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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information:—

An Ordinance to incorporate the Lanka Mahila Samiti.

WHEREAS an Association of women's institutes in Ceylon called and known as the "Lanka Mahila Samiti" has hitherto been established for the purpose of effectively carrying out and transacting all matters connected with the said Association according to the Rules agreed to by its members.

Preamble.

And whereas the said Association has heretofore successfully carried out and transacted the several objects and matters for which it was established, and has applied to be incorporated, and it will be for the public advantage to grant the application:

BE it, therefore, enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof as follows:

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Lanka Mahila Samiti (Incorporation) Ordinance No. of 1947.

Short title.

2. From and after the date of the commencement of this Ordinance, the President, Vice-President and other members of the Lanka Mahila Samiti (hereinafter referred to as "the Association"), and such and so many persons as may hereafter be members of the Association for the time being shall become and be a corporation with continuance for ever under the name and style of "the Lanka Mahila Samiti" and by that name shall and may be sued in all courts with full power and authority to have and use a common seal and to change and alter the same at their pleasure.

Incorporation of Lanka Mahila Samiti.

3. The general objects of the Association are hereby declared to be—

Objects.

- (1) to promote and assist the establishment in Ceylon of women's associations or mahila samiti, with the object of furthering concerted work among women for their educational, social and economic progress and advancement and generally of carrying on propaganda designed to further the uplift of the women of Ceylon.
- (2) to act as a central federation of mahila samiti throughout Ceylon and to assist in the furtherance of the objects and interests of such samiti;
- (3) to take steps for the appointment and constitution in the Provinces of Ceylon of Provincial Committees for the promotion and encouragement of the following aims and objects of mahila samiti, that is to say—
 - (a) social intercourse, irrespective of caste or creed
 - (b) agricultural enterprise
 - (c) cottage industries
 - (d) homecraft and mothercraft
 - (e) co-operative enterprise
 - (f) social hygiene
 - (g) thrift
 - (h) interest in hospitals, welfare centres and other similar institutions.

Central Board.

4. (1) The control and management of the affairs of the Association, including the power to expend the funds of the Association and to deal with or dispose of movable or immovable property in the name of the Association, shall, subject to this Ordinance and to the Rules for the time being in force, be vested in a Central Board constituted as hereinafter provided.

(2) The Central Board shall consist of—

- (a) nine members of the Association elected, in accordance with the Rules, at each annual general meeting of the Association;
- (b) one representative of each Provincial Committee elected by such Committee in accordance with the Rules, or where no Provincial Committee is for the time being constituted for any Province of Ceylon, a person elected by the other members of the Board to represent such Province, being a person who is a member of an Affiliated Samiti;
- (c) one representative of each of the following Departments nominated by the head of the Department—
 - (i) the Department of Agriculture
 - (ii) the Department of Education
 - (iii) the Department of Medical and Sanitary Services
 - (iv) the Department of Commerce and Industries
 - (v) the Co-operative Department
 - (vi) the Marketing Department
- (d) One representative of the Vernacular Guides;
- (e) One representative elected by the trained organisers of the Association;
- (f) Any other persons who may be co-opted by the other members of the Board so that the total number of the Board may not exceed 29.

(3) The President, Vice-President and Secretary for the time being of the Association shall, in addition, be respectively the President, Vice-President and Secretary of the Central Board.

(4) The first Central Board shall consist of—

Miss C. Cooray (President)
 Mrs. F. B. de Mel (Hony. Treasurer)
 Mrs. O. L. F. Senarathne (Hony. Secretary)
 Mrs. S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike
 Mrs. H. R. Goonewardene
 Mrs. A. M. de Silva
 Dr. (Mrs.) Mary Rutnam
 Mrs. K. Vaithianathan
 Lady de Soysa

Representative of the North-Central Province
 Do. Western Province
 Do. Uva Province
 Do. Southern Province
 Do. Central Province
 Do. North-Western Province
 Do. Sabaragamuwa Province

Co-opted Members : Dr. Andreas Nell
 Devar Surya Sena
 Mrs. T. L. C. Rajapakse
 Mrs. Lionel de Fonseka.

Representatives of Government Departments :

Co-operative Department Mr. S. C. Fernando
 Agricultural Department Dr. W. R. C. Paul
 Commerce and Industries Mr. V. S. M. de Mel
 Education Miss Westrop
 Health
 Girl Guide Association Miss Ray Blaze

Rules.

5. (1) It shall be lawful for the Association from time to time in general meeting, and by a majority of the votes of the members present thereat, to make Rules for the management of the affairs of the Association and the accomplishment of its objects and purposes; and without prejudice to the generality of the powers hereinbefore conferred, and such Rules may provide—

- (a) for the admission, withdrawal and expulsion of members;
- (b) for the conduct of the functions and duties of the Central Board and of the various officers, agents and servants of the Association;
- (c) for the constitution and appointment of Provincial Committees;
- (d) for the conditions subject to which mahila samiti may be affiliated to the Association.

- (e) for the conduct and supervision of the affairs of Affiliated Samiti and the circumstances in which any such affiliation may be revoked;
 - (f) for the procedure for the transaction of business, whether at meetings of the Association or by the Central Board;
 - (g) for the sums from time to time to be payable as subscription by members of the Association and the penalties to be attached in cases of default.
- (2) The Rules set out in the Schedule to this Ordinance shall be deemed to be Rules made by the Association under sub-section (1) and may accordingly be altered, amended, added to or revoked by Rules which may hereafter be made under and in accordance with the provisions of that sub-section.

6. (1) The Association shall at all times hereafter be able and capable in law to acquire by purchase, exchange, gift, devise or bequest or in any other manner, and to hold and enjoy in perpetuity or for any lesser term, subject to any express trust or otherwise, any property movable or immovable of any nature or kind whatsoever.

Power to hold and deal with property.

(2) The Association may erect or cause to be erected any building on any land vested or acquired or held by it, and may also from time to time sell, grant, convey, demise, assign, exchange and dispose of or mortgage any property for the time being vested in the Association. The Association may invest its funds in any securities authorised as a trustee investment by the law of England or of India or of Ceylon or upon any mortgage of movable or immovable property in Ceylon.

(3) Notwithstanding anything in sub-section (1) of section 4, the Central Board shall not in the name of the Association acquire any immovable property by purchase, or sell, grant, convey, demise, assign, exchange or dispose of any immovable property, or invest any of the funds of the Association upon any mortgage, except with the consent of the Association first had and obtained in general meeting.

7. The seal of the Association shall not be affixed to any instrument whatsoever except in the presence of the Chairman and one other member of the Central Board, who shall sign their names to the instrument in token of their presence, and such signatures shall be independent of the signature of any person as a witness.

Seal of the Association.

8. Nothing in this Ordinance contained shall prejudice or affect the rights of His Majesty the King, His Heirs and Successors, or of any body politic or corporate or of any other person, except such as are mentioned in this Ordinance and those claiming by, from or under them.

Saving as to the rights of His Majesty and others.

SCHEDULE.

Rules.

1. (1) The Association shall consist of—
- (a) Sustaining members
 - (b) Associate members
 - (c) Members representing Affiliated Samiti
- (2) Every individual accepted for membership by the Central Board who pays an annual subscription of not less than Rs. 15 shall be a sustaining member.
- (3) Every individual accepted for membership by the Central Board who pays an annual subscription of not less than Rs. 5.00 shall be an ordinary member.
- (4) The President for the time being of each Affiliated Samitiya or any other duly elected representative thereof shall be a member representing that Samitiya.
2. (1) There shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer of the Association, elected as hereinafter provided.
- (2) The President and Vice-President shall be elected by the Association at each annual general meeting from among the nine members elected at that meeting under paragraph (a) of section 4 (2) of the Ordinance to be members of the Central Board.
- (3) The Secretary and Treasurer shall be elected annually from among their own number, by the nine members of the Central Board elected under paragraph (a) of section 4 (2) of the Ordinance.
- (4) In the event of any casual vacancy in the office of President or Vice-President, the vacancy shall be filled by the Central Board by election from among the members of the Board for the time being holding office under paragraph (a) of section 4 (2) of the Ordinance.
- (5) In the event of any casual vacancy in the office of Secretary or Treasurer, the vacancy shall be filled, from among their own number, by election by the members of the Central Board for the time being holding office under paragraphs (a), (b) and (f) of section 4 (2) of the Ordinance.

Membership.

Officers.

Funds.

3. (1) The Funds of the Association shall consist of—
 (a) moneys received by way of donation ;
 (b) moneys received by way of contribution ;
 (c) subscriptions paid by members of the Association ; and
 (d) the income, if any, arising from any property of the Association or from investments made in the name of the Association.

(2) One half, at least, of moneys which may from time to time be received by way of donation shall, unless otherwise stipulated by the donor, be kept in deposit or otherwise invested.

(3) The Central Board shall have power to open and maintain current or deposit accounts in the name of the Association with any bank or banks selected by the Board, and by the signatures of such members thereof as the Board may appoint to draw and endorse cheques on behalf and for the purposes of the Association.

(4) All receipts for payments made to the Association shall be signed by such officers of the Association as the Central Board may from time to time determine.

(5) The financial year of the Association shall be the period of twelve months commencing on the first day of October in each year.

(6) The Central Board shall submit to each annual general meeting a statement of the accounts of the Association for the preceding financial year. The Association may from time to time in general meeting appoint one or more persons to audit the accounts of the Association.

Subscriptions.

4. (1) All subscriptions to the Association shall be due and payable to the Treasurer on or before the twentieth day of September in each year ; and where any member or any Affiliated Samitiya fails to make payment as aforesaid, such member or the President or other representative of such Affiliated Samitiya, as the case may be, shall not be entitled—

- (a) to vote at any general meeting of the Association ; or
- (b) to be elected as an officer of the Association or to be elected or co-opted as a member of the Central Board.

(2) The Central Board shall have the power to expel a member of the Association on the ground of non-payment of subscription, and its decision shall be final.

Affiliation of Mahila Samiti.

5. (1) The Central Board shall have power to determine from time to time the conditions subject to which mahila samiti may be affiliated to the Association, and to prescribe the manner in which the affairs of Affiliated Samiti shall be administered.

(2) Every affiliated samitiya shall pay to the Association an annual subscription amounting to 1/5 of the subscriptions received from its members during the year, or any other amount as may be determined from time to time by the Central Board either generally or in the circumstances of any particular case.

(3) It shall be the duty of an Affiliated Samitiya—

- (a) to afford, to any person as may from time to time be authorised in writing in that behalf by the President and Secretary of the Association, all facilities necessary to enable such person to inspect the accounts of the samitiya and to examine the manner in which the affairs of the samitiya are administered ;
- (b) to administer its affairs in such manner as may be prescribed by the Central Board under this Rule.

(4) In the event of the absence of the member representing an Affiliated Samitiya from any meeting of the Association, any other member of such Samitiya authorised in writing by the President, shall be entitled to be present and to vote at such meeting and shall be deemed for the purposes of the meeting to be a member of the Association.

(5) An Affiliated Samitiya shall cease to be affiliated to the Association—

- (a) if it is dissolved ; or
- (b) if the affiliation is revoked by the Central Board on the ground of the non-payment of subscription, or on the ground that the Samitiya has failed properly to carry out its functions and duties as prescribed by this Rule or by the Central Board thereunder.

Provincial Committees.

6. (1) The Central Board shall take steps, where necessary and practicable, for the establishment of a Provincial Committee of the Association in any Province of Ceylon.

(2) The first members of a Provincial Committee shall consist of such persons as the Central Board may appoint, one at least of whom shall be a trained organiser of the Association. The members of a Provincial Committee shall thereafter have the power by election to fill any vacancy among its members or to add to its own number, so however, that the total number of members of the Committee does not exceed twelve.

(3) It shall be the duty of each Provincial Committee to co-ordinate the work of Affiliated Samiti in the Province to promote co-operation between such samiti, and generally to advise, assist and encourage such samiti to achieve their objects and purposes.

(4) One half of the fees paid to the Association by the Affiliated Samiti of any Province shall be remitted by the Treasurer of the Association to the Provincial Committee of that Province ; and the sums so remitted, together with other funds of the Committee shall be expended under its direction for the purposes mentioned in paragraph (3) of this Rule.

7. (1) Subject to the provisions of the Ordinance and of these Rules, and without prejudice to the general powers thereby conferred on the Central Board, the Central Board shall have, and may exercise, the following powers:—

General
Powers of
Central Board.

- (a) to collect, deal with, invest and expend the funds of the Association for the purpose of carrying out or giving effect to its objects;
 - (b) to acquire and deal with or dispose of property, whether movable or immovable, in the names of the Association;
 - (c) to appoint and employ all such officers, agents and servants as the Board may consider necessary, to fix the amount of their remuneration and allowances, to prescribe their duties and functions, and to exercise in relation to them all other functions and powers lawfully exercisable by an employer;
 - (d) to execute in the name of the Association all deeds, instruments and documents necessary for the purpose of carrying out any matter or transaction properly undertaken or effected by the Board;
 - (e) to appoint sub-committees for any specified purposes and to authorise any such sub-committee to exercise for such purposes any powers or functions vested in the Board by these Rules;
 - (f) to prescribe the duties and functions of Provincial Committees and Affiliated Samiti, and generally to supervise and control the administration of the affairs of Provincial Committees and Affiliated Samiti.
- (2) Meetings of the Central Board shall be held at least once in each quarter, and the Secretary shall be the convener.
- (3) A meeting of the Central Board shall also be convened by the Secretary—
- (a) upon a written order of the President, or
 - (b) upon request made in writing by any three or more members of the Board, if such writing contains a statement of the business to be transacted at the meeting.
- (4) The Central Board shall elect an executive committee consisting of three officers of the Association and two other members of the Board to deal with business arising between meetings of the Board.

8. (1) The Office of a member of the Central Board shall become vacant upon the resignation of such member, or—

- (a) if such member is absent from three consecutive meetings of the Central Board or
- (b) if such member is under rule 1 (4) representing an Affiliated Samitiya and such Samitiya has ceased to be so affiliated.

(2) In the event of any casual vacancy in the Central Board, the remaining members of the Board shall appoint a person to fill the vacancy until the next annual general meeting.

9. (1) The annual general meeting of the Association shall be held in the month of October each year.

Meetings.

(2) A special general meeting of the Association shall be summoned by the Secretary—

- (a) at the direction of the Central Board; or
- (b) upon the written requisition of not less than twenty members of the Association.

(3) Not less than ten clear days' notice of any general meeting shall be given to every member of the Association and such notice shall specify the date, time and place of the meeting and the business to be transacted thereat. The non-receipt of such notice by any member shall not invalidate the proceedings at the meeting.

(4) The President or, in the absence of the President, the Vice-President, or in the absence of both, any other member elected by the members present, shall preside at each general meeting.

(5) No business shall be transacted at any general meeting unless there are present ten members, or one-tenth of the total number of members of the Association, whichever is the greater.

(6) All questions arising at any general meeting shall be decided by a majority of the members present and voting.

(7) For the purpose of elections at any general meeting, voting papers shall be despatched by the Secretary to each member before the meeting and the papers shall be tendered at the meeting and a ballot held thereat. The non-receipt of a voting paper by any member shall not prejudice the validity of the ballot.

10. The Association shall have and maintain an office in Colombo. The location of the office shall be determined each year at the annual general meeting.

Office.

Objects and Reasons.

The object of this Bill is to incorporate an Association of Women's institutes known as the "Lanka Mahila Samiti" established for the purpose of furthering the educational, social and economic progress among women and for the accomplishment of the several objects detailed in Clause 3 of the Bill.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,
Colombo, February 20, 1947. Mover of the Bill.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

L. D.—O. 54/46

Chapter 16
Vol. I., p. 327.

An Ordinance to amend the Criminal Procedure Code.

BE it enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Criminal Procedure Code (Amendment) Ordinance, No. of 1947.

Amendment of section 168 of Chapter 16.

2. Section 168 of the Criminal Procedure Code is hereby amended, in sub-section 2 thereof, by the substitution, for the words " money, it shall be sufficient to specify the gross sum ", of the words " movable property, it shall be sufficient to specify the gross sum or, as the case may be, the gross quantity ".

Objects and Reasons.

In cases of criminal breach of trust or dishonest misappropriation of money, it is not always possible to specify in the charge exact particulars of the dates on which and the amounts in respect of which the offence is alleged to have been committed. Section 168 (2) accordingly provides that it is sufficient in such cases to specify the gross sum involved and the dates between which the misappropriation is alleged to have been committed. Cases have occurred recently in which the need has been felt of similar provision in relation to charges of criminal breach of trust or dishonest misappropriation of goods. It is considered that the difficulties which lie in the way of specifying with exactness the quantity of goods alleged to have been misappropriated at a particular time render it necessary and justifiable to amend section 168 (2) in order to make it applicable to all movable property.

Colombo, 20th February, 1947.

A. E. P. ROSE,
Legal Secretary.

MINUTE.

The following Draft of a proposed Ordinance is published for general information :—

L. D.—O. 36/45

Chapter 222
(Vol. V., page 655.)

An Ordinance to amend the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance.

BE it enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the State Council thereof, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Buddhist Temporalities (Amendment) Ordinance, No. of 1947.

Amendment of section 7 of Chapter 222.

2. Section 7 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance (hereinafter referred to as " the principal Ordinance ") is hereby amended in sub-section (2) as follows :—

- (1) by the substitution, for the words " two months ", of the words " three months ", and
- (2) in paragraph (c) of that sub-section, by the substitution, for the word " Ratamahatmayas ", of the words " Ratamahatmayas and Divisional Revenue Officers ".

Amendment of section 8 of the principal Ordinance.

3. Section 8 of the principal Ordinance is hereby amended in sub-section (2) as follows :—

- (1) by the substitution, for the words " two months "; of the words " three months "; and
- (2) by the substitution, for paragraph (a), of the following new paragraph :—
 - " (a) (i) in the case of a dewale situated in the Kandyan provinces, the persons for the time being holding office in that district as Ratamahatmayas, Korales, and Divisional Revenue Officers ; or
 - (ii) in the case of any other dewale, the persons for the time being holding office in that district as Divisional Revenue Officers, Village Headmen, Mudaliyars, and Vidane Arachchis ; and "

Objects and Reasons.

Sections 7 and 8 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance (Chapter 222) specify the persons who can vote for the election of Diyawadana and Basnayake Nilames. Among those specified are Ratemahatmayas, Korales, Mudaliyars and Muhandirams. Although Divisional Revenue Officers and Village Headmen today exercise most of the powers of the persons mentioned in those sections, they are not referred to therein and cannot therefore vote in such elections. One of the objects of this Bill is to enable Divisional Revenue Officers and Village Headmen to participate in those elections (clauses 2 (2) and 3 (2)).

2. Under sections 7 (2) and 8 (2) of the Ordinance, whenever a vacancy occurs in the office of the Diyawadana Nilame or the Basnayake Nilame, the Public Trustee is obliged within two months of such vacancy to convene a meeting of the voters qualified to elect the person who is to fill the vacancy. As the period of two months specified in those sections is considered to be inadequate, this Bill also provides for the extension of that period to three months.

A. MAHADEVA,
Minister for Home Affairs.

Colombo, February 21, 1947.

NOTIFICATIONS OF CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

BY virtue of a mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said court for the Western Circuit will be holden at the court-house at Hulftsdorp on Thursday, March 20, 1947, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said day.

And I do hereby require and inform all persons concerned therein to attend at the time and place above mentioned, and not to depart without leave asked and granted

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, February 22, 1947

G. M. CHINNATAMBY,
for Fiscal.

BY virtue of a mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said court for the Central Province, will be holden at the Court-house at Audience Hall, Kandy, on Monday, March 10, 1947, at 9.30 A.M. of the morning of the said day.

And I do hereby require and inform all persons concerned therein to attend at the time and place above mentioned, and not to depart without leave asked and granted

Fiscal's Office,
Kandy, February 26, 1947

H. F. RATWATTE,
for Fiscal.

BY virtue of a mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said Court for the Districts of Ratnapura and Avissawella will be holden at the Court-house at Colombo on Thursday, March 20, 1947, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said day.

And I do hereby require and inform all persons concerned therein to attend at the time and place above mentioned and not to depart without leave asked and granted

Fiscal's Office,
Ratnapura, February 25, 1947.

M. K. T. SANDYS,
Fiscal.

BY virtue of a mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said court for the District of Kegalla will be holden at the Court-house at Kandy on Tuesday, March 18, 1947, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said day.

And I do hereby require and inform all persons concerned therein to attend at the time and place above mentioned, and not to depart without leave asked and granted

Fiscal's Office,
Ratnapura, February 22, 1947

M. K. T. SANDYS,
Fiscal.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 5,713 In the matter of the insolvency of Alex Francis
Insolvency Arnolda of Nugegoda, insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on March 28, 1947, to consider the grant of a certificate of conformity to the above-named insolvent.

February 14, 1947.

By order of court, M. N. PIERIS,
Secretary

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 5,732 In the matter of the insolvency of Arthur Ruthwell
Insolvency Pereira of 89, Pickering's road, Kotahena, Colombo,
insolvent.

WHEREAS the above-named Arthur Ruthwell Pereira has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of his estate has also been filed by Albert Saparamadu of New road.

Nugegoda, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Arthur Ruthwell Pereira insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on March 28, 1947, and on May 9, 1947, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to, agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

February 24, 1947.

By order of court, M. N. PIERIS,
Secretary.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Panadure.

Maddumage Liveris Perera of Bokkegama Petitioner.
No. 24,806/T.K. 93. Vs

(1) Kalutanrige Selostina Peiris of Weedagama, (2) Maddu-
mage Amarasena Perera of Weedagama Defendants

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, April 25, 1947, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises commencing from the 1st land the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property for the recovery of damages at Rs. 160 from June 23, 1943, till October 1, 1945, and costs Rs. 331.77 $\frac{1}{2}$, viz. :-

1. All that lot "E" together with everything standing thereon of the land called Tunhawul Kurunduwatta alias Godaporagaha Kurunduwatta, situated at Kamburugoda in Adikari puttu, Raigam korale, Kalutara District, Western Province; bounded on the north by Cowdehewewitakumbura, east by lot H of the same land, south by Gansabhawa road, west by lot D of the same land; containing in extent 3 acres and 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches subject to the life interest of M. L. Perera.

2. All that lot "F" together with everything standing thereon of the land called Tunhawul Kurunduwatta alias Godaporagaha-watta aforesaid; bounded on the north by Gansabhawa road, east by lot G of the same land, south by Rambukkanwelyaya alias Kurundugahawela, west by lot C of the same land, containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches subject to the life interest of M. L. Perera.

3. All that lot "G" together with everything standing thereon of the land called Tunhawul Kurunduwatta alias Godaporagaha-watta aforesaid; bounded on the north by Gansabhawa road, east by Pattiyewatta and Diwelgodawatta, south by Diwelgodawatta, west by lot F of the same land, containing in extent 3 acres and 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches subject to the life interest of M. L. Perera.

Fiscal's Office,
Panadure, February 24, 1947.

B. D. FERNANDO,
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Avissawella.

Vinkala Wedawasam Behetgey Mahawedage Pioris Wijepala
Mahatmaya of Yatiyantota Plaintiff.
No. 4,457. Vs

Kulasooriya Aratchillage Gunawardena of Welihela-
tenna Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, March 24, 1947, at 3.30 in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property for the recovery of Rs. 947.80, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from August 25, 1945, till payment in full and costs of suit, viz. :-

All that land called Kekuna-atulehena situated at Welihelatenna in Pathabulathgama in Kegalla District, Province of Sabaragamuwa; and bounded on the north by Hitinawatta separating ela, east by

the boundary of Kekuna-atule rubber plantation belonging to Mudiyanse and others, south by Rubber Watta belonging to K. M. Podisinghoappuhamy, west by Welihela-oya and Mahakumbura; and containing in extent within these boundaries about 3 acres, together with tea and rubber plantations standing thereon.
Valuation: Rs. 1,200.

Fiscal's Office, A. V. P. SAMARANAYAKA,
Avisawella, February 24, 1947. Deputy Fiscal.

North-Western Province.

In the Additional Court of Requests of Kurunegala.

Carthelis Samaranyake of Porapola Plaintiff.
No. 13,567. Vs.

K. P. Abdeen of Rangama in Wollawa Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, March 27, 1947, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz:—

An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the land called Weherapaulawatta of about 40 acres in extent, situate at Porapola in Mahagalboda Megoda korale of Weuda Willu hatpattu in the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province; and bounded on the east by Gansabhawa road and the fence of the garden of Mr. Ferdinand, south by Rangama-Gonagama road, west by the Gansabhawa road leading to Abbowa, and north by Alakolawewewatta with all the trees, plantations and everything thereon. Valued at Rs. 2,500.

Amount to be recovered Rs. 220.62 $\frac{1}{2}$ together with further interest on Rs. 50 at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum from November 6, 1945, till January 22, 1946, and thereafter with legal interest on the aggregate amount till payment in full and Rs. 44.87 being costs and poundage.

Fiscal's Office, W. D. M. PERERA,
Kurunegala, February 25, 1947. Deputy Fiscal.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.

In the District Court of Ratnapura.

Mary Charlotte Janet Siriwardena of Ratnapura ... Plaintiff.
No. 7,299. Vs.

(1) Rannuh Gilman Seneviratne of Digogedera, (2) Mrs. R. M. Rodrigo, (3) P. H. W. K. S. S. R. Rodrigo, (4) P. H. W. D. K. C. S. Rodrigo and (5) P. H. W. D. K. C. N. M. Rodrigo, all of Fernhurst, Rajagiriya, Colombo Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, March 27, 1947, at 10.30 in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said 1st defendant in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 16,547.43 and poundage, viz:—

1. All that the right, title, and interest of the defendant R. G. Seneviratne in and to an undivided one-fourth of the allotment of land called and known as Wiyalagoda estate and of the trees and plantations and of all the buildings standing thereon, situate at Wiyalagoda in Pallepattu and Digogedera in the Uda pattu both of Kuruwiti korale in the District of Ratnapura of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, and bounded on the north by Andehenewatta, Naidegewatta, Mipenuehena, land belonging to Rapiel, deniya, Rubber estate, Tambigekella and Udadeniya, on the east by Niyanakolahenewatta, Puwakkotuwewatta, land of Rajapaksa, land of Juwans Appu, garden, Kaluberiyehena and minor road, on the south by Vedanegehena, Pallegehena of H. Ellawala and Tippolehena, and on the west by Lundagawawatta, wila, Cheenagahapuyehena, Kolaratugahawatta, Dimiyangewila, Kundasalehena, and Kundasale estate; containing in extent 83 acres and 35 perches according to the figure of survey bearing No. 113 dated October 12, 1927, made by A. C. Alles, Licensed Surveyor, and registered at the Ratnapura Land Registry under Volume Folio A 178/282.

2. All that undivided one-fourth part of share of the allotment of land called Halpandeniya belonging to the defendant and of the trees and plantations thereon, situated at Wiyalagoda in the Pallepattu of Kuruwiti korale aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Egulakanatta, jungle, and Tippolewatta, east by Deheragoda Korale Mahatmayagewatta, south by Hedawaka, west by dewata, Gangabodahena, chena and Ellawala-ganga; containing in extent 8 acres and 1 rood according to plan No. 114 dated October 12, 1927, made by A. C. Alles, Licensed Surveyor, and registered at the Ratnapura Land Registry under Volume Folio A 262/245.

Fiscal's Office, A. B. KARALLADDE,
Ratnapura, February 19, 1947. Additional Deputy Fiscal.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Nigamuni Benedict Titus Mendis Jayatillaka of No. 12,107. Yatagal, deceased.

Violet Jayateleke (nee Gunamuni Violet de Silva) of Pohoddaramulla, Wadduwa Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Nigamuni Ubhaya Kaerti Mendis Jayatilleke, minor, (2) Gunamuni Julius de Silva of Pohoddaramulla, Wadduwa Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. Sinnatambay, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on September 14, 1946,

in the presence of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated September 2, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the 2nd respondent above named be and he is hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minor, the 1st respondent above named, and petitioner above named be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before February 13, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

February 11, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

The date of showing cause against the foregoing *Order Nisi* is extended to March 20, 1947.

February 14, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Jurisdiction. Jayanetti Korallage Dona Sophia Jayanetti No. 12,230. Harune of Udututtipitiya in Gampaha, deceased.

Abeyakoone Mayadunnege Girigoris of Udututtipitiya, aforesaid Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Gardetantrige Dona Chandrapalie Ruberu, (2) Abeyakoone Mayadunnege Premadasa, a minor, by his guardian *ad litem* the 3rd respondent, (3) Jayanetti Korallage Don Martin Jayanetti of Polgampola in Pasdun korale east of Kalutara District Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on November 26, 1946, in the presence of Mr. Ben Samarasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated November 18, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the 3rd respondent above named be and he is hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minor, the 2nd respondent above named, and the petitioner above named be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the widower of the deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before January 30, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 7, 1947. S. S. J. GOONESEKARA,
Additional District Judge.

The date of showing cause against the foregoing *Order Nisi* is extended to March 13, 1947.

February 8, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the Late Jurisdiction. Suppiah Ponniah of Stafford place, Maradana, No. 12,275. in Colombo, deceased.

Gnanammal, widow of Suppiah Ponniah of 131, Stafford place, Maradana in Colombo Petitioner.

(1) P. Rajendra, (2) P. Thiyagarajah, (3) P. Somasundram, (4) P. Visalatchi, all of Silversmith street, Colombo, (5) P. Balasubramaniam, (6) P. Sivasubramaniam, (7) P. Balam-bikai, (8) P. Rajeswari; the 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th respondents minors by their guardian *ad litem* the 9th respondent, (9) M. Venkatasalam of 96, Malay street, Colombo Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. E. Rajakarier, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on December 20, 1946, in the presence of Mr. T. Chelvadurai, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated December 20, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the 9th respondent above named be and she is hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th respondents above named and the petitioner above named be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of the deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before March 6, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 8, 1947. V. E. RAJAKARIER,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Mohamed Jurisdiction. Shukry Othman of 318, Modera street, Mutwal, No. 12,282. in Colombo, deceased.

Mohamado Uduman Fathima Hanoon of 318, Modera street, Mutwal, in Colombo Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Mohamed Shukry Noorul Hidayah, (2) Mohamed Shukry Noor Zaheira, (3) Mohamed Shukry Mohamed Shakir appearing by their guardian *ad litem*, (4) Yooseof Sahib Mohamed Hashim, all of 318, Modera street, Mutwal, in Colombo Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 7, 1947,

in the presence of Mr. S. M. S. de Soya, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named, and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated December 30, 1946, having been read.

It is ordered that the 4th respondent above named be and he is hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd respondents above named and the petitioner above named be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of the deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before March 6, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 13, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Diyatotuwe Vidanage Neville Lakshman Silva
No. 12,286. of Koggala in Talpe pattu, deceased.

Diyatotuwe Vidanage Somawathie Silva of 321A, Hena road,
Mt. Lavinia Petitioner

Vs.

(1) Diyatotuwe Vidanage Chandradasa Silva, (2) Diyatotuwe
Vidanage Hector Silva, (3) Diyatotuwe Vidanage Sumana-
wathie Silva, (4) Diyatotuwe Vidanage Mahini Somalatha
Silva, all of 321A, Hena road, Mt. Lavinia; the 2nd, 3rd,
and 4th respondents minors by their guardian *ad litem* the
1st respondent Respondents

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 30, 1947,
in the presence of Mr. B. W. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the
petitioner above named, and the affidavit of the said petitioner
dated October 20, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the 1st respondent above named be and he is
hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the said minors,
the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th respondents above named, and the petitioner
above named be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the mother
of the deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the
said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents
above named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before
March 13, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this
court to the contrary.

February 5, 1947. ST. C. SWAN,
Additional District Judge

In the District Court of Colombo

Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Vidanage
Jurisdiction. Abraham Solomon de Mel, deceased, of Chapel
No. 12,288 View, Digarolla in Moratuwa.

Pattiyage Maria Egientina de Mel, Chapel View, Digarolla in
Moratuwa Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair
Swan, Esq., Additional District Judge, Colombo, on January 10,
1947, in the presence of Mr. P. E. S. Wijesekera, Proctor, on the
part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the above-mentioned
petitioner dated October 30, 1946, and attesting witnesses dated
October 27, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of Vidanage Abraham Solomon de Mel
of Chapel View, Digarolla, deceased, dated March 1, 1938, and
numbered 979 be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless
any person or persons interested shall, on or before March 13, 1947,
show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said petitioner is the executor
named in the said will and that she is entitled to have probate
of the same issued to her accordingly, unless any person or persons
interested shall, on or before March 13, 1947, show sufficient cause
to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 21, 1947. S. C. SWAN,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Gamage Don Carols of Kahatuduwa, deceased
No. 12,296.

Atapattuge Seetho Hamy, Kahatuduwa Petitioner

Vs.

(1) Gamage Luisa Nona, (2) Gamage Seelawathie, (3) Gamage
Aloe Nona. (4) Gamage Gunaratne, minor, by his guardian
ad litem, (5) Gamage Ranhamy Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 16, 1947,
in the presence of Mr. S. Gunasekera, Proctor, on the part of the
petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner
dated January 9, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the 5th respondent above named be and he is
hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minor, the
4th respondent above named, and the petitioner above named be
and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of the deceased,
to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased
issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents above named or
any person or persons interested shall, on or before March 13, 1947,
show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 21, 1947.

V. L. St. CLAIR SWAN,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of
Jurisdiction. the late Donald Pereira of 19, Frances road,
No. 12,295 Wellawatta, deceased.

And

In the matter of Chapter 38 of the Civil Procedure
Code of 1889.

C. B. C. Pereira of Frances road, Wellawatta Petitioner.
Vs.

(1) Mercia Gwendoline Lavinia Pereira, (2) Daphne Joan
Pereira, (3) Christine Louis Pereira, all of 19, Frances road,
Wellawatta; the 2nd and 3rd respondents minors appearing
by their guardian *ad litem*, (4) Mercia Gwendoline Lavinia
Pereira, (5) C. E. Jayewardene of 21, Bolnont St., Hulftsdorp,
Colombo, (6) Stanley Dias of Turrot road, Colombo. Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 15, 1947,
in the presence of Mr. L. D. S. Gunasekera, Proctor, on the part of
the petitioner above named, and the affidavit of the said petitioner
dated January 13, 1947, and the affidavit of the attesting notary
and of the witnesses dated January 13, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the 4th respondent above named be and she is
hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors of the
2nd and 3rd respondents above named and the last will and testa-
ment of Donald Pereira, the deceased above named the original of
which has been produced and is now deposited in this court be and
the same is hereby declared proved and the petitioner is the executor
named in the said will and the said petitioner be and he is hereby
declared entitled to have probate of the said will issued to him
accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or
persons interested shall, on or before March 13, 1947, show sufficient
cause to the satisfaction to this court to the contrary.

February 13, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Absolute.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of
Jurisdiction. Sivapakiam Ramanathan of Moor road, Wolla-
No. 12,297. watta, deceased

Sinnathamby Ramanathan of 19, Moor road, Wolla-
watta Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for final determination before S. C. Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 16, 1947,
in the presence of Mr. V. E. Velayuthapillai, Proctor, on the part
of the petitioner above named, and the affidavit of (1) the petitioner
dated January 12, 1947, and (2) the attesting Notary Public and
the witnesses dated January 12, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the last will and testament No. 313, made by
Sivapakiam Ramanathan, the deceased above named, and attested
by V. E. Velayuthapillai, Notary Public, on August 5, 1946, the
original of which has been produced and is deposited in court be and
the same is hereby declared proved.

It is further ordered that the petitioner is the executor named
in the said will and he is hereby declared entitled to have probate
thereof issued to him accordingly on the taking the usual oath and
tendering security

January 31, 1947. S. C. SWAN,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Mr. John William Wijesinghe of Madampitiya,
No. 12,306 Colombo, deceased.

Henry Arthur Wijesinghe of 297, Mahawatta road, Grand-
pass road, in Colombo Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Oscar Rienzie Wijesinghe, (2) Dorothy Maureen Wijesinghe,
both of Madampitiya, by their guardian *ad litem*, (3) James
Alfred Wijesinghe of 53/5, Gregory's road,
Colombo Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 21, 1947,
in the presence of Messrs. Merrill Pereira & Gunasekera, Proctors,
on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the
said petitioner dated January 21, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the 3rd respondent above named be and he is
hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the
1st and 2nd respondents above named, and the petitioner above
named be and he is hereby declared entitled, as a brother of the
deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the said
deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents above
named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before March
20, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the
contrary.

February 18, 1947.

N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Elwitigalage Don Pabilis Appuhamy of Ruk-
No. 12,308. male in the Palle pattu of Hewagam korale,
deceased.

Elwitigalage Don Loris Appuhamy of Rukmale afore-
said Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Lokupanagodage Dona Punchi Nona of Rukmale afore-
said, (2) Elwitigalage Dona Jane Nona of Malapalla of Palle
pattu of Hewagam korale Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 27, 1947,
in the presence of Mr. D. L. Gunasekera, Proctor, on the part of the
petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner
dated January 20, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner above named be and he is hereby
declared entitled, as the eldest son of the deceased, to have letters of
administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to him
accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or
persons interested shall, on or before March 20, 1947, show sufficient
cause to the satisfaction of his court to the contrary.

February 13, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Edgar Dennis Samerawickrame of 35,
No. 12,315. Silversmith street, Colombo, deceased.

Magdalene Samerawickrame of Gregory's road,
Colombo Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Edmund Vernon Raymond Samerawickrame of Macarthy
road, Colombo, (2) George Tefence Samerawickrame, (3)
Fredrick Joseph Bede Samerawickrame, all of Gregory's road,
Colombo, (4) Mrs. Frances Silva nee Samerawickrame of
Guldford Crescent, Colombo, (5) Mrs. Clare Abeyesundere
nee Samerawickrame of Galle, (6) Miss Cecilia Samerawick-
rame of Gregory's road, Colombo Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on January 31, 1947,
in the presence of Messrs. Merrill Pereira & Gunasekera, Proctors,
on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the
said petitioner dated January 24, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner above named be and she is hereby
declared entitled, as the mother of the deceased, to have letters of
administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to her
accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or
persons interested shall, on or before March 27, 1947, show sufficient
cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

February 18, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Kahandawitagamage Don Aloysius Gunawardena,
No. 12,319. Village Headman of Thimbrigasyaya, Hendala
deceased.

Tudugalamudalige Dona Alice Cecilia Silva Jayatileka of
Thimbrigasyaya aforesaid Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Kahandawitagamage Don Alfred Cecil Victor Gunawardena,
(2) Kahandawitagamage Dona Perly Patricia Gunawardena,
(3) Kahandawitagamage Dona Freeda Beatrice Gunawardena,
(4) Kahandawitagamage Dona Elsie Meurie Agnes Gunawar-
dena, all of Thimbrigasyaya aforesaid, minors, by their
guardian *ad litem*, (5) Halahapperumage Marshal Fonseka
of Hendala Respondents.

THIS action coming on for disposal before V. L. St. Clair Swan,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on February 6, 1947,
in the presence of Mr. Fred G. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the
petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner
dated February 6, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the 5th respondent above named be and he is
hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the
1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th respondents above named, and the petitioner
above named be and she is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of
the deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the
said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents
above named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before
March 27, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this
court to the contrary.

February 13, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Joint Last Will and Testament
Jurisdiction. of Heenatimullage Engo and husband, both of
No. 12,322. Mahara Thuduwegedera in Adikari pattu of
Siyane korale, deceased.

Nungomu Vithanage Don Davith Appu of Mahara Tuduwe-
gedera in Adikari pattu of Siyane korale Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. Sinnetamby,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on February 6, 1947.

in the presence of Mr. D. L. Gunasekera, Proctor, on the part of the
petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated
January 20, 1947, and the affidavit of the attesting notary and one
of the witnesses dated January 23, 1947, and the affidavit of the
other witness dated February 6, 1947, having been read: It is
ordered that the joint last will and testament of Heenatimullage
Engo Nona, and her husband, the deceased above named the original
of which has been produced and is now deposited in this court be
and the same is hereby declared proved and the petitioner is the
executor named in the said will and the said petitioner be and he is
hereby declared entitled to have probate of the said will issued to
him accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on
or before March 27, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of
this court to the contrary.

February 13, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Don Simon Puswella of Migoda in the Meda pattu
No. 12,327. of Hewagam korale, deceased.

Hiripityage Dona Cecihana Nandaseeli Puswella of Migoda
aforesaid Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Don Jayanthi Puswella, (2) Dona Lalitha Puswella, (3) Don
Wijitha Puswella, (4) Don Susantha Puswella, all of Migoda
aforesaid, (5) Puswelimullage Don Jmadasa of Artigala in
the Meda pattu of Hewagam korale Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. Sinnetamby,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on February 10, 1947,
in the presence of Mr. H. A. Abeyewardene, Proctor, on the part of
the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner
dated February 7, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the 5th respondent above named be and he is
hereby declared appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the
1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th respondents above named, and the petitioner
above named be and he is hereby declared entitled, as the widow of
the deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the
said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents
above named or any person or persons interested shall, on or before
March 13, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this
court to the contrary.

February 20, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of
Jurisdiction. Ernest Llewellyn Vaughan late of "Symbister".
No. 12,334. Gold Links road, Ferndown in the County of
Dorset, England, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. Sinnetamby,
Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on February 14, 1947,
in the presence of Messrs. F. J. & G. de Saram, Proctors, on the part
of the petitioner, Alexander McInnes of Colombo; and (1) the
affidavit of the said petitioner dated February 10, 1947, (2) the
power of attorney dated September 3, 1946, and (3) the order of the
Supreme Court dated January 31, 1947, having been read: It is
ordered that the will of the said Ernest Llewellyn Vaughan deceased
dated March 13, 1946, a certified copy of which under the Seal of
His Majesty's High Court of Justice in England has been produced
and is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared
proved; and it is further declared that the said Alexander McInnes
is the attorney in Ceylon of the executors named in the said will and
that he is entitled to have letters of administration (with will annexed)
issued to him accordingly, unless any person or persons interested
shall, on or before March 6, 1947, show sufficient cause to the
satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

February 18, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. Deva Rejanis Seneviratne of Suramya in Nuge-
No. 12,335. goda, deceased

Nilethi Jasmine Seneviratne of Suramya, Nugegodu Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Deva Urdis Seneviratne, (2) Deva Diyadas Seneviratne,
(3) Deva Premawathie Seneviratne, wife of late D. V. de
Silva, (4) Deva Rusie Seneviratne, wife of C. S. de Zoysa, all of
Boosa, Guntota Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. Sinnetamby, Esq.,
Additional District Judge of Colombo, on February 14, 1947, in the
presence of Mr. C. V. Fernando, Proctor, on the part of the peti-
tioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated
February 7, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner above named be and she is hereby
declared entitled, as the widow of the deceased, to have letters of
administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to her
accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any person or
persons interested shall, on or before May 1, 1947, show sufficient
cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

February 18, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Frederick Chamberlain Gibbs of Colombo in the Island of Ceylon and of Hove, Sussex, England, deceased.

(1) Jack Courtney Robinson and (2) William Cranston Wishart, both of Colombo Petitioners.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before N. Sinnetaimby, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on February 18, 1947, in the presence of Mr. C. A. S. Mather, Proctor, on the part of the petitioners above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioners dated February 17, 1947, and the affidavit of the attesting notary and one witness dated January 25, 1947, and the Supreme Court order dated February 7, 1947, having been read.

It is ordered that the last will and testament of the late Frederick Chamberlain Gibbs, the deceased above named the original of which has been produced and is now deposited in this court be and the same is hereby declared proved, and the petitioners are the executors named in the said will and the said petitioners be and they are hereby declared entitled to have probate of the said will issued to them accordingly, unless any person or persons interested shall, on or before March 6, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

February 21, 1947. N. SINNETAMBY,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Geekiyanaage Gomis Fernando Gunatilleke of Negombo, deceased.

Geekiyanaage Cornelis Fernando of Negombo Petitioner.
And

(1) Geekiyanaage Maria Nona, (2) ditto Janis Nona, (3) ditto Salmon Fernando, (4) ditto Fransa Nona, (5) ditto Baby Nona, all of Andiambalamwalpola, (6) ditto Enalm Nona of Mabo-dala, (7) ditto Tissera Fernando of Andiambalamwalpola, (8) ditto Punchinona, (9) ditto Esilm, (10) ditto Belin Fernando; (11) ditto Ransanona, all of Kimbulapitiya, (12) ditto Sarnelis Fernando Gunawardena, (13) ditto Charlis Gunawardena, (14) ditto Robert Gunawardena, all of Negombo (minors); the 11th, 12th, 13th, and 14th respondents being minors by their guardian *ad item* the 10th respondent Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Leonard B. de Silva, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on February 7, 1947, in the presence of Mr. H. P. Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated October 9, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the 10th respondent above named be appointed guardian *ad item* over the 11th, 12th, 13th, and 14th respondents above named, minors, to represent them for all the purposes of this action, and that the petitioner above named be and he is hereby declared entitled, as a nephew of the deceased above named, to have letters of administration to the above estate issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before March 7, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

February 7, 1947. L. B. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Absolute declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Denipitiye Suddhamma Pannawasa, the Incumbent and Viharadhipati of Saddhammaramaya of Madinakanda in Palyagala.

(1) Denipitiye Wimalasara Bhikku, (2) Talaramba Gnanawasa Bhikku, both of Saddhammaramaya Petitioners.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before M. C. Sansoni, Esq., District Judge, Kalutara, in the presence of Messrs. Fernando & Goontilleke, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the above-named petitioner and notary dated January 10, 1947, having been read along with last will No. 4,185 of March 23, 1946, and filed of record.

It is ordered that the will of Denipitiye Sri Saddhaja Pannawasa, deceased, dated March 22, 1946, and numbered 4185 be and the same is hereby declared proved.

It is further declared that the said petitioners are the executors named in the said will and that they are entitled to have probate of the same issued to them accordingly.

January 15, 1947. M. C. SANSONI,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Nuwara Eliya holden at Hatton.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate and Effects of the late Nagan Perumal Arunachalam of Queensberry estate, Kotmale, deceased.

Parwathy Arunachalam presently of Queensberry estate, Kotmale Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before M. M. Maharoo, Esq., District Judge of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton on February 3, 1947, in the presence of Messrs. Balasingam & Wijayarajah, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the above-named petitioner dated November 26, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner above named be and she is hereby declared, as widow and sole heir of the deceased, to claim letters of administration and that the same be issued to her, unless any other person or persons interested in the estate shall, on or before March 4, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

February 18, 1947. M. M. MAHAROO,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Habibu Marikar Rabiath Umma of Osanagoda in Galle, deceased.

Mohamed Awhadudeen Sultan Marikar of Osanagoda in Galle Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Cassum Lebbo Marikar Ahamed Lebbo Marikar of Kurinduwatta in Gintota, (2) Abdu Samadu of Osanagoda in Galle Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before S. J. C. Schockman, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on October 31, 1946, in the presence of Mr. F. M. Dheen, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the said petitioner dated April 27, 1946, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of Habibu Marikar Rabiath Umma of Osanagoda in Galle, deceased dated July 24, 1942, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless the respondents or any person or persons interested shall, on or before December 13, 1946, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered and declared that the said petitioner is the executor named in the said last will and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before the said date show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 31, 1946. S. J. C. SCHOCKMAN,
District Judge.

The date for showing cause against this *Order Nisi* is extended to February 7, 1947.

December 13, 1946. V. MANICAVASAGAR,
District Judge.

The date for showing cause against this *Order Nisi* is extended to March 21, 1947.

February 7, 1947. S. J. C. SCHOCKMAN,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the late Don Andiris Wijeweera of Hittatiya, deceased.

Don Charlis Wijeweera of Hittatiya, in Matara Petitioner.
And

(1) Ahangama Vidanage Geedalina de Silva of Beliwatta, (2) Oliver Ananda Wijeweera, (3) Dayananda Wijeweera, (4) Indrasena Wijeweera, all of Beliwatta aforesaid; 2nd, 3rd, and 4th are minors by their proposed guardian *ad item* the 1st respondent Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before K. D. de Silva, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on September 24, 1945, in the presence of Mr. W. J. Serasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated April 23, 1945, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as brother of the deceased, to have letters of administration issued to him, unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested in the estate shall, on or before November 12, 1945, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the said 1st respondent be appointed guardian *ad item* over the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th minor respondents, unless the respondents or others interested in the estate shall, on or before November 12, 1945, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

September 24, 1945. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

Extended for March 4, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

January 21, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

Extended for May 20, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

March 4, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

Extended for July 8, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

May 20, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

Extended for September 2, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

July 8, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

Extended for October 28, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

September 2, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

Extended for January 6, 1947. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

October 28, 1946. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

Extended for March 3, 1947. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

January 6, 1947. K. D. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna (held at Point Pedro.)

Order Nisi.

Pooranam widow of Maniccam of Puloly West Petitioner.
No. 319/P.T. Vs.

(1) Maniccam Karalasingam of ditto, (2) Maniccam Pathma-pathy, (3) Maniccam Kamalavathy, (4) Maniccam Tharmaratnam, (5) Maniccam Punitavathy, (6) Maniccam Sanmugalingam, (7) Vallipuram Murugesu all of Puloly West Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. T. A. de Silva, Esq., Additional District Judge, on January 28, 1947, in the presence of Messrs. Rajaratnam & Nadarajanderam, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated August 10, 1946, having been read

It is declared that the petitioner, as the widow of the deceased, is entitled to letters of administration, unless the respondents or any person shall, on or before February 14, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. T. A. DE SILVA,
Additional District Judge.

Extended and reissued for March 7 1947

February 14, 1947. G. C. T. A. DE SILVA,
Additional District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of Pedrupillai Jurisdiction. Quintin Christian, of 3rd Cross street, Jaffna, deceased. No. 614.

Mary Christian, widow of P. Q. Christian of 3rd Cross street, Jaffna Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Helen Rasammah Swampillai, (2) Agnes Ponnammah Everts, both of Jaffna Town, (3) May Joseph wife of (4) S. Joseph of Supreme Court, Ipoh, (5) Pius Chrysostum of 64, Robinson road, Singapore, (6) J. E. T. Christopher of Jaffna Town, (7) Primrose Elayathamby wife of (8) S. W. S. Elayathamby of Galle and (9) P. J. Constantine of Jaffna Town Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before R. R. Selvadurai, Esq., District Judge, Jaffna, on October 28, 1946, in the presence of Mr. W. B. Canagaratna, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit and petition of the petitioner having been read:

It is ordered that letters of administration to the estate of the deceased above named be granted to the petitioner above named as widow of the deceased, unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested in the subject matter shall appear before this court on January 27, 1947, and show cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 28, 1946. R. R. SELVADURAI,
District Judge.

Time for showing cause extended to March 10, 1947.

January 27, 1947. R. R. SELVADURAI,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Estate of the late Rebecca Jurisdiction. Saverimuttu, widow of Saverimuttu of Jaffna No. 637. Town, deceased.

Francis Nicholas Clarence Saverimuttu of Jaffna Town Petitioner.

Vs.

Bastampillai Benjamin of Chapel street, Jaffna Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for determination before R. R. Selvadurai, Esq., District Judge, Jaffna, on November 27, 1946, in the presence of Mr. W. B. Canagaratna, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit and petition of the petitioner having been read:

It is ordered that letters of administration to the estate of the deceased be granted to the petitioner above named, as son and sole heir of the deceased above named, unless the respondent above named or any other person or persons interested in the subject matter shall appear before this court on or before January 10, 1947, and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

November 27, 1946. R. R. SELVADURAI,
District Judge.

Time for showing cause extended to March 12, 1947.

R. R. SELVADURAI,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of the Jurisdiction. late Puthirar Murugesu, deceased, of Chulhupuram. No. 660.

Periathamby Saravanamuttu of Chulhupuram Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Valamma widow of Puthirar Murugesu, (2) Murugesu Thavaputhiran, (3) Thavapaksa daughter of Murugesu all of ditto, the 2nd and 3rd respondents are minors appearing by their guardian *ad litem* the 1st respondent Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before R. R. Selvadurai, Esq., District Judge, Jaffna, on January 24, 1947, in the presence of

Mr. R. Candiah, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, and the affidavit of the above-mentioned petitioner and of the witnesses to the last will dated January 23, 1947, having been read:

It is ordered that the will of the above-named deceased dated December 7, 1946, and numbered 15146 and attested by R. Candiah, Notary Public be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless the respondents or any other person or persons shall, on or before March 10, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said 1st respondent be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the minors, the 2nd and 3rd respondents, and that the said Periathamby Saravanamuttu, the petitioner, is the executor named in the said will and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents or others interested shall, on or before March 10, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 24, 1947.

R. R. SELVADURAI,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Batticaloa

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate and Effects Jurisdiction. of the late Chinnah Mudaliyar Mylvaganampillai Vanniah of Trincomalee, deceased. No. 558.

Subramaniam Thyalnayaki of Trincomalee Petitioner.
And

(1) Mylvaganampillai Vanniah Vallinayaki of Trincomalee, (2) Mylvaganampillai Vanniah Subramaniam of ditto, (3) C. M. Muttucumarapillai of Batticaloa Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. T. A. de Silva, Esq., District Judge of Batticaloa, on October 10, 1946, in the presence of Mr. N. S. Rasiah, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner above named; and the affidavit of the petitioner dated September 27, 1946, having been read

It is ordered that the 3rd respondent above named be and he is hereby appointed guardian *ad litem* of the minors, the 1st and 2nd respondents, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before December 3, 1946, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the said petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the said deceased, to have letters of administration to his estate issued to her, unless the respondents above named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before December 3, 1946, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

October 10, 1946. G. C. T. A. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

The above *Order Nisi* is extended to January 9, 1947.

December 3, 1946. G. C. T. A. DE SILVA,
District Judge.

The above *Order Nisi* is extended to February 6, 1947.

January 9, 1947. S. N. VELUPILLAI,
District Judge.

The above *Order Nisi* is extended to March 6, 1947

February 6, 1947. T. QUENTIN FERNANDO,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of the Late Jurisdiction. Abeysinghe Mudiyanse Loku Mahattaya of No. 1.722. Walalgoda, deceased, of Walalgoda, in Kingoda korale, Meddemadaliya pattu.

Peramune Rallage Dingiri Banda of Arampola in Weudawelli hatpattu, Tumpane Petitioner.

Vs.

(1) Peramune Rallage Dingiri Mahattaya of Walalgoda in Kingoda Korale, (2) Peramune Rallage Puchi Banda of Atamune in Weudawelli hatpattu, (3) Peramune Rallage Puchi Nilame of Molligoda in Weudawelli hatpattu, (4) Peramune Rallage Bandara Menike of Pinnawela in Kingoda korale, (5) Peramune Rallage Sumanawathie of the Civil Hospital, Kandy, (6) Peramune Rallage Nandawathie, midwife, Kurunegala Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before L. W. de Silva, Esq., District Judge, Kegalla, on January 20, 1947, in the presence of Mr. C. H. Udalgama, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the above-mentioned petitioner dated October 25, 1946, having been read:

It is further declared that the said Peramune Rallage Dingiri Banda of Arampola in Weudawelli hatpattu in Tumpane, petitioner, be and he is entitled to have letters of administration to the intestate of the said deceased issued to him, as the eldest brother of the deceased, unless the respondents or others shall, on or before March 5, 1947, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

January 20, 1947.

L. W. DE SILVA,
District Judge.