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## DRAFT ORDINANCES.

### \* MINUTE.

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

**An Ordinance relating to General Cemeteries and Burial and Cremation Grounds situated within the limits of Local Board Towns.**

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend "The Cemeteries Ordinance, 1862," and to vest certain powers and duties conferred by the said Ordinance on the Governor and Executive Council in the chairman of the local board and the local board in respect of general cemeteries situated, or used for the burial of persons dying, within the limits of a local board town, and to make provision touching private burial grounds and cremation grounds situated within the limits of any such town, with a view to the protection of the public health : Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :

#### CHAPTER I.

##### General Cemeteries.

1 For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of sections 5 and 6 of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862, and the provisions of the Ordinance No. 2 of 1885, it shall be the duty of the local board of any town, on the request of the Governor in Executive Council, to provide land for the purpose of the establishment of a general cemetery for the

Local board to provide land for the purpose of establishing general cemeteries in local board towns.

burial of persons dying within the limits of such town, or for the addition to the limits of any such cemetery heretofore or hereafter to be established under the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862.

Powers and duties vested in Governor and Executive Council to be exercised within local board limits by chairman and local board.

2 The powers and duties vested in and appertaining to the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, under and by virtue of the provisions of sections 10, 12, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, and 28 of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862 and section 3 of the Ordinance No. 17 of 1886, and to the Governor under and by virtue of the provisions of sections 8, 17, and 22 of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862 and section 2 of the Ordinance No. 17 of 1886, shall be exercised and performed by the local board and the chairman of such board, respectively, in respect of any general cemetery established under the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862, and situated or used for the burial of persons dying within the limits of a local board town.

Moneys raised by sale under section 20 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1862 to form part of local board revenue.

3 All moneys realized by the sale of any portion of such cemeteries under section 20 of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862 shall be paid into the local board fund and form a portion of the local board revenue.

Within local board limits section 21 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1862 not to apply.

4 The provisions of section 21 of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862 and of the Ordinance No. 20 of 1884 shall not apply after the coming into operation of this Ordinance, to any cemetery established under the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862, and situated or used for the burial of persons dying within the limits of any local board town.

Local board to make regulations as to the fees, &c.

5 The local board shall make regulations as to the fees to be paid for the performance of burial services, for digging graves, and such other services in any general cemetery established under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862, and situated or used for the burial of persons dying within local board limits, and all such fees shall be paid to the keeper of such cemetery to be by him paid to the chairman of the local board as part of the local board revenue. Provided that the fees payable under this section in respect of any portion of any cemetery set apart for the special use of any religious denomination, and all fees payable under the Ordinance No. 17 of 1886, shall, as heretofore be paid and appropriated by the board of management for such portion appointed under the said Ordinance, and shall be applied by such board in manner provided by section 7 of the said Ordinance.

Should local board refuse to exercise powers conferred by sections 10, 12, and 20 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1862, Governor and Executive Council may exercise same.

6 Whenever the local board of any town shall refuse to authorize the erection of a chapel or other building for the performance of burial services within the limits of any general cemetery, or to set aside a portion thereof for the special use of any religious denomination applying for the same, or to grant or sell a portion of such cemetery for the purpose of exclusive right of burial therein to any such denomination, it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, on application by such denomination, if it should seem expedient, to exercise in respect of such cemetery all or any of the powers conferred on him by the provisions of sections 10, 12, and 20 of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862, or any of them; anything in the preceding section to the contrary notwithstanding.

Rights of persons and religious denominations under Ordinances 12 of 1862 and 17 of 1886 reserved.

7 Nothing in this chapter contained shall in any way affect, vary, or alter (1) any right, privilege, obligation, or liability accrued to, or incurred by, any person, body corporate, or religious denomination under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 12 of 1862, or of the Ordinance No. 17 of 1886; (2) or any legal proceeding or remedy in respect of any such right, privilege, obligation, or liability as aforesaid; and any such legal proceeding and remedy may be carried on as if this Ordinance had not passed.

## CHAPTER II.

*Burial and Cremation Grounds.*

Definition of  
burial ground.

8 In this chapter the term "burial ground" shall mean any land or ground other than a general cemetery used for the burial of the dead at the time of coming into operation of this Ordinance, or subsequently approved by the Governor in manner provided by section 9 for the purpose of burying the dead.

New burial grounds  
and cremation  
grounds in local  
board towns to be  
approved by the  
Governor.

9 No new burial ground or cremation ground shall be provided and used in any Local Board town without the previous approval of the Governor on the recommendation of the local board of such town, and such approval shall be signified by notice in the *Government Gazette*.

Burial grounds  
and cremation  
grounds may be  
prohibited.

10 In case it appears to the Governor and Executive Council, upon the representation of the local board of any town, that any burial ground or cremation ground situated in such town is in such a state or locality as to be dangerous to the health of the inhabitants of such town, it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, to order that after a time to be mentioned in the order burials or cremations in any such burial ground or cremation ground shall be discontinued; and every such order shall be published in the *Government Gazette*.

Burial or  
cremation not to  
take place after  
order of  
discontinuance.

11 After the time mentioned in any such order it shall not be lawful to bury or cremate any corpse in any burial ground or cremation ground mentioned in such order; and every person who after such time as aforesaid shall bury or cremate, permit, or suffer to be buried or cremated any corpse contrary to this section, shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable on conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

By-laws:

12 It shall be lawful to the local board of any town from time to time to make by-laws for the following purposes:

- (1) For the registration of burial grounds and cremation grounds situated within the local board limits;
- (2) For the inspection of such burial and cremation grounds;
- (3) For the proper regulation of the burial and cremation of corpses in such burial and cremation grounds;
- (4) And generally for the proper management, regulation, and control of all such burial and cremation grounds, and for the maintenance of order, decency, and cleanliness within the limits thereof;

and such by-laws at any time to repeal, alter, or amend. Provided that such by-laws shall not be of any force or effect unless and until they shall be submitted to and confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, who is hereby empowered to alter, amend, or disallow the same, or any repeal, alteration, or amendment thereof as he may think proper; and all such by-laws and any repeal, alteration, or amendment thereof shall be published in the *Government Gazette*.

Courts to take  
cognizance of  
by-laws.

13 All courts of justice shall take judicial cognizance of such by-laws and of any repeal, alteration, or amendment thereof, when and so soon as the same shall have been so duly confirmed and published as aforesaid; and all officers of police are hereby required to assist in carrying out the provisions thereof.

Burials and  
cremations in  
unregistered  
burial or  
cremation  
grounds  
prohibited.

14 From and after the expiration of three months from the date of the publication in the *Government Gazette* of by-laws providing for the registration of burial grounds and cremation grounds, it shall not be lawful to bury or cremate any corpse in any burial or cremation ground which has not been duly registered in manner prescribed by such by-laws; and every person who shall bury or cremate, permit, or suffer to be buried or cremated any corpse after the expiry of such time as aforesaid in any burial or cremation ground not duly registered as aforesaid, shall be guilty of an offence, and liable on conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Breach of  
by-laws made  
an offence.

15 The breach of any by-law made and published under this Ordinance shall be an offence, and any person convicted of any such breach shall be liable to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, and in the case of a continuing offence to a further fine not exceeding one hundred rupees for each day on which the offence is continued.

Police courts  
empowered to  
deal with  
offences.

16 Police courts are hereby empowered to deal summarily with all cases instituted under this Ordinance or any by-law made in pursuance thereof, and to impose the full penalties herein prescribed, anything in "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1883," or any other Ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

Fines to be paid  
to the local  
board.

17 All fines imposed by virtue of this Ordinance or any by-law made in pursuance thereof shall be paid to the local board to be by it applied to the purposes of "The Local Board of Health and Improvement Ordinance, 1876."

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,  
Colonial Secretary,  
Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, December 9, 1897.

## NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate and Effects of Johanna Perera, late of Mahara, widow of the late Carolis Gomis Abeyesinghe Jayewardene, deceased.  
No. C/979.

John Charles Pieris Gunasekera, of St. Sebastian Hill, Colombo..... Petitioner

And

1, Emanuel Jayesinghe, of Heenkenda ; 2, Lewis Jayesinghe, of Heenkenda ; 3, Kachchi Jayesinghe, wife of D. H. Senerat ; 4, D. H. Senerat, of Bohagawatta, Udugaha pattu, Siyane korale ; 5, Cecilia Jayesinghe, wife of James Seneviratne ; 6, James Seneviratne, of Mahara ; 7, Eliza Jayesinghe, of Heenkenda ; 8, Beatrice Jayesinghe, of Heenkenda ; 9, John A. Abeysekera, of Kollonnawa, Dematagoda, Mudaliyar ; 10, Mary Abeysekera, wife of Cornelis Perera ; 11, Cornelis Perera, of Paradure, Muhandiram ; 12, Thomas Pieris Gunasekera, of St. Sebastian Hill, Colombo ; 13, P. G. Abeyesinghe, of Heenkenda ; 14, M. G. Abeyesinghe, Registrar of Henaratgoda ..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on the 2nd day of December, 1897, in the presence of F. J. and B. F. de Saram, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner John Charles Pieris Gunasekera, of St. Sebastian Hill, Colombo ; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 30th November, 1897, having been read :

It is ordered that the said petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased issued to him, as grandson of the said deceased, unless the respondents above-named shall, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,  
Acting District Judge.

2nd day of December, 1897.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of George Harry Richard Erroll, formerly Willis, late of Belgrave Mansions, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, deceased.  
No. C/981.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on the 9th day of December, 1897, in the presence of Mr. F. C. Loos, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner James Henry Renton, of Colombo ; and the affidavit of the said James Henry Renton, dated 1st December, 1897, having been read :  
It is ordered that the will of George Harry Richard Erroll, formerly Willis, deceased, dated 19th February, 1882, an exemplification thereof is now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved.

It is further declared that the said James Henry Renton is the attorney of Anne Louisa Russel Erroll, formerly Willis, the executrix named in the said will, and that as such he is entitled to have letters of administration, with copy of the said will annexed, issued to him, unless any person shall, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. R. DIAS,  
Acting District Judge.

The 9th day of December, 1897.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Eliaduragey Bastian Fernando, of Wellawatta, in the Palle pattu of the Salpiti korale, deceased.  
No. C/982.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on the 9th day of December, 1897, in the presence of E. G. Jayawardene, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Dewapuragey Sopina Fernando, of Wellawatta, in the Palle pattu of the Salpiti korale ; and the affidavits of the said petitioner, dated 22nd November, 1897, and of

B. H. Fernando, D. M. Fernando, H. A. Fernando, B. M. Fernando, E. R. Fernando, and D. D. Weerasinghe, dated 22nd November, 1897, having been read :

It is ordered that the will of Eliaduragey Bastian Fernando, deceased, dated 26th September, 1897, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless (1) Tissilina Weerasinghe (*nee* Fernando), wife of Don Disneris Weerasinghe ; (2) Porolis Fernando ; and Anneris Fernando, all of Wellawatta, in the Palle pattu of the Salpiti korale, shall, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said Dewapuragey Sopina Fernando is the widow and heir of the said deceased, and that she is entitled to have letters of administration, with copy of the will annexed, issued to her accordingly, unless the said respondents shall, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,  
Acting District Judge.

The 9th day of December, 1897.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the late Kondegamage  
Jurisdiction. } Kornelis Fernando, of Peliyagoda,  
No. C/983. } deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on the 9th day of December, 1897, in the presence of J. G. Perera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Adamberage Johana de Alvis ; and the affidavit of the said Adamberage Johana de Alvis, dated 3rd December, 1897, having been read : It is ordered that the said Adamberage Johana de Alvis be and she is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased issued to her, as widow of the deceased, unless the respondents—(1) Kondegamage Issebella Fernando ; (2) Kondegamage Arnolis Fernando ; (3) Kondegamage Engeltina Fernando ; (4) Kondegamage Johannes Fernando ; (5) Kondegamage Maria Katherina Fernando ; (6) Kondegamage Marthelis Fernando ; and (7) Nugegodage Karlina Silva, widow of Kondegamage Karolis Fernando, all of Peliyagoda, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale—shall, on or before the 30th day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,  
Acting District Judge.

The 9th day of December, 1897.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of Saviel  
Case } Pieris Tavarayen, late of No. 42,  
No. C/988. } New Chetty street in Colombo,  
deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Felix Reginald Dias, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on the 16th day of December, 1897, in the presence of Mr. Edward Wilfred Perera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Cecilia Rodrigo, of No. 42, New Chetty street in Colombo ; and her affidavit, dated the 14th day of December, 1897, having been read :

It is ordered that the said Cecilia Rodrigo be and she is hereby declared entitled, as widow of the said Saviel Pieris Tavarayen, deceased, to administer the estate of the said deceased, and to have letters of administration issued to her accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Ana Pieris Tavarayen and her husband (2) Anthony Xavier Anandappa ; (3) Theresa Pieris Tavarayen ; (4) Madalona Pieris Tavarayen ; (5) Caithan

Pieris Tavarayen ; and (6) Maria Pieris Tavarayen, all of No. 42, New Chetty street in Colombo—shall, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. R. DIAS,  
Acting District Judge.

December 16, 1897.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. } Henedigey Ana Soysa, deceased, of  
No. 174. } Wadduwa.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Roosmalecocq, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on the 14th day of November, 1897, in the presence of Mr. D. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Kornagey Harmanis Fernando, of Wadduwa ; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 29th October, 1897, having been read :

It is declared that the said Kornagey Harmanis Fernando is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Henedigey Ana Soysa, of Wadduwa, issued to him, unless the respondents—(1) Kornagey Romanis Fernando ; (2) Kornagey Charlis Fernando ; (3) Warnagey Abraham Fonseka ; (4) Kornagey Selestina Fernando ; (5) Sampatawadugey Joseph Martin de Silva ; (6) Kornagey Fransina Fernando, of Wadduwa—shall, on or before the 21st day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. ROOSMALECOQC,  
District Judge.

The 14th day of November, 1897.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of  
Jurisdiction. } Muhandiramalage Balahamy, of Mada-  
No. 56. } wala, deceased.

Dahanayaka Mudiyansele *alias* Muhandiramalage Dingiri Menika, of Madawala....Petitioner  
And

1, Muhandiramalage Silinduhamy ; 2, Muhandiramalage Ran Menika ; 3, Muhandiramalage Punchirala ; 4, Muhandiramalage Kalu Menika ; 5, Muhandiramalage Mudalihamy, all of Madawala.....Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on the 30th day of November, 1897, in the presence of Mr. J. R. Molligoda, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Dahanayaka Mudiyansele *alias* Muhandiramalage Dingiri Menika, of Madawala ; and the affidavit, dated the 25th day of November, 1897, of the said petitioner having been read : It is ordered that the said petitioner Dahanayaka Mudiyansele *alias* Muhandiramalage Dingiri Menika, of Madawala, be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the intestate estate of the deceased Muhandiramalage Balahamy, of Madawala, issued to her, as widow of the said deceased, unless the respondents—1, Muhandiramalage Silinduhamy ; 2, Muhandiramalage Ran Menika ; 3, Muhandiramalage Punchirala ; 4, Muhandiramalage Kalu Menika ; 5, Muhandiramalage Mudalihamy, all of Madawala—shall, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

W. R. B. SANDERS,  
District Judge.

The 3rd day of December, 1897.

## In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. { In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Assen Meera Lebbe Sinna Tamby, of Mawanella, deceased.

No. 57. { Abubakker Lebbe, of Mawanella .....Petitioner  
And

1, Pana Natchi Pulle ; 2, Jayanambu Natchi ;  
3, Patuma Bibi ; 4, Mymun Natchi ; 5,  
Mohanmadu Ismail ; 6, Sherifa Umma ; 7,  
Ahamadu Lebbe ; 8, Habiboo Umma, all of  
Mawanella .....Respondents.

**T**HIS matter coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on the 4th day of December, 1897, in the presence of Mr. A. V. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Abubakker Lebbe, of Mawanella ; and the affidavit, dated the 2nd day of December, 1897, of the petitioner aforesaid having been read : It is ordered that the said petitioner Abubakker Lebbe, of Mawanella, be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Assen Meera Lebbe Sinna Tamby, of Mawanella, issued to him, as son of the deceased, unless the respondents—1, Pana Natchi Pulle ; 2, Jayanambu Natchi ; 3, Patuma Bibi ; 4, Mymun Natchi ; 5, Mohanmadu Ismail ; 6, Sherifa Umma ; 7, Ahamadu Lebbe ; 8, Habiboo Umma, all of Mawanella—shall, on or before the 10th day of January, 1898, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

W. R. B. SANDERS,

The 6th day of December, 1897. District Judge.

## In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. { In the Matter of the Intestate Estate of Maniange Babanisa, of Kabulumulla, deceased.

No. 58. { Palaboore Ponnaheawalage Ukku, of Kabulumulla .....Petitioner.  
And

1, Maniange Tepanisa ; 2, Maniange Leiza ; 3,  
Maniange Singha, all of Kabulumulla ... Respondents.

**T**HIS matter coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on the 7th day of December, 1897, in the presence of Mr. A. V. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Palaboore Ponnaheawalage Ukku, of Kabulumulla ; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated the 4th day of December, 1897, having been read : It is ordered that the said petitioner Palaboore Ponnaheawalage Ukku, of Kabulumulla, be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Maniange Babanisa, of Kabulumulla, issued to her, as widow of the deceased, unless the respondents—1, Maniange Tepanisa ; 2, Maniange Leiza ; 3, Maniange Singha, all of Kabulumulla—shall, on or before the 10th day of January, 1898, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

W. R. B. SANDERS,  
District Judge.

The 8th day of December, 1897.

## NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

## In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 1,899. In the matter of the insolvency of Frederick J. Seneviratne, of Colombo.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on January 20, 1898, for the purpose of granting a certificate of conformity to the said insolvent.

By order of court,

A. SANTIAGO,  
Acting Secretary.  
Colombo, December 14, 1897.

No. 1,915. In the matter of the insolvency of William Charles Pieries, of Moratuwa.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on January 13, 1898, to approve the conditions of sale of the unexpired term of the leases of the following premises, viz. : (1) No. 74, Union place, Slave Island, Colombo ; (2) Britannia Hotel, Fort ; (3) New Criterion Hotel, Nuwara Eliya.

By order of court,

A. SANTIAGO,  
Acting Secretary.  
Colombo, December 13, 1897.

No. 1,901. In the matter of the insolvency of Edmund Dionysius Melhuisen, of Kotahena.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on January 20, 1898, to audit

the accounts of the assignee in the above-mentioned matter.

By order of court,

A. SANTIAGO,  
Acting Secretary.  
Colombo, December 14, 1897.

No. 1,924. In the matter of the insolvency of L. R. Sathianaden, of Wall street, Kotahena.

**W**HEREAS the above-named L. R. Sathianaden was on November 26, 1897, adjudged insolvent by the District Court of Colombo, and an order has been made by the said court placing the estate of the said insolvent under sequestration in the hands of the Fiscal : Notice thereof is hereby given to all concerned, and notice is also hereby given that the said court has appointed that two public sittings of the court will be held, to wit, on January 20 and February 3, 1898, for the said insolvent to surrender and conform, and for such other proceedings in the said matter as may then be competent under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853, intituled "An Ordinance for the due collection, administration, and distribution of Insolvent Estates."

By order of court,

A. SANTIAGO,  
Acting Secretary.  
Colombo, December 9, 1897.

## In the District Court of Badulla.

No. 87. In the matter of the insolvency of Gardiya Hewage Diyonis Silva, of Namunakula.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the second sittings in this case has been adjourned till January 25, 1898.

By order of court,

R. SOLOMONS,  
Secretary.  
Badulla, December 10, 1897.

## NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

## Western Province.

In the Court of Requests of Colombo.

Marsal Moras, of Kandy ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 10,687. Vs.

1, Domingo Senanayeka and his wife 2,  
Regina Peternala Senanayeka, both of  
Talangama, in the Palle pattu of Hewa-  
gam korale..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 7, 1898, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in and to the following property, viz. :—

1. The land called Batapottawatta with the tiled house standing thereon, situated at Talangama; and bounded on the east by the oviṭa belonging to Poloruwege Tekonis Perera and others, on the south by a cart road, on the west by the garden belonging to Poloruwege Denappu and others, and on the north by fields; within these boundaries containing in extent 3 acres more or less.

2. The field called Welakumbura, situated at Talangama aforesaid; and bounded on the east by the field belonging to Singho Appu, on the west by the field belonging to Walpita Maddumage Bastian Perera and others, on the south by the high land belonging to Ketagodage Singhappu, and on the north by the high land belonging to Kanattage Manis Perera and others; within these boundaries containing in extent 4 bushels of paddy sowing more or less.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Hanwella, December 11, 1897.

H. A. PIERIS,  
Deputy Fiscal.

## Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Una Kawanna Cader Mohideen, of Gampola.... Plaintiff.  
No. 11,486. Vs.

Sheena Muna Veerai, Inguruwatta, of  
Gampola..... Defendant.

In the District Court of Kandy.

O. K. Kaderu Mohideen, of Gampola..... Plaintiff.  
No. 11,263. Vs.

1, Veerai and 2, Ran. Menika, Inguruwatta in  
Gampola..... Defendants.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Una Kawanna Cader Mohideen, of Gampola... Plaintiff.  
No. 11,493. Vs.

Sheena Muna Veerai, Inguruwatta in Gampola.. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 7, 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property of the defendants :—

The chena land called Panwattehena of 16 acres in extent, together with the tea plantations and the buildings and everything standing thereon and thereto belonging, situate at Inguruwatta in Kandukara Pahala korale of Udapalata; bounded on the east by the land belonging to Kodituwakkuraya and Kandedegarabena, on the south by the land belonging to Mr. Hawke, on the west by Inguruwatta-oya, and on the north by Inguruwatta-oya.

Amount of writ in case No. 11,486 Rs. 3,105-13½.

Amount of writ in case No. 11,263 Rs. 1,873-37½.

Amount of writ in case No. 11,493 Rs. 2,362-62½.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, December 13, 1897.

WM. DUNUWILLE,  
Fiscal.

## Eastern Province.

In the District Court of Trincomalee.

1, Sittampalam Sanmugam and 2, Sittampalam Supramaniam, of Division No. 5, Trincomalee ..... Plaintiffs.  
No. 635. Vs.

1, S. Ampalavanapillai Vannipam (deceased) and 2, his wife Thankappillai, of Division No. 3, Trincomalee ..... Defendants.

C. M. Modiliyar Appacheypillai, administrator of the estate of S. Ampalavanapillai ..... Substituted Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, January 8, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the morning, will be sold by public auction at the spot the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, specially mortgaged with the plaintiffs and decreed to be sold :—

An undivided four-tenths share of a piece of land situated in Division No. 2, Trincomalee, and called King's garden, with the cocoanut trees and other plantations, the tiled houses, ola houses, an old mill, five wells, and the saw pit built with bricks standing thereon, together with all and every appurtenances belonging thereto; bounded on the north-east by road, south-east by the land belonging to the Naval Government and the land of others, south-west by the road leading to Naval yard, and north-west by the Government Custom-house and the land of others; and containing in extent 7 acres 1 rood and 16.43 square perches.

Writ amount Rs. 3,225-56, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from April 1, 1896, till payment in full, and costs Rs. 179.

C. M. LUSHINGTON,  
Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Trincomalee, December 7, 1897.

## Province of Uva.

In the District Court of Badulla.

Frederick Alexander Brough, of Pitaratmale..... Plaintiff.  
No. 1,314. Vs.

Mohammadu Lebbe Marikkar Mohidin Abdul  
Cader Marikkar, of Kalutara ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, January 8, 1898, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following properties hypothecated by the defendant by his bond dated March 23, 1895, and decreed by the judgment entered in the above case to be sold in satisfaction thereof, viz. :—

1. All that allotment of land called Kadawatakanda, containing 19½ ft. in breadth from the road and 179 ft. in length; bounded on the east by the property belonging to J. R. Bell & Co., on the south by the high road, on the west by the remaining portion of Kadawatakanda of the same name, and on the north by the minor road to and from Palugama, together with all the buildings standing thereon.

2. All that allotment of land called Kadawatakanda, of 20 ft. in breadth and 179 ft. in length; bounded on the east by the remaining portion of this land, on the south by the road to Ratnapura, on the west by the property of Dharmalingam Mason, and on the north by the road to Palugama, together with the buildings standing thereon, both situated at Haputale, in the Province of Uva.

Amount of writ to be levied Rs. 2,064-13, with interest.

L. W. C. SCHRADER,  
for Fiscal.  
Fiscal's Office,  
Badulla, December 11, 1897.

## North-Western Province.

In the Court of Requests of Chilaw.

Paththinige Clementu Fernando and another,  
of Ulhitiyawa..... Plaintiffs.  
No. 4,304. Vs.

Udugampolage Gabriel Fernando, of Vennap-  
puwa..... Defendant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that on Monday, January  
10, 1898, at 1 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. :—

One-fourth share of the defendant's residing garden of  
about 3 acres in extent, with the plantations standing  
thereon, situate at Ulhitiyawa in Kammal pattu, Chilaw  
District; bounded on the north by garden of Robert  
Fernando and others, east by vidipara, south by garden  
of the heirs of Juse Fernando Annavirala and others,  
west by garden of Migel Fernando Muppurala and  
others.

Amount recoverable Rs. 126.62, with interest on Rs. 100  
at 9 per cent. per annum from September 6, 1891, and  
poundage.

C. R. CUMBERLAND,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Chilaw, December 13, 1897.

## DISTRICT AND MINOR COURTS NOTICES.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a suit, No. 3,616, has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Ratnapura by  
fourteen labourers of Hatherleigh estate, Rakwana, against the proprietor thereof, under the Ordinance  
No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages due from June to October, 1897.

Court of Requests,  
Ratnapura, December 15, 1897.

CHAS. V. MISSE,  
Chief Clerk.