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### DRAFT ORDINANCES.

#### MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to provide for the imposition of an Export Duty on Cardamoms.

Preamble.

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to provide for imposition of an export duty to be levied on cardamoms for the purpose of increasing the consumption of Ceylon cardamoms in foreign lands: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Commencement of Ordinance.

1 This Ordinance shall come into operation at such time as the Governor shall, by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*, appoint, and may be cited as "The Cardamom Cess Ordinance, 1905."

Short title.

Commencement of levy of export duty and rate of duty.

2 From and after the time when this Ordinance shall come into operation there shall be raised, levied, and paid upon all cardamoms, the produce of this island, exported beyond the seas, a duty not exceeding one cent per pound, the rate leviable to be determined by the Governor, with the

advice of the Executive Council, from time to time, upon consideration of such recommendations as may be made by the joint committee appointed by the Planters' Association of Ceylon on the seventeenth day of February, 1905, and by the Ceylon Chamber of Commerce on the twenty-eighth day of February, 1905, or by the successors in office of such committee, and such duty shall be independent of, and in addition to, any duty which may be imposed under the provisions of "The Medical Wants Ordinance, 1880, Amendment Ordinance, 1882."

Levy of export duty to be enforced under Ordinance No. 17 of 1869.

3 The duty under this Ordinance shall be levied at the Customs on the entry for exportation of cardamoms, and shall be payable to, and shall be collected and received by, the proper officers of the Customs Department, and the payment thereof shall be enforced under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, intituled "An Ordinance for the General Regulation of Customs in the Island of Ceylon."

Proceeds of duty how to be supplied.

4 The proceeds of the levy hereby enacted shall be applied towards the increasing the consumption of Ceylon cardamoms in such manner as may from time to time be desired and determined by the committee referred to in section 2 of this Ordinance or by the successors in office of such committee, provided that the manner in which the proceeds of the said levy shall be administered shall be subject to the approval of the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Duration of the Ordinance.

5 This Ordinance shall remain in force for a period of two years.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, April 3, 1905.

#### *Objects and Reasons.*

THIS Ordinance has been introduced at the instance of the Planters' Association of Ceylon and has been drafted on the lines of the Tea Cess Ordinances, No. 15 of 1892 and No. 4 of 1894, in practice.

2. The Ordinance authorizes the levy of a duty not exceeding one cent per pound upon Ceylon-grown cardamoms exported from the Island. The rate leviable is determinable from time to time by the Governor in Council upon consideration of the recommendations of the Joint Committee appointed by the Planters' Association of Ceylon and by the Ceylon Chamber of Commerce.

Subject to the approval of the Governor in Executive Council the proceeds of the levy are applicable towards the promotion of the consumption of Ceylon-grown cardamoms in such a manner as the Joint Committee may from time to time determine.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,  
Attorney-General.

#### MINUTE.

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

#### An Ordinance to amend "The Opium Ordinance, 1899."

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend "The Opium Ordinance, 1899," in certain particulars: 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 Opium (Amendment) Ordinance, 1905," and shall be read and construed as one with "The Opium Ordinance, 1899," hereinafter referred to as "the principal Ordinance," and the principal Ordinance, Ordinance No. 14 of 1903, and this Ordinance may be cited together as "The Opium Ordinances, 1899 to 1905."

2 The following section shall be substituted for section 15 of the principal Ordinance:

Conditions may be attached to licenses.

15 (1) The proper authority may at his discretion refuse to grant any license or may attach such conditions thereto as he may deem expedient, provided that such conditions shall, in the case of a license to sell opium by retail, *inter alia*, include the following :

- (a) No opium shall be sold, given, or transferred between the hours of 8 at night and 6 in the morning,
- (b) The quantity to be sold, given, or transferred at any one time to any individual, except to a licensed retail vendor, shall not exceed 180 grains.
- (c) Opium shall not be consumed on the premises.
- (d) Opium offered for sale or transfer shall not be adulterated or deteriorated in any way.
- (e) Opium shall not be sold, given, or transferred to any individual apparently under the age of fifteen years.
- (f) Wearing apparel or other goods shall not be received in barter for opium.
- (g) Daily accounts shall be kept in a form to be prescribed by the proper authority of the quantities of opium received, sold, given, or transferred and remaining on hand at the end of each day.

Licenses may be revoked.

(2) The proper authority may revoke such license in the event of—

- (a) Any conditions or any of the provisions of this Ordinance being infringed in respect thereof ; or
- (b) For any reason whatsoever, on giving fifteen days' notice to the licensee and on paying to him a sum bearing the same proportion to the sum paid for the license as the unexpired part of the period for which the license runs does to the whole period in respect of which it was issued.

3 The following section shall be substituted for section 16 of the principal Ordinance :

16 (1) No person shall sell, give, or transfer, or suffer or permit to be sold, given, or transferred, any opium in any quantity under the provisions of this Ordinance except for ready money to be paid for on the spot at the time of such sale, gift, or transfer, and not otherwise.

Penalty for transfer or breaches of Ordinance. Sale of bhang or ganja absolutely prohibited.

(2) Any person who shall possess, transfer, give, sell, or offer for sale, or suffer or permit to be sold, given, or transferred, any opium in breach of or in any way contrary to any of the provisions of this Ordinance, or otherwise than in accordance with the license in that behalf granted under this Ordinance ; or possess, sell, give, transfer, or offer for sale or transfer, or suffer or permit to be sold, given, or transferred, any bhang or ganja, or any substance containing bhang or ganja, and every holder of a license for the sale by wholesale or retail of opium who sells, gives, or transfers, or allows any person to sell, give, or transfer opium to any person apparently under the age of fifteen years, shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable on the first conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment not exceeding three months, or to both ; and on every subsequent conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, not exceeding six months, or to both.

Sale of opium to children prohibited.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, A. M. ASHMORE,  
Colombo, April 10, 1905. Colonial Secretary.

*Statement of Objects and Reasons.*

THIS Ordinance is considered necessary to prevent licensed opium sellers from evading the provisions of sections 15 and 16 of Ordinance No. 5 of 1899 by entering in their books dealings in opium as gifts or transfers and not as sales. In a case from the Kurunegala District in which the prosecutor had proved the transfer by a licensed dealer of a considerable quantity of opium to a customer, not being a licensed retail vendor, the Supreme Court held that the dealer could not be prosecuted under section 16 of the Ordinance, as there was no evidence of a sale by him.

J. H. TEMPLER,  
Acting Attorney-General.

January 21, 1905.

## NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Don Charles Ratnaike, deceased, of Pickering's road, Colombo.  
No. 2,323 C.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. R. Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 6th day of April, 1905, in the presence of Mr. E. W. Perera on the part of the petitioner Don John Ratnaike; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated 5th April, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the will of Don Charles Ratnaike, deceased, dated 16th August, 1898, and now deposited in court, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless (1) Wanniarachchige Dona Sophia Perera Hamine and (2) Charlotte Sophia Ratnaike, both of Hunupitiya in Colombo, shall, on or before the 4th day of May, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary. It is further declared that the said Don John Ratnaike is the executor named in the said will, and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless the said Wanniarachchige Dona Sophia Perera Hamine and Charlotte Sophia Ratnaike shall, on or before the 4th day of May, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,  
District Judge.

The 6th day of April, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of Francis Allahakoon, deceased, of Dehiowita.  
No. 2,334.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. R. Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 14th day of April, 1905, in the presence of Mr. A. C. Abeyewardene on the part of the petitioner Francis Durand Samarasinghe; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated 28th March, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Francis Allahakoon issued to him, unless (1) Julia Allahakoon, (2) Lucia Allahakoon, (3) and G. K. Allis Appuhamy shall, on or before the 4th day of May, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,  
District Judge.

The 4th day of April, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Hewadewage Lewis Fernando and his wife Isabella Fernando, deceased.  
No. 2,335.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. R. Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 5th day of April, 1905, in the presence of Mr. M. E. Munasingha on the part of the petitioner Hewadewage Prolis Fernando; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated 4th April, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estates of Hewadewage Lewis Fernando and Isabella Fernando issued to him, unless (1) Hewadewage Enso Fernando, (2) Hewadewage Themis Fernando, (3) Hewadewage Jenti Nona

Fernando, (4) Hewadewage Nona Fernando, (5) Hewadewage Podi Nona Fernando, (6) Hewadewage Ranso Fernando, (7) Hewadewage Sido Fernando shall, on or before the 4th day of May, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,  
District Judge.

The 5th day of April, 1905.

In the District Court of Kandy.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Galappatt Merenchege Subehamy, deceased, of Bogatuluwa in Ambagamu korale of Uda Bulatgama, deceased.  
No. 2,425.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before John Henricus de Saram, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, District Judge of Kandy, on the 21st day of March, 1905, in the presence of Messrs. Beven and Beven, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Gallappatti Merenchege Charles Singho of Bogatuluwa aforesaid; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 21st March, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner Gallappatti Merenchege Charles Singho of Bogatuluwa aforesaid be and he is hereby entitled to letters of administration to the estate of Gallappatti Merenchege Subehamy, deceased, of Bogatuluwa in Ambagamuwa korale of Uda Bulatgama, as son of the said deceased, unless (1) Dehigaspitiyage Nonohamy, (2) Gallappatti Merenchege Pody Nona, (3) G. P. Emo Nona, (4) G. P. Punchy Nona, (5) G. P. Julianchy Nona, (6) G. P. William Singho, all of Bogatuluwa aforesaid, shall, on or before the 17th day of April, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAM,  
District Judge.

The 21st day of March, 1905.

In the District Court of Kandy.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late E. Temple, deceased, of Deyanilakele estate, Lindula.  
No. 2,426.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before John Henricus de Saram, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, District Judge of Kandy, on the 27th day of March, 1905, in the presence of Messrs. Beven and Beven, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Mary Jane Temple of Deyanilakele estate, Lindula; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 24th March, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner Mary Jane Temple of Deyanilakele estate, Lindula, be and she is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration to the estate of E. Temple, deceased, of Deyanilakele estate in Lindula, as sister of the said deceased, unless R. Temple of Deyanilakele estate, Lindula, shall, on or before the 17th day of April, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAM,  
District Judge.

The 27th day of March, 1905.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. } late Puvanaspri, wife of Ramalin-  
No. 1,613. } kam of Colomboturai, deceased.

Ampalavanar Ramalingam of Colombo-  
turai.....Petitioner.

Vs.

1, Aiyatturai Nadarasa of Colomboturai and  
wife 2, Mahasupari of ditto ; and 3, Chin-  
nachippillai, widow of Vaittianatar of  
ditto.....Respondents.

**T**HIS matter of the petition of Ampalavanar Ramalin-  
kam of Colomboturai praying for letters of adminis-  
tration to the estate of the above-named deceased Puvanaspri,  
wife of Ramalingam, coming on for disposal before  
H. R. Freeman, Esq., District Judge, on the 27th day of  
March, 1905, in the presence of Messrs. Casipillai &  
Cathiravelu, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner ; and  
affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 27th day of March,  
1905, having been read : It is declared that the petitioner  
is the lawful husband of the said intestate, and is entitled  
to have letters of administration to the estate of the said  
intestate issued to him, unless the respondents or any  
other person shall, on or before the 27th day of April,  
1905, show sufficient cause to satisfaction of this court to  
the contrary.

This 27th day of March, 1905. H. R. FREEMAN,  
District Judge.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate and Effects  
Jurisdiction. } of the late Udumalevvaipodi Van-  
No. 431. } niya Asiathumma of Kattankudi.

Alarlevvai Udumalevvai of Kattankudi.....Petitioner.

And

1, Notary Umarulevvai Vellachiumma and  
husband 2, Ahamadolevvai Maracair  
Meerasaibo Marakair of Kattankudi.....Respondents.

**T**HIS matter coming on for disposal before A. de A.  
Seneviratne, Esq., District Judge of Batticaloa, on  
the 17th day of March, 1905, in the presence of Mr. J. A.

Setukavalar, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner ; and  
the petitioner's affidavit, dated the 16th day of March,  
1905, and petition dated 17th day of March, 1905, having  
been duly read : It is ordered that the petitioner be and  
he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of adminis-  
tration to the estate of the late Udumalevvaipoddi  
Vanniya Asiathumma of Kattankudi issued to him, unless  
the respondents or any other persons shall, on or before  
the 27th day of April, 1905, show sufficient cause to the  
satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

A. DE A. SENEVIRATNE,  
District Judge.

The 17th March, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate  
Jurisdiction. } of Botalage Peduru Fernando of  
No. 833. } Pallansena, deceased.

Medagamage Ana Fernando of Pallansena.....Petitioner.

Vs.

Botalage Gracia Fernando of Pallansena.....Respondent

**T**HIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W.  
Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on  
the 15th day of March, 1905, in the presence of Mr. C. J.  
Edrissinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Meda-  
gamage Ana Fernando of Pallansena ; and the affidavit  
of the said petitioner, dated the 7th day of March, 1905,  
having been read :

It is ordered that the petitioner Medagamage Ana  
Fernando of Pallansena be and she is hereby declared  
entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of  
the deceased Botalage Peduru Fernando of Pallansena, as  
the widow of the said deceased, unless the respondent or  
any other person on her behalf shall, on or before the  
18th day of April, 1905, show sufficient cause to the  
satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,  
District Judge.

March 15, 1905.

## NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District of Court of Colombo.

No. 2,175. In the matter of the insolvency of Abdul  
Omer of No. 4, Canal Row, Fort,  
Colombo.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the second sittings in  
this case will take place at the sitting of this court  
on May 4, 1905.

By order of court,

J. B. Misso,  
Secretary.

Colombo, April 6, 1905.

No. 2,179. In the matter of the insolvency of M. D. R.  
Saffermadoc of Dematagoda, Colombo.

**W**HEREAS M. D. R. Saffermadoc has filed a declara-  
tion of insolvency, and a petition for the  
sequestration of the estate of M. D. R. Saffermadoc has  
also been filed by K. D. Belenis under the Ordinance

No. 7 of 1853 : Notice is hereby given that the said court  
has adjudged the said M. D. R. Saffermadoc insolvent  
accordingly, and that two public sittings of the court, to  
wit, on May 11 and 25, 1905, 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,

J. B. Misso,  
Secretary.

Colombo, April 10, 1905.

No. 2,181. In the matter of the insolvency of Casie  
Lebbe Marikar Ahamado Ally of 1st  
Division, Maradana, Colombo.

**W**HEREAS Casie Lebbe Marikar Ahamado Ally  
has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a  
petition for the sequestration of the estate of Casie  
Lebbe Marikar Ahamadu Ally has also been filed by  
Jayasuriya Arachchige Don Girigoris Perera under the

Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Casie Lebbe Marikar Ahamado Ally insolvent accordingly, and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on May 11 and 25, 1905, 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,

J. B. MISSO,  
Secretary.

Colombo, April 10, 1905.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

No. 72. In the matter of the insolvency of Mohamaduru Lebbelage Madar Lebbe of Bandawa.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sittings in the above case has been adjourned till May 9, 1905, for the purpose of receiving the assignee's report.

By order of court,

R. SOLOMONS,  
Secretary.

Kurunegala, April 11, 1905.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Muna Runa Shana Pandram Pulle.....Plaintiff.

No. 18,600. Vs.

K. James Fonseka.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on May 15, 1905, 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. 901.25, with interest on Rs. 900 at 9 per cent. per annum from May 5, 1903, till payment in full, and costs Rs. 43.12, viz:—

At 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

All that allotment of land called Madangahawatta, together with the buildings and plantations standing thereon, situated at Galkissa in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale; bounded on the north by the property of Adamberage Harmanis Alwis and others and by land claimed by P. Hendrick and Gomis and others, on the east by the property of Bomeriage Hendrick Fernando and others, on the south by the property of Watutantrige Salman de Alwis and by the property of A. Hendrick Alwis, and on the west by the land claimed by Rendage Silvestry Fernando and others; containing in extent 2 roods 14.44 perches according to the figure of survey hereof bearing date July 20, 1903, made by J. W. F. Peries, Surveyor.

On the same day, at 1.30 in the afternoon.

An allotment of land called Ambagahawatta, with the trees and plantations standing thereon, situated at Galkissa aforesaid; bounded on the north by a small road, on the east by the property of Palligodalianage Don Pasqual Appuhamy, on the south by the property of Watutantrige Bimel Fernando (now of Watorutantrige Baron Fernando), and on the west by the property of Watutantrige Bastian Alwis; containing about 1 rood and 9.3 perches according to the deed No. 3,203 dated June 21, 1872, attested by J. M. Perera, Notary.

On the same day, at 2 in the afternoon.

All that half part of the garden called Ambagahawatta; situated at Galkissa aforesaid; bounded on the north by a small road twenty links wide, on the east and on the west by parts of the same garden, and on the south by the garden called Beminigewatta of Halpewattege Juanis Peris and of Watorutantrige Siman Lewis Fernando; containing in extent about 3 roods 33.96 square perches according to the deed No. 8,769 dated March 31, 1869, attested by J. R. Dharmasana, Notary Public.

On the same day, at 2.30 in the afternoon.

An allotment of land called Kahatagahawatta, with the trees and plantations standing thereon, situated at Galkissa (Watarappola) in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale; bounded on the north by Andigewatta, on the east by Andigewatta and by the owita of Juan Perera Gurunnanse, on the south also by the owita of Juan Perera Gurunnanse, and on the west by the property of Mettiage and Appallage; containing in extent about 1 acre and 9.77 perches according to the deed No. 2,954 dated July 26, 1871, attested by J. M. Perera, Notary.

On the same day, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Three-tenth parts or shares of the land called Ambagahawatta, with the trees and plantations standing thereon, situated at Watarappola aforesaid; bounded on the north by Talgahawatta, on the east by Talgahawatta and Kongahawatta, on the south by Kolainowita, and on the west by Kahatagahawatta of Haramanis Fonseka; containing in extent about three-quarters of an acre, save and except therefrom one jak trees according to the deed No. 4,939 dated August 23, 1882, attested by D. P. de Alwis, Notary.

J. NADARAJAH SANDRASAGRA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, April 12, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

1, Tyebali Alibhai Jeevunjee Noorbhai of Colombo; 2, Frederick de Zoysa of Colombo, sole surviving trustee of a settlement of No. 45, dated November 12 and 21, 1901 ..... Plaintiffs.

No. 19,349 C. Vs.

Tambayah Sanmgam of Devon House, Cinnamon Gardens, Colombo.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, May 9, 1905, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 31,800, with interest on Rs. 30,000 at 8 per cent. per annum from December 1, 1903, till January 4, 1904, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs, less Rs. 27,000 paid on August 5, 1904, viz:—

All that land and the buildings standing thereon bearing assessment Nos. 48 and 49, and called and known as "Vavasseur's Mills," situated at Dean's road, within the Municipality of Colombo; bounded on the north by the property bearing assessment No. 47, said to belong to

"Sivan Kovil," on the east by Norris Canal street, on the south by the road called De Saram place, and on the west by Dean's road; containing in extent 8 acres 2 roods and 10 perches more or less.

J. NADARAJAH SANDRASAGRA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, April 11, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Y. A. R. M. Cannasamy of Sea street,  
Colombo ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 21,453 C. Vs.

(1) Assan Umma, (2) A. Abdul Rahman, and  
(3) Ana Ana Mohammadu Sultan, all of  
Old Moor street, Colombo..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, May 10, 1905, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said 1st and 2nd defendants in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,280, with interest on Rs. 1,000 at 24 per cent. per annum from February 26 until March 20, 1905, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz.:—

All that land and houses bearing assessment No. 68, situated at Kochchikade, within the Municipality of Colombo; and bounded on the north by the property of C. P. Perera, on the east by the property of Allis Appu, on the south by the property of Mr. Peris, and on the west by the property of Wappoo Maricar Hadjar; containing in extent 1 rood more or less.

J. NADARAJAH SANDRASAGRA,  
Deputy Fiscal.  
Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, April 11, 1905.

In the Court of Requests of Colombo.

Galkissagey Martineo Fernando of Maliban  
street, Pettah, Colombo..... Plaintiff.  
No. 30,124. Vs.

K. Arnolis Fernando of Dias place, Colombo... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, May 11, 1905, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 159.76, with interest on Rs. 108.51 at 9 per cent. per annum from January 14, 1905, until payment in full, viz.:—

All that land and house bearing assessment No. 22, situated at Saunder's road in Pettah within the Municipality of Colombo; presently bounded on the north by the property of Dunuville Hewage Martin Fernando Arachchi, on the south by the property of Assarupulligey Marthelis Fernando and others, on the east by the property of Kalusayakkarage Katcho Fernando, and on the west by Saunders road; containing in extent 1,188 square perches more or less.

J. NADARAJAH SANDRASAGRA,  
Deputy Fiscal.  
Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, April 12, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

V. P. L. V. Annamalay Chetty of Sea street,  
Colombo..... Plaintiff.  
No. 20,549 C. Vs.

1, C. F. Perera; 2, Dona Engeltina; and 3,  
Allis Appu, all of Sapirawatta garden in  
Kochchikade street in Colombo..... Defendants

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, May 4, 1905, at 2.30 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. 986, with interest on Rs. 680 at 30 per cent. per annum from August 14, 1904, to September 30, 1904, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum on the aggregate amount till payment in full, and costs of suit less Rs. 380, viz.:—

All that undivided one-third part of the garden called Dombagahawatta, situated at Ketawalamulla in Maligakanda within the gravets of Colombo; and bounded on the north by the property of the late Mr. James Swan, on the east by lot No. 2 of the late Isabella Perera, on the south by a passage 11 links wide, and on the west by the property of the late Mr. James Swan and late Christobuge Juanis Perera; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 32 perches more or less.

J. NADARAJAH SANDRASAGRA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,  
Colombo, April 5, 1905.

### Southern Province.

In the District Court of Matara.

Mailappuge Don Girigoris Karunanaika, for  
himself and as administrator of the  
estate of Mailappuge Don Siman Karu-  
nanaika, Constable Arachchi, late of  
Matara, deceased ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 3,486. Vs.

Don Carolis Samarajeewa Siriwardena,  
Division Officer of Kirinde ..... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, May 6, 1905, commencing at 12 o'clock in the noon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the consecutive order in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 3,771, with interest on Rs. 3,000 at 12 per cent. per annum from November 2, 1904, till December 31, 1904, and legal interest on the aggregate amount from such date till payment.

1. An undivided one-half part of the fields called Muttettuwa, Andunwaruwawa, Katupola, Attorawa, and Giruwamulla, adjoining each other, situated at Hallamba in the Gangaboda pattu of the Matara District; and bounded on the north by Beruwala and Maharapallawaduwa Tantarige Attorawa and Attalaha, east by Andigekumbura and Gonsaluwekumbura, south by Tirunahegedeniya, Giruwamullegoda, and Andunwaruwagoda, and on the west by Atuketiya and Makirale; containing in extent 16 acres and 35.90 perches.

2. An undivided one-half of the land Ambalamagawatta *alias* Ambalamagawamagawatta, save planter's one-third share of the third plantation, at Kirinde, in the Gangaboda pattu of Matara District; and bounded on the north by Kajjugahamulana and Bulatgemulana, east by road, south by road, and on the west by Muhandirangekumbura *alias* Magamulana; in extent 2 roods 31.206 perches.

3. The land called Kongahawatta *alias* Alutdeniyeatmaga, with the house of nine cubits standing thereon at Watakolakanda in the said pattu; and bounded on the north by Crown lands and lot marked I 485 in preliminary plan No. 4,477, east by lot I 485 in preliminary plan No. 4,477, a stream, and land described in title plan No. 169,363, south by land described in title plan No. 169,361, and west by a stream and lands claimed by villagers; in extent 4 acres 1 rood and 28 perches.

H. J. DE LIVERA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Matara, April 4, 1905.

## Eastern Province.

In the District Court of Batticaloa.

Sinnepillay Kadrama Tamby of Navatkudah....Plaintiff.  
No. 2,446. Vs.

Kanthaperumal Vyrattu of Navatkudah....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, May 15, 1905, commencing at about 9 o'clock in the morning, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following properties, viz. :—

At about 9 A.M.

A garden called Kalvedduvalavu, situated at Navatkudah in Manmunai pattu; and bounded on the north by the garden of Marian, on the south by the garden of Notary Masellamany, on the east by the dowry garden of Kanapatiar, and on the west by Lakeshore road; in extent from north to south 12½ fathoms and east to west 23 fathoms, with house, well, and produce.

At 2 P.M.

A garden called Kokattiadyvalavu, situated at Navatkudah in Manmunai pattu; and bounded on the north by road, on the south by the dowry garden of Valliamme and others, on the east by the other share of this garden, on the west by the dowry garden of Thewanai; in extent from north to south 21 fathoms and east to west 17½ fathoms, with the produce thereon.

Amount to be levied, Rs. 508.

Fiscal's Office,  
Batticaloa, March 29, 1905.T. SINNATAMBY,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

The Jaffna Commercial Corporation Limited....Plaintiffs.

No. 3,596. Vs.

Sivakampillay, widow of Sithamparapillay of Kankesanturai, as administratrix of the Estate of the late Kulanthaivelu Sithamparapillay of Kankesanturai, deceased.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following properties belonging to the said Sivakampillay, widow of Sithamparapillay of Kankesanturai, as administratrix of the estate of the late Kulanthaivelu Sithamparapillay, will be sold at the premises by public auction at the times specified, viz. :—

On Saturday, May 13, 1905, at about 10 A.M.

(1) A land called Cholaikadu, described in plan No. 188,151, situated at Tirukovil in Akkarai pattu; and bounded on the north by land reserved for road, on the east by Mulliyadikkalappu, on the south by Thandiadykkalappu and Crown land, and on the west by land reserved for road; containing in extent 249 acres and 2 roods; with everything contained therein.

On Monday, May 15, 1905, at about 10 A.M.

(2) A land called Palayadimadukkadu, described in plan No. 189,883, situated at Pottuvil in Panama pattu; and bounded on the north by Palayadimadu, on the east by land reserved for road and by the pieces of paddy land described in plans Nos. 181,328 and 17,889 and by tank, on the south by the piece of paddy land described in plan No. 178,889 and by Crown land, and on the west by Palayadimadu; containing in extent 25 acres 2 roods and 25 perches; with everything contained therein.

Amount to be levied Rs. 6,104-53, with interest on Rs. 5,500 at 12 per cent. per annum from February 1, 1904, until payment in full.

Fiscal's Office,  
Batticaloa, April 4, 1905.T. SINNATAMBY,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

William Mather of Manipai.....Plaintiff.  
No. 3,818. Vs.

Sivakampillay, widow of Sithamparapillay of Kankesanturai, as administratrix of the estate of the late Kulanthaivelu Sithamparapillay of Kankesanturai, deceased.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following properties belonging to the said Sivakampillay, widow of Sithamparapillay of Kankesanturai, as administratrix of the estate of the late Kulanthaivelu Sithamparapillay, will be sold at the premises by public auction at the times specified, viz. :—

On Saturday, May 13, 1905, at about 3 P.M.

1. A cocoanut land (lot No. 4) described in plan No. 1, situated at Tirukovil in Akkarai pattu, Batticaloa District; and bounded on the north by lot No. 2, on the east by Crown land and Mulliyadikkalappu, on the south by lot No. 6, and on the west by lot No. 1 and by road; containing in extent 253 acres and 2 roods, with all rights thereof.

On Tuesday, May 16, 1905, at about 10 A.M.

2. A jungle land (lot No. 76,474) described in plan No. 2,449, situated at Tiwiddai in Komari in Panama pattu, Batticaloa District; and bounded on the north by Makiladykulam belonging to the Crown, on the east by the estate of Mr. Browne, on the south by Vaddavanvaddepoomey belonging to the Crown, and on the west by Vaddavanvaddepoomey belonging to the Crown; in extent 13 acres 3 roods and 22 perches, with the produce thereof.

On Saturday, May 20, 1905, at 9 A.M.

3. A land called Koddutaritacholai bearing No. 11,868, situated at Santhivelyl in Koralai pattu, Batticaloa District; and bounded on the north-west by land adjoining the road, north-east by the property of Somer Kathirgamer, presently belonging to Myker, and on all other sides by lands which belonged to the Crown and now belong to private parties; containing in extent 12 acres 3 roods and 35 perches.

Amount to be levied Rs. 4,037-24, with further interest on Rs. 3,300 at 12 per cent. per annum from August 22, 1904, until payment in full (provided that such interest does not exceed Rs. 2,694-20).

Fiscal's Office,  
Batticaloa, April 6, 1905.T. SINNATAMBY,  
Deputy Fiscal.

## Province of Uva.

In the Court of Requests of Badulla.

M. M. R. K. Karuppen Chetty, by his  
attorney Ana Runa Muna Muttayya  
Chetty of Badulla.....Plaintiff.

No. 24,655. Vs.

K. Mammadu Moydeen of Badulla.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, May 6, 1905, at 12 o'clock in the noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz. :—

An allotment of land called Batapandurewatta of 65 ft. in length and 25 ft. in breadth and the tiled buildings standing thereon, situate at Palleweediya, in the town of Badulla; bounded on the east by the remaining portion of the same land, on the south by the land claimed by P. Punchirala, on the west by the ditch, and on the north by the wall of the house belonging to Abu Butcher.

Amount to be levied Rs. 287-04 and interest.

Fiscal's Office,  
Badulla, April 10, 1905.M. STEVENSON,  
for Fiscal.



## Province of Sabaragamuwa

In the District Court of Galle.

(1) Mrs. James Sawarimuttu and (2) Patrick  
Anandappa, both of Galle.....Plaintiffs.  
No. 7,203. Vs.

Francis Perera Abeyewardana of Closenber  
in Galle.....Defendant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that on May 5, 1905, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, decreed to be sold by the judgment entered in the above case, viz. :—

All that and those the estate, plantations, and premises called and known as "Gadadessa," situate at Bulatgomuwa in Paranakuru korale in Four Korales, in the District of Kegalla, comprising the following allotments of land forming one property, to wit :—

1. An allotment of land called Hunugalakanda; bounded on the north and west by ground purchased by W. H. Kelaart, on the south by, Allowannahenekele, east

by Gadadessa-oya and ground purchased by A. and R. Crave & Company; containing in extent 508 acres 3 roods and 10.50 perches.

2. An allotment of land; bounded on the north-east by land described in plan 43,525, on the south by land claimed by natives and by Puwakolle-oya, or ela; containing in extent 53 acres; together with the bungalow and other buildings standing on the said Gadadessa estate and the following bungalow furniture :—

2 nedunwood loungers.	1 teapoy.
2 jakwood loungers.	2 screens to hang clothes.
10 chairs.	1 meat safe.
1 nedunwood whatnot.	1 jakwood stand.
1 jakwood whatnot	1 rattan chair.
1 sofa.	1 old unserviceable tea roller.
1 nedunwood washstand.	2 hanging lamps.
1 nedunwood square table.	1 camp bed.
1 dining table.	

To levy Rs. 7,575.24 and interest, less Rs. 947.64 paid.

C. JANSZ,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Kegalla, April 6, 1905.

**I**, KEITH WILLIAM BRUCE MACLEOD, Fiscal for the Province of Uva, do hereby appoint Mr. E. F. Weerasooriya to be Marshal for that division of the Province of Uva, consisting of the Chief Headmen's divisions of Udukinda and Wellaway, under the provisions

of the Fiscal's Ordinance, No. 4 of 1867, and authorize him to perform the duties and exercise the authority of Marshal, for which this shall be his warrant.

K. MACLEOD,  
Fiscal.

This 10th day of April, 1905.

## DISTRICT AND MINOR COURTS NOTICES.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Hatton-Nuwara Eliya held at Nawalapitiya by nine labourers of Dambagala estate against the proprietors thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 121.50.

J. A. DHARMAKIRTI,  
Chief Clerk.

This 30th day of March, 1905.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Ratnapura by (1) Rengasamy Kangany, (2) Weeramma, (3) Sewasamy, (4) Sinnamma, and (5) Kamachchi, labourers of Wevelketiya estate, Ratnapura, against the proprietor or proprietors thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 88.28.

S. D. S. MUTUCUMARANA,  
Chief Clerk.

This 10th day of April, 1905.