager of the Company asking for such further assistance. Karunadasa himself states that he could have gone to the estate and reported that there was not enough assistance for him to complete the work.

The unwillingness of an employee to carry out an order for the performance of an urgent work cannot be justified. I am not satisfied that the order given to Karunadasa to proceed to the job was an unreasonable or unjustifiable order. I am satisfied that his presence there was required to supervise the job and that he could have done so just as he was supervising the work in the workshop of Brown & Co., Ltd., even although he had an impaired hand. Karunadasa was apparently a good mechanic and the Company has put up his salary and fixed him on Rs. 150 p.m. They were prepared to make him the Foreman at the Nawalapitiya works on a salary of Rs. 200 if, as Mr. Roso stated in his evidence, he fitted himself to the job after he was tried. Apparently his insufficient knowledge of engines did not fit him to the job. As regards the insufficiency of the knowledge of Karunadasa with regard to the work on engines, Mr. Wickham, who was the Engineer-in-Charge, is the best Judge and his letter to Mr. Rose, marked R 1\*, which was long before the dispute arose, regarding his estimate of Karunadasa's capabilities, shows that he did not regard Karunadasa as being worth Rs. 200 a month. If an employer forms a lower estimate of an employee's worth than he has of himself, that does not justify a sulking attitude on the part of the workman and an attitude of disobedience of lawful orders. One does not sympathise with a workman who has by his own conduct put himself in the wrong and thereby merited his dismissal.

Upon the facts I do not find that a case has been made out for the reinstatement of Karunadasa. I do not, therefore, order his reinstatement. The Company has offered to pay him in addition to the wages earned by him, a month's further salary. This amount would be paid to him.

Out of compassion for this workman, on a suggestion made by the Tribunal, Messrs. Julius & Creasy have written to the Commissioner of Labour a letter in which they have offered to give him a compassionate allowance of Rs. 500. This allowance is made on the basis that Karunadasa was not given compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance as the Ordinance was not then in force. This payment would, therefore, be regarded as an *ex gratia* payment voluntarily made by the Company and should not be regarded as a payment made to him as of right; nor be regarded as a precedent to be availed of by any other workman whose services are terminated by the employer for a just or lawful cause. It is best that this sum of Rs. 500 plus the salary due to the workman should be remitted by the Company to the Commissioner of Labour who will make payment of the said sum to the workman.

My award, therefore, is that I do not direct the reinstatement of Karunadasa."

\* Not reproduced.

A. E. CHRISTOFFELSZ,  
Commissioner of Labour.  
(Continued on page 1430.)

#### NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

1. THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Fort, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M. on Wednesday, September 4, 1946, for the construction of P. W. D. Labourers Lines, Mamadola.

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M. on Friday, August 30, 1946, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. Register of Contractors registered for building works.

R. A. WIJEBEKON,  
for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, August 14, 1946.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M. on Wednesday, September 4, 1946, for the construction of the proposed Lock Up for Fiscal Marshal's Office, Nuwara Eliya.

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4 P.M. on Friday, August 30, 1946, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. Register of Contractors registered for building works.

August 14, 1946. R. A. WIJEYEKOON,  
for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M., on Wednesday, September 4, 1946, for the construction of a double type garage with two rooms and lavatory block at Civil Hospital, Jaffna.

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, August 30, 1946, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. Register of Contractors registered for building works.

August 9, 1946. R. A. WIJEYEKOON,  
for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D. Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M., on Wednesday, September 4, 1946, for extensions and improvements to Batticaloa Hospital—new Isolation Ward.

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, August 30, 1946, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. Register of Contractors registered for building works.

August 13, 1946. R. A. WIJEYEKOON,  
for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D., Head Office, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M., on Wednesday, September 4, 1946, for constructing a bungalow for the Railway on the University site.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Resident Engineer, University Site, Peradeniya, from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, August 30, 1946, only to those whose names appear in the P. W. D. Register of Contractors registered for building works.

August 13, 1946. R. A. WIJEYEKOON,  
for Director of Public Works.

THE Tender Board, P. W. D., Superintending Engineer's Office, Jaffna, will receive tenders up to 11 A.M., on Wednesday, September 4, 1946, for the sale of building materials to be salvaged from Old House Surgeon's Quarters, Civil Hospital, Jaffna.

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

3. Tender forms will be issued up to 4.30 P.M., on Friday, August 30, 1946.

August 13, 1946. R. A. WIJEYEKOON,  
for Director of Public Works.

#### Tenders for the Supply of Carts at Chalmers Granaries.

I shall receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, September 3, 1946, for the supply of carts and bulks with carters and carting of foodstuffs at Chalmers Granaries, Colombo.

2. A Statement of particulars regarding this tender may be obtained from the Assistant Food Controller, Chalmers Granaries, on payment of a fee of Re. 1 which is not returnable.

Colombo, August 14, 1946. R. S. V. POULLER,  
Food Commissioner  
(Control and Distribution).

#### Sale of Building Materials.

SEALED tenders will be received by me till 12 noon on Tuesday, August 20, 1946, for demolition and removal of all building materials of the following:—

- (1) E. S. L. C. Industrial Section consisting of 10 cadjan huts, Blacksmith Shop, Pottery Kiln and two Lavatories.
- (2) The semi-permanent centre block consisting of Work-shop Office and the Sub-Post Office.

(3) Barber Saloon.

(4) The barbed wire fence round the Industrial Section and the static tank in Headquarter premises.

2. Tenders should be on forms obtainable from the undersigned. Tender deposit for items (1) and (4) Rupees fifty (Rs. 50) for each item, for items (2) and (3) Rupees Twenty-five (Rs. 25) for each item. Tenders for each of the above items should be submitted under separate cover marked on the top left hand corner "Tender for Industrial Section cadjan huts", "Work-Shop Office and Sub-Post Office", "Barber Saloon", "Fence and Static tanks" as the case may be.

3. The successful tenderers will be expected to furnish security for the due fulfilment of the conditions specified in the agreement which they are expected to sign. The full purchase price should be deposited within two days of notice of acceptance of the tender. Any tenderer failing to fulfil this requirement will forfeit his deposit.

4. The Assistant Civil Defence Commissioner, Maharagama, does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender. Any further information can be obtained from this office.

T. N. MUNASINGHE,  
Assistant Civil Defence Commissioner.

E. S. L. C.,  
Maharagama.

#### Tender for Construction of a Body for an Omnibus to the Mental Hospital, Angoda, for the transport of Patients and Stores.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the construction of a body for an omnibus to the Mental Hospital, Angoda, for the transport of patients and stores. Full particulars may be had from the Medical Superintendent, Mental Hospital, Angoda.

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

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

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for construction of a body for an Omnibus to the Mental Hospital, Angoda, for the transport of Patients and Stores", in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Chairman of the Tender Board not later than mid-day on August 27, 1946. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the General Treasury (Room No. 225, Second Floor, Calle Face Secretariat) or sent through the post under registered cover.

4. Tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application by the Medical Superintendent, Mental Hospital, Angoda.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 300 will be required to be made at the Bank of Ceylon, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. Notice of acceptance of the tender will be deemed to have been received by the tenderer if it has been sent by post addressed to, or left at the address given by the tenderer. All the deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security will be Rs. 500. All other information can be ascertained upon application to the officer referred to in para 4 of this notice.

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

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

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

12. The Director of Medical and Sanitary Services may, for reasons which appear to him sufficient, give notice in writing of his objection to the employment by the contractor of any person specified in such notice, and no such person should be employed by the contractor.

13. A tenderer who has not previously held a Government contract, when applying for tender forms, should furnish the officer issuing the form with a written statement giving

his full name and permanent address, stating in which district he owns landed property or other interests. The extent of landed property and the nature and extent of other interest should also be given.

14. The contract shall be entered into by the contractor with the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.

15. The contractor will be called upon to have the work completed within one month from the date on which the chassis will be made available.

#### Transport of Salt from the Hambantota Lewayas to Matara Railway Station and Salt Store.

TENDERS are invited for the transport of salt from the Hambantota Lewayas and delivering into Railway Waggon at Matara Railway Station, or into the Salt Store at the rate of 1,200 cwts. (800 bags) per day.

2. Closing date: 12 noon on Tuesday, September 10, 1946.

3. Tender deposit: Rs. 250.

4. Security deposit: Rs. 1,000.

5. Period of service: October 1, 1946, to February 28, 1947.

6. Tender notices and forms could be obtained from:—

- (a) Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota.
- (b) Assistant Government Agent, Matara.
- (c) Assistant Government Agent (E), Tangalla.
- (d) Salt Superintendent, Hambantota.
- (e) Salt Commissioner, 37, Lauries road, Bambalapitiya.

Salt Department, E. B. TISSEVERASINGHE,  
P. O. Box 539, Acting Salt Commissioner.  
Colombo, August 13, 1946.

#### Salt Department Tenders.

##### Wanted Common Poles.

10,000 poles 9 inches or more in girth in two sizes, six feet long and ten feet long. No objection to second-hand material, but poles must be straight and sound. Delivery will be accepted at any point on the road between Chilaw and Tabbawa or at any Railway Station. Apply for tender notice to Salt Commissioner, P. O. Box 539, Colombo.

Salt Department, E. B. TISSEVERASINGHE,  
P. O. Box 539, Acting Salt Commissioner.  
Colombo, August 13, 1946.

#### Tenders for the Supply of Stone Setts.

THE Harbour Engineer, Colombo Port Commission, Colombo, will receive tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 27, 1946, for the supply of 25,000 stone road paving setts to the Colombo Port Commission.

Tenders should be made on forms obtainable from the undersigned from whom all particulars on the subject can be obtained.

Colombo Port Commission, T. A. OWLES,  
Colombo, August 9, 1946. Harbour Engineer.

#### 30,280 Coconuts for Sale at the Batalagoda Paddy Station and Animal Breeding Centre.

SEALED tenders marked "Tender for Coconuts" on the top left hand corner of the cover, will be received by the Paddy Officer, Peradeniya, up to 12 noon on August 23, 1946.

The Paddy Officer reserves to himself the right to sell the whole or part thereof.

Peradeniya, August 9, 1946. Director of Agriculture.

#### Repairs to Hanguranketa Carpentry School. (18 miles from Kandy).

TENDERS close at 12 noon on September 9, 1946. For further particulars apply to the Director of Commerce and Industries.

#### Supply of Straw—Ambewela Cattle Farm, Ambewela.

SEALED tenders are invited for the supply of clean, fresh straw at Ambewela Cattle Farm during the period September 1, 1946, to February 28, 1947.

Alternative rates should be quoted by the tenderers when:—

- (a) Lorries are supplied by the tenderer, in which case the straw will be delivered at the farm.
- (b) Lorries are supplied by the Department, in which case he should state the distance from the Ambewela Cattle Farm, within which straw should be delivered.

Tenders close at noon on August 20, 1946.

C. R. KARUNARATNE,  
Agricultural Officer, Central Division.  
Peradeniya, August 2, 1946.

#### Tenders for the Transport of Foodstuffs, &c.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, Emergency Kachcheri, Pelmadulla, invites tenders for:—

- (1) the transport of foodstuffs by lorry from Colombo to any point in the Pelmadulla Emergency Area, i.e., Kolonna, Atakalan, Kadawata and Meda Korales of Ratnapura District.
- (2) the transport of foodstuffs, manure, planting materials, implements, paddy, kurakkan &c., by lorry within Kadawata and Meda and Nawadun Korales in Ratnapura District.
- (3) the transport of foodstuffs, manure, planting materials, implements, paddy, kurakkan, &c., by lorry within Atakalan, Kolonna, and Nawadun korales in Ratnapura District.

2. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from the Assistant Government Agent (E), Pelmadulla.

3. Tenders should be sent in sealed envelopes marked "Tender for the Transport of Foodstuffs, &c." and should reach the Chairman, Tender Board, Emergency Kachcheri, Pelmadulla, before 12 noon on September 7, 1946.

4. The attention of tenderers is drawn to the Defence (lorry freight) Regulations, 1943, published in *Government Gazette* No. 9,106 of April 2, 1943, which lays down the maximum rates chargeable for lorry transport. Copies of these Regulations will be attached to each tender form. Only those tenders which fall into line with these Regulations will be considered.

5. The tenderer should state whether he has at his disposal motor vehicles and petrol allotments sufficient to carry out the contract.

6. Tenders may be made for any one or all of the above items.

7. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 250 for the satisfactory fulfilment of his contract.

8. The Tender Board, Emergency Kachcheri, Pelmadulla, reserves to itself the right to reject any or all the tenders or to accept a tender in part.

S. A. I. ELAPATE,  
Chairman, Tender Board and  
Assistant Government Agent (E), Pelmadulla.  
August 7, 1946.

#### Supply of Straw—Bopthalawa Cattle Farm, Bopthalawa.

SEALED tenders are invited for the supply of clean, fresh straw at Bopthalawa Cattle Farm during the period September 1, 1946 to February 28, 1947.

Alternative rates should be quoted by the tenderers when:—

- (a) Lorries are supplied by the tenderer, in which case the straw will be delivered at the Farm.
- (b) Lorries are supplied by the Department, in which case he should state the distance from the Bopthalawa Cattle Farm, within which straw could be delivered.

Tenders close at noon on August 28, 1946.

C. R. KARUNARATNE,  
Agricultural Officer, Central Division.  
Peradeniya, August 2, 1946.

TENDERS are invited for the Transport of Foodstuffs to all Supply Stations in this District during the period of Control from October 1, 1946, to September 30, 1947.

Tenders should be addressed to the Chairman, Local Tender Board, The Kachcheri, Galle, and should reach him before 12 noon, on August 24, 1946.

Tender forms and full particulars can be obtained from the Deputy Food Controller, Galle, on depositing Rs. 50.

Applications for tender forms should quote the Kachcheri receipt number of the deposit and should reach the Chairman, Local Tender Board, before 12 noon on August 24, 1946.

The Kachcheri, H. W. ABEYWARDANE,  
Galle, August 9, 1946. Deputy Food Controller.

#### Tenders for handling grain.

THE Chairman, Tender Board, General Treasury, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, will receive Tenders up to 12 noon on Tuesday, August 27, 1946, for the handling of grain at Senanayake Grain Store, Anuradhapura. Tenders should be made on forms obtainable on application from Government Agent, North-Central Province, from whom all particulars can be obtained.

2. A deposit of Rs. 50 (Rupees Fifty) will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, Anuradhapura, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued.

H. C. JAYASEKARA,  
The Kachcheri, for Government Agent, N.-C. P.  
Anuradhapura, August 6, 1946.

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**UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.****The Kandy Rubber and Tea Estates, Limited.  
(In Voluntary Liquidation.)**

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company, which is being voluntarily wound up, are required on or before September 7, 1946, being the day for that purpose fixed by the Liquidators of the said Company, to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims to Reginald Nelson Watkins and Ernest Turner Green, Chartered Accountants, Lloyd's Buildings, Prince street, Colombo, the Joint Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Joint Liquidators, to come in and prove their said debts or claims, and to establish any title they may have to priority, at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or, in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved, or such priority is established, or, as the case may be, from objecting to such distribution.

REGINALD NELSON WATKINS,  
ERNEST TURNER GREEN,  
Joint Liquidators.

Colombo, August 13, 1946.

**The Wellandura Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 14 to 20, 1946, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,  
JAMES FINLAY & CO., LIMITED,  
Agents and Secretaries.

**Opata Tea and Rubber Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from September 14 to 20, 1946, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,  
JAMES FINLAY & CO., LIMITED,  
Agents and Secretaries.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Negombo.

Suna Pana Lena Raman Chettiyar of Kochechikade. Plaintiff.  
No. 11,613. Vs.

Rajapaksemudiyanselage Podi Nona of Galamuna. Defendant.

UNDER decree in the above case and by virtue of the order to sell issued to me for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 550 with interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from March 23, 1938, till October 16, 1940, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the principal and interest at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full less a sum of Rs. 625 paid by the defendant and costs of suit Rs. 128.55, I shall sell by public auction on the 1st mentioned land at Lunuwila, commencing at 3.30 P.M., on Friday, September 6, 1946, the under-mentioned properties mortgaged with the plaintiff as a primary mortgage, to wit:—

1. All the right, title and interest of Rajapakse Mudiyanselage James Appuhamy of Lunuwila, in and to all that land called Kahatagahawattakebella, situate at Lunuwila in Otara Palata of the Pitigal Korale, in the District of Chilaw; containing in extent A 1. R 1. P 35, together with the buildings, plantations and everything thereon held and possessed by R. M. Podi Nona, the defendant, under Decd No. 396 dated September 22, 1937, attested by A. P. Perera, N. P., and regd. in B 98/89.

2. All the right, title and interest of R. M. Podi Nona, in and to all that mortgage bond No. 6,930 dated January 11, 1928, attested by M. D. A. S. Gunasekara, N. P., on which the principal sum of Rs 1,250 is still due to R. M. Podi Nona, the defendant, and by which the following lands have been mortgaged and hypothecated:

(a) All that undivided 1/7 share of the land called Kohombagahawatta *alias* Ambagahawatta, bearing No. R379, situate at Galamuna in Yatakalana pattu of Pitigal korale, in extent A 3. R 2. P 27., and regd. in M 131/142.

(b) All that undivided 1/7 share of the land called Ambagahahena *alias* Kahatagahahena, bearing No. S379, situated at Galamuna, aforesaid; containing in extent A 3. R 1. P 11., and regd. in M 138/54.

(c) All that undivided 1/12 share of the land called Kohombagahawatta *alias* Ambagahawatta, bearing No. Q379, situate at Galamuna aforesaid; containing in extent A 3. R 1. P 36., together with the buildings and plantations on the aforesaid three lands and regd. in M 138/55.

For further particulars please apply to S. K. Wijeratnam, Esq., Proctor, S. C., and N. P., Negombo, or to—

Negombo, August 2, 1946.

S. K. L. PEREIRA & SON,  
Auctioneers.

**Auction Sale.**

A valuable residential property at Pitakande (Lady Blak's Drive) Kandy and in close proximity to the University site.

(Rare opportunity for Capitalists.)

UNDER the commission issued to me in D. C., Kandy, case No. X 693, the estate of the minors, Manohari Mathiaperanum, (2) Manaranjan Mathiaperanum, (3) Lalithamani Mathiaperanum, (4) Pathmawathi Mathiaperanum, (5) Canagaratnam Wijeratnam, (6) Canagaratnam Wijeratnam, (7) Vyryambal Canagaratnam, and (8) B. Canagaratnam, all of King street, Matile, and under court authority, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, September 14, 1946, at 3 P.M., at the spot the premises following:—

All that estate plantation and premises called and known as Nallatenne estate of 13 acres and 6 perches, situate at Pitakande in Gangawata of Yatinuwara now within the town and Municipality of Kandy, Central Province.

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

Castle Stores, K. EDMUND PERERA,  
107, Castle Hill street, Kandy. Auctioneer and Broker, &c.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Kandy.

L. A. Appuhamy of Elpitiya ..... Plaintiff.  
No. P. 1,126. Vs.

(1) L. A. Dugiri Menike, (2) ditto Mudalihamy, (3) ditto Ranhamy, (4) ditto Ranmonike, (5) ditto Ukku Menike, (6) ditto Mutu Menike, all of Elpitiya ..... Defendants.

UNDER the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Saturday, October 5, 1946, at 4 P.M. at Castle Stores, No. 107, Castle Hill street, Kandy, the premises following:—

All the house in extent about five perches standing on the land called Kospelawatte, situate at Elpitiya in Gangapalata korale of Udapalata, Kandy District, Central Province.

For particulars please apply to Messrs. Panabokke & Kobbe-kaduwa, Proctor, &c., Kandy or to me—

Castle Stores, K. EDMUND PERERA,  
107, Castle Hill street, Kandy. Commissioner, &c.

N.B.—The above premises will first be put up for sale among co-owners at the appraised value, should there be no bids among them, then immediately thereafter the same will be offered for sale among the public without reserve.

**Auction Sale under Partition Decree.**

A House and Garden at Byrde street, Gampola.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Don Sugathadasa Ranasinghe of Gampola ..... Plaintiff.

No. P. 237. Vs.

(1) Don Somawathie Ranasinghe, by her guardian *ad litem*, Ariyadasa Ranasinghe, (2) Don Ariyadasa Ranasinghe, (3) Don Leeladasa Ranasinghe, (4) Dona Seelawathie Ranasinghe, all of Sinhayapitiya, (5) Dona Leelawathie Ranasinghe, wife of D. N. Wijsekera of Atabage, Gampola, (6) Dona Gunawathie Ranasinghe, wife of H. D. P. Ranasinghe of Mavilmada, Kandy, (7) Don Piyadasa Ranasinghe of Norwood, Hatton, (8) Dona Amarawathie Ranasinghe, wife of T. G. A. de Silva of Avissawella, (9) Dona Nandawathie Ranasinghe, wife of D. Abeygunawardena of Nawalapitiya, (10) Dona Charlotte Wijsekera, wife of C. G. E. de Silva of Somaland Attabage, Gampola, (11) Dona Harriet Wijsekera, wife of D. B. Mudannayake of Peradeniya road, Kandy, (12) Don David Wijsekera, Karlshru Gardens, Colombo, (13) Don Vincent Wijsekera of Horagolle, Veyangoda, (14) J. A. Perera of Sinhayapitiya, Gampola, (15) D. D. Abeygunawardena of Nawalapitiya ..... Defendants.

UNDER the commission issued to me in the above case, I shall sell by public auction on Thursday, October 10, 1946, at 4 P.M. at the spot the premises following:—

The divided eastern portion of land marked lot C of thirty-seven perches (O.A. OR. 37P.) in extent bearing assessment 99 (presently No. 24) Byrde street, Gampola, out of the land called Pussewattagederawatte, situate at Godagama, now within the Urban Council limits of Gampola, Central Province.

For particulars please apply to V. R. Wickramatilleke, Esq.,  
Proctor, &c., Kandy or to me—

K. EDMUND PERERA,  
Commissioner, Auctioneer, Broker, &c.  
Castle Stores,  
107, Castle Hill street, Kandy.

*N.B.*—The above premises will be put up for sale among the  
co-owners at the appraised value and should there be no bids,  
then immediately thereafter the same will be offered for sale  
among the public without reserve.

#### Notice of Enrolment.

I, Vallipuram Chelliah Murugiah of Matale, and presently of  
12th Lane, Colpetty, do hereby give notice that six weeks  
hence, I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the  
other Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to  
be admitted and enrolled an Advocate of Their Lordships'  
Court.

V. C. MURUGIAH.

June 8, 1946.

#### Notice of Enrolment.

I, Panambarago Marshal Fernando of Pitipana, Nogombo,  
do hereby give notice that six weeks hence I shall apply to the  
Honourable the Chief Justice and other Judges of the Supreme  
Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled as a  
Proctor of Their Lordships' Court.

Pitipana, Nogombo, August 13, 1946. P. MARSHAL FERNANDO.

#### APPLICATIONS FOR FOREIGN LIQUOR LICENCES.

We hereby give notice that we have on June 25, 1946, applied  
to the Government Agent, Western Province, Colombo, for  
the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the  
licensing period ending September 30, 1947, in compliance  
with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 10, 1930.

#### Schedule referred to.

Name and address of applicants: Mackwoods, Ltd., P. O.  
Box 91, Colombo.

Description of licence or licences applied for: Wholesale  
foreign liquor licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: 100, Paranawadiya  
road, Maradana.

for MACKWOODS, LTD.,

L. E. BAKER,  
Director.

August 9, 1946.

I hereby give notice that I have on June 6, 1946, applied  
to the Government Agent, Western Province, for the licence  
shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing  
period ending September 30, 1947, in compliance with the  
Excise Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.

#### Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Mr. B. J. Cooray, 7/12,  
Cooray place, Nugegoda.

Description of licence applied for: Entertainment Bar  
licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Quinlon Theatre,  
39, 41, 43, 45 and 47, Kesbawa road, Nugegoda.

August 10, 1946.

B. J. COORAY.

I hereby give notice that I have on July 30, 1946, applied to  
the Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara for the licence  
shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing period  
ending September 30, 1947, in compliance with Excise  
Notification No. 200 of September 18, 1930.—

#### Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: T. A. Wijetunge, 152,  
Forbes road, Maradana.

Description of licence applied for: Retail off for the sale of  
foreign liquor including locally made malt liquor.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: 161, Main street,  
Horana.

T. A. WIJETUNGE.

We hereby give notice that we have on August 3, 1946,  
applied to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy,  
for the licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the  
licensing period ending September 30, 1947, in compliance  
with Excise Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

#### Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: The Managing Director,  
The Premier Pharmacy, Ward street, Kandy.

Description of licence applied for: Sale of rectified spirits  
and medicated wines.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: 42, Ward street,  
Kandy.

MANAGING DIRECTOR,  
THE PREMIER PHARMACY, KANDY.

I hereby give notice that I have on August 3, 1946, applied  
to the Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya, for the  
licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing  
period ending September 30, 1947, in compliance with Excise  
Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

#### Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Saravanamuttu Naga-  
lingam, Victoria Bar, Hakgala.

Description of licence applied for: Beer and Porter, whole-  
sale and retail.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: Hakgala Bazaar.

V. S. THURAIAPPAN,  
for S. NAGALINGAM.

I hereby give notice that I have on July 29, 1946, applied  
to the Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya, for the  
licence shown in the schedule hereto annexed, for the licensing  
period ending September 30, 1947, in compliance with Excise  
Notification No. 200 of September 30, 1930.

#### Schedule.

Name and address of applicant: Gauthamadasa Weera-  
sooriya & Bro. of the Nuwara Eliya Restaurant, Nuwara Eliya.

Description of licence applied for: Bar licence.

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

Situation of premises to be licensed: New Bazaar, Nuwara  
Eliya.

G. WEERASOORIYA.

#### MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

##### Bd/Elladallua Estate Tamil Mixed School.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been  
received from the Superintendent, Elladallua estate, Badulla,  
for grant in aid of the above school which is situated in the  
Badulla District of the Province of Uva. Observations will  
be received not later than September 19, 1946.

Education Office,  
Colombo, August 2, 1946.

IAN SANDEMAN,  
Director of Education.

##### Department of Commerce and Industries.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Weaving  
School has been registered as grant-in-aid school with effect  
from August 10, 1946.

Name of School.	Situation.	Name and Address of Manager.
Viharamahadevi Weaving School	Rambukowela in Kandy District	T. B. Tennakoon, Esq., Rambukowela, Katugastota

W. J. A. VANLANGENBERG,  
Acting Director of Commerce and Industries.  
Colombo, August 16, 1946.

**Internal Purchase Scheme.***Harvesting of Paddy in Matale District Headquarters Area—  
Yala, 1946.*

HARVESTING of paddy in the Matale District Headquarters area consisting of the Chief Headman's Division of Matale South and that part of the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Matale East comprising Matale Pallesiya pattu, Laggala Udasiya and Pallesiya pattus, and Pussolla, Gurubebila, Kumbaloluwa, Narangolla, and Raitalawo wasamas in Ambanganga korale and Puwakpitiya, Pottotawola and Kandepitawola wasamas in Gangala Udasiya pattus.

By virtue of the powers vested in me by the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulation 37 the Defence (Purchase of Foodstuffs) Regulations, 1942, and the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, I, Cathiravelu Sittampalam, Assistant Government Agent, Matale, do hereby direct that:—

- (a) Every shareholder, whether owner, cultivator or otherwise resident in the Matale District Headquarters area, who receive paddy from fields situated in more than one Chief Headman's or Divisional Revenue Officer's Division shall—
- (1) furnish me within 10 days of the publication of this notice with a declaration on form IPS 4 of the shares he is entitled to receive during Yala, 1946, from every field of which he is a shareholder. Copies of form IPS 4 may be had from the Village Headman of the area in which he resides or from the Chief Headman or the Divisional Revenue Officer or from this Kachcheri,
  - (2) furnish me within 10 days of receipt of forms IPS 6, copies of which shall be posted to him by me on receipt of the perfected form IPS 4 mentioned in (a) (1) above, all particulars called for by form IPS 6. It should be noted that a separate form IPS 6 should be used for each Chief Headman's Division or Divisional Revenue Officer's Division in which the declarant has fields.
- (b) Every shareholder, whether owner, cultivator or otherwise resident in the Matale District Headquarters area, who receive paddy from fields situated in only one Chief Headman's Division shall furnish to the Village Headman of the area in which he resides within 10 days of the publication of this notice all particulars called for in form IPS 6, copies of which may be obtained from the Village Headman of the area in which he resides, or from the Chief Headman or the Divisional Revenue Officer or from this Kachcheri.
- (c) Every shareholder of paddy land, whether owner, cultivator or otherwise resident in the Matale District Headquarters area who does not comply with the instructions set out in paragraphs (a) and (b) above will be liable to be prosecuted without further notice.

The Kachcheri, C. SITTAMPALAM,  
Matale, August 2, 1946. Assistant Government Agent.

**Internal Purchase Scheme—Order.***Harvesting of Paddy in Matale District Emergency Area  
for the Yala Season, 1946.*

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulation 37, the Defence (Purchase of Foodstuffs) Regulations, 1942, the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, and the Defence (Food Rationing) (Special Provisions) Regulations, 1944, I, Reginald Wilfred Tonnekoon, Assistant Government Agent (Emergency) Nalanda, a competent and proper authority, do by this order direct that every owner or cultivator of any land which is cultivated with paddy during the Yala Season, 1946, and which is situated within the Divisional Revenue Officers' divisions of Matale North and Matale East (excluding Pallesiya Pattu, Laggala Udasiya Pattu, Laggala Pallesiya Pattu and the following wasamas in Ambanganga korale: Pussolla, Gurubebila, Kumbaloluwa and Raitalawa) shall—

1. (1) Inform the Village Headman of the area in which the paddy land is situated of the date on which it is proposed to reap the harvest on that land, not less than ten clear days ahead.
- (2) Give the Village Headman or other person authorised by me at his request, the following information relating to the land:—
  - (a) the name, situation and extent of the land;
  - (b) the name and address of the person or persons entitled to take or receive any part of the produce of the land under any contract or agreement or otherwise;
  - (c) the share or shares of the produce to which such person or persons may be entitled.

2. I do further direct that—

- (1) no paddy shall be removed or caused or permitted to be removed by any owner, cultivator, shareholder or by any other person from a field or threshing-floor to a barn or any other place of storage until the Vel Muladeniya or other person authorised by me shall have checked and recorded the total harvest and the shares and except on a permit obtained from a proper authority in terms of paragraph 4 of this Order;
- (2) the Government levy of 1 bushal of well winnowed paddy per acre for the Yala Season, 1946, shall be delivered to the Village Headman or other person authorised by me at the threshing-floor before removal of the crop;
- (3) no paddy shall, without prior authority, be disposed of in any manner other than by way of consumption at approved rates by the owner or cultivator or shareholder and his *bona fide* dependants, subject to a maximum of 50 bushals or such lower quantity as they may be entitled to, until the following harvest;
- (4) no holder of rice ration books shall consume any part of such paddy as has been received into his possession or place of storage, until he shall have in terms of the Defence (Food Rationing) (Special Provisions) Regulations, 1944, surrendered to the Village Headman of the area in which he is resident, the equivalent in rice coupons of such paddy;
- (5) any paddy in excess of the requirements for consumption as laid down in clause (3) and, in the case of those who normally supply seed paddy and customarily feed labourers during cultivation operations, seed paddy at the rate of 2 bushels and feeding allowance at the rate of one bushal per acre or such other quantity of paddy as I may order, shall be sold to the Village Headman on behalf of the Government.

3. The approved rates of consumption of paddy by producers at present are:—

Six measures of paddy per person per week in case of cultivators and owner-cultivators and their dependants and 4 measures of paddy per person per week in case of non-cultivating owners and their dependants. Coupons in respect of paddy shall be surrendered at the rate of one rice coupon for every six measures of paddy received by a cultivator or an owner-cultivator and one rice coupon for every 4 measures of paddy received by a non-cultivating owner.

4. Permits on form (I. P. S. 33a) for transport of paddy from the field or threshing-floor to barn situated within the same Village Headman's Division or from one Village Headman's Division to another within the same Divisional Revenue Officer's division, shall be obtained from the Vel Muladeniya concerned, who will obtain the signature of the remover on the copy of the permit on form (I. P. S. 33a) as proof of removal. For transport from one Divisional Revenue Officer's division to another or from one Emergency A. G. A.'s area to another or from one district to another, application should be made in duplicate to the Government Agent, Assistant Government Agent, or the Assistant Government Agent (Emergency), of the area in which the applicant is resident on form D.F.C. 34, copies of which can be obtained from any of the above officers. To expedite the issue of permits, applicants are requested to produce reports from the Village Headmen of the areas in which the paddy lands are situated, giving particulars of their households and their share of the paddy from various fields respectively.

5. If no application for removal or transport of any share of paddy is received by me within six weeks from the date of harvesting, all stocks of paddy are liable to be requisitioned under the Internal Purchase Scheme.

6. It should be carefully noted that it is an offence not to comply with this order and persons infringing any or all its provisions are liable to be prosecuted.

R. W. TENNEKON,  
Assistant Government Agent (E), Nalanda.

The Emergency Kachcheri,  
Paldeniya, Mahawela, August 6, 1946.

**Internal Purchase Scheme.***Harvesting of Paddy, Nuwara Eliya District—Yala, 1946.*

BY virtue of powers vested in me by the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations 37, the Defence (Purchase of Foodstuffs) Regulations, 1942, and the Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943, I, John William Hamilton O'Regan, Assistant Government Agent, Nuwara Eliya, do hereby direct that:—

- (a) No cultivator, shareholder or other person having interest in any paddy field situated within the Divisional Revenue Officers' Divisions of Walapane and Kotmale shall remove any paddy harvested between August 10, 1946, and November 30, 1946, from a

threshing floor until the harvest has been checked and verified by the Village Headman or any other officer authorized by me in writing.

- (b) Removal of paddy from the field to the barn or place of storage situated in another Village Headman's area but within the same D. R. O's Division should be on permits obtained from the Village Headman of the Wasama in which the field is situated.
- (c) Removal of paddy to places outside the D. R. O's Division should be on permits obtained from me. Non-residents who desire to remove their shares to places outside my emergency area, *i.e.*, Walapane and Kotmale Divisions, should make their applications on form D. F. C. 34 in duplicate to the Revenue Officer or the A. G. A. (E), of the area in which they reside.
- (d) Levy of one bushel per acre from all fields harvested must be delivered at the threshing-floor to the Village Headman of the area or any other officer authorized by me in writing.
- (e) If no application for removal of any share to a place outside the emergency area is received within six weeks of the harvest, the paddy in question will be taken over by me and payment made at the rate of Rs. 6 per bushel of well dried paddy free from chaff, &c.

#### 2. Harvests on registered estates—

Superintendents of estates situated within any of the divisions referred to above are requested to furnish me a declaration of the harvests in terms of Circular No. D. F. C. (E), 47 of October 25, 1944, of the Deputy Food Controller of Estates.

J. W. H. O'REGAN,  
Assistant Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Nuwara Eliya, August 10, 1946.

#### Ceylon Government Railway.

THE Railway level crossing at 3 miles 74½ chains between Kelaniya and Humupitiya—Main Line, will be partially blocked to all vehicular traffic from 6 P.M. on Saturday, August 24, 1946, to 11 P.M. same day, and completely blocked from 11 P.M. on Saturday, August 24, 1946, to 3 A.M. on Sunday, August 25, 1946, for effecting repairs.

During the period of complete blockage, traffic on the Colombo-Kandy road could use an alternative route *via* the minor road, which connects the Colombo-Kandy road to the Colombo-Negombo road near the 5½ and 4½ mileposts of the respective roads.

During the period of partial blockage, traffic will be assisted over the crossing.

July 22, 1946.

J. E. S. BODGER,  
Acting General Manager.

#### Ceylon Government Railway.

THE Railway level crossing at 77 miles 52 chains—Main Line, between Gampola and Peradeniya Junction, will be partially closed to vehicular traffic from 8 P.M. on Saturday, August 24, 1946, to 6 A.M. on Sunday, August 25, 1946, for effecting repairs. Between 10.30 P.M. and 3.30 A.M. the road will be completely closed.

July 27, 1946.

J. E. S. BODGER,  
Acting General Manager.

#### Supervisor, Building Construction, Colonization and Village Expansion Schemes, Kandy District.

APPLICATIONS from Ceylonese for the post of Supervisor, Building Construction, Colonization and Village Expansion Schemes, Kandy District, will be received by me till noon on September 4, 1946.

2. Applicants who must state their age and educational qualifications should possess sound practical experience of building construction and draughtsmanship, including taking out quantities, preparing estimates and plans. They should also be able to supervise and control labour. An elementary knowledge of survey work is necessary. At least two testimonials should be furnished by each applicant in respect of his qualifications and experience.

3. The salary attached to the post is Rs. 5 per diem plus war allowance. A bicycle allowance of Rs. 7, per mensem, is also payable.

4. The appointment is temporary and liable to termination on two weeks notice.

The Kachcheri,  
Kandy, August 16, 1946.

R. ALUWIHARE,  
Government Agent.

#### Defence (Paddy Cultivation) Regulations, 1943.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by regulation 2 of the above regulations published in *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,176 of September 27, 1943, I do hereby fix September 25, 1946, as the last date by which operations for cultivation of paddy lands in Raigam korale and September 15, 1946, as the last date by which operations for cultivation of paddy lands in Panadura Totamune for Maha Season should commence.

Further, notice is given that Regulation 3 of the aforesaid regulations authorises me to take possession of any paddy lands where such operations shall not have commenced before the prescribed dates.

T. E. GUNARATNE,  
Additional Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara.

Emergency Kachcheri,  
Horana, August 6, 1946.

#### Department of Medical and Sanitary Services.

##### Posts of Psychiatric Social Workers.

APPLICATIONS are invited from females for two posts of Psychiatric Social Workers in the Department of Medical and Sanitary Services.

2. Applicants must be Ceylonese according to the following definitions:—

- (a) A British subject who is born in Ceylon one of whose parents was born in Ceylon, or
- (b) A British subject who is a descendant of a person falling within category (a), or
- (c) A British subject deemed by the Governor with the advice of the Board of Ministers in view of Special circumstances to be a Ceylonese.

3. Applicants should be between the ages of 25 and 35 years and should have passed S. S. C. (English) Examination or equivalent or higher Examination, and should have had a training at a University or a recognised clinic for Psychiatry or Child Guidance.

4. The post is non-pensionable and carries a salary scale of Rs. 2,280—240/2—4,200 per annum.

5. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will in the case of a new entrant to the Public Service be governed by the recommendations of Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934. Rent allowance is payable according to Financial Regulations.

6. The selected candidates will be on two years probation.

7. Applications from those already in the Public Service should be sent through the Heads of their Departments and should specify whether their present posts are permanent and pensionable or temporary and their present salary.

8. A new entrant to the Public Service will before appointment be required to pass a Medical Examination.

9. The salary scale and conditions of service will be revised if and when the recommendations of Sessional Paper VIII. of 1946 are adopted by Government.

10. Applications should contain the following information:—

- (a) Name in full and address: \_\_\_\_\_.
- (b) Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_.
- (c) Educational qualifications with special reference to knowledge of Sinhalese and Tamil: \_\_\_\_\_.
- (d) Special training received: \_\_\_\_\_.
- (e) Previous and/or present employment, if any: \_\_\_\_\_.

Two copies (not originals) of recent testimonials should be attached to the applications.

11. Applications should be addressed to the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, P. O. Box 500, Colombo, and should reach him not later than September 7, 1946. Applications should not be addressed to any officer of this department personally.

H. E. SCHOKMAN,  
for Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.

Office of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services,  
Colombo, August 14, 1946.

#### Post of Typist-Clerk.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Assistant Government Agent (E), A. K. K., up to August 27, 1946, for one post of typist-clerk.

2. Applicants should be between the ages of 23 and 30 and should have passed the S. S. C. (English) Examination or its equivalent. They should also possess a speed of at least 40 words a minute. Preference will be given to candidates who have previous experience.

3. The post is temporary and non-pensionable. The selected candidate will be paid at the rate of Rs. 1.70 per day plus war allowance during the first six months and thereafter, if found suitable, will be placed on the monthly scale of



Rs. 50—5—140 per month. Conditions of service will be governed by regulations applicable to temporary employees in the Public Service.

4. The selected candidate will be required to take up appointment on September 2, 1946.

The Kachcheri, A. K. K., C. T. PERERA,  
Gampaha, August 13, 1946. Assistant Government Agent (E),  
A. K. K.

#### Applications for the Post of Storekeeper M. C. Stores, Fort, Galle.

1. APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Storekeeper, M. C. Stores, Flour Store, Fort, Galle. Applications should be addressed to the Deputy Food Controller, Galle, and should reach me on or before August 24, 1946.

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 2·25 per day plus War Allowance for a period of six months and thereafter the successful applicant if found satisfactory will be placed on a monthly salary of Rs. 85 plus War Allowance. The appointment is temporary and non-pensionable and is liable to be terminated at one month's notice. The successful candidate should furnish security in cash in Rs. 2,000.

3. Applicants should have passed the Junior School Leaving Certificate Examination in English or an equivalent or higher Examination. Preference will be given to applicants who have had a previous knowledge of storekeeping.

The Kacheheri, H. W. ABEYWARDANE,  
Galle, August 8, 1946. for Deputy Food Controller.

#### Post of Temporary Storekeeper.

APPLICATIONS will be received by me for the post of Temporary Storekeeper, Subsidiary Foodstuffs Depot, Nuwara Eliya, up to 12 noon on August 26, 1946.

2. The post is temporary and non-pensionable. The successful candidate will however be required to contribute to the Public Services Provident Fund. Grant of leave and other conditions of service will be governed by the regulation applicable to temporary employees in the Public Service. The services of the successful applicant are liable to be terminated on one month's notice, and in the event of the applicant resigning the post he will be required to give one full calendar month's notice or pay to the credit of the Ceylon Government a month's salary.

3. Salary Rs. 125 per mensem plus war allowance.

There are no set office hours but selected candidates must be prepared to work after usual office hours of Government offices and if necessary on Sundays and Public Holidays without extra remuneration or lieu leave.

4. Applications should be in the applicant's own handwriting and his full name and address be given in block letters. All previous employment and nature of work performed should be stated with reasons for leaving such employment. Copies of recent testimonials typewritten, should be attached to the application, originals to be produced if and when the applicant is called for an interview.

5. The successful candidate will be required to furnish cash security in Rs. 2,000 prior to taking up the appointment.

6. Any attempt to interview the D. F. C. or any member of this department on behalf of any candidate will render the candidate liable to disqualification. Applications should not be addressed to me personally.

J. W. H. O'REGAN,  
Assistant Government Agent.  
The Kachcheri,  
Nuwara Eliya, August 8, 1946.

#### Department of Medical and Sanitary Services.

##### Post of Overseer.

APPLICATIONS are invited to fill a post of Overseer, permanent and pensionable in the Sanitary Engineering Division of this Department on the salary scale Rs. 1,020—50—1,320 per annum. The selected candidate will be placed on the new salary scale recommended by the Salaries Commission in Sessional Paper VIII. of 1946 if and when adopted by Government.

2. Applicants must be under thirty-five years of age and should have passed at least the S. S. C. Examination, or higher or equivalent Examination and should have a thorough knowledge of surveying and levelling, drawing, taking out quantities, preparing estimates and must possess at least five years practical experience in Engineering construction works and management of labour. He must also be able to prepare reports, measure out works and prepare bills of quantities.

3. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will be governed by the recommendations of Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934 until such time as the recommendations of Sessional Paper VIII. of 1946 are adopted by Government. Rent allowance will be paid according to Financial Regulations.

4. Applicants must produce proof of practical experience, educational qualifications and character by annexing only copies of certificates and must be able to produce the originals when required. Applications will not be acknowledged.

5. Applicants must be prepared to undergo a practical test in surveying and levelling and any other written or oral test that may be considered necessary prior to selection.

6. Applications from persons already in the Public Service will not be considered unless forwarded through the Head of the Department in which they are working.

7. Applications stating age, full particulars of training and experience accompanied by copies of testimonials should be addressed to the Sanitary Engineer, 22, 43rd lane, Wollawatta, and should reach his office not later than August 30, 1946. Applications addressed to me or to any other officer of this Department personally will not be considered.

S. F. CHELLAPPAI,  
Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.  
Office of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.  
Colombo, August 13, 1946.

#### Ceylon Technical College.

APPLICATIONS will be received by me up to noon on August 31, 1946, for the post of Lecturer in Civil Engineering, Ceylon Technical College. Applications should be made in duplicate, on a special form obtainable from me.

2. Candidates not already in the Public Service must be Ceylonese and should possess a 1st or 2nd Class Honours Degree of a University in the British Empire offering Civil Engineering subjects in the advanced section and should be Chartered Engineers. They should have practical experience in positions of responsibility or considerable lecturing experience at a University or Technical College. Preference will be given to those who have undertaken research work. Applications may also be considered from those who are not Chartered Engineers, provided that they have completed a satisfactory period of training as Assistant under agreement under a Chartered Engineer.

3. The post is not pensionable and the salary scale is Rs. 6,840 rising by 10 annual increments of Rs. 384 and 2 of Rs. 420 to Rs. 11,520 per annum. The appointment will, in the first instance, be on agreement for two years terminable on one month's notice by either side with the possibility of extension at the end of this period. Continued employment will be offered if the services of the selected candidate prove satisfactory. The salary proposed for this post in S. P. VIII of 1946 is Rs. 8,040 rising by annual increments, 1 of 360 and 9 of Rs. 480 to Rs. 12,720 per annum, and if this salary is eventually approved the selected candidate will be eligible for this salary scale in due course.

4. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will, in the case of a new entrant to the Public Service be governed by the recommendations in the Sessional Paper VIII of 1934. The selected candidate, if not already in Government Service will be required to pass a medical examination before appointment.

5. Applications from those already in Government Service should be forwarded through the Heads of their Departments. If selected, the pensionable service under Government, if any, will be conserved by secondment or by declaring the new post pensionable while held by him.

R. H. PAUL,  
Acting Director,  
Colombo, August 12, 1946. Ceylon Technical College.

#### Education Department—Post of Biology Master.

APPLICATIONS are invited from Graduates for two posts of Biology Master, Royal College.

Preference will be given to Graduates who can teach Botany and Zoology to the highest classes.

The scale of salary will be Rs. 3,756—252—5,016 with appropriate adjustment in case old entrants are appointed. The appointments will be temporary.

Rent allowance is payable according to the Government rates. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will in the case of a new entrant to the Public Service be governed by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII of 1934.

The successful candidates, if not already in the Public Service, will be required before appointment to pass a Medical Examination as to their physical fitness. The selected candidates may be required to serve in a post of similar status in any part of the Island.

Applications from those already in Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Heads of the Departments concerned.

Applications must be on a special form obtainable from the Principal, Royal College, and should reach him on or before August 28, 1946. Copies of not more than three testimonials should be sent with the applications.

Education Office,  
Colombo August 1, 1946. IAN SANDEMAN,  
Director of Education.

**Department of Government Electrical Undertakings,  
Assistant Foreman, Grade II.**

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above post on the salary scale of Rs. 1,080 per annum rising by annual increments of Rs. 60 to Rs. 1,440 per annum. The post is non-pensionable and on a Provident Fund basis.

2. Applicants should have passed the Junior School Certificate Examination and have not less than 5 years' practical training in electrical engineering and possess the City & Guilds Grade I. Certificate in Electrical Technology or equivalent qualifications. Applicants should not be more than 30 years of age.

3. Applications stating age, details of qualifications and experience should be addressed to the Chief Engineer and Manager, Department of Government Electrical Undertakings, and should reach the office not later than 1 p.m. on August 30, 1946. Applications from those already in service should be sent through the respective Heads of the Departments in which the applicant is employed.

4. Applications from Ex-Service men will also be considered provided they possess the requisite qualifications.

5. Applications should not be addressed to the undersigned personally.

C. H. BRAZEL,  
Chief Engineer & Manager, Department  
of Government Electrical Undertakings.  
Colombo, August 8, 1946.

**Irrigation Department, Ceylon**

*Vacancies for Junior Assistant Irrigation Engineers.*

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Junior Assistant Irrigation Engineer. Applicants must possess an engineering degree of a British University or a Doctorate of a Continental University or a First or Second Class Degree of Bombay, Calcutta or Madras University or must be Associate Members of the Institution of Civil Engineers.

2. The present salary scale of the post is Rs. 2,850 to Rs. 3,750 per annum by increments of Rs. 150. The scale proposed in Sessional Paper VIII. of 1946 which has been approved by the State Council, subject to minor modifications during the discussion of the Budget proposals is Rs. 3,360 to Rs. 4,080 per annum by increments of Rs. 360. The appointments will be on probation for 3 years. At the end of the three years the Probationers will be confirmed if their reports are satisfactory or their services terminated if they are not. No extension of the probationary period will be allowed in any circumstances. A Departmental (professional) examination to be passed any time after the third year will render a Junior Assistant Irrigation Engineer eligible for promotion to the Assistant Irrigation Engineer grade. The present salary scale of the grade is Rs. 4,560 to Rs. 6,720 by increments of Rs. 360, but the new salary scale proposed is Rs. 5,160 to Rs. 7,680 per annum by increments of Rs. 360. The officer will be eligible for promotion to the Irrigation Engineer grade.

3. The grant of leave and other conditions of service will in the case of new entrants to the Public Service be governed by the recommendations in Sessional Paper VIII. of 1934.

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

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

6. Applications with copies of testimonials must be sent to the Director of Irrigation (and not to me personally), Colombo, before September 1, 1946, stating age, whether married or single, training, experience, and professional qualifications. An application from a person already in the Government Service will be considered only if forwarded through the Head of his Department.

Office of the Director of Irrigation, S. G. TAYLOR,  
Colombo, August 13, 1946. Director of Irrigation.

**Vacancy—Temporary Stenographer.**

APPLICATIONS are invited for a Male Stenographer. Speed: Shorthand minimum 80 words a minute; typewriting 40 words a minute. Salary Rs. 2.50 per diem and war allowance. Educational qualifications: S. S. C. (English) or equivalent examination.

The post is temporary and non-pensionable. Applications should reach me on or before August 23, 1946.

Applications should not be addressed to me personally.

M. SRI KHANTA,  
Assistant Government Agent-(Emergency).

The Kachcheri,  
Jaffna, August 8, 1946.

**Post of Temporary Storekeeper.**

APPLICATIONS invited post of temporary Storekeeper, Subsidiary Foodstuffs Depot, Mannar.

2. Minimum qualification: Junior School Certificate Examination in English. Applicants should state age, and annex copies of two recent testimonials.

3. Salary: Rs. 2.50 per diem and War Allowance. On completion 6 months satisfactory service, appointment will be on following monthly scale: Rs. 75—5—140.

4. Selected applicant must furnish cash security in Rs. 1,000 to be deposited at time of appointment.

5. Applications close at 12 noon on August 23, 1946.

Mannar, August 7, 1946. Assistant Government Agent.

**Scholarships for Educational Research.**

FOUR Scholarships tenable for a period of two years at a University in the United Kingdom approved by H. E. the Governor, will be awarded to graduates of distinction, preferably to those possessing a good honours degree and satisfactory teaching experience, to enable them to pursue a course of study and research approved by the Director of Education and specially designed to fit them for work in Government Training Colleges.

2. The duration of a Scholarship may be extended to a further period of one year in cases where the Scholarship holder is engaged in a course of approved study which lasts for more than two years, provided the Director of Education is satisfied that he or she has shown marked promise and ability during the first two years of the tenure of scholarship.

3. The annual value of a scholarship will be £360 (including fees) when held in Collegiate residence at Oxford or Cambridge, £325 (including fees) when held in a non-Collegiate residence at Oxford or Cambridge, and £240 (with fees) if held at any other University in the United Kingdom, together with an outfit allowance of Rs. 750 and a second class passage to the United Kingdom and back.

The Medical expenses of the scholarship holders will be paid by Government in cases recommended by the Director of Colonial Scholars or any other approved authority, but the total sum which will be paid for any one scholar on this account is limited to £50.

4. A candidate to be eligible for one of these scholarships:—

- (a) must be a Ceylonese.
- (b) must not be over 40 years of age on the date fixed for closing applications.
- (c) should normally possess a First or Second Class Honours degree of an approved University and must be recommended by his or her professors as suitable for undertaking research work of the kind indicated in para (1).
- (d) on selection must produce medical evidence of physical fitness to undergo a course of study and research at the University to which he or she is proceeding.

5. A candidate selected for an award must enter into a bond with the Director of Education in such an amount as may be prescribed, undertaking to repay to the Government the amount expended on his or her scholarship in the event of his failing to return to Ceylon on the termination of the scholarship or failing to engage himself in Educational Work in a Government Training College, to the satisfaction of the Director of Education for a period of at least five years after his return to the Island on the expiry of the scholarship.

6. On the termination of the scholarship, scholars who have successfully completed their course of studies will be given preference for employment in the Education Department, provided there are suitable vacancies. No guarantee of such employment is given.

Applications on the specimen form given below should be forwarded to the Director of Education, Branch A. B., Colombo, before 1 p.m., on August 31, 1946.

Only copies of Certificates should be attached and these will not be returned.

A tentative programme of work for one year should be attached to the application.

Education Office, IAN SANDEMAN,  
Colombo, August 8, 1946. Director of Education.

*Specimen Form.*

Application for Scholarship for Educational Research.

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Educational qualifications with dates and particulars of Division and Class: \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Present Post and date of Appointment: \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Record of service: \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Particulars of the course of study the applicant proposes to follow. A programme of work for one year should be annexed: \_\_\_\_\_.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_.

Signature of Applicant.

**Closing of the Civil Medical Stores for the Annual Verification and Stock Taking.**

THE Civil Medical Stores will be closed so far as the issue of drugs, &c., is concerned from September 1 to September 30, 1946 (both days inclusive), for the purpose of the Annual Verification and Stock taking.

Heads of Departments, all officers in charge of hospitals and dispensaries, and superintendents of estates, &c., are requested to note that no requisitions for drugs, &c., except urgent items as Sera and Quinine will be entertained during this period.

S. F. CHELLAPPAH,

Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.  
Office of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services,  
Colombo, August 9, 1946.

THE Government Stores Department will be closed in so far as the issue of stores is concerned from September 23 to October 5, 1946 (both days inclusive), for purpose of the annual stock taking and verification.

Heads of Departments are requested to note that requisitions which do not permit of being fully executed by September 15, 1946, will not be accepted after August 31, 1946.

E. V. FRANK,  
Deputy Superintendent of Stores.

WHEREAS rabies exist in Hambantota District, it is hereby notified under section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance of 1893, Chapter 333, Volume VI., that any dog found in any place or road or other place other than a private building, compound or garden and not being tied up or led, shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith.

This proclamation shall take effect from August 1, 1946.

The Kachcheri,  
Hambantota, August 7, 1946.

C. J. OORLOFF,  
A. G. A.

**Rabies.**

WHEREAS danger of rabies exists in Pallepallata korale in Tumpano in Kandy District of the Central Province, notice is hereby given in terms of section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333), Legislative Enactments, 1938, that the said korale is, from the date hereof, proclaimed as an area within which rabies exists.

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

The Kachcheri,  
Kandy, August 10, 1946.

R. ALUWIHARE,  
Government Agent.

**MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.****KANDY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Supplemental Budget No. 1 of 1946, which is to be laid before the next General Meeting of the Municipal Council is now open for public inspection at the Municipal Office.

Kandy, August 12, 1946. W. GOPALLAWA,  
Municipal Commissioner.

**GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.**

**Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance (Chapter 194) as applied to the Galle Municipal Council by Proclamation published in Government Gazette No. 8,370 of May 27, 1938.**

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of Section 27 (2) of the Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance (Chapter 194), as applied to the Galle Municipal Council by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette* No. 8,370 of May 27, 1938, of the holding of an election of a Councillor for the Dadalla Ward.

Nomination papers of candidates, prepared and submitted in accordance with the requirements of Section 29, will be received by the Returning Officer at the Municipal Office, Galle, from 12 noon until 1 P.M., on Saturday, August 31, 1946.

The Municipal Office, W. A. GOONETILLEKE,  
Galle, August 12, 1946. Acting Municipal Commissioner.

**Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance (Chapter 194) as applied to the Galle Municipal Council by Proclamation published in Government Gazette No. 8,370 of May 27, 1938.**

I, William Augustus Goonetilleke, Acting Municipal Commissioner, Galle, in pursuance of Section 28 of the Colombo Municipal Council (Constitution) Ordinance (Chapter 194) as applied to the Galle Municipal Council by Proclamation

published in the *Government Gazette* No. 8,370 of May 27, 1938, hereby appointed Mr. Arumugam Vairamuttu Chimmiah, Municipal Electrical Engineer, to be the Returning Officer of the Dadalla Ward of the Galle Municipality for the purpose of election of a Councillor to fill the present vacancy in that Ward.

The Municipal Office, W. A. GOONETILLEKE,  
Galle, August 12, 1946. Acting Municipal Commissioner

**TRADE MARK NOTICES.**

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

(1) Trade Mark No. 9,247. (2) Date of Receipt: March 27, 1946. (3) Applicant (Proprietor of the Trade Mark): ORIS WATCH CO. LTD. (a company organized under the laws of Switzerland), Holstein, Switzerland; watch manufacturers. (4) Address for service in the Island: C/o Julius & Croasy, Colombo. (5) Class: 10. (6) Goods: Watches and parts thereof (except cases sold separately). (7) Representation of the Trade Mark:

**VIRTUS.**

Registrar-General's Office, R. B. NAISH,  
Colombo, August 5, 1946. Registrar of Trade Marks.

**NOTICES UNDER "THE EXCISE ORDINANCE, NO 8 OF 1912."****Arrack Rent Sales, Galle District, 1946-47.**

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of selling arrack by retail in the taverns mentioned in the schedule hereto attached during the rent period October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947, subject to the following conditions:—

- (a) The General conditions applicable to all Excise Licences set forth in Excise Notification No. 329 published in *Government Gazette* No. 8,368 of May 11, 1938, and
  - (b) The revised Arrack Rent Sale Conditions published in *Gazette* No. 9,585 of July 26, 1946.
2. A tender deposit of Rs. 500 must be made at any Kachcheri and the receipt attached to the tender.
  3. Tenders must be made on the prescribed form obtainable at any Kachcheri or the Office of the Excise Commissioner, Katugastota. Every tender must be placed in a sealed envelope and clearly marked on the top left hand corner thus:—"Tender for Arrack Taverns Nos. 1 and 2 Katugoda and Heenatigala Group".
  4. The successful tenderer shall immediately on being declared the purchaser of the rent sign the rent sale conditions and pay to the under signed the security deposit in terms of the aforesaid rent sale conditions.
  5. Tenders close on Wednesday, August 28, 1946, at 10 A.M. and the tenderers must be present at the Kachcheri at that time.
  6. If any tenderer, on being declared the purchaser of the privilege declines to sign the conditions of sale or fails to furnish the required security when called upon to do so, the tender deposit made by him will be declared to be forfeited, and the defaulter will render himself liable to have his name entered in the list of defaulters in respect of all Excise Licences. Subject to this exception, the deposit of all tenderers will be returned after the conditions of sales have been signed by the successful tenderer or bidder.
  7. The undersigned reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all tenders received without assigning any reason for so doing.
  8. Further particulars can be had on application at the Galle Kachcheri.

The Kachcheri,  
Galle, August 9, 1946.

W. O. STEVENS,  
Government Agent.

*Schedule referred to.*

Serial No.	Division.	Local area (within which tavern may be cited).
1	Galle Municipality Ward No. 5	On either side of the Galle-Matara road at Katugoda between Bouna Vista bridge and the 74½ mile post
2	Talpe pattu	Within the village of Heenatigala

*Opening and Closing Hours.*

Katugoda Tavern No. 1	..	Opening hour	..	8 A.M.
		Closing hour	..	7 P.M.
Heentigala Tavern No. 2	..	Opening hour	..	8 A.M.
		Closing hour	..	7 P.M.

**Arrack Rent Sales—Hambantota Tavern No. 1  
for 1946-47.**

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of selling arrack by retail at Arrack Tavern No. 1 in Hambantota town within the area of the Urban Council of Hambantota, during the period October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947.

2. The arrack tavern will be required to be kept open between the hours of 8 A.M. and 7 A.M.

3. The sale will be subject to:—

(i.) the arrack rent sales conditions appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 9,285 of July 26, 1946.

(ii.) the general conditions applicable to all excise licences appearing in Excise Notification No. 329 published in *Government Gazette* No. 8,368 of May 11, 1938.

4. Every tender must be made on the prescribed form which may be obtained at the Hambantota Kachcheri, and must be accompanied by a Treasury or Kachcheri receipt acknowledging the deposit of a sum of rupees one hundred only (Rs. 100) for the purpose.

5. Every tender must be placed in a sealed envelope clearly marked in the top left hand corner thus:—“Tender for Arrack Tavern No. 1, Hambantota, 1946-47” and must reach the Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota District before 11 A.M., on August 22, 1946. Tenders will close on the date and time specified above. Tenderers should be present at the Kachcheri at the time of closing of tenders.

6. The successful tenderer shall, immediately on being declared to be the purchaser of the privilege, sign the conditions of sale and pay to the Assistant Government Agent as

security deposit a sum equivalent to two months' rent payable for that privilege.

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

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

9. Further particulars can be obtained on application at the Hambantota Kachcheri.

*Note*—The security required from the grantee of the tavern can be furnished in the form of Promissory Notes of any of the Ceylon Government interest-bearing loans (including the interest-bearing war loans). These loans carry a higher rate of interest than fixed deposits in Banks and the interest is paid half-yearly by the Government to the holder. When the rent period is over and the security can be released the notes can be tendered by the holder as security for subsequent rents or contracts with the Government or where the holder has no further rents or contracts with Government the value of the notes can be realized without loss in the open market. The Banks too accept these notes as security for overdrafts.

The Kachcheri, C. J. OORLOFF,  
Hambantota, August 12, 1946. Assistant Government Agent,

**Sale of Arrack-Rents, Province of Uva, 1946-47.**

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned at the Badulla Kachcheri for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of selling arrack by retail at the arrack taverns referred to in the Schedule below during the period October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947, subject to—

(i.) Arrack Rent Sale Conditions appearing in *Government Gazette* No. 9,585 of July 26, 1946, and

(ii.) The General Conditions applicable to all Excise Licences appearing in Excise Notification No. 329 published in *Government Gazette* No. 8,368 of May 11, 1938.

2. Every tender shall be made on the prescribed form obtainable at any Kachcheri, the Excise Head Office, Katugastota, and the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Excise, C. D., Kandy, and must be made by the tenderer in his own name. No tender will be accepted if made through an agent.

3. A separate tender shall be made for each tavern or for each group of taverns, and no person shall send in more than one tender for any one tavern or group of taverns.

4. Every tender shall be accompanied by a Kachcheri receipt acknowledging the deposit of Rs. 500 and the number and date of such receipt must be entered on the face of the tender form.

5. Every tender shall be placed in a sealed envelope clearly marked in the top-left-hand corner with the number and name of the tavern in respect of which the tender is made, or the number attached to the group and the names of the taverns in that group.

6. Tenders will close on *Monday September 2, 1946*, at the hours specified in column (6) of the Schedule below for each tavern or group of taverns. No tender will be accepted, unless the person making such tender is present in person at the given time.

7. Conditions of Sale and any other particulars can be obtained on application at the Badulla Kachcheri.

8. The security required from the grantee of the tavern can be furnished in the form of Promissory Notes of any of the Ceylon Government interest-bearing loans (including the interest-bearing war loans). These loans carry a higher rate of interest than fixed deposits in Banks, and the interest is paid half-yearly by Government to the holder. When the rent period is over and the security can be released, the notes can be tendered by the holder as security for subsequent rents or contracts with Government, or where the holder has no further rents or contracts with Government, the value of the notes can be realized without loss in the open market. The Banks too accept these notes as security for over-drafts. In the alternative, the security be paid in cash.

9. The Estate Arrack Canteen in the Province sanctioned for 1946-47 is as follows:—

Serial No.	Local Area.	Division.	Hours of Opening and Closing.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1 ..	Within the boundaries of Keenapitiya estate, Koslanda	Wellawaya	.. Hours to be fixed by the Superintendent of the Estate

The Kachcheri,  
Badulla, August 13, 1946.

W. HOLMES,  
Government Agent.

*Schedule referred to.*

Serial No.	Local Area within which the tavern may be sited.	Division.	Hour of opening of Tavern.	Hour of closing of Tavern.	Hour of closing of Tender.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	On one side of Lower street and Russell road (from assessment No. 4, Lower street to Assessment No. 19, Russell road) in Ward No. 6, Central, and Ward No. 9, Hindagoda; and on other side of Lower street and Russell road (from assessment No. 1, Lower street, to assessment No. 15, Russell road) in Ward No. 7, East-Central and Ward No. 9, Hindagoda	Badulla Urban			
2.	Within the village of Madulsima	Yatikinda	8. 0 A.M.	7. 0 P.M.	11. 0 A.M.
3.	Within the former Sanitary Board town of Lunugala	do.	8. 0 ..	6. 30 ..	11. 15 ..
4.	Within the village of Bibile	Wellassa	8. 0 ..	6. 30 ..	11. 30 ..
5.	Within the Sanitary Board limits of Haputale	Haputale Sanitary Board Town	8. 0 ..	7. 0 ..	

**SALE OF TOLLS AND OTHER RENTS.****Sale of Toll Rent, Kandy District, 1946-47.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government Agent, Central Province, will receive sealed tenders for the purchase of the under-mentioned toll rent for the period from October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947. Sealed tenders must be handed in personally at the Kandy Kachcheri at 2.30 P.M., on September 4, 1946, and no tender received after the date and hour above mentioned, will be considered.

2. A tender deposit of Rs. 25 must be made at a Kachcheri and the receipt attached to the tender. If any tenderer on being declared the purchaser of the rent declines or fails to sign the conditions of sale, or to enter into the bond, or to furnish the required security, the tender deposit will be forfeited, and such tenderer will be liable to be excluded from holding any Government contracts in future.

3. The successful tenderer will be bound by the conditions of sale of ferry tolls copies of which can be seen at the Kandy Kachcheri, and will be required to furnish approved security for one half of the whole purchase amount, or in cash for one third of the whole purchase amount.

4. He will be required to deposit money to pay the Crown Proctor for examining and giving his opinion on the title deeds of the property tendered by him as security, and for drawing and settling the security bond, and expenses of appraising the properties and of registering the security bond and the stamp duty on the bond under Ordinance No. 10 of 1919.

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

6. He will be further required to furnish through his Proctor a warrant of Attorney to confess judgment on form G. A. C. 81

7. The renter shall pay the cost of any special repairs to the boats that shall become necessary on account of his

servants' negligence. He shall deposit on the day of sale a sum of Rs. 100 as security for the payment of cost of all such repairs.

8. The Government Agent reserves to himself the right without question of rejecting any or all tenders.

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

R. ALUWIHARE,

Government Agent, Central Province.

The Kachcheri,  
Kandy, August 12, 1946.

*Description of Rent.*

Toll at the Weragantota Ferry.

**NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.**

*(Continued from page 1420.)*

GOVERNMENT Agent, N. P., will receive tenders up to 12 noon on—

(1) Tuesday, September 3, 1946, for the service of weighing out salt to traders at Chiviyateru and Tondaimanar Salt Stores for the period October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947.

(2) Wednesday, September 4, 1946, for the supply of the following materials to the Salt pans at Chiviyateru, Karanavai, and Vellapparavai and to the salt stores at Tondaimanar whenever required during the period October 1, 1946 to September 30, 1947, viz., Naar baskets, ola mats, palmyrah olas, vadali olas, palmyrah stalks, palmyrah posts, alampal and cadjans.

2. Tender forms may be obtained at the Jaffna Kachcheri on the production of a tender deposit receipt for Rs. 25 in each case. Further particulars may be obtained from the Jaffna Kachcheri.

Jaffna, July 30, 1946.

M. PONNAMBALAM,  
for Government Agent.

**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.***(Continued from page 1418.)*

L. D.—CF. 12/42.

**THE DEFENCE (MISCELLANEOUS) REGULATIONS.**

ORDER made by the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by regulation 2 of the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations, which, in accordance with the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Order, 1946, has effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, of the Imperial Parliament.

By His Excellency's command,

C. H. HARTWELL,

Colombo, 16 August, 1946. Secretary to the Governor.

*Order.*

The Order made under regulation 2 of the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations and published in *Gazette* No. 8,915 of April 17, 1942, as amended by any subsequent Order, is hereby further amended in the Schedule thereto, by the rescission of paragraph 3 (g.)

L. D.—CF. 12/42.

**THE DEFENCE (MISCELLANEOUS) REGULATIONS.**

ORDER made by the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by regulation 2 of the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations, which continues in force by virtue of the Emergency Laws (Transitional Provisions) Order, 1946.

By His Excellency's command,

C. H. HARTWELL,

Colombo, 16 August, 1946. Secretary to the Governor.

*Order.*

The Order made under regulation 2 of the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations and published in *Gazette* No. 8,915 of April 17, 1942, as amended by any subsequent Order, is hereby further amended in the Schedule thereto, by the rescission of paragraph 3 (g).