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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to make provision for preventing the introduction and spread of Insect or Fungus Pests or Plant Diseases.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to empower the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, to make regulations for preventing the introduction into this island of insect or fungus pests or plant diseases and preventing the spread of such pests and diseases in the island: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Insect Pest and Quarantine Ordinance."

Interpretation.

2 In this Ordinance and any regulation made thereunder, unless the context otherwise requires—

“Plant” shall mean plants, trees, shrubs, buds, cuttings, grafts, scions, seeds, nursery stock and fruit, but shall not include canned or preserved fruits.

“Insect pest” shall signify any insect or other animal which the Governor may from time to time by Proclamation declare to be an insect pest within the meaning of this Ordinance.

“Fungous pest” shall signify any fungus which the Governor may from time to time by Proclamation declare to be a fungous pest within the meaning of this Ordinance.

“Plant disease” shall mean any other disease which the Governor may from time to time declare to be a plant disease within the meaning of this Ordinance.

Regulations.

3 The Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, may from time to time make, and when made revoke or vary such regulations as may seem necessary or expedient for the purpose of preventing the introduction into this island of any insect pest, fungous pest, and plant disease, and also preventing the spread of any such pest or disease.

Matters in respect of which regulations may be made.

4 (1) The regulations made under the last preceding section may provide amongst other things :

- (a) For prohibiting the importation into this island from places beyond sea of any plants.
- (b) For prohibiting the landing of plants from vessels or boats either absolutely or conditionally.
- (c) For cleansing or disinfecting by the consignee in the manner prescribed by and to the satisfaction of the Director, Royal Botanical Gardens, and if expedient destroying without compensation all plants or the packages, cases, pots, or coverings in which they may be packed which shall be found or suspected to be infected with any insect or fungus or plant disease.

(2) Provided always that nothing in this section contained shall in any way restrict or be construed to restrict the generality of the powers conferred on the Governor by the last preceding section, but such powers shall extend to all matters whether similar or not to those in this section mentioned as to which it may be expedient to make regulations for the better carrying into effect of the objects of this Ordinance.

Offence.

5 If any person, without lawful authority or excuse (proof whereof shall lie on him), contravenes any regulation made under this Ordinance, or does or omits to do anything which under the provisions of this Ordinance or of any regulations made thereunder he ought not to do or omit, or if he obstructs or impedes or assists in obstructing or impeding any inspector or other officer appointed under this Ordinance, or any police officer in the execution of any provision of this Ordinance or of any regulation made thereunder, he shall be guilty of an offence against this Ordinance.

Punishment.

6 If any person is guilty of an offence against this Ordinance, he shall be liable on conviction before a police magistrate to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months or to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees, or to both.

Regulations to be published.

7 All regulations made under this Ordinance shall be published in the *Government Gazette*, and shall from the date of such publication have the same force as if they had been enacted in this Ordinance.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 17, 1901.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to provide for the segregation and treatment of Lepers.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the disease of leprosy is prevalent in this island, and it is expedient to provide for the segregation and treatment of lepers: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Lepers' Ordinance, 1901," and shall come into operation on such date as the Governor shall, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, appoint.

Date of operation.

Governor may establish leper asylums.

2 It shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, from time to time to appoint any place as he shall think fit to be a leper asylum, for the segregation and treatment of lepers; and every such leper asylum shall comprise such area as the Governor shall from time to time define by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*.

Provision as to existing leper hospital or asylum.

3 The place now and heretofore known as the leper hospital or asylum, situate at Hendala, shall be deemed to be a leper asylum established under the provisions of this Ordinance, and all acts heretofore done and suffered with regard to lepers and the segregation, support, and treatment of lepers in the said leper hospital or asylum shall be deemed to have been done and suffered in accordance with law.

Lepers may build separate dwellings for their own use.

4 Any person detained as a leper in a leper asylum may by the special permission of the Governor erect or cause to be erected for himself a dwelling-house, at his own proper expense within the limits of the leper asylum in which he is detained, subject to such conditions as to plan, site, drainage, and otherwise as to the Governor shall seem fit.

Duty of persons to give information of existence of lepers.

5 It shall be the duty of every person having knowledge of the existence of a leper or a person reasonably suspected of being a leper in any place outside the limits of any leper asylum to give information thereof to the Government medical officer residing nearest to the village or place in which such leper or suspected leper resides or is found, and such medical officer shall forthwith report the same to the Principal Civil Medical Officer.

Penalty.

6 Every person wilfully neglecting to give such information as aforesaid, and every medical officer wilfully neglecting to report the same as aforesaid, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction for each such offence to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

Inquiry into cases of leprosy.

7 On the receipt of such report as aforesaid the Principal Civil Medical Officer shall forthwith forward such report to the Colonial Secretary for the information of the Governor, and such inspection and examination of the alleged leper shall be held and such report made thereon as the Governor shall order, or as shall be from time to time prescribed by such general regulations in that behalf as shall from time to time be made under section 13 of this Ordinance.

Power of Governor to order lepers to be removed to and detained in asylum.

8 After such inspection, examination, and report as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for the Governor, if he shall think fit, to order the leper or alleged leper to be removed to and detained in a leper asylum. Provided always that no person shall be removed to or detained in a leper asylum unless a certificate shall have been given by two qualified medical practitioners, one of whom shall be the Principal Civil Medical Officer of the island, that such person is actually suffering from the disease of leprosy.

Lepers able to provide effective isolation and medical treatment, not removable to asylum.

Governor may prescribe rules. Governor may order removal on breach of rules.

Lepers not to leave asylum without permission.

penalty.

No person to enter leper asylum without permission. Penalty.

Principal Civil Medical Officer and medical officer in charge of any leper asylum to exercise powers of police magistrate, in asylum.

Regulations to be made by Governor.

Penalty for breach of regulation.

9 (1) No such order for removal or detention as in the next preceding section mentioned shall be made if the leper or alleged leper shall in the opinion of the Governor be able to provide for himself at his own place of abode effective isolation and medical treatment, and shall within the time prescribed by the Governor carry out such directions as the Governor may give for securing such isolation, but in every such case it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to prescribe rules for observance by such leper or alleged leper in order to secure such isolation.

(2) In the event of the disregard or breach of any such rules, the Governor may under section 8 order such leper or alleged leper to be removed to and detained in a leper asylum.

10 No person detained as a leper in a leper asylum shall leave the asylum without the permission in writing of the Principal Civil Medical Officer, and every person acting in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction for each such offence to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months.

11 Every person found within the limits of a leper asylum without the written permission of the Principal Civil Medical Officer or without lawful authority shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction for each such offence to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

12 The Principal Civil Medical Officer shall have and exercise all the powers of a police magistrate with respect to all offences committed by persons detained as lepers in a leper asylum, and shall also have power to hear and determine all complaints of offences punishable under section 10 of this Ordinance. And it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to appoint any medical officer having charge of any leper asylum to have and exercise all the powers of a police magistrate therein. Every decision given under the provisions of this section shall be subject to the same rights of appeal as the decisions of a police magistrate.

13 It shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, from time to time to make such regulations as he may deem necessary—

- (a) For inspection, examination, and removal of lepers to a leper asylum ;
- (b) For the proper management and sanitation of the leper asylum or asylums ;
- (c) For the discipline and good order of the inmates of such asylum or asylums ;
- (d) For the custody and imprisonment within such asylum or asylums of lepers accused of and found guilty of offences ; and
- (e) For regulating the sittings and procedure of courts to be held under the provisions of this Ordinance ;
- (f) Generally for the better carrying out of the provisions of this Ordinance and for the well being of such asylum or asylums and the inmates thereof ;

and from time to time to revoke, amend, and vary such regulations.

All regulations made under the provisions of this section shall be published in the *Government Gazette*, and from the date of such publication shall have the same force and effect as if they were enacted in and formed part of this Ordinance ; and every person acting in contravention of any regulation made under the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction for each such offence to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding one month.

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, January 14, 1901.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the Law relating to Carriages, Carts, and Coaches.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend and consolidate the law relating to carriages, carts, and coaches : Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as "The Vehicles Ordinance, 1901."

Commencement of Ordinance.

2 This Ordinance shall come into operation on such date as the Governor shall, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, appoint.

Repeal.

3 The Ordinances specified in the first column of the first schedule hereto shall be severally repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column thereof, but such repeal shall not affect—

- (a) The past operation of any Ordinance hereby repealed, nor anything duly done or suffered thereunder ; nor
- (b) Any right, privilege, obligation, or liability acquired, accrued, or incurred under any Ordinance hereby repealed ; nor
- (c) Any penalty, forfeiture, or punishment incurred in respect of any offence committed against any Ordinance hereby repealed ; nor
- (d) Any investigation, legal proceeding, or remedy in respect of any right, privilege, obligation, liability, penalty, forfeiture, or punishment as aforesaid, and any such investigation, legal proceeding, and remedy may be carried on as if this Ordinance had not been passed.

4 When any unrepealed Ordinance, by-law, rule, or regulation refers to or incorporates any provision of any Ordinance hereby repealed, such unrepealed Ordinance, by-law, rule, or regulation shall be deemed to refer to or incorporate the corresponding provision of this Ordinance.

Definitions.

Interpretation clause :

" Vehicle."

" Carriage."

5 The term "vehicle" means and includes carriages, carts, and coaches as hereinafter defined.

The term "carriage" means any carriage drawn by one or more beasts of burden, or drawn or propelled by steam, electricity, or any other mechanical power or agency, or by man, or in any other manner, capable of conveying one or more persons from one place to another on land and used for such purpose, and includes bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes, jinrickshas, hackeries, and motor cars, but not any carriage running on rails or tram lines, or any children's carriage the wheels of which do not exceed 24 inches in diameter.

" Cart."

The term "cart" means any cart drawn by one or more beasts of burden, or drawn or propelled by steam, electricity, or any other mechanical power or agency, or by man, or in any other manner, capable of conveying animals or goods, produce, or merchandise, or other similar load from one place to another on land and used for such purpose, and includes hand carts and wheelbarrows, but not any carts running on rails or tram lines.

"Coach." The term "coach" means any carriage which plies for hire in any public street, road, or place, in which the passengers or any of them are charged and pay separate and distinct, or at the rate of separate and distinct, fares for their respective places or seats therein, and includes mail coaches.

"Proper authority." The term "proper authority" shall mean within any province or district the government agent or assistant government agent thereof, or any officer authorized in writing by the government agent or assistant government agent to act as such within such province or district, but in any town where a municipal council or local board has been established, or may hereafter be established, the chairman of such council or board, and in the town of Nuwara Eliya the Assistant Government Agent of Nuwara Eliya.

Licensing of Vehicles.

Application for a license. 6 The owner of every vehicle which shall be used for the purpose of conveying or transporting by land passengers, goods, produce, or merchandise from any place to any other place for hire or reward, shall subscribe and present to the proper authority of the district within which such owner resides or exercises his calling a declaration of ownership substantially in the form A in the second schedule hereto, and shall apply for a license authorizing such owner to use such vehicle for the purpose or purposes set out in the license.

Proper authority to issue license after inquiry. 7 On receipt of such application the proper authority shall satisfy himself that the said declaration is true, and that the vehicle in respect of which the license is applied for is in good order and fit to be hired for the purpose intended, and that the name and address of the owner has been duly painted on such vehicle, and thereafter shall issue to the owner of such vehicle a license in the form B in the second schedule hereto.

License to be issued in duplicate. 8 (1) Every such license shall be issued in duplicate, one to be marked "original" and the other to be marked "duplicate," and the license marked "original" shall bear a stamp of the value set down in figures in the third column of the third schedule hereto annexed, such stamp to be supplied by the party applying for the license.

(2) Each license shall be in force until the 31st day of December in the year in and for which the same shall be granted and no longer.

References to headmen. 9 The proper authority may, if to him it shall appear necessary, cause reference to be made to any headman or other person to ascertain the truth of any statement in any declaration of ownership, and to delay granting the license until the result of such reference is ascertained.

Register of license. 10 The proper authority shall keep a book in which shall be registered all the particulars stated in the licenses granted by him; and every entry in such register shall be numbered in accordance with the number of the license to which it has reference. Any authenticated copy or extract from such register shall be deemed *prima facie* evidence of the facts therein stated.

Extract therefrom *prima facie* evidence.

Numbered plates to be affixed to vehicles. 11 At the time when any vehicle shall be licensed the proper authority shall cause the vehicle to be branded, stamped, or cut, as he shall consider best, on the axle or some conspicuous part thereof with a number corresponding to that under which such vehicle is entered in the register, and shall thereafter issue to the applicant the license aforesaid together with a plate, on which shall be legibly painted or marked a number corresponding with the number of such vehicle mentioned in the license for the same, together with figures or letters denoting the year in which such license has

been granted ; and the plate shall be placed and fixed upon such vehicle in such manner that the number and year shall be at all times plainly and distinctly visible and legible, and shall be kept and continued so fixed during the continuance of such license ; and the proprietor of such vehicle shall, at the expiration of the period for which the said license shall have been granted, return the said plate to the office from which he received it.

Owner to keep original and driver to keep duplicate.

12 The original of the license shall be retained by the owner of the vehicle, but the driver of the vehicle shall have the duplicate of such license, and be ready to produce the same whenever thereunto required.

Notice of transfer to be given.

13 In case any vehicle licensed as aforesaid shall be transferred to another by sale, gift, or otherwise, the transferor and transferee shall notify the same to the proper authority within fourteen days from the date of such transfer, in order that such transfer may be entered in the register and a new license issued to the transferee. Provided that such new license shall be on unstamped paper, and shall be in force from the date of issue till the 31st day of December of that year.

Proviso.

Notice to be given of vehicle destroyed or rendered unfit for use.

14 If any licensed vehicle shall be destroyed or rendered wholly unfit for use, the owner thereof shall within fourteen days notify the fact to the proper authority, in order that the number may be erased from the register.

Proper authority may issue license in place of one lost or destroyed.

15 The proper authority may, on his being satisfied by affidavit that any license has been lost or destroyed by accident or otherwise, issue an exemplification of the license on the application of the owner of the vehicle.

Owner bound to return license on expiry of term and in other cases.

16 The owner of every licensed vehicle shall return both the original and duplicate license, together with the plate issued to him, on the 31st day of December of the year during which the same were issued to the proper authority, or as soon thereafter as possible. c

New license not to issue till previous license has been returned.

17 No new license shall be issued for any vehicle under the provisions of this Ordinance unless and until the original and duplicate license previously issued for such vehicle have been returned by the owner to the proper authority, or the non-return of such original or duplicate, or of both, as the case may be, has been accounted for to the satisfaction of the proper authority.

Power to refuse or revoke license.

18 (1) It shall be lawful for the proper authority to revoke the license after the same shall have been issued, if the owner of any vehicle shall not keep the vehicle or the animals drawing it in good order and condition, or if such authority has reason to believe that the vehicle is out of repair and not fit to be used for the purpose for which it was licensed, or if the owner shall allow the same to be driven by any person not competent to drive by reason of want of skill or otherwise, or if such owner shall commit any breach of the provisions of this Ordinance or the by-laws made thereunder.

(2) Whenever a license is revoked under the provisions of this section, the owner of the vehicle shall return to the proper authority the original and duplicate license and the plate issued to such owner within seven days from the date of such revocation.

By-laws.

The Governor in Executive Council may make by-laws as to vehicles.

19 The Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, may, for any town, place, district, or province of this island, from time to time make by-laws for any of the following purposes :

- (1) For regulating the number of persons to be carried in vehicles, and for the periodical inspection of the condition of such vehicles and of the animals or machinery used for drawing or propelling the same.
- (2) For fixing public stands for carriages, the distances to which such carriages may be compelled to take passengers, and the persons to be in charge of at such stands, the hours within which carriages are to remain at the stands, and all other matters relating thereto.

- (3) For fixing the rates or fares as well for time as distance to be paid for vehicles, and for securing the due publication of such fares.
- (4) For framing a table of distances for the purpose of any fare to be charged by distance.
- (5) For securing the safe custody and delivery of any property accidentally left in vehicles and fixing the charges to be paid in respect thereof, with power to cause such property to be sold or to be given to the finder in the event of its not being claimed within a stated time.
- (6) For regulating the manner in which notice may be given by the proper authority to any person under the provisions of this Ordinance.
- (7) For every other purpose which may be necessary or expedient for providing for the safety and comfort of passengers and for the safety of goods conveyed by licensed vehicles.
- (8) Generally to carry out the provisions of this Ordinance.

And the Governor, with the like advice, may from time to time alter, amend, or revoke the same or any of them.

By-laws to be published in the *Gazette*.

20 (1) The by-laws when so made, altered, or amended shall be published in the *Government Gazette*, and shall thereupon become as legal, valid, binding, and effectual as if the same had been inserted in this Ordinance, and all courts, judges, and magistrates shall take judicial notice thereof.

(2) The Proclamation publishing the by-laws shall set out and define the limits of the town, place, district, or province to which such by-laws are to apply. Provided always that until by-laws have been made for any town or place under the provisions of this Ordinance, the by-laws which are in force at the coming into operation of this Ordinance in any such town or place under the provisions of Ordinance No. 17 of 1873 shall continue to be in force until superseded.

Penalty for breach of by-laws.

21 Any person committing a breach of any by-law shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees for each breach, and in case of a continued breach to further fines not exceeding ten rupees for each day such breach is continued after notice to the offender. And it shall be competent for police courts to try such offences, although the aggregate of the fines may exceed the sum which it is competent to police courts, in the exercise of their ordinary jurisdiction, to award.

Liabilities of Owners of Vehicles.

Liabilities of owners of licensed vehicles.

22 The owner of every licensed vehicle shall, in the absence of any special contract between him or the person in charge of such vehicle and any other party for the conveyance of goods, be liable for any loss of, or injury to, any goods, articles, or property whatsoever delivered to be carried therein for hire, which shall be occasioned by the neglect or misconduct of such owner, or of any driver, coachman, or other person or servant in his employ or in charge of any such vehicle, and such liability shall be deemed to continue in the person who shall have made the declaration of ownership herein required, unless and until he shall have given the notice of transfer required by section 17. Provided, however, that nothing in this section contained shall be construed to limit or in anywise affect the liability of any such owner as a common carrier if he shall be such.

Proviso.

Not liable for loss of certain goods above fifty rupees unless delivered as such.

23 No such owner shall be liable for the loss of, or injury to, any article or articles or property of the descriptions following; that is to say, gold or silver coin of this or any other country, or any gold or silver in a manufactured or unmanufactured state, or any precious stones, jewellery, watches, clocks, or timepieces of any description, trinkets, bills of exchange, orders, promissory notes, or securities for

payment of money, stamps, maps, writings, title deeds, paintings, engravings, pictures, gold or silver plate or plated article, glass, china, opium, silks in a manufactured or unmanufactured state, and whether or not wrought up into other materials, or lace, or any of them, contained in any parcel or package which shall have been delivered to be carried for hire, or to accompany the person of any passenger, when the value of such article or articles or property aforesaid contained in such parcel or package shall exceed the sum of fifty rupees, unless at the time of delivery thereof at the office, warehouse, or receiving house of such owner, or to such owner, or to his driver, coachman, bookkeeper, or other servant, for the purpose of being carried or of accompanying the person of any passenger as aforesaid, the value and nature of such article or articles or property shall have been declared by the person sending or delivering the same, and such increased charge as hereinafter mentioned, or an engagement to pay the same, be accepted by the person receiving such parcel or package.

Increased rate of charges for such goods.

24 When any parcel or package containing any of the articles above specified shall be so delivered, and its value and contents declared as aforesaid, and such value shall exceed fifty rupees, it shall be lawful for the person receiving the same for carriage on hire to demand and receive an increased rate of charge, to be notified by some notice affixed in legible characters in some public and conspicuous part of the office, warehouse, or other receiving house, where such parcels or packages are received for the purpose of conveyance, stating the increased rates of charge required to be paid over and above the ordinary rate of carriage as compensation for the greater risk and care to be taken for the safe conveyance of such valuable articles; and all persons sending or delivering any such parcels or packages at any such office shall be bound by such notice without further proof of the same having come to their knowledge.

Carriers to give receipt.

25 Whenever any goods shall have been received for conveyance for hire by any such licensed vehicle, whether the same be such goods as are mentioned in section 23 or other goods, the person receiving the same for carriage on hire shall, if thereto required when the rate of carriage shall have been paid, or an engagement to pay the same shall have been accepted, sign a receipt for the said goods setting out therein the name and residence of the owner; and if such receipt shall not be given when required, the person so receiving the same for carriage, in addition to any other liability which he may incur by such refusal, shall not have or be entitled to any benefit or advantage under section 23, and shall be liable to refund any increased rate of charge he may have received in respect of the goods specified therein, and shall further be liable to a fine not exceeding ten rupees.

Penalty in case of neglect.

Publication of notice to limit liability in respect of other goods.

26 No public notice or declaration by the owner of any such licensed vehicle shall be deemed or construed to limit, or in anywise affect his liability as aforesaid, for or in respect of any articles or goods to be carried and conveyed by him; but all and every such owner shall be liable to answer for the loss of, or any injury to, any articles and goods in respect whereof he may not be entitled to the benefits of section 23, any public notice or declaration by him made and given in anywise limiting such liability to the contrary notwithstanding.

Any owner may be sued.

27 Any one or more of the owners of any such licensed vehicle shall be liable to be sued by his or their name or names only; and no action or suit commenced to recover damages for loss or injury to any parcel, package, or person shall abate by reason of the non-joinder of any co-proprietor or co-partner in such licensed vehicle.

Parties entitled to damages may also recover extra charges.

28 Where any such goods as are mentioned in section 23 shall have been delivered as aforesaid, and the value and contents declared as aforesaid, and the increased rate of charge, if any, paid, and such goods shall have been lost or

damaged, the party entitled to recover damages in respect of such loss or damage shall also be entitled to recover such increased charge so paid as aforesaid, in addition to the value of such good

Owner liable for thefts committed by his servants, &c.

29 Nothing in section 23 contained shall be deemed to protect the owner of any such licensed vehicle from liability to answer for loss or injury to any goods or articles whatsoever arising from theft or fraudulent conduct of any coachman, driver, bookkeeper, or other person or servant in his employ or in charge of any such licensed vehicle, nor to protect any such coachman, driver, bookkeeper, or other person or servant from liability for any loss or injury occasioned by his or their own personal neglect or misconduct.

Owner liable to such damages only as proved.

30 No owner of any such licensed vehicle shall be concluded as to the value of any goods whereof the value shall be declared in pursuance of section 23, but he shall in all cases be entitled to require from the party suing in respect of any loss or injury proof of the actual value of the said goods by the ordinary legal evidence; and such owner shall be liable to such damages only as shall be proved as aforesaid, not exceeding the declared value, together with the increased charges as aforesaid.

Parcels brought by coaches to be delivered within six hours.

Delivery of Goods.

31 Every box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing whatsoever, not exceeding fifty pounds weight, brought to any coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place, and accepted for the purpose of being carried by any licensed coach, shall be despatched on the day and by the licensed coach agreed upon, and every such box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing brought to any coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place by any licensed coach for the purpose of delivery at any place within four miles of such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place (except where the same shall be directed to be left till called for), shall be delivered according to the direction thereof within six hours after the arrival of any such box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing at such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place, unless such arrival shall be between the hours of five in the evening and seven in the morning; and in that case every such delivery shall be made within six hours after such hour in the morning, and in default thereof the keeper of such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place shall for every such offence be liable to a fine not exceeding ten rupees.

Within forty-eight hours if distance be beyond four miles.

32 Every box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing deliverable at places beyond four miles of such office, hotel, warehouse, or other place shall be delivered within forty-eight hours after the arrival of such licensed coach, and in default thereof the keeper of such coach office, hotel, resthouse, or warehouse, or other place shall for every such offence be liable to a fine not exceeding ten rupees.

Parcels directed to be left till called for.

33 Every such box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing brought to such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place, which shall be directed to be left till called for, shall, upon the demand of the person duly authorized to receive the same, be delivered to such person without any charge or demand whatsoever, other than what is justly due for the carriage thereof and the additional sum of eight cents for the warehouse room thereof; and if the same be not delivered to such person on such demand, or any charge other than as aforesaid be made or received in respect thereof, every keeper of such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place shall for every such offence be liable to a fine not exceeding ten rupees. Provided nevertheless that if such box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing so directed to be left till called for be not called for from such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place before the end of one week after the same is brought to such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place, it

Warehouse room.

shall be lawful to and for the keeper of such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place to charge and receive the further sum of twelve cents for the warehouse room thereof, and so in like manner if the same be not sent for before the end of the second or any subsequent week, to charge the further sum of twelve cents weekly.

Proviso for parcels not directed to be left till called for.

34 If any such box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing brought to such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place as aforesaid which is not directed to be left till called for shall, before the same is sent for delivery from such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place, be demanded by any person duly authorized to receive the same, such box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing shall be thereupon delivered to such person demanding the same, and it shall in such case be lawful to and for the keeper of such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place to charge and take the sum justly due for the carriage thereof, and also the sum of eight cents for the warehouse room thereof; but if the same be not delivered to such person on such demand, or any charge other than as aforesaid be made or received in respect thereof, the keeper of such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place shall for every such offence be liable to a fine not exceeding ten rupees.

Rate of cooly hire for parcels not exceeding 50 lb.

35 The keeper of any coach office, hotel, warehouse, or other place to whom any box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing whatsoever not exceeding fifty pounds weight is brought by any licensed coach or any cooly or other person employed by the keeper of any such coach office, hotel, resthouse, warehouse, or other place as aforesaid in the delivery of any such box, basket, package, parcel, or other thing as aforesaid, shall be entitled to ask, demand, receive, and take, in respect of such delivery, the sums hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:

For any distance not exceeding one mile the sum of sixteen cents.

For any distance exceeding one mile, but not exceeding two miles, the sum of twenty-five cents.

For any distance exceeding two miles, but not exceeding three miles, the sum of thirty-seven cents; and so in like manner the additional sum of twelve cents for every further distance not exceeding a mile.

Penalty on taking more than the above rates.

36 If any cooly or other person employed in the delivery of such boxes, baskets, packages, parcels, or other things as aforesaid shall ask or demand of or from any person or persons in respect of such delivery any greater sum or sums than the rates or prices hereinbefore fixed in that behalf, such cooly or other person shall for every such offence be liable to a fine not exceeding five rupees.

Goods sent by carts to be delivered within twenty-four hours.

37 All goods and merchandise sent by any licensed cart for the purpose of delivery at any place within this island shall, in the absence of any special contract to the contrary, be delivered according to the direction thereof within twenty-four hours after the arrival of any such licensed cart at the place of delivery; and in default thereof the owner of such licensed cart shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding ten rupees.

General.

Light.

38 No person shall ride, drive, or lead any vehicle along any public road, street, or thoroughfare, after dark and before daylight, unless there shall be attached to such vehicle, in the case of a bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, or other like vehicle one lamp, and in the case of all other vehicles two lamps, which shall be so constructed and placed as to throw the light of such lamp or lamps in the direction in which such person is proceeding, and so lighted and kept lighted as to afford adequate means of signalling the approach of such vehicle.

Bicycle rider to give notice by ringing a bell.

39 Every person riding a bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, or other similar vehicle, or driving a motor carriage or traction engine, shall, before overtaking any vehicle or horse,

mule, or other beast of burden, or any foot passenger, within a reasonable distance from and before passing such vehicle, horse, or mule, or beast of burden, or such foot passenger, by sounding a bell or whistle or otherwise, give audible and sufficient warning of the approach of such bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, motor carriage, or traction engine.

40 No person under the age of sixteen shall drive any vehicle along the public road.

41 Where a vehicle shall pass another vehicle going in the same, or coming from the opposite, direction, it shall pass on the off or right side of such vehicle.

42 No vehicle shall be left or permitted to remain in any public road except for such time as shall be necessary only for loading and unloading.

Offences.

Penalties for
commission of
certain acts.

43 Any person committing a breach of sections 40, 41, 42, or—

- (1) Wilfully making a false declaration of ownership under section 6; or
- (2) Using or permitting or suffering to be used any vehicle required to be licensed under this Ordinance without having obtained a license therefor, or after the period mentioned in such license shall have expired; or
- (3) Neglecting or omitting to fix the plate issued under section 15 in such manner that the number thereon shall be at all times plainly and distinctly visible and legible, or to keep and continue to keep the same so fixed during the continuance of such license; or
- (4) Failing to return the duplicate and original license and the plate to the proper authority from whom such person received it within seven days after the expiration of the period for which such license and plate shall have been issued, or after such person has ceased to be the owner of the vehicle in respect of which the same were issued; or
- (5) Suffering the plate issued under section 15 to remain fixed on any vehicle after the license with which such plate was issued shall cease to be in force; or
- (6) Failing to give notice of transfer to another of any licensed vehicle, or of such vehicle having been destroyed or rendered wholly unfit for use; or
- (7) Using after dark and before daylight any vehicle without having affixed thereto the lighted lamp or lamps as required by section 38; or
- (8) Riding a bicycle, tricycle, or velocipede, or driving a motor car without giving sufficient warning of the approach of such vehicle to any foot passenger or vehicle being passed, overtaken, or approached by such bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, or motor car;

shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees.

Further penalties
in case of
licensed vehicle.

44 Any owner or person having the charge or care of any licensed vehicle committing any of the following acts shall be guilty of an offence, and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees:

- (1) Permitting or suffering more passengers to enter a licensed vehicle than such vehicle is authorized by its license to carry.
- (2) Employing or suffering or permitting to be employed any incompetent person to drive a licensed vehicle.

Further penalty
in case of
licensed carriage
or cart.

45 Any owner or person having the charge or care of any licensed carriage or cart committing any of the following acts shall be guilty of an offence, and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees:

Refusing without reasonable cause (the proof of which shall rest on him) to let such carriage or cart to any person desirous of hiring the same for the legal fare

allowed by any regulations issued under the authority of this Ordinance, or exacting or demanding for the hire thereof more than the proper fare allowed by such regulations.

Further penalties in respect of licensed carts or coaches.

46 Any owner or person having the charge or care of any licensed cart or coach committing any of the following acts in respect of carts and coaches shall be held to be guilty of an offence, and to be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for the first offence, and for the second and every other offences to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees; and the said cart or coach, and every ox, horse, or other animal used for drawing the same, shall in every such case of a second or subsequent offence be forfeited, if the court before which such conviction shall take place shall so adjudge:

- (1) Refusing or neglecting, after being thereunto required by any police magistrate, superintendent of police, police officer, inspector of coaches, or any person claiming interest in the goods conveyed or to be conveyed in such cart or coach, within a reasonable time to produce the license for the said cart or coach to such police magistrate, superintendent of police, police officer, inspector of coaches, or such other person; or
- (2) Using or suffering or permitting to be used any cart or coach without having the name and residence of such owner or person painted in English thereon.

Misbehaviour of person in charge of vehicle.

47 If any person having the charge or care of any vehicle, owing to intoxication or wanton or furious driving or any other wilful misconduct, injure or endanger any person in his life, limbs, or property, or if any person as aforesaid make use of any abusive or insulting language, or be guilty of other rude behaviour to or towards any person whomsoever, or assault or obstruct any officer of police in the execution of his duty, he shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for any period not exceeding three months.

Penalty on person refusing to pay hire or defacing or injuring any vehicle.

48 If any person shall refuse or omit to pay to the proprietor or other person authorized to recover the same the sum justly due for the hire of a vehicle, or shall deface or in any manner injure any such vehicle, it shall be lawful for the police court having jurisdiction in the place in which any of the acts aforesaid were committed, upon complaint of the proprietor and summary proof of the facts, to award reasonable satisfaction to the party so complaining for his fare or for his damages and costs, and also reasonable compensation for loss of time in attending to make and establish such complaint; and upon the neglect or refusal of such defaulter or offender to pay the same, it shall be recovered as if it were a fine imposed by such court.

Proof of license to be on the accused.

49 If in any prosecution or proceeding under this Ordinance any question shall arise as to whether a license has been obtained, or whether any vehicle has been used for the conveyance of any goods or passengers for hire without a license, or as to whether any declaration of ownership has been made, the proof that such goods or passengers were not conveyed for hire, or that the goods belonged to the person owning such vehicle, or that a license has been obtained, or the declaration made shall be upon the accused. Provided that it shall be lawful for the court to award a reasonable sum in lieu of costs to the accused to be paid by any person who may have made a vexatious complaint, and such sum shall be recovered in like manner as any fine imposed under the provisions of this Ordinance.

Proviso.

Informer's share of penalty.

50 The court before which the prosecution or proceeding is taken may award any share of the fines actually recovered and realized not exceeding one-half to be paid to the informer.

Limitation of prosecution.

51 No prosecution shall be instituted against any person for any offence committed against any of the provisions of this Ordinance cognizable by the police court, unless the same shall be commenced within one month from the time of the commission of such offence.

Municipal councils and local boards entitled to fees.

52 The municipal councils shall be entitled to take and receive for the municipal fund all sums paid for stamp duty for registration tickets and licenses by the inhabitants of the municipality under this Ordinance, and the local boards of health and improvement of any town, and in the case of Nuwara Eliya the Board of Improvement of Nuwara Eliya, shall be entitled to take and receive for the local fund all such like sums paid by the inhabitants of such town.

SCHEDULE I.

No. of Ordinance.	Title.	Extent of Repeal.
14 of 1865 ...	" The Carriers' Ordinance, 1865 " ...	The whole, so far as it applies to carts and coaches
17 of 1873 ...	" The Carriage Ordinance, 1873 " ...	The whole

SCHEDULE II.

A.—Declaration of Ownership.

No. —.

I, *A. B.*, do truly declare that I reside at —, in the District of —, and that I am the sole owner or joint owner with — of the (cart, carriage, or coach), for which I apply at the — Kachechi for a license (or that the vehicle belongs to the —, of which I am the Manager, as the case may be).

Declared at *Colombo*, the — day of —, 19—.

Signature.

B.—License.

Colombo, the — day of —, 19—.

Whereas *A. B.*, occupying premises No. —, in the — street in —, has applied for a license under the Ordinance No. — of —, and has made and signed the declaration thereby required, license is hereby granted unto him to keep the carriage, cart, or coach (*describe*), bearing registered number —, for the purpose of letting the same for hire, from the date hereof until the 31st day of December next. Provided that such — shall not carry more than — persons at any one time.

Given under my hand the day and year first above-written.

Proper Authority under Ordinance
No. — of 19—.

SCHEDULE III.

(Stamp Duty.)

	Registration.	License.
For every vehicle of whatever description other than those mentioned below
For every vehicle drawn by a bullock or bullocks other than a coach
For every jinricksha
For every bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, and other similar vehicle
For every coach drawn by a horse or horses
For every coach drawn by a bullock or bullocks

By His Excellency's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 16, 1901.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

PASSED ORDINANCES.

Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 1 of 1901.

An Ordinance for making final provision for the Supplementary Contingent Charges for the year 1899.

WEST RIDGEWAY.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance No. 8 of 1899 it was enacted that a sum of Rs. 1,942,913.47 should be charged upon the revenue of this island for the Supplementary Contingent Services of the year One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-nine, in addition to the sum of Rs. 18,163,172 provided by the Ordinance No. 22 of 1898: And whereas an expenditure of Rs. 75,055.49 was incurred and brought to account for the Contingent Services of the year 1899, for which provision is not made by the aforesaid Ordinances: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Rs. 75,055.49 charged upon the revenue of this island of the year 1899 for the final Supplementary Contingent Service of that year.

1 That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand and Fifty-five rupees and Forty-nine cents shall be and the same is hereby charged upon the revenue of this island of the said year 1899, for the services hereinafter mentioned; the said expenditure being in conformity with the schedule hereunto annexed, whereof the following is an abstract:

	Rs.	c.
Pensions ...	50,495	33
His Excellency the Governor	234	89
Survey Department	505	59
Medical Department	1,513	30
Hospitals and Dispensaries	6,427	16
Government Stores	734	67
Miscellaneous Services	13,639	96
Public Works Annually Recurrent	320	28
Public Works Extraordinary	1,184	31
Total ...	75,055	49

SCHEDULE.

	Rs.	c.
PENSIONS.		
Crown Agents, London	48,448	54
Government and Agents in India	2,046	79
	50,495	33
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.		
Other Charges	—	234 89
SURVEY DEPARTMENT.		
Other Charges	—	505 59
MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.		
Other Charges	—	1,513 30
HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES.		
Other Charges	—	6,427 16
GOVERNMENT STORES.		
Other Charges	—	734 67
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
Commissioner of Stamps	10,199	19
Crown Agents	2,595	19
Government and Agents in India	845	58
	13,639	96
PUBLIC WORKS ANNUALLY RECURRENT.		
Repair of iron and timber bridges extending 50 ft. in length, Southern Province	—	320 28
PUBLIC WORKS EXTRAORDINARY.		
Improvement of Giriulla-Pasyala road	—	1,184 31
Total ...	—	75,055 49

Passed in Council the Ninth day of January, One thousand Nine hundred and One.

A. G. CLAYTON,
Clerk to the Council.

Assented to by His Excellency the Governor the Fifteenth day of January, One thousand Nine hundred and One.

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Matilda Magdalene Dias Bandara-
No. C 1,418. } nayaka, deceased, of Ja-ela.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on the 22nd day of January, 1901, in the presence of Messrs. F. J. & R. F. de Saram, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Edwin Valentine Dias Bandaranayaka; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 18th December, 1900, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner aforesaid be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Matilda Magdalene Dias Bandaranayaka issued to him, as husband of the said deceased, unless any person interested shall, on or before the 7th day of February, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. R. DIAS,
Additional District Judge.

The 22nd day of January, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Edwin Valentine Dias Bandara-
No. C 1,419. } nayaka, deceased, of Colombo.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on the 22nd day of January, 1901, in the presence of Messrs. F. J. & R. F. de Saram, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Edwin Valentine Dias Bandaranayaka, of Ja-ela; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 18th December, 1900, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner aforesaid be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Edwin Valentine Dias Bandaranayaka issued to him, as father and sole heir of the said deceased, unless any person interested shall, on or before the 7th day of February, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,
Additional District Judge.

The 22nd day of January, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the
Jurisdiction. } late Dehiwala Lianage Hendrick
No. 1,428. } de Silva, deceased, of Kalubowila.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on the 10th day of January, 1901, in the presence of Mr. W. P. Ranasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Dehiwala Lianage Abraham de Silva, of Kalubowila; the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 20th December, 1900, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner aforesaid be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Dehiwala Lianage Hendrick de Silva, of Kalubowila, issued to him, as brother of the said deceased, unless the respondents—1, Meepagalage Leisahami; 2, Dehiwala Lianage Magee Silva; 3, Dehiwala Lianage Edward; 4, Dehiwala Lianage Martin; 5, Dehiwala Lianage Richard; 6, Dehiwala Lianage Carolina; 7, Dehiwala Lianage Mary, all of Nawala in Palle pattu—shall, on or before the 31st day of January, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,
Additional District Judge.

The 10th day of January, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the
Jurisdiction. } late Andrew Wijesinghe, deceased,
No. C 1,430. } of Madampe.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on the 10th day of January, 1901, in the presence of Messrs. J. W. & W. P. D. Vanderstraaten, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Kana Pena Ana Muttiah, of Madampe; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 31st December, 1900, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner aforesaid be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Andrew Wijesinghe issued to him, as a creditor of the said deceased, unless the respondents—1, Isabella Cecilia Wijesinghe, of Borella; 2, William Wijesinghe; 3, Lloyd Wijesinghe; 4, Edward Wijesinghe; and 5, Christian Wijesinghe—shall, on or before the 31st day of January, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,
Additional District Judge.

The 10th day of January, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Pattiagey Louis Fernando, of Kollu-
No. C 1,434 } pitiya in Colombo, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on the 17th day of January, 1901, in the presence of Mr. J. S. E. de Livera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Weerakoon Adonis, of Norris road in the Pettah, Colombo; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated the 16th January, 1901, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner aforesaid be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Pattiagey Louis Fernando issued to him, as a creditor of the said deceased, unless the respondents—1, Dediwalage Carlina Fernando; 2, Pattiagey Mango Fernando, wife of M. P. John; 3, Pattiagey Elisa Fernando; 4, Pattiagey Martin Fernando; and 5, Pattiagey Edwin Fernando, all of Kollupitiya in Colombo—shall, on or before the 7th day of February, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,
Additional District Judge.

The 17th day of January, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Last Will and
Jurisdiction. } Testament of Sinne Tamby Aydroos
No. C 1,431. } Lebbe Marikkar, deceased, of New
Moor street.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. R. Dias, Esq., Additional District Judge of Colombo, on the 17th day of January, 1901, in the presence of Messrs. F. J. & R. F. de Saram, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Sinne Tamby Srai Lebbe Marikkar, of Colombo; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 11th January, 1901, having been read: It is ordered that the will of Sinne Tamby Aydroos Lebbe Marikkar, deceased, dated 23rd October, 1900, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless any person interested shall, on or before the 7th day of February, 1901, 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 he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless any person interested shall, on or before the 7th day of February, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

FELIX R. DIAS,
Additional District Judge.

The 17th day of January, 1901.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Assuremuny Charles de Silva,
No. 256. } deceased, of Pinwatta.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Roosmalecocq, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on the 11th day of December, 1900, in the presence of Mr. D. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Geekianege Deesa Nona, of Pinwatta; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 21st November, 1900, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner Geekianege Deesa Nona be and she is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased Assuremuny Charles de Silva issued to her, as widow of the said deceased, unless the respondents Assuremuny Charter de Silva, a minor, by his guardian Mawatege Siman Perera Seneviratne, of Kalamulla, shall, on or before the 31st day of January, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. ROOSMALECOCC,
District Judge.

The 11th day of December, 1900.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the
Jurisdiction. } late Kandecumbure Seneviratna
No. 2,174. } Mudiyansegedera Mudalihamy,
deceased, of Aludeniya in the Uda-
palata of Tumpane.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before John Henricus de Saram, Esq., District Judge of Kandy, on the 21st day of December, 1900, in the presence of Mr. J. B. Siebel, on the part of the petitioner Candecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Punchy Banda, of Aludeniya in the Udalapata of Tumpane; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated the 20th December, 1900, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Punchy Banda, of Aludeniya in the Udalapata of Tumpane, be and he is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration to the estate of Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Mudalihami, deceased, of Aludeniya aforesaid, as one of the sons of the said deceased, unless (1) Kinigama Herat Mudiyansegedera Dingiri Amma, (2) Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Punchy Menika, (3) Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Appuhami, (4) Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Rang Menika, (5) Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Ukku Amma, (6) Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Ukku Banda, and (7) Kandecumbure Seneviratna Mudiyansegedera Dingiry Banda, all of Aludeniya aforesaid, the 5th, 6th, and 7th being represented by their guardian *ad litem* Dingiry

Amma aforesaid, shall, on or before the 11th day of February, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

The 21st day of December, 1900.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the
Jurisdiction. } late Welhenege Subehami, deceased,
No. 3,335. } of Kataluwa.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. J. de Livera, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on the 13th day of December, 1900, in the presence of Mr. A. D. Jayasundere, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Kudavidanage Katona *alias* Balahamy, of Kataluwa; and the affidavit of Kudavidanage Katona *alias* Balahamy, of Kataluwa, dated 10th December, 1900, having been read: It is declared that the said Kudavidanage Katona *alias* Balahamy, of Kataluwa, is widow of the above-named deceased, and that she is as such entitled to have letters of administration of the estate of the said deceased issued to her accordingly, unless the respondent Welhenege Appusinna *alias* Eliyashami shall, on or before the 31st day of January, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. J. DE LIVERA,
District Judge.

The 13th day of December, 1900.

In the District Court of Tangalla.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Sapumanage Don Karolis de Silva,
No. 313. } of Koholankala, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Thomas Brownlee Russell, Esq., District Judge, Tangalla, on the 29th day of August, 1900, in the presence of Sapumanage Don Diyas de Silva, of Koholankala; and the affidavit of Sapumanage Don Diyas de Silva, dated 29th August, 1900, having been read: It is ordered that letters of administration be issued to the Secretary of the District Court of Tangalla, unless the respondents Sapumanage Don Diyas de Silva, Sapumanage Don Luwis, and Gamasinge Silindu Hamy, of Koholankala, shall on or before the 2nd day of February, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

T. B. RUSSELL,
District Judge.

The 14th day of January, 1901.

In the District Court of Badulla.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. } of Batagoda Widanelage David
No. B 183. } Appuhamy, of Badulla, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. Bartlett, Esq., District Judge of Badulla, on the 22nd day of November, 1900; and the affidavit of Dewategedara Wellekumbure Sudu Kuma, of Badulla, and her application dated the 25th day of August, 1900, having been read: It is ordered that Dewategedara Wellekumbure Sudu Kuma be and she is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration to the estate of Batagoda Widanelage David Appuhamy, late of Badulla, deceased, as his widow, unless sufficient cause be shown to the contrary on the 2nd day of February, 1901.

F. BARTLETT,
District Judge.

The 22nd day of November, 1900.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary }
Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
No. 1,123. } Kumaravelar Arumugam, of Neerveli,
Class II. } deceased.

Teyvanaippillai, widow of Arumugam, of
Neerveli.....Petitioner.

Vs.

1, Tillaiyampalam Kantaiya, of Neerveli ; 2,
Vinasittampi Kuruparan, of Neerveli, and
wife 3, Sinnappillai, of Neerveli.....Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of Teyvanaippillai, widow
of Arumugam, of Neerveli, praying for letters of

administration to the estate of the above-named deceased
Kumaravelar Arumugam, coming on for disposal before
W. R. B. Sanders, Esq., District Judge, on the 10th day
of January, 1901, in the presence of Messrs. Casippillai
& Cathiravelu, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner ;
and affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 9th day of
January, 1901, having been read : It is declared that the
petitioner is the lawful widow of the said intestate, and is
entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of
the said intestate issued to her, unless the respondents or
any other person shall on or before the 8th day of Feb-
ruary, 1901, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of
this court to the contrary.

W. R. B. SANDERS,
District Judge.

The 10th day of January, 1901.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,430. In the matter of the insolvency of Moona
Seena Muttaiya, a trader of Udispattu
in Upper Dumbara.

NOTICE is hereby given that February 22, 1901, is
fixed to consider the grant of a certificate of con-
formity to the above-named insolvent.

By order of court,
A. SANTIAGO,
Secretary.

Kandy, January 21, 1901.

No. 1,436. In the matter of the insolvency of Peter
Samuel Mitchell, of Franklands in
Gampola, a planter.

WHEREAS Abeynayeke Migel Mendis, of Matala,
has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a
petition for the sequestration of the estate of Peter
Samuel Mitchell, of Franklands in Gampola, a planter,
under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given
that the said court has adjudged the said Peter Samuel
Mitchell, of Franklands in Gampola, a planter, an insol-
vent accordingly ; and that two public sittings of the

court, to wit, on February 15 and March 8, 1901, 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.

By order of court,
A. SANTIAGO,
Kandy, January 19, 1901. Secretary.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 314. In the matter of the insolvency of Dionis
Dahanayeke, of Yakgaha.

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 15, 1901, to
grant a certificate of conformity to the said insolvent.

By order of court,
JAMES KRAUSE,
Galle, January 19, 1901. Secretary.

LIST OF JURORS AND ASSESSORS. NEGOMBO DISTRICT.

LIST of Persons in the District of Negombo qualified to serve as Jurors and Assessors, under the 257th clause of the Ordinance No. 15 of 1898, for 1901 :—

[N.B.—The letter **s** prefixed to a name signifies that the person is qualified to serve both as a Special and an Ordinary (English-Speaking) Juror.]

ENGLISH-SPEAKING JURORS.

Akbar, Mass Dharma Vangse, superintendent of mills, Kudapadu	Negombo	Fonseka, Frederick Jeronimus, superintendent of minor roads, Udayartoppu	Negombo
Amarasekara, David Edward Alwis, clerk, District Road Committee	do.	Goonawardana, Wattage Martinu	do
Amarasekara, John Charles, mudaliyar, Natandiya	Chilaw	Fernando, notary	do
Anderson, Richard, licensed surveyor, Campu	Negombo	Jameson, James Giles superintendent of mills, Hunupitiya	do
Ball, Harry William, secretary, Local Board	do	s Morais, Ambrose, landed proprietor	do
Beven, William, planter, Horekele	Chilaw	s Nicholas, Gerald, planter, Kadirana	do
Croos, Anthony de, shopkeeper	Negombo	s Oliveira, Benjamin Beaumont	do
Croos, Charles de, shopkeeper	do	Michell, planter, Walgapola	do
s Croos, John de, renter, Hunupitiya	do	Perera, John Louis, teacher	do
s Croos, Gabriel Manuel de, renter	do	Saverimuttu, William, shroff, treasury	do
Dabrera, Francis Lasarus, shopkeeper	do	Silva, Jasentokankanamalage Charles, landed proprietor, Mahahunupitiya	do
De Croos, John Visterini, landed proprietor, Pallansena estate	do	Silva, Sembukuttiarachchige Manuel, registrar of marriages, &c., Daluwakotuwa	do
De Saram, Charles, planter, Kiri-metiya	Chilaw	Schrader, George Archibald, planter, Kimbulapitiya	do
De Silva, Louis, registrar of lands	Negombo	Schrader, Robert, planter, Kanuwana	do
De Zylva, Edward, head clerk, District Road Committee	do	Stork, Laurence Adolphus, planter, Hunupitiya	do
Drieberg, John Frederick, planter, Ekala	do	Stewart, George, planter, Butgampola	Chilaw
s Fernando, Mehidukulasuriya Hugo Policarp, landed proprietor, Udayartoppu	do	Stewart, Alexander, planter, Butgampola	do
Fernando, Mehidukulasuria Joseph Santiago Manuel, landed proprietor, Mahahunupitiya	do	Tissera, Mehidukulasuria John, landed proprietor	Negombo
		Tissera, Mehidukulasuria Leon, landed proprietor	do

SINHALESE-SPEAKING JURORS.

Amarasinhearachchige Elaris Saramadu Appuhami, planter, Katana	Negombo	Don Marthinu Jayatilaka, overseer, Udugampola	Negombo
Amarasinhearachchige Issan Saramadu Appuhami, planter, Etgala	do	Don Charles Amerasekara Siriwardane, police vidane, Minuwangoda	do
Amarasinhearachchige Clementi Perera, trader, Kongodamulla	do	Don Hendrick Silva, police vidane, Galoluwa	do
Amarasinhearachchige Nicholas Saramadu Appuhami, planter, Katana	do	Don Siman Gunawardana, police vidane, Wewagedara	do
Andibuduge Manuel Fernando, trader, Mukalangomuwa	do	Don Herat, police vidane, Boragodawatta	do
Asuramuni Anthony Silva, trader, Timbirigaskotuwa	do	Don Raphiel Jayawardena, cultivator, Dagonna	do
Balasurikankanamalage Thepanis Appuhami, trader, Dewalapola	do	Dissanayaka Talangama Appuhamilage Julius Perera, police vidane, Asgiri Walpola	do
Botalage Gordianu Fernando, trader, Mukalangomuwa	do	Don Juse Senanayaka, trader, Talahena	do
Botalage Pemianu Fernando, trader, Siduwa	do	Don William Perera Seneviratna, trader, Dewalapola	do
Bergege Alisandri Paiwu, trader, Main street	do	Don Felix Jayasundara, clerk, Land Registry	do
Bergege Manuel Paiwu, trader, Campu	do	Don John, clerk, Land Registry	do
Cyril Gilbert de Alwis, clerk, Land Registry	do	Gabriel Rudrigu, trader, Pahala Madampella	do
Dasanayaka Adikara Appuhamilage Don Jacolis Appuhami, trader, Mattammana	do	Gajasinhe Marselinu Silva, trader, Kaluwairippu	do
Dehiwalage Martinu Perera, trader, Kochchikada	do	Halahakonge Abilinu Appuhami, trader, Pahala Madampella	do
Dassanayaka Talangama Appuhamilage Julius Perea, vel-vidane, Walpola	do	Hamuddera Abraham Silva Goonasekara, landed proprietor, Mukalangomuwa	do
Don Simon Karunasekara Wijeratna Appuhami, trader, Doranegoda	do	Halahakonge Issan Annawirala, cultivator, Pahala Madampella	do
Don Hendrick Karunasekara, police vidane, Doranegoda	do	Halahakonge Gabriel Appuhami, cultivator, Pahala Madampella	do
Don Gabriel Senanayaka, police vidane, Mathammana	do	Henayaka Arachchige Don Jacolis, vel-vidana, Wigoda	do
Don Carolis Jayatilaka, cultivator, Udugampola	do	Hendala Liyanage Walariyanu Perera, trader, Siduwa	do
		Heethaka Manuel Silva, notary, 3rd Division, Udayartoppu	do

Hettiarachchige Don Pelis Appuhami, trader, Dungalpitiya	Negombo	Madawalage Daniel, vedarala, trader, Doranegoda	Negombo
Hettipatirannehilage Don Bastian Goonawardena, cultivator, Udugampola	do	Manam James de Silva Wijewardana, notary	do
Hewage John Wadurala, cultivator, Udugampola	do	Miwanage Visenty Peries, planter, 4th Division, Hunupitiya	do
Halahakonge Martinu Appuhami, trader, Pahala Madampella	do	Mehedukulasuriapatabendige Franciscu Fernando, renter, Udayartoppu	do
Jasentoliyanage Anthony Fernando, planter, 3rd Division, Udayartoppu	do	Medlba Hendrick Perera, registrar, 3rd Division, Udayartoppu	do
Jayamannemohottige Don Mathes Appu, trader, Kepungoda	do	Mehidukulasuria Dumingu Fernando, renter, 1st Division, Hunupitiya	do
Jayamannemohottige Don Davith Appuhami, trader, Kepungoda	do	Mehidukulasuria Dumingu Fernando, planter, Hunupitiya	do
Jayasinha Arachchige Daniel Silva Appuhami, cultivator, Maha Hunupitiya	do	Mehidukulasurila Romel de Waas, vedarala, 2nd Division, Hunupitiya	do
Jayakodi Arachchige Gabriel Appuhami, planter, Katana	do	Mehidukulasuriapatabendige Juan Waas, trader, Kurana	do
Jayawardanage Don Nicholas Appuhami, trader, Palagatura	do	Mahipalamudalige Kaithan Anthony Paaris Appuhami, trader, Kattuwa	do
Jayasinha Liyanepathirannehilage Don Hendrick Perera Appuhami, police vidane, Wigoda	do	Mahipalamudalige Augustinu Paaris Appuhami, trader, Kattuwa	do
Jayasekara Balasuri Appuhamillage Don Carolis Perera Appuhami, trader, Medamulla	do	Mutukudewijesuriarachchige Don Charles Dias, cultivator, Nilpanagoda	do
Jayasuriyahinguruwanage Suwaris Appuhami, cultivator, Medamulla	do	Mehidukulasuriapatabendige Juan Fernando, landed proprietor, 1st Division, Hunupitiya	do
Jayasinha Arachchige Don Jeronis, vel-vidane, Kongodamulla	do	Medibe Pedrick Perera Jayawardana, vedarala, 3rd Division, Udayartoppu	do
Kahandewa Appuhamillage Hendrick Appuhami, trader, Doranegoda	do	Mehidukulasuria, Anthony Mathes, landed proprietor, Udayartoppu	do
Kalubowilage Don Juan Appuhami, planter, Talahena	do	Naranpitihangewatta Appuhamillage Don Pelis, police vidane, Madelgomuwa	do
Karunanayaka Pathirannehilage Don Juanis, police vidane, Tammita	do	Nangallage Cornelis Fernando, trader, 2nd Division, Kurana	do
Kekulawalage Mathes Fernando, trader, 3rd Division, Ettukal	do	Pulukkuttige Sardiell Perera, police vidane, Widiyawatta	do
Kodikara Arachchige Babappu, vedarala, Nilpanagoda	do	Pasqualge Don Pedro, trader, Siduwa	do
Kodikara Arachchige Daniel Perera, trader, Tudella	do	Panambarage Juan Fernando, trader, Pallansena	do
Kodikara Arachchige Franciscu Perera, Tudella	do	Panamberage Juan Fernando, trader, Pitipana	do
Kowilage Cornelis Silva, trader, Amandoluwa	do	Panambarage Manuel Fernando, trader, Kochchikada	do
Kuruwiti Arachchige Don Loransu Appu, trader, Pahala Madampella	do	Panambarage Paulu Fernando, trader, Pallansena	do
Leander Herald Nonis, clerk, Land Registry	do	Panalparangige Don Loransu Appuhami, trader, Kurana Bolawalana	do
Leyanage Peduru de Silva Appuhami, trader, Kattuwa	do	Ranamukage Peris Vedarala, trader, Alawatupitiya	do
Liyanapathirannehillage Appuralla Appuhami, trader, Essella	do	Ranasinhearachchige Manuel Perera, vel-vidane arachchi, Tudella	do
Liyanage Nicholas Silva, arachchi of the guard, Kattuwa	do	Ranatunge Jayasekarakankanemalage Don Lowanis, vedarala, Udugampola	do
Lintottage Augustinu Fernando, planter, Katana	do	Ranatungearachchige Herat Sinno, vedarala, cultivator, Walpitiyulla	do
Lintottage Pedru Fernando, planter, Katana	do	Ranatungemudalige Paulis Perera, police vidane, Kehelbaddara	do
Lintottage Amaris Fernando, planter, Katana	do	Ratnayake Jan Singho Appuhami, trader, Dombawala	do
Lintottage Pelis Fernando, planter, Katana	do	Ranawira-arachchige Don Migel Appuhami, trader, Kepungoda	do
Liyanage Cornelis Appuhami, trader, Pallansena	do	Saparamadupathirannehilage Johanis Perera, Jawardena, trader, Mathammana	do
Liyanage Franciscu Perera, trader, Porutota	do	Saparamadubirallupathirannahilage Don Bastian, vel-vidane, Mathammana	do
Liyanage Hendrick Perera, trader, Porutota	do	Samaratunge Gelis Perera Appuhami, trader, Ganemulla	do
Mahamutugalage Isaack Fernando, trader, Pansilgoda	do	Sembukuttiarachchige Marthelis Silva Appuhami, planter, Katana	do
Manannaidelage Anthony Fonseka, cultivator, 2nd Division, Kurana	do	Sembukuttiarachchige Jeronis Silva Appuhami, planter, Katana	do
Manannaidelage Juse Fonseka, cultivator, 2nd Division, Kurana	do	Sembukuttiarachchige Carolis, Silva Appuhami, planter, Katana	do
Manuelperislage Pedru Peries, carpenter, 4th Division, Periyamulla	do	Sembukuttiarachchige Hendrick Silva Appuhami, planter, Pahala Madampella	do
Mallawa-arachchige Juanis Perera Appuhami, trader, Mathammana	do	Sembukuttiarachchige Gabriel Silva Appuhami, trader, Andiambalama	do
Mallawa-arachchige Carolis Perera Appuhami, cultivator, Katuwelligama	do	Sembukuttiarachchige Abilinu Silva, notary, Andiambalama	do
Malnaidalage Juse Fernando, trader, Kurana, Bolawalana	do		

Senadirage Don John Marthelis Perera, trader, Minuwangoda	Negombo	Thammittance Siyadoris Perera, trader, Kotugoda	Negombo
Senadirage Don Liyanduru, trader, Minuwangoda	do	Thammittance Selestinu Perera, trader, Kotugoda	do
Senadirage Don Anthony, trader, 2nd Division, Kurana	do	Thenahandi Cornelis Silva, trader, Kaluwairippu	do
Senaratdassanayake Appuhamillage Don Hendrick, police vidane, Katuwelligama	do	Thenahandi John de Silva, trader, Kaluwairippu	do
Senanayake Amarasinghe Mohottippuhamillage Don Romel Appuhami, trader, Marapola	do	Thenahandi Charles de Silva Kumara Waiddiya, vedarala, 3rd Division, Udayartoppu	do
Seneratgunasekara Vidaneralalage Charles, Vedarala, trader, Goegama	do	Thewarapperuma-arachchige Don Juse Appuhami, trader, Sea street	do
Seneratvidaneralalage Don Charles Dias Gunasekara, trader, Goegama	do	Vitaranage Abraham Rudrigo, trader, Mukalangomuwa	do
Sinhalagurunansulage Anthony Perera, trader, Kurana Bolawalana	do	Vitaranage Samuel Rudrigo, trader, Mnkalangomuwa	do
Solanga-arachchige Don Marsal Appuhamy, trader, Kaluwairippu	do	Walgamage Don Amaris, trader, Pallansena	do
Sodige Arnolis Perera, police vidane, Wattededara	do	Wanigesinhe Wibaddelakamalage Abilinu Perera, police vidane, Kalawana	do
Subasinhearachchige Don Arnolis, vel-vidane, Udugampola	do	Wanigesinhe Wibaddelekamalage Peter Perera Appuhami, trader, Kalawana	do
Samaratunge Heralupathiranehellage Geelis Perera Appuhami, trader, Ganemulla	do	Wijayasuriarachchige Don Siman Appu, trader, Kattuwapitiya	do
Sembukuttiarachchige Don Pedrick Appuhami, trader, Andiambalama	do	Wisidagamage Costantinu Silva, trader, Pallansena	do
Sinhalagurunanselage Elaris Perera, landed proprietor, Pallansena	do	Wickrama-arachchige Don Lewis Appuhami, trader, Welihena	do
		Yappa-appuhamillage Don Juan Appuhami, planter, Talahhena	do

TAMIL-SPEAKING JURORS.

Ambalawanar Tambiah, clerk to District Engineer	Negombo	Kurukulasuriya Ugo Peries, trader, Grand street	Negombo
Anthoni Nicholas Wass, trader, Kochchikada	do	Kurukulasuriya Davidu Perera, annawi, trader, Munakarai	do
Anthoni Fernando Saweriel Pulle, planter, Etgala	do	Kurukulasuriya Anthoni Fernando, annawi, trader, Grand street	do
Anthoni Peries Christogu Pulle, landed proprietor, Etgala	do	Kurukulasuriya Joseph Fernando, trader, 2nd Division, Udayartoppu	do
Anthoni Fernando Gabriel Pulle, cultivator, Hinmulla	do	Kaithan Curera, trader, 1st Division, Ettukal	do
Christowu Silva Juan Pulle, planter, Adikkandiya	do	Kaithan Croos, trader, Pallansena	do
Christowu Silva Juan Pulle, planter, Etgala	do	Manuel Fernando, trader, Kochchikada	do
Christowu Peries Anthoni Pulle, planter, Bambukuliya	do	Marsal Rudrigo Kandappa, planter, Etgala	do
Christowu Rodrigu, trader, Udangawa	do	Muna Muna Kana Muhammadu Abdul Kader, trader	do
Franciscu Fernando Ramanadenpulle, trader, Harakgalagama	do	Muna Kuna Pena Peria Karuppen Chetty, trader	do
Gabriel Fernando Ramanaden, planter, Etgala	do	Muna Runa Una Sethappa Chetty, trader	do
Gabriel Patrick, teacher, St. Mary's School	do	Pedru Fernando Suse Pulle, trader, Harakgalagama	do
Gabriel, Stephen Rudrigo, landed proprietor	do	Pena Rena Suna Weerappen Chetty, trader	do
Isi Lebbe Casi Lebbe Markar, trader, 2nd Division, Campu	do	Pena Rena Suna Kuppe Muttu Pulle, trader	do
Ismail Lebbe Uduma Lebbe, trader, Porutota	do	Ponnaiya Coste, overseer, 3rd Division, Periyamulla	do
Joseph Dabrera, landed proprietor	do	Pedru Rudrigo Anthoni Pulle, landed proprietor, Heinmulla	do
Kaithan Croos, trader, 1st Division, Udayartoppu	do	Samuel Fredrick John Pulle, clerk to District Engineer	do
Kurukulasuriya Costantinu Fernando, trader, Campu	do	Sanmugam Kadirewel, trader, Sea street	do
Kurukulasuriya Franciscu Perera, stamp vendor	do	Saweri Fernando Bastian Pulle, trader, Harakgalagama	do
Kurukulasuriya Manuel Fernando, trader, Campu	do	Siman Dalmeda, trader, Minuwangoda	do
Kurukulasuriya Anthoni Fernando, sacristan, Campu	do	Sinna Markar Awula Marikkar, trader, Maha Hunupitiya	do
Kurukulasuriya Marselino Fernando, clerk, Land Registry	do	Seena Aiya Durei, trader, Sea street	do
Kurukulasuriya Gabriel Manuel Fernando, trader, 1st Division, Periyamulla	do	Saweri Curera, annawi, trader, 2nd Division, Ettukal	do
		Tambi Rasa Awula Markar, trader, Campu	do

Warnakulasuriya Rasiyanu Fernando, trader, Palagatura	Negombo	Warnakulasuriya Anthoni Croos, trader, Palagatura	Negombo
Warnakulasuriya Ponsiyanu Fernando, trader, 3rd Division, Hunupitiya	do	Warnakulasuriya Pelis Fernando, trader, Palagatura	do
Warnakulasuriya Marselinu Peries, trader, Palagatura	do	Warnakulasuriya Constantinu Croos, renter, 2nd Division, Periyamulla	do
Warnakulasuriya Suse Fernando, trader, 3rd Division, Sea street	do	Warnakulasuriya Walariyanu Fernando, trader, 3rd Division, Ettukal	do
Warnakulasuriya Anthoni Fernando, trader, 3rd Division, Hunupitiya	do	Warnakulasuriya Comisal Suse Fer- nando, trader, Sea street	do
Deputy Fiscal's Office, Negombo, January 16, 1901.		SWAMPILLE JOSEPH, Deputy Fiscal.	

BATTICALOA DISTRICT.

LIST of Persons in the Eastern Province qualified to serve as Jurors and Assessors at Batticaloa, under section 257 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1898 (Criminal Procedure Code), for the year 1901.

[N.B.—The letter **s** prefixed to a name signifies that the person is qualified to serve as a Special and an Ordinary (English-speaking) Juror.]

ENGLISH-SPEAKING JURORS.

s Alfred A Clark, assistant con- servator of forests	Koddaimunai	H, Nelson de Hoedt, irrigation sub-inspector	Koddaimunai
s Alfred Kandappillai Kristnapillai, second clerk, Kachcheri	Puliyantivu	Joseph Ponnampalam Clarke, head clerk, Kachcheri	
Charles Benedict Outschoorn, forest ranger	do	John Kandavanam Canagasooriam, native writer, Kacheheri	Puliyantivu
Charles Alphonse Lienard, super- intendent of estates	Vantarumulai	s Jemmett Browne, planter	Koddaimunai
Engelbert Hugh Vanderstraaten, district engineer	Puliyantivu	s J Amarasuriya, arrack renter	Puliyantivu
s Edmund Theodore Kadramer, superintendent of minor roads	Navetkudah	J W Cotton, superintendent of estates	Easter Seaton
Frederic Booth, chief irrigation inspector	Puliyantivu	Kandapper Muttyah, merchant	Puliyantivu
G S Goodman, district engineer	Kalmunai	Peter Xavier, conductor	Santively
s G S Taylor, superintendent of estates	Kaluvanchikudy	Paul Nicholas, third clerk, Kach- cheri	Koddaimunai
H I Erskine, superintendent of surveys	Koddaimunai	Raymond Pilly Dowdney, manager, Carnac mills	do
		T, Kulasekarampillai, conductor	Easter Seaton
		Victor Convington, landed proprietor	Puliyantivu
		W L VanLangenburg, clerk, Canac mills	do

TAMIL-SPEAKING JURORS.

A A M H Ahamadu Lebbe Mara- kayar, landed proprietor	Kattankudy	Kandapper Kadiravellu, landed pro- prietor	Puliyantivu
A A A Sinnelebbe Marakayar, land- ed proprietor	do	Kandappar Sittirapoopalapillai Uda- yar, udaiyar of Manmunai north	Koddaimunai
Ahamadulevvaipodi Mohamadulev- vaipodi, farmer	Eravur	Kandaperumal Kadiramatamby, u dai- yar of Manmunai east	Kalladiuppodai
Ahamadupody Adamlevvaipody, far- mer	Muravodai	Kalendarlevvaipody Marakayar Mu- hamadu Ismail, landed proprietor	Kattankudy
Ahamadulevvaai V V Pakirtampy, vattai vidhan	do	Kalendarlevvaipody Muhamado Mee- rasaibu Marakar, landed pro- prietor	do
Ahamadulevvaipody Adamlevvai- pady, division officer	Nindoor	Kalikkuddy P H Sinnatamby, police headman	Eravur
Alavapody Sinnatamby, registrar of marriages, &c.	Pudukkudiyirup- pu	Kadiramatamby Tompudor Velup- pillai, registrar	do
Benjamin Muttu Joseph Eliyatamby, landed proprietor	Puliyantivu	K T S Alagipody, cattle registrar	Kokkadichcholai
Charles Tambippillai Tampoe, cen- sus clerk, Kachcheri	do	Kadiramalaippody Udaiyar Periya- tamby, division officer	Kalmunai
Celestin Udayar Estogupillai, clerk, Provincial Road Committee	do	Kalenderpody Aliyarlevvaipody, registrar of births and deaths	Saindamarudu
Ebralevvai Kosumuhammadulevvai, notary public	Saindamarudu	Kumaravelu Sapapadippillai, u dai- yar of Manmunai south-west	Kalladiuppodai
Isalevvai Meeralevvai, vatta vidhan	Kattankudy	Kumarappody Periyatampy, regis- trar	Koyilporativu
George Clement Stephens, 6th clerk, Kachcheri	Tandavanvely	Mammadutampy Pichebaikkandu, rural constable	Kattankudy
John Wilmot Olagasegarem, provin- cial registrar's clerk	Puliyantivu	Mammadutampypody Karudulevvai, landed proprietor	do
John Vyramuttu Iyampillai, 5th clerk, Kachcheri	do	Muhammadutampy Kanakkapillai Adambawa Hadjiyar, landed proprietor	do
Kattamuttu Tambimuttu, landed proprietor	Valaiyiravu	M U D O Pokkerlevvaipodi, division officer	Eravur
Kattamuttu Eliyatampy, landed pro- prietor	Puliyantivu		

Mundapody Udayar Seenitampy, udayar of Karawaku	Kalmunai	Sambunada Vanniyah Dewanayagam, landed proprietor	Arapattai
Meeralevvaipody Vanniah Mohamadu Esupulevvai, registrar of births and deaths	Saindamarudu	Sambunada Vanniah Somanader, udayar of Eruvil	Eruvil
Meera Ossenpody Mustapalevvai, division officer	do	Samuel William Arnold Canagasaby, assistant shroff	Puliyantivu Makiloor
Narayanapillai Kumaraperumal, division officer	Palukamam	Sambunader K Kadiramalai, farmer	do
Omerukatta Ahamadulevvai, farmer	Muravodai	Sinnakkuddiyar Kristnapillai, farmer	do
Owen Daniel Morgan Somanader, muhandiram of the Governor's Gate	Puliyantivu	Tombudor Kumaravelu Seennitamby, landed proprietor	Navetkudah
Paramakudy Sinnatampy, stamp vendor	Kalladi	Tombudor Kumaravelu Sinnatampy, landed proprietor	Uppodai Ampilanturai
P H Ahamadulevvai, rural constable	Kattankudy	T V V Kunchitampipody, farmer	Puliyantivu
Paikcer Muhaiyatin Marakayar	do	Tampapillai Nallaratanam, clerk, Local Board	Karativu
Meerasaivu Marakayar, landed proprietor	Arapattai	Tampapill Periyatampy, registrar of marriages	Kattankudy
Pattiniar Kanapatipillai, registrar	Eraur 1st Division	Umarulebbe Ebralebbe Marakayar, landed proprietor	Kallady Ampilanturai
P H Hayatulevvaipody, police headman	do	Veerapattirer Nagappen, landed proprietor	Panichchayadi-madu
P H Ahamadulevvaipody, police headman	Muravodai	V V Eliyatampipody, vattai vidahan	do
P H Paickeertampy P H Ahamadulevvai, police headman	Valaichchenai	V V Manmunaipody, do	Mutalaikudah
P H Tambinainar, police headman	Karamunai	V V T Murugesapillai, registrar of marriages, births, and deaths	Kurukal madu
P H Ahamadulevvai, police headman	Kiran	V V A Velapody Udayar, udaiyar of Manmunai east	Palukamam Naippattimunai
P H Karuwaltampy, police headman	Iluppaiadichchenai	Velayudar Kadiresapillai, udaiyar of Porativu	Puliyantivu
P H K Kanagasabai, landed proprietor	Panichchayadi	Vela Vannaimai Mundapody, farmer	do
P H Kantapody, landed proprietor	Munmari	William George Vallipuram, 4th clerk, Kachcheri	C. A. MURRAY, Fiscal.
P H Aliyarlevvaipody, landed proprietor	Nindoor		

Fiscal's Office,
Batticaloa, January 17, 1901.

TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT.

LIST of Persons residing in the District of Trincomalee who are both qualified and liable to serve as Jurors and Assessors, in terms of the 257th clause of "The Criminal Procedure Code," No. 15 of 1898, during the year 1901.

SPECIAL JURORS.

Marcus Wynton Millet, naval store officer	Trincomalee, Division No. 2	Mas Tuan Noor, clerk, Army Service Corps	Trincomalee, Division No. 3
Ampalawanar Chinnappah, head clerk, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 1	Vytilingam Ramanatar, writer, Naval Yard	do 5
Ponnampalam Samuel Saravanamuttu, second clerk, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 1	Velupillai Swaminatar, writer, Naval Yard	do 5
Chellappa Rasendrapillai, issuer, Ordnance Store	do 5	Katirkamatampi Superamaniam, shroff, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 5
Venkadasalar Chettiar Chinniah Modliar, head clerk, Royal Engineer's Department	do 5	Sittampalam Sanmogam, landed proprietor	do 5
John Turner Lamerton, gate porter, Naval Yard	do 3	R O Boggan, assistant naval store officer	do 3
Saravanamuttu William Coomaraswamy, third clerk, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 3	Andrew Murray Walker, assistant conservator of forests	do 3
Kartikesar Superamaniam, foreman, Royal Engineer's Department	do 6	Sadasivampillai Chellappa, landed proprietor	do 8
		S S B Kumarakulasinghe, kachcheri modliar	do 3

ENGLISH-SPEAKING JURORS.

Katirkamatampi Tamotarampillai, agent, Ceylon Steamship Co	Tincomalee, Division No. 2	Mutalitampi Murukesu, landed proprietor	Trincomalee, Division No. 6
Chellappa Rasendrapillai, issuer, Ordnance Store	do 5	Marcus Wynton Millet, naval store officer	do 2
John Turner Lamerton, gate porter, Naval Yard	do 3	Sadasivampillai Chellappa, landed proprietor	do 8
Kartikesar Superamaniam, foreman, Royal Engineer's Department	do 6	Nallasagarempillai Udaiyar Basiah, clerk, Royal Engineer's Department	do 6
Saravanamuttu William Coomaraswamy, third clerk, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 3	Kumarasuriar Ponnampalam, clerk, Public Works Department	do 1
Mas Tuan Noor, clerk, Army Service Corps	do 3	Tamotarampillai Vaitilingam, writer, naval yard	do 1

Venkadasala Chettiar Chinniah Modliar, chief clerk, Royal Engineer's Department	Trincomalee, Division No. 5	Fidelis Stephen Chapman, landed proprietor	Trincomalee, Division No. 2
Vytilingam Ramanatar, writer, Naval Yard	do 5	Chinnatamby Velupillai, clerk, Ordnance Store	do 2
Nannitampi Arunasalam, registrar of marriages	do 6	Ampalawanar Chinnappah, head clerk, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 1
Velupillai Swaminatar, writer, Naval Yard	do 5	Ponnampalam Samuel Saravanamuttu, second clerk, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 1
Sittampalam Sanmogam, landed proprietor	do 5	Sandirasagarempillai Ampikaipakar, storekeeper, Public Works Department	do 5
Katirkamatampi Superamaniam, shoff, Trincomalee Kachcheri	do 5	Katirkamatampi Chellapillai, storekeeper, Royal Engineer's Department	do 5
Saravanamuttu Nadarasapillai, notary public	do 6	Tampiah Canagaretram, writer, Ordnance Store	do 6
Katirkamatampi Tamotarampillai, landed proprietor	do 8	S S B Kumarakulasinghe, Kachcheri Modliar	do 3
Usansai Vannipam Ernamsaib, stamp vendor	do 3	Andrew Murray Walker, assistant conservator of forests	do 3
R O Boggan, assistant naval store officer	do 3		
M Ossentamby Marakair Bawa Mohideen, assistant provincial registrar's clerk	do 5		

TAMIL-SPEAKING JURORS.

Joseph Chapman, storehouseman, Naval Yard	Trincomalee, Division No. 2	Pachchimuttu Chetty Sapapathy Chetty, trader	Trincomalee, Division No. 6
Kartikesar Paramu, landed proprietor	do 1	Annamalai Chetty Ponnusamy, trader	do 6
Mayilvaganam Samasakarempillai, division officer	do 5	Vappu Marakair Neynakhan, merchant	do 4
Namasivayam Katirkamatampi, shopkeeper	do 8	Venkadasala Chetty Tiruvankada Chetty, trader	do 7
Pichchai Mariambawa, contractor	do 5	Kanthappar Katirkamatamby, trader	do 8
Sakatilevvai Umaruneyna, trader	do 5	Velupillai Samasundaram, landed proprietor	do 8
Sittampalam Superamanian, landed proprietor	do 5	Kathiritamby Mootatampi, contractor	do 3
Katirkamatampi Nakaretnam, merchant	do 1	Muttukumara Santirasakara Modliar, overseer, Royal Engineer's Department	do 6
Pennuturai Vannipam Chellatamby, landed proprietor	do 6	Vairavanatar Ponniah, shopkeeper	do 8
Chinnatamby Chinniah, storehouseman, naval yard	do 1	Superamanian Tamotarampillai, trader	do 8

C. M. LUSHINGTON,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Trincomalee, January 7, 1901.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

1, Sandoris de Silva; and 2, R. C. D. S. Amarasekara, trading in Colombo as S. Amarasekara & Co.....Plaintiffs.
No. 12,305 C. Vs.

W. Vytilingam of Cheku street, Colombo...Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 25, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 4,705, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from March 6, 1899, till payment in full and costs, viz.:—

1. An allotment of land situated in the village Hokandara in the Palle pattu of Hewagam korale, in the District of Colombo; bounded on the north by land claimed by David Appu and lands described in plans Nos. 55,737 and 56,925, on the east by land claimed by Samuel Appu, on the south-west by lands claimed by Samuel Appu and Naide, and on the west by land claimed by Don Cornelis, Samuel Appu, and Don Johanis; containing in extent 36 acres and 2 roods more or less.

2. All that part of a garden marked A in the plan called Wellangeeria, situated in the village Hokandara aforesaid; bounded on the north by land claimed by James Appu and Jornis Appu, on the east by the lot No. 56,938 and land claimed by Beta Naide, Susey Naide, and Beta Naide, on the south by the other part of this land marked B belonging to Mr. George Michail Spittle, and on the west by lot No. 56,933 and land claimed by Cornis Appu and Siman Appu, by lot No. 56,932; and land claimed by Welon Appu and lot No. 56,934; containing in extent 25 acres more or less.

3. The western portion of an allotment of land called Ambalankanatte, situated in the village Hokandara aforesaid; bounded on the north by lands claimed by Beta Naide, Cornis Appu, and N. Naide, on the north-east by lands claimed by Abanchy Naide and Baba Appu, on the east by land claimed by Cornis Appu, on the south-east and south-west by land claimed by Juan Appu, and on the west by land described in plan No. 56,962 and by land claimed by Beta Naide; such western portion containing in extent about 3 acres more or less.

4. An allotment of land called Wellangeeria, situated in the village Hokandara aforesaid; bounded on the north-east and south-east by land described in plans Nos. 56,962 and 56,968, on the south-west by lands described in plans Nos. 56,962 and 56,928, and on the north-west by land claimed by Welon Appu; containing in extent 1 rood and 36 perches more or less.

5. All that part marked C in the original title plan No. 56,962 of the land called Wellangeeria, situated in the village Hokandara aforesaid; bounded on the north by the other part of this garden, on the east by a footpath, on the south by lot No. 56,954 and land claimed by Samuel Appu, and on the west by land said to belong to the Crown and lot No. 56,929; containing in extent 15 acres and 2 roods more or less.

6. A portion of the southern side of the garden Ambalankanattewatta, situated in the village Hokandara aforesaid; bounded on the east by the high road, on the south by the badawetiya (or wild fence boundary) of Delgahawatta, on the west by land called Wellangeeria, and on the north by the remaining portion of the same garden; containing in extent 2 roods more or less.

7. All that allotment of land called Wellangeeria, situated in the village Hokandara aforesaid; bounded on the south-west by land claimed by Juan Appu and on all other sides by land described in plan No. 56,962; and containing in extent 1 acre and 1 rood more or less.

8. All that part of field called Iriyagahakoleinna-ottukumbura, situated at Hokandara aforesaid; bounded on the north and east by Crown land, on the south by Crown land and Pitawalakumbura, and on the west by Iriyagaha and Gorakagahakumbura; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 18 perches more or less.

9. Seven-eighths parts of an allotment of land called Wellangeeria, with the buildings and plantations thereon, situated in the village Hokandara aforesaid; which said seven-eighths parts are bounded on the north-east by land claimed by Coranis Appu and by land said to belong to the Crown, on the south-east by land said to belong to the Crown, on the south by the one-eighth part of the said allotment now belonging to Katnaikege Carolis Perera and by land purchased by Carolis Appu, on the south-west by land purchased by B. Carolis Appu, on the west by land claimed by Peter Dias and Coranis Appu; and containing in extent 6 acres 3 roods 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches more or less, together with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging.

H. A. PIERIS,
Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Hanwella, January 17, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Nana Payna Reena Weerappa Chetty,
of Sea street in Colombo..... Plaintiff.
No. 14,091. Vs.

1, Emalia Eliza Fernando; 2, F. J. Lucas
Fernando, both of Moratuwa..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, February 21, 1901, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 5,766-20, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from September 4, 1900, until payment in full and costs of suit, viz.:—

All that house and ground bearing assessment No. 14, situated at Horton place, Cinnamon Gardens, within the Municipality of Colombo; and bounded on the north by the property of Lucas Fernando, on the east by the house No. 15 called and known as "Emms Villa," on the south by the road, and on the west by the house No. 13 occupied by Mr. Thambo; containing in extent 2 roods more or less.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, January 23, 1901. E. ONDATJE,
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Tuppahige Peduru Costa, of the 3rd
Division of Hunupitiya in Negombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 3,603. Vs.

Mehidukulesuria Peragino Waas, of the
3rd Division of Bolawalana in Ne-
gombo..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 16,
1901, commencing at 11 o'clock in the fore-
noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises
the following property, specially mortgaged by bond
No. 1,626, dated October 27, 1899 :—

1. The two contiguous lands called Dangahawatta
alias Dangahakumbura, situate at Kurana *alias*
Wewa-agara, within the old gravets of Negombo ; and
bounded on the north by the field said to belong to
Duwa Muhandiram, on the east by a portion in extent
2 acres from this land belonging to Marsal Fernando,
on the south by the high road leading to and from
Veyangoda, and on the west by the land belonging
to Samuel Fernando ; containing in extent 1 acre
2 roods and 12·18 perches more or less.

2. An undivided $\frac{1}{3}$ of the two contiguous lands
called Tulgahawatta and Kadurugahawatta, situate
at the 4th Division of Bolawalana ; the entire land is
bounded on the north by the land belonging to the
Roman Catholic Church and by the land belonging to
Manuel Fernando and his wife Kotikapolage
Anathasia Fernando, on the east by the road called
Wewabodapara and by the land formerly of Kongodage
Manuel Fernando now belonging to Juse Dalpadadu,
on the south by the high road leading to Veyangoda,
and on the west by the land formerly of Migel
Fernando now of Tottawattebadelage Juan Naide
and by lands belonging to others ; containing in
extent 2 acres 1 rood and 30·64 perches more or less.

3. An undivided $\frac{1}{10}$ of the garden called Kosgaha-
watta and of the tiled house standing thereon, situate
at the 4th Division of Kurana, in do. ; the entire land is
bounded on the north by the high road leading to
Veyangoda, on the east by the road Wewaboda-
weediya, on the south by the land of Waduge
Marthelis Fernando, and on the west by the land
belonging to Tottawattebadalege Juan Naide and by
land belonging to others ; containing in extent 1 acre
more or less.

4. An undivided $\frac{1}{10}$ of the land called Kosgaha-
watta, at do. ; the entire land is bounded on the north
by the land of Gamage Manuel Fernando and Juan
Waas, on the east by the land of Manuel Peries and
now of Juan Waas, on the south by the land of
Anthoni Waas Annavi and others, on the west by the
land of Anthoni Waas and Migel Fernando ; contain-
ing in extent 1 acre more or less.

5. An undivided $\frac{1}{10}$ of the land called Delgaha
alias Gorekegahawatta, at do. ; the entire land is
bounded on the north by the land belonging to
Waduge Manuel Fernando, on the east by the road,
on the south by the land of Waduge Manuel Fernando,
and on the west also by the land of Waduge Manuel
Fernando ; containing in extent 1 acre more or less ;
and declared liable to be sold in satisfaction of the
decree entered in the above case.

Amount to be levied Rs. 750, with interest on Rs.
600 at 12 per cent. per annum from October 27, 1899.

SWAMPILLE JOSEPH,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Negombo, January 22, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Veena Rana Sawena Payna Reena
Perianan Chetty, of Sea street in
Colombo Plaintiff.

No. 13,375 C. Vs.

1, V. G. Swaris ; 2, V. Francisco
Swaris ; 3, W. D. A. Perera ; and 4,
V. P. Swaris, all of Kalamulla..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday,
February 18, 1901, commencing at 11 o'clock
in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at
Kalamulla the right, title, and interest of the said
defendants, for the recovery of Rs. 560, with interest
on Rs. 500 at 9 per cent. per annum from June 27,
1900, till payment in full and costs in the following
property, viz. :—

1. The entire soil and trees of the adjoining two
portions called Simithrahamiawatta with the tiled
house in which the defendants reside standing thereon,
situate at Kalamulla ; and bounded on the north by
Edirimunidewayawatta, east by Pichchawatta, south
by a portion of Pokunabodawatta and a portion of
Simithrahamiawatta, west by the high road.

2. The entire soil and trees of Pichchawatta,
situate at Kalamulla ; and bounded on the north by the
footpath leading to Nagoda, east by canal, south by a
portion of Pichchawatta, west by a portion of Ediri-
munidewayawatta.

3. The entire soil and trees of Pokunabodawatta,
situate at Kalamulla ; bounded on the north by a portion
of the same land, east by canal, south by Tukkuwa-
wadugewatta, west by Liannawatta.

4. The soil and trees of a portion of Badalwela,
in extent one and a half acre, situate at Kalamulla ;
bounded on the north by a portion of the same land,
east by Kurunduwatta, south by footpath, west by
Ambagahawatta and Pichchawatta.

5. The soil and trees of Moratuwawatta, situate at
Kalamulla ; and bounded on the north by Elaboda-amba-
gahawatta, east by canal, south by Pokunabodawatta,
west by the portion possessed by Ambepitiyebadage
Paulu and others.

The sales will be held on the respective lands.

G. H. KEUNEMAN,
Deputy Fiscal's Office, Deputy Fiscal.
Kalutara, January 17, 1901.

Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Vena Rawanna Mana Ramasamy Chetty ... Plaintiff.
No. 13,483. Vs.

1, Benjamin Joseph Forbes Capper ; and
2, Mary Ellen Capper Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 15,
1901, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by
public auction at the premises the right, title, and
interest of the said defendants in the following
property, viz. :—

Niththemalawayhena of 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres in extent, with
plantations and everything thereon, situate at Watte-
hena in Kandukara Ihala korale of Udapalata ; and
bounded on the east by mala-ela on Punchy Banda's

garden and land, on the south by Mr. Capper's land, on the west by oya, and on the north by ela.

Amount of writ Rs. 1,218'75 and interest.

R. N. THAINE,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Kandy, January 18, 1901.

In the District Court of Kandy.

S. R. R. Karuppen Chetty Plaintiff.
No. 12,354. Vs.

Wilfred Abeyeratne Ratwatta Defendant.
K. K. N. K. S. V. Nagappa Chetty... Added Party.

NOTICE is hereby given that on February 18, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz:—

The land called Kekulallaypitiya Bandarapola-watta of 14 acres in extent, with everything thereon, situate at Dullawe Udasia pattu in Asgiri korale of Matale; and bounded on the east by the fence of Waralakwela, south by the fence of Arambeliadda and Vetakepotekumbura, west by the fence of Vetakepotekumbura and the remaining portion called Vidanege-idama, and on the north by the fence of Ovitagedarahena and the footpath leading to Maluwaywatta.

Amount of writ, Rs. 4,610'41.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, R. N. THAINE,
Kandy, January 22, 1901. Deputy Fiscal.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

Kachehakaduge Anthony Fernando, of
Katuneriya Plaintiff.
No. 1,921. Vs.

Warneculasuriya Gabriel Fernando and
another, of Katuneriya..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, February 25, 1901, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, viz:—

1. Twelve bearing cocoanut trees and the soil from the land called Madangahawatta, situate at Ullitiyawa in Kammal pattu, Chilaw District; bounded on the north by land belonging to Augustino Fernando and others, east by the land belonging to Anthony Tissera, south by the land belonging to Juan Fernando and others, and west by the land belonging to Susey Fernando; containing in extent of about 4 acres 1 rood and 24 perches.

2. Divided northern half share of the land called Kongahawatta, situate at Kohiyadiya in Kammal pattu aforesaid; bounded on the north by the fence of the garden belonging to the deceased Gabriel Fernando, east by the ditch of the land belonging to Juan Fernando, on the south by the ditch of the land belonging to the deceased Gabriel Fernando Annavirala, and on the west by the garden belonging to Thomis Fernando and others; containing in extent of about 1 acre and 1 rood.

3. Divided $\frac{2}{3}$ share of the land belonging to the first defendant, situated at Kohiyadiya aforesaid; bounded on the north by the land belonging to me and others, on the east and south by the lands belonging

to Juan Fernando and others, and west by the sea-shore; containing in extent $1\frac{1}{2}$ acre.

4. Divided $\frac{1}{3}$ share of the soil and productive trees of the lands called Divulgahawatta, situate at Katuneriya in Kammal pattu aforesaid; bounded on the north by the land of Francisco Perera, east by land of Francisco Fernando, south by garden of Sawary Fernando Vidanerala, and west by high road; containing in extent about 100 cocoanut trees plantable soil.

5. Fifty cocoanut trees of the lease land called Kongahawatta, situate at Katuneriya aforesaid; bounded on the north by the garden of Anthony Fernando and others, east by high road, south by dewata road, and west by the land belonging to Elaris Annavirala; containing in extent 300 cocoanut trees plantable soil.

Amount recoverable Rs. 1,082'75, with interest on Rs. 420 at the rate of 16 per cent. per annum from the date of institution of suit till date of decree and poundage.

J. G. FRASER,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Chilaw, January 18, 1901.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Maina Chena Kaderavelan Chetty, by his
attorney P. R. E. Meiappa Chetty, of
Negombo..... Plaintiff.
No. 3,311. Vs.

Warnakula Aditta Arsanelaitta Martin
de Mel Appuhamy and his wife, of
Waikkal Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 23, 1901, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, viz:—

Half share from the northern portion of Paragahayaya, situate at Marawila (exclusive of 8 acres' extent and the building standing thereon from the entire land of 25 acres' extent purchased by Jugarias Fernando Annavirala); the entire land is bounded on the north by garden of Gabriel Fernando Annavirala, east by road leading to Chilaw, south by the road leading to Roman Catholic church, west by garden of the heirs of Ailvino Lowe, Mudaliyar; the said half share of land with the buildings standing thereon, subject to mortgage.

2. Undivided half share of the southern portion of Paragahayaya of 13 acres and 10 perches in extent, with the plantations standing thereon, situate at Mtrawila in Yatakalan pattu, Chilaw District; the entire land is bounded on the north by the road leading to Roman Catholic church, east by land of the heirs of Alvino Lowe, Mudaliyar, south by the limit of the land of the heirs of Seneviratna, Mudaliyar, west by the land of the heirs of the late Berniel Lowe Hamine.

Amount recoverable Rs. 7,868'37, with interest on Rs. 5,700 at 30 per cent. per annum from November 24, 1898, and poundage.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, J. G. FRASER,
Chilaw, January 21, 1901. Deputy Fiscal.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.

In the District Court of Colombo.

V. A. R. Muttu Carpen Chetty, of Colombo ..Plaintiff.

No. 13,671. Vs.

A. P. R. Muttiah Chetty, of Kegalla.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, February 20, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz:—

The land called Delgahamullewatta of about 3 labas in extent, situate at Mawatagoda; and bounded on the east by high road to Dolosbage, on the south by the boutique belonging to Saiyadu Maera Lebbe Uduma Lebbe, on the west by the bank of the field, and on the north by the boutique of Ahamadu Lebhe Mohammadu Tambi and another, together with the tiled house standing thereon.

Writ issued to levy the sum of Rs. 18,000, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from May 12, 1900.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Deputy Fiscal's Office, Deputy Fiscal.
Kegalla, January 22, 1901.

In the District Court of Colombo.

V. A. P. Muttu Carpen Chetty, of Colombo...Plaintiff.

No. 13,671. Vs.

A. P. R. Muttiah Chetty, of Kegalla.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, February 16, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz:—

All those contiguous portions of the tea estate called and known as Katurugollehena, Pelagahamullehena, and Helapitiyehena now forming into one property, with the house standing thereon, in extent 7 acres 2 roods and 18 perches, situate at Undugoda; and bounded on the east by Peellamula tea estate belonging to Romel Silva and the road leading to Yatideriya tea store, on the south by the Crown land called Heressehena and Kurukosgahamula tea estate belonging to Mariya, the wife of Sodahandi, on the north by mala-ela and Peellamulahena belonging to E. A. Dingiri Appuhami, and on the west by Crown land called Dodammukalana *alias* Walingurugollemukalana.

Writ issued to levy the sum of Rs. 18,000, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from May 12, 1900.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Deputy Fiscal's Office, Deputy Fiscal.
Kegalla, January 21, 1901.

DISTRICT AND, MINOR COURTS NOTICES.

Return of all Moneys recovered and paid on account of Estates under Official Administration for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.

District Court,
Kalutara, January 21, 1901.

G. C. ROOSEMALECOCC,
District Judge.

List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Kalutara for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

No. of Case.	Name of Insolvent.	Date of Last Order.
102 ...	Munisingey Don Fredrick Appuhamy, of Maggona ...	December 18, 1900

District Court,
Kalutara, January 21, 1901.

G. C. ROOSEMALECOCC,
District Judge.

Return of Testamentary Cases under Official Administration in the District Court of Galle for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

No. of Case.	To whom granted.	Whose Estate.	Value of Estate. Rs.
3,204 ...	James Krause, Secretary, District Court, Galle	Kalahapatiramage Teberis de Silva	607
3,208 ...	Do.	Madunga Umma, of Galle	2,000
3,314 ...	Do.	Shella Umma, widow of O. L. Marikar	2,500
3,284 ...	Do.	Ranapurahewage Dintu, of China Garden	1,250
3,290 ...	Do.	Nanayakkarawasam G. L. Dona Thusana	1,980
3,320 ...	Do.	Narigamegamage Abe Hamy	1,045

District Court,
Galle, January 17, 1901.

F. J. DE LIVERA,
District Judge.

List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Trincomalee for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.

District Court,
Trincomalee, January 15, 1901.

R. G. SAUNDERS,
Additional District Judge.

List of all Moneys received and paid on account of Estates under Official Administration in the District Court of Trincomalee during the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.

District Court,
Trincomalee, January 15, 1901.

R. G. SAUNDERS,
Additional District Judge.

List of Cases in which the Secretary of the District Court of Batticaloa has been appointed Official Administrator during the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.
 District Court, Batticaloa, January 10, 1901. THOS. R. E. LOFTUS,
 District Judge.

List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Batticaloa during the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.
 District Court, Batticaloa, January 10, 1901. THOS. R. E. LOFTUS,
 District Judge.

Return of Moneys received and paid on account of Estates under Official Administration for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.
 District Court, Mullaittivu, January 18, 1901. J. O'K. MURTY,
 District Judge.

List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Mullaittivu for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.
 District Court, Mullaittivu, January 18, 1901. J. O'K. MURTY,
 District Judge.

List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Kegalla for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.
 District Court, Kegalla, January 19, 1901. ALLAN BEVEN,
 District Judge.

Return of all Moneys received and paid on account of Estates under Official Administration for the Half-year ended December 31, 1900.

Nil.
 District Court, Kegalla, January 19, 1901. ALLAN BEVEN,
 District Judge.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests, Kandy, by fifty-nine labourers of Dunally estate, Gallaha, against the proprietor thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 545.82.

DAN B. WICKRAMASINGHE,
 Chief Clerk.
 Court of Requests,
 Kandy, January 10, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests, Kandy, by fifty-four labourers of Dunally estate, Gallaha, against the proprietor thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 86.38.

DAN B. WICKRAMASINGHE,
 Chief Clerk.
 Court of Requests,
 Kandy, January 10, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests, Kandy, by fifty-two labourers of Dunally estate, Gallaha, against the

proprietor thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889 for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 89.23.

DAN B. WICKRAMASINGHE,
 Chief Clerk.

Court of Requests,
 Kandy, January 10, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests, Kandy, by five labourers of Bowlana estate, Deltota, against the proprietor thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 25.

DAN B. WICKRAMASINGHE,
 Chief Clerk.

Court of Requests,
 Kandy, January 10, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Panwila by fifteen labourers, late of Diyanille estate, against the proprietor thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 162.01.

C. RASANAYAGAM,
 Chief Clerk.
 This 16th day of January, 1901.