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LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

LOCAL BOARD OF PUTTALAM.

Abstract-Statement of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Health and Improvement,
Puttalam, for the Year 1901.

REVENUE.

	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>					
Assessment ...	2,560 13				
Commutation ...	1,773 0				
Dogs ...	19 50				
Vehicles and animals not plying for hire ...	57 30				
		4,409 93			
<i>Licenses.</i>					
Carts and boats ...	2,770 20				
Firearms ...	34 44				
Under Ordinance No. 18 of 1894	3 80				
Retail of spirits ...	641 25				
Retail of opium ...	1,755 0				
Butchers ...	9 50				
Proctors and notaries ...	171 0				
		5,385 19			
<i>Fines.</i>					
Police Magistrate ...	—	108 20			
<i>Rents.</i>					
Fish market ...	970 95				
Vegetable market ...	593 35				
Gala ...	265 75				
Local Board bungalow ...	30 0				
				1,860 5	
<i>Sundries.</i>					
Petty and incidental collections ...	240 60				
Refunds of advances ...	359 18				
Seizing fee and poundage on cattle	499 35				
				1,099 13	
				12,862 50	
Balance on January 1, 1901 ...	—			4,083 52	
				16,946 2	

EXPENDITURE.					
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Establishment.</i>			<i>Law Expenses.</i>		
Salaries of Secretary and Inspector, pay of peon, and Inspector's allowance ...	—	2,119 92	Stamps for Local Board cases ...	—	17 55
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>			<i>Public Works.</i>		
Stationery, books, &c. ...	—	271 3	Repairs to roads, streets, &c. ...	1,249 17	
<i>Revenue Services.</i>			Construction of a meat market ...	92 0	
Commission on assessment tax recoveries ...	242 22		Pay of watcher, waterworks ...	120 0	
Commission on poll tax recoveries ...	167 40		Cost of weeding public grounds ...	247 32	
Cost of tin plates ...	67 50		Repairs to cattle pound ...	21 30	
Petty expenses ...	81 59		Painting lamp-posts, &c. ...	32 12	
Remuneration to assessors ...	60 0		Rent of site of watcher's hut ...	3 75	
		618 71	On account new well ...	150 0	
<i>Police Charges.</i>			Re-vote for new road ...	2,245 12	4,160 78
Killing dogs ...	—	28 74	<i>Lighting.</i>		
<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>			Cost of street lighting ...	—	745 62
Cost of scavenging the town ...	2,354 26		<i>Contribution towards cost of Audit of Accounts of Board.</i>		
Pay of latrine coolies ...	450 0		Auditing accounts of Board ...	—	109 27
Pay of scavenging coolies ...	60 0		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Hire of bull to draw latrine cart... ..	182 50		Charges on account plague ...	108 0	
Pay of watcher, female latrine ...	48 0		Half cost of maintaining buildings	189 0	
Cost of filling ponds ...	94 59		Advance on account plague, &c. ...	252 89	
Cost of filling Kanganykulam ...	860 13		Refund of fines, &c. ...	4 75	554 64
Cost of collecting sea weed ...	118 88				13,643 94
Petty expenses ...	339 21				3,302 8
Cost of filling moat ...	165 54	4,673 11			16,946 2
<i>Interest and Sinking Fund on Loans.</i>			Balance on December 31, 1901	—	3,302 8
Part payment of loan and interest .	—	344 57			

I, H. W. Brodhurst, do hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid by me during the year 1901 on account of the Local Board, Puttalam, and that the balance was in the hands of the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, on December 31, 1901.

Sworn before me at Puttalam this 8th day of January, 1902 :

J. ARTHUR DE SILVA,
Additional Police Magistrate.

H. W. BRODHURST, Chairman.
PHILIP BRITO, Member.

Statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board, Puttalam, for the Year 1901.

ASSETS..		Amount.	Total.	LIABILITIES.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
Balance on December 31, 1901 ...	—	3,302 8	Brown & Co.'s bill on tar, &c. ...	86 75			
Assessment tax outstandings, less commission ...	677 66		"Ceylon Independent" bill ...	14 75			
Refund of stamp duty on carts, boats, and guns ...	162 45		"Ceylon Standard" bill ...	12 0			
Outstandings of tax on animals and vehicles not plying for hire	124 25		Commission due to assistant tax collectors ...	60 26			
Outstandings on account markets	125 85	1,090 21	Walker, Sons & Co.'s bill ...	85 0			
			Controller of Government Stores	2 50			
			A. H. Fernandez' bill ...	14 18			
			Wages due to coolies for December, 1901 ...	60 30			
					335 74		
			Balance on December 31, 1901	—	4,056 55		
		4,392 29				4,392 29	

I, H. W. Brodhurst, do hereby swear that the above is a correct account of the assets and liabilities of the Board on December 31, 1901.

Sworn before me this 8th day of January, 1902.

J. ARTHUR DE SILVA,
Additional Police Magistrate.

H. W. BRODHURST, Chairman.
PHILIP BRITO, Member.

**Statement of the Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Health and Improvement,
Puttalam, for the Year 1902.**

		Amount.	Total.			Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>							
Assessment	...	2,500	0				
Commutation	...	1,700	0				
Dog	...	20	0				
Vehicles and animals not plying for hire	...	120	0				
		4,340	0				
<i>Licenses.</i>							
Carts and boats	...	2,700	0				
Firearms	...	35	0				
Under Ordinance No. 18 of 1894...	...	4	0				
Retail of spirits	...	641	25				
Retail of opium	...	1,000	0				
Butchers	...	9	50				
Proctors and notaries	...	171	0				
		4,560	75				
<i>Fines.</i>							
Police Magistrate	...	—	100				
<i>Rents.</i>							
Markets	...	1,500	0				
Gala	...	265	0				
		1,765	0				
<i>Sundries.</i>							
Petty and incidental collections	...	240	0				
Seizing fee and poundage on cattle	...	250	0				
		490	0				
						11,255	75
Balance on January 1, 1902...		—				3,302	8
						14,557	83

EXPENDITURE.

		Amount.	Total.			Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Establishment.</i>							
Salaries of Secretary and Inspector, pay of peon, and Inspector's allowance	...	—	2,120				
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>							
Stationery, books, &c.	...	—	200				
<i>Revenue Services.</i>							
Commission on assessment tax collection	...	400	0				
Commission on poll tax collection	...	170	0				
Cost of tin plates	...	60	0				
Petty expenses	...	85	0				
Remuneration to assessors	...	60	0				
		775	0				
<i>Police Charges.</i>							
Killing dogs, &c.	...	—	30				
<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>							
Cost of scavenging the town	...	2,400	0				
Pay of latrine coolies	...	450	0				
Hire of bull to draw night soil cart	...	182	50				
Pay of watcher, female latrine	...	48	0				
Cost of filling ponds	...	50	0				
Cost of filling Kanganykulam	...	500	0				
Cost of collecting sea weed	...	120	0				
Petty expenses	...	270	0				
Pay of watcher, burial ground	...	30	0				
		4,050	50				
<i>Interest and Sinking Fund on Loans.</i>							
Part payment of loan and interest	...	—	339				
<i>Law Expenses.</i>							
Stamps for Local Board cases	...	—	25				
						11,870	72
						2,687	11
						14,557	83
<i>Public Works.</i>							
Repairs to roads, streets, &c.	...	1,500	0				
Construction of a meat market	...	868	0				
Pay of watcher at waterworks	...	120	0				
Cost of clearing the reservoir	...	50	0				
Cost of weeding public grounds	...	292	0				
Repairs to cattle pound	...	50	0				
Painting lampposts, &c.	...	50	0				
Repairs to Infectious Diseases Hospital	...	30	0				
Rent of site of watcher's hut	...	3	0				
Completion of new well	...	255	0				
		3,218	0				
<i>Lighting.</i>							
Cost of street lighting	...	—	800				
<i>Contribution towards cost of Audit of Accounts.</i>							
For auditing accounts of Board for 1902	...	—	12				
						200	0
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>							
Charges on account of plague	...	100	0				
Half cost of maintaining plague camps	...	100	0				
						11,870	72
Balance on December 31, 1902		—				2,687	11
						14,557	83

Local Board Office,
Puttalam, January 8, 1902

H. W. BRODHURST, Chairman.
PHILIP BRITO, Member.

Local Board of Negombo.

COMMUTATION TAX FOR 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board, Negombo, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 35 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, has imposed an annual tax on account of the year 1902, payable in six days' labour, upon all persons residing within the limits of the Local Board, who would have been liable, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to the performance of labour

for the maintenance of the roads or other public means of communication by land or by water, if the Ordinance No. 31 of 1884 had not been passed.

Such labour may be commuted by a money payment of Rs. 2 in the town of Negombo and the islands of Pitipana and Munnakkara and Re. 1.50 in the island of Duwa on or before March 31, 1902. After that date the payment will be Rs. 4 and Rs. 3 respectively per head.

Local Board Office,
Negombo, January 9, 1902.

E. F. HOPKINS,
Chairman, Local Board.

ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

Dotale Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held at Elkadua Factory on Wednesday, February 5, 1902, at 9 A.M., to consider and report to the Provincial Committee with regard to the maintenance estimate of Rs. 1,201 for the current year.

The meeting will be followed by a general meeting of estate representatives to elect a Local Committee to serve for two years from May 1, 1902.

E. G. BEILBY,
Chairman, Local Committee.

Weygalla,
Elkadua, January 10, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road, during 1901, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

DARRAWELLA-ANNFIELD ROAD.

Government moiety	...	Rs. 600
Private contributions	...	Rs. 600

1st section, 32.85 lines.

Total acreage, 2,464—Moiety of cost, Rs. 109.33—
Sectional rate .0443c.—Total rate, .0443c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
Aitken, Spence & Co.	...	Darrawella	615 ... 27 31

1st to 2nd section, 1 mile, 17.65 lines.

Total acreage, 1,849—Moiety of cost, Rs. 125.14—
Sectional rate, .0676c.—Total rate, .1119c.

E. Benham & Co.	...	Hadley	228 ... 25 59
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1st to 3rd section, 1 mile, 32.56 lines.

Total acreage, 1,621—Moiety of cost, Rs. 49.62—
Sectional rate, .0305c.—Total rate, .1424c.

D. Kerr	...	Invery	513 ... 73 13
R. H. S. Scott	...	Ottery (excluding Stamford Hill)	243 ... 34 68

1st to 4th section, 2 miles, 19.07 lines.

Total acreage, 865—Moiety of cost, Rs. 130.83—
Sectional rate, .1512c.—Total rate, .2936c.

Lee, Hedges & Co.	...	Ottery (Stamford Hill division)	138 ... 40 59
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1st to 5th section, 2 miles, 31.84 lines.

Total acreage, 727—Moiety of cost, Rs. 42.50—
Sectional rate, .0584c.—Total rate, .3520c.

A. Craib	...	St. Leys	130 ... 45 84
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1st to 6th section, 3 miles, 21.88 lines.

Total acreage, 597—Moiety of cost, 142.58—
Sectional rate, .2388c.—Total rate .5908c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs. c.
Cumberbatch & Co.	...	Annfield	289 ... 170 62
Do.	...	Rahanwatta	308 ... 182 4
			600 0

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before January 24, 1902.

R. A. G. FESTING,
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Kandy, January 3, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the construction of the under-mentioned bridge for 1902, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Roads Ordinance, 1896," will on Saturday, January 25, 1902, at 2 P.M., at their office in Badulla, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions.

HORSE BRIDGE ON BANDARAWELA-LEANGAHAWELA ROAD.

Cost of construction	...	Rs. 5,100
Moiety	...	2,550

Total acreage 1,205.

Proprietors, Agents, or Resident Managers.	Estates.	Acreage.
W. F. Robertson Reid	...	Broughton ... 513
G. C. Anderson	...	Leangahawela ... 692

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

F. H. PRICE,
Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,
Badulla, January 4, 1902.

Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on January 25, 1902, at 2 P.M., at the Resthouse, Ratnapura.

Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to the acreage of estates and the sections for which they are to be assessed for maintenance during 1902.

A. J. IMRAY,
Chairman, Local Committee.

January 10, 1902.

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Ceylon Standard Press Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Annual General Meeting of this Company will be held at No. 15, Chatham street, Colombo, on Monday, February 3, 1902, at 5 P.M.

Business.

To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended September 30, 1901.

To elect Directors and an Auditor.

To fix date for next General Meeting.

To transact any other competent business that may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,

Colombo, January 15, 1902.

S. J. SOYSA,
Secretary.

MR. David Scott has been authorized to sign for our firm by procuration.

LEWIS BROWN & Co.

Colombo, January 14, 1902.

I GIVE notice that I have admitted Mr. George de Saram into partnership with me in the business of Proctor and Notary heretofore carried on by me. The name of the firm will be—

F. J. & G. de Saram

Colombo, January 1, 1902

F. J. DE SARAM.