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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance for the better enforcement of certain conditions in Sales or Leases of Arrack Rents.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make better provision for the enforcement of certain conditions in sales or leases of arrack rents : 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 Arrack Rents Ordinance, 1905."

Enforcement of stipulation regarding re-sale of rent on renter making default in observing conditions of sale.

2 Whenever by the conditions of sale under which the exclusive privilege of selling arrack or toddy (hereinafter referred to as "the rent") in any part of the island is sold or leased by the Crown it has been or shall be stipulated, whether before or after the passing of this Ordinance, that on default by the purchaser or lessee (hereinafter called "the renter") in the performance of all or any of the conditions contained in the said conditions of sale, the government agent shall be at liberty to re-enter upon the rent or to sell the same, or so much of the term thereof as may be unexpired, the government agent may enforce such stipulation in manner hereinafter appearing.

Notice to renter
of intention to
re-sell.

3 Before re-entering upon or re-selling the rent the government agent shall give the renter notice in writing, which may be substantially in the form in the schedule hereto or in such other form as the Governor may from time to time prescribe, stating that it is intended to re-enter upon or to re-sell the rent after the expiration of ten days from service of the notice upon the renter, unless the renter shall before the expiration of such period have complied with the condition in respect of which default has been made.

Power to
government
agent to re-sell
and put
purchaser into
possession.

4 Unless the renter shall have complied with such condition before the expiration of such period, it shall be lawful for the government agent, if he thinks fit, to re-enter upon or to re-sell the rent and to place the purchaser in possession without process of law, any rule of law to the contrary notwithstanding. Provided that the government agent shall give the renter one week's notice of the date when the purchaser will be placed in possession.

Service of notice.

5 The notice in writing required by the two last foregoing sections may be given by forwarding it by post in a registered letter addressed to the renter at the place which the renter in pursuance of the conditions of sale has signified for the service on him of notices or processes, or by serving the same on him personally, or by affixing it on his last known place of residence.

Saving of legal
remedy of renter.

6 When a government agent has re-sold the rent or re-entered upon the same under the foregoing sections, nothing in this Ordinance shall be taken to prevent a court of competent jurisdiction from awarding damages to the renter if it is proved that he has not made such default in observing the conditions of sale as to entitle the government agent to re-sell the rent or to re-enter upon the same.

7 "The Tolls, Arrack Rents, and Opium Licenses Ordinance, 1904," is hereby repealed so far as it relates to arrack rents.

SCHEDULE.

Form of Notice under Section 5.

To _____.

Whereas you have made default in observing the conditions of sale dated the _____ day of _____, 190—, under which you were declared to be the purchaser of the Arrack Rent for _____ by (*here set out default*):

Take notice that unless you shall have (*here set out condition with which renter should have complied*) before the expiration of ten days from the service upon you of this notice it is my intention to re-enter upon the said rent or to re-sell the same, or so much of the term thereof as shall be unexpired, and to put the purchaser in possession thereof in accordance with the provisions of "The Arrack Rents Ordinance, 1905."

Government Agent.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 2, 1905.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE provisions of Ordinance No. 4 of 1904 for the better enforcement of certain conditions in the sales of Tolls, Arrack Rents, and Opium Licenses have been found in some respects unsuitable to the case of Arrack Rents.

2. The present Ordinance repeals the above-mentioned Ordinance so far as it relates to arrack rents, and substitutes a slightly different procedure for the enforcement of the conditions of sale.

3. The difference between the procedure under the two Ordinances is as follows. The Ordinance of 1904 provided that, on default by the renter, the Government Agent should give notice to the renter that the lease to him had been determined, and that thereupon it should be lawful for the Government Agent either to re-sell the rent or to re-enter into possession of it. The result of this procedure was that during the interval between the notice and the re-sale the district was left without any person authorized to sell arrack: it being impracticable for the Government to put in a person to carry on the rent.

4. Under the present Ordinance the Government Agent gives notice of his intention to re-enter upon or to re-sell the rent after the expiration of ten days unless the renter complies with the condition in respect of which default is made.

Unless the renter within that period has complied with such condition the Government Agent may, if he thinks fit, re-enter upon or re-sell the rent and place the purchaser in possession.

Colombo, May 30, 1905.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to amend "The Nuwara Eliya Board of Improvement Ordinance, 1896."

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend "The Nuwara Eliya Board of Improvement Ordinance, 1896," so far as it relates to the constitution of the Board of Improvement of Nuwara Eliya: 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 Nuwara Eliya Board of Improvement Ordinance, 1905," and shall be read and construed as one with "The Nuwara Eliya Board of Improvement Ordinance, 1896" (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Ordinance"), and this Ordinance and the principal Ordinance may be cited together as "The Nuwara Eliya Board of Improvement Ordinances, 1896 and 1905."

Substitution of new section 4.

2 For section 4 of the principal Ordinance there shall be substituted the following section, namely :

4 (1) There shall be a Board of Improvement a Nuwara Eliya consisting of three official and three unofficial members. The official members shall be the government agent, the assistant government agent, and one other person to be nominated from time to time by the Governor. The unofficial members shall be three persons to be nominated from time to time by the Governor. The nominated members of the board shall hold office during the Governor's pleasure.

(2) The Board of Improvement as heretofore constituted shall continue to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Board of Improvement of Nuwara Eliya until the Governor shall notify in the *Government Gazette* that a Board of Improvement has been appointed for the town of Nuwara Eliya under this Ordinance; and upon such notification all rates, taxes, assessments, fines, recoveries, and incomings, and all money standing to the credit of the Board of Improvement of Nuwara Eliya as then constituted, and all money levied in the town of Nuwara Eliya under the authority of this Ordinance, or which may be made over from time to time from the general revenue, shall be vested in the Board of Improvement as hereby constituted.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 6, 1905.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE Board of Improvement of Nuwara Eliya, as constituted by Ordinance No. 20 of 1896, consists of four persons: namely, the Government Agent of the Province, the Assistant Government Agent, and two members nominated by the Governor.

2. The purpose of the Draft Ordinance is to increase the number of the Board from four to six. The Board, as constituted by the Draft Ordinance, will consist of three official members nominated by the Governor and of three unofficial members also nominated by the Governor.

Colombo, May 31, 1905.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to promote the despatch of Public Business by providing that certain formal matters shall no longer be submitted for sanction to or transacted by the Governor in Executive Council.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to promote the despatch of public business by providing that certain formal matters with regard to municipal and local government and with regard to the incorporation of joint stock companies and other matters shall no longer be submitted for sanction to or transacted by the Governor in Executive Council : 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 Public Business Ordinance, 1905."

Sanction of the Governor in Executive Council not required to certain rates, &c., when re-imposed without alteration.

2 Whenever in any year—

- (1) Any municipal council, in making and assessing the rate on property authorized by section 127 of "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," as amended by "The Municipal Councils' Amendment Ordinance, 1902," or in levying the tax on carriages, carts, hackeries, horses, ponies, mules, bullocks, and asses authorized by section 128 of the said amended Ordinance ; or
- (2) Any local board of health and improvement, in imposing and levying the rate on the annual value of property authorized by section 30 of "The Local Boards' Ordinance, 1898 ;" or
- (3) Any board of health, in making and assessing the rate on property authorized by section 7 of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892 ;" or
- (4) The Local Board of Nuwara Eliya, in making and assessing the rate on property authorized by section 15 of "The Nuwara Eliya Board of Improvement Ordinance, 1896," or in levying the tax on carriages, carts, hackeries, horses, ponies, mules, bullocks, and asses authorized by section 19 of the said Ordinance—

makes and assesses, imposes, or levies without alteration the same rate or tax as was in force during the preceding year, the sanction of the Governor in Executive Council shall not be required to the making, assessment, imposition, or levying of such rate or tax, the provisions of the above-named Ordinances or of any other Ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

Amendment of certain sections in Ordinances No. 7 of 1887, No. 18 of 1892, and No. 20 of 1896.

3 So much—

- (1) Of section 90 of "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance 1887," as requires the annual statement of receipts and disbursements on account of the municipal fund and the progress report of work done, together with the minutes of the meeting, to be forwarded to the Governor in Executive Council ; and
- (2) Of section 6 of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," as requires a copy or duplicate of the account and statement therein referred to be laid before the Governor in Executive Council ; and
- (3) Of section 11 of "The Nuwara Eliya Board of Improvement Ordinance, 1896," as requires a copy or duplicate of the account and statement therein referred to be laid before the Governor in Executive Council—

is hereby repealed.

Amendment of sections 115 and 119 of Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887.

Amendment of section 116 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1887 with regard to the nomination of auditors.

Amendment of section 14 of Ordinance No. 4 of 1861.

4 For the words "the Governor in Executive Council" in sections 115 and 119 of the said Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887, there shall be substituted the words "the Governor."

5 For the words "the Governor in Executive Council" in section 116 of "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," there shall be substituted the words "the municipal council at a general meeting."

6 The words "with the advice of the Executive Council" in section 12 of "The Land Acquisition Ordinance, 1876," and the words "with the advice and consent of the Executive Council" in section 12 of "The Butchers' Ordinance, 1893," are hereby repealed.

7 For section 14 of "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinance, 1861," there shall be substituted the following section, namely:

14 In order to obtain incorporation, the memorandum of association, together with the articles of association (if any), shall be delivered to the registrar, who shall transmit the same to the Attorney-General for report, and shall cause the same to be published in the *Government Gazette* in three consecutive numbers. After such publication the registrar, if the Attorney-General certifies that there is no legal impediment to the incorporation of the company, shall declare the company to be incorporated by endorsing on the memorandum of association a declaration in the form following:

Whereas the subscribers to this memorandum have done all things to entitle them to incorporation as a company with limited (or unlimited, as the case may be) liability: Now know ye that I, A.B., Registrar of Companies, do, in terms of section 14 of "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinance, 1861," as amended by section 5 of "The Public Business Ordinance, 1905," hereby declare the said subscribers and their successors to be incorporated as the _____ Company (Limited), under the provisions of "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinance, 1861."

This _____ day of _____,

(Signed) _____,
Registrar of Companies.

The registrar shall thereupon register the memorandum of association with the declaration endorsed thereon and the articles of association.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 7, 1905.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE object of the present Ordinance is to relieve the Executive Council from the transaction of a considerable volume of formal business assigned to the Council by different Ordinances.

2. The following is a summary of the changes effected by the Ordinance:—

- (1) The consent of the Governor is not required to rates and taxes levied by Municipal and local authorities when the rate or tax previously in force is re-imposed without alteration.
- (2) Certain statements of accounts and reports with regard to Municipal and Local Board expenditure are no longer required to be submitted to the Governor in Executive Council.
- (3) Municipal auditors are nominated by the Municipal Council at a General Meeting instead of by the Governor in Executive Council.
- (4) The Governor is empowered to act without the advice of the Executive Council—
 - (a) In directing officers to take possession, under section 12 of the Land Acquisition Ordinance, of land the acquisition of which has previously been authorized by the Governor in Council;
 - (b) In proclaiming public slaughter-houses.
- (5) The duty of declaring that Joint Stock Companies have been incorporated is transferred from the Governor and the Executive Council to the Registrar, who makes the declaration after the Attorney-General has certified that there is no legal impediment to incorporation.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

May 5, 1905.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance amending the Law relating to Servants and Labourers.

Preamble

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Ordinance No. 11 of 1865, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Servants, Labourers, and Journeymen Artificers, under Contracts for Hire and Service," and hereinafter referred to as "the principal Ordinance : " Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :

Short title.

1 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Servants' and Labourers' Ordinance, 1905," and this Ordinance and the principal Ordinance shall be read and construed together, and may be cited collectively as "The Servants' and Labourers' Ordinances, 1865 and 1905."

Amendment of section 11 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1865.

Servant refusing to work, &c., is guilty of misconduct.

2 For section 11 of the principal Ordinance the following section shall be substituted :

Any servant or journeyman artificer who, without reasonable cause, shall neglect or refuse to attend at and during the time and hours, or at the place when and where he shall have contracted to attend, in commencing or carrying on any work, or, in case of no special agreement in that behalf, during such hours as, according to the trade or occupation of such servant or artificer, it shall be usual so to attend, or who, without reasonable cause, shall leave unfinished or refuse to finish any work contracted to be done, or who shall be guilty of any drunkenness, wilful disobedience of orders, insolence, or gross neglect of duty, or other misconduct in the service of his employer, or who shall quit the service of such employer without leave or reasonable cause, before the end of his term of service or previous warning as required by the third clause of this Ordinance, or for such longer period as may be specially stipulated in his contract, shall be punishable by the police court of the district wherein such offence shall have been committed, or wherein the offender shall have been apprehended, with imprisonment of either description for a term which may extend to three months or with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or with both ; and, further, such court may, at its discretion, order all wages then due to such offender to be forfeited if not exceeding the wages of one month or for the period of warning stipulated for.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASHMORE,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 12, 1905.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

DESERTION and similar offences on the part of servants are punishable under section 11 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1865 by forfeiture of wages or by imprisonment.

Where no wages are owing the only punishment which the Ordinance allows is imprisonment.

2. To remedy this hardship the Draft Ordinance gives the Magistrate a discretionary power of awarding a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

Colombo, May 16, 1905.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to amend "The Local Boards' Ordinance, 1898."

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend "The Local Boards' Ordinance, 1898" (hereinafter called "the principal Ordinance"), 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 Local Boards' (Amendment) Ordinance, 1905," and this Ordinance and the principal Ordinance and Ordinance No. 2 of 1901 shall be read and construed as one, and may be cited collectively as "The Local Boards' Ordinances, 1898 to 1905."

Additional section with regard to sale of immovable property for non-payment of rates.

2 After section 34 of the principal Ordinance there shall be inserted the following section, which shall be numbered 34 A, namely:

34 A. Provided, however, that the sale of land or immovable property which has been seized for the recovery of rates shall be carried out in accordance with the following provisions, namely:

(1) The land or immovable property seized shall be sold by public auction (of which at least fourteen days' notice shall be given in the *Government Gazette*) by the person authorized to sell the same at any time after the date of seizure, unless in the meantime the amount owing in respect of the rate, together with the lawful costs of seizure and sale, are duly paid; and the overplus, if any, accruing by such sale, after deducting the amount of such rate and costs, shall be restored to the owner of the property sold.

Certificate of sale.

(2) If land or other immovable property be sold under the warrant a certificate under the hand of the government agent or assistant government agent in the form in schedule F annexed to "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," *mutatis mutandis*, shall be sufficient to vest the property in the purchaser free from all encumbrances. Such certificate shall be liable to the stamp duty leviable on conveyances of immovable property and to any registration or other charges authorized by law, such duty and charges being payable by the purchaser.

Proviso.

Provided, however, that it shall be lawful for a mortgagee of such land or immovable property to pay and discharge the amount of rate or tax and costs due under and by virtue of such warrant, and upon such payment and discharge he shall be entitled to add such amount to the sum due upon his mortgage, and the amount so added shall be secured by the mortgage held by him.

Local board may purchase land sold for non-payment of rate or tax due.

(3) Whenever land or immovable property is sold under this section, it shall be lawful for the government agent or the assistant government agent or any person authorized by him in that behalf to bid at the sale for such land or other immovable property, and to purchase the same for and on behalf of the local board.

Local board may take credit to extent of rate or tax and costs due.

(4) Whenever the local board purchases any such land or other immovable property, the local board shall not be required to pay the whole of the purchase money, but shall be entitled to take credit for the amount due under such warrant as aforesaid, and shall only be required to pay the balance, if any, to the owner or person entitled to the property sold after deducting such amount, and the government agent or assistant government agent or person authorized by him is hereby empowered to retain on behalf of the local board the amount due under the warrant.

Proviso.

Provided always that in the event of any land or other immovable property sold under this section realizing a less amount than that due to the local board, nothing herein contained shall preclude the said local board from recovering the balance of any amount which may be due to them after deducting the purchase money realized by the sale of the land or other immovable property.

Form of conveyance to the local board.

(5) Whenever land or other immovable property is purchased by the local board under the provisions of this section, a certificate under the hand of the government agent or assistant government agent in the Form G contained in the schedule annexed to "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," *mutatis mutandis*, shall vest the property sold absolutely in the local board free from all encumbrances; and such certificate shall be received in the courts of justice of this colony as conclusive evidence of the title of the local board to such land or other immovable property. And such certificate shall not be liable to the stamp duty and charges payable under sub-section (2) of this section.

Local board may sell property vested in them.

(6) It shall be lawful to the local board, for valuable consideration, to sell and convey to any person or corporation any land or other immovable property vested in them under the last preceding sub-section.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 12, 1905.

A. M. ASHMORE,
Colonial Secretary.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

THE purpose of the Draft Ordinance is to confer upon Local Boards a power, similar to that possessed by Municipal Councils, of buying in land which has been seized and offered for sale for recovery of rates.

2. The procedure of the Draft Ordinance is borrowed with slight alteration from that prescribed by "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887."

After providing for the advertisement of the sale and for the vesting of the property, when sold, in the purchaser by means of a certificate of sale, the Ordinance empowers the Government Agent to bid at sales and purchase immovable property on behalf of the Local Board.

3. Where property is purchased on behalf of the Local Board, provision is made for credit being given to the owner for the amount due under the warrant.

4. The last sub-section enables Local Boards to sell or convey for valuable consideration property purchased under the Ordinance.

Colombo, June 9, 1905.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,
Attorney-General.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Goods and Chattels of Charles Abraham Seneviratna, late of the Lunatic Asylum, Colombo, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. R. Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 25th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. J. H. Senanayake on the part of the petitioner James Alfred Seneviratna; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 26th day of April, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Charles Abraham Seneviratna issued to him, unless (1) Jane Beatrice Seneviratna, (2) Grace Matilda Seneviratna, (3) Edward Walter Seneviratna, (4) Rose Harriet Seneviratna, (5) Ethel Maud Seneviratna, (6) Albert Reginald Seneviratna, (7) Arthur Benedict Seneviratna shall, on or before the 29th day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

The 25th day of May, 1905.

J. R. WEINMAN,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Tendayuthan Chetty Saveram, deceased, of Armour street.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. R. Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 26th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Messrs. Vanderstraaten and Vanderstraaten on the part of the petitioner Ana Sandanam; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated 15th May, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Tendayuthan Chetty Saveram issued to her, unless (1) Tendayuthan Sangera Segaram and (2) Ana Andalan Chetty shall, on or before the 22nd day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,
District Judge.

The 26th day of May, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi declaring Will proved, &c.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the
Jurisdiction. } late Justus Swithin de LaHarpe,
No. 2,360. } deceased, of Kuppiawatte.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. R. Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 26th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Messrs. Vanderstraaten and Vanderstraaten on the part of the petitioner Minna de LaHarpe; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated 19th May, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Justus Swithin de LaHarpe issued to her, unless (1) Bunu de LaHarpe, (2) Swithin de LaHarpe, (3) Ernest de LaHarpe shall, on or before the 22nd day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,
District Judge.

The 26th day of May, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Agarage Salomon de Silva Appu-
No. 2,363. } hamy, deceased, of Peliyagoda.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. R. Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 26th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. D. S. Wijeyesinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Mayadunnege Don Seditis Appuhamy; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated 9th May, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Agarage Salomon de Silva Appuhamy issued to him, unless (1) U. D. S. Samarasekara Hamine and (2) Agarage Don Edmund de Silva of Peliyagoda shall, on or before the 22nd day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,
District Judge.

The 26th day of May, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } John Grey Russell, deceased, of
No. C 2,373. } Scravels, Broomfield, in the County
of Essex, England.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before James Richard Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 14th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Messrs. R. F. de Saram and Alvis, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Richard Francis de Saram of Colombo; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 6th day of June, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled, as attorney of May Russell of Scravels aforesaid, the widow of the above-named deceased, to have letters of administration to the estate of the late John Grey Russell issued to him, unless the respondents—(1) May Russell of Scravels aforesaid, (2) John Claude Russell of Scravels aforesaid, (3) Winifred May Robertson, *nee* Russell, wife of Captain William Robertson, R. E. of Bangalore, India, (4) Eric Lionel Russell of Kandapola, Ceylon, (5) Arthur Edward Russell of Scravels aforesaid, (6) Nancy Isabel Gertrude Russell of Scravels aforesaid, (7) May Hope Russell of Scravels aforesaid, and (8) Elma Mary Russell of Scravels aforesaid—shall, on or before the 29th day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,
District Judge.

The 14th day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. } of Kadupitige Francisco Fernando
No. 855. } and Matarakirige Maria Fernando
both of Pitipana, deceased.

Susemage Bastian Fernando of Pitipana.....Petitioner.

Vs.

1, Kadupitige Lucia Fernando, widow of Sellapulige Jacob Rosa; 2, Weweldenige Francisco Fernando; 3, Weweldenige Manuel Fernando; 4, Kadupitige Isabela Fernando, assisted by her husband Susemage Bastian Fernando; 5, Kadupitige Rosa Maria Fernando, assisted by her husband Garutarge Juan Fernando, all of Pitipana..... Respondents.

THIS matter of the petition of Susemage Bastian Fernando of Pitipana praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Kadupitige Francisco Fernando and Matarakirige Maria Fernando, both of Pitipana, coming on for final disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge, on the 19th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. Arthur de Silva on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated 4th day of May, 1904, having been read:

It is declared that the petitioner is one of the heirs of the said intestate, and as such is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondent or any other person shall, on or before the 27th day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of George
Jurisdiction. } Cornelis Senanayake of Mirigama,
No. 856. } deceased.

Don John Senanayake of Botale.....Petitioner.

Vs.

1, Dona Elizabeth Senanayake; 2, Mathew Herbert Senanayake; 3, Dona Cecilia Senanayake; 4, Susan Johana Senanayake; 5, Dona Meraya Cornelis Senanayake; 6, Wasala Mudiyansele Dingiri Banda; 7, Wasalamudiyansele Loku Banda, all of Mirigama..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge, of Negombo, on the 23rd day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. W. M. Rajapakse, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Don John Senanayake of Botale; and the affidavit of the said Don John Senanayake, dated the 23rd day of March, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the said Don John Senanayake of Botale, a brother of the above-named George Cornelis Senanayake, deceased, is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents or any other person on their behalf shall, on or before the 4th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.

Negombo, May 23, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of Amera-
Jurisdiction. } tunge Appuhamillage Geththohami
No. 857. } of Udu-ulla, deceased.

Ameratunge Appuhamillage Punched Nilame
of Udu-ulla.....Petitioner.

Vs.

1, Ameratunge Appuhamillage Appuralla
Appuhamy; 2, Ameratunge Appuhamil-
lage Jeelis Appuhamy, both of Udu-ulla
in Yatigaha pattu; 3, Ameratunge Appu-
hamillage Podi Nona Hamy of Alupoth-
deniya; 4, Ameratunge Appuhamillage
Samaneris Appuhamy; 5, Ameratunge-
Appuhamillage Allis Appuhamy, both of
Madurapitiya in Udagaha pattu; 6,
Ameratunge Appuhamillage Peter
Appuhamy of Udu-ulla Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W.
Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on
the 25th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. W. M.
Rajapakse, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the
affidavit of the said petitioner Ameratunge Appuhamil-
lage Punched Nilame, dated the 5th day of May, 1905,
having been read:

It is declared that the said Ameratunge Appuhamil-
lage Punched Nilame, the petitioner, as son of the deceased,
is entitled to have letters of administration of the estate
of the said deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the
respondents or any other person on their behalf shall, on
or before the 28th day of June, 1905, show sufficient
cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.
May 25, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of Manam
Jurisdiction. } Josephina de Silva Siriwardena of
No. 858. } Udayartoppua, deceased.

Andrew Simon Mirando, now of Liyanage-
mulla.....Petitioner.

Vs.

Cordelia Eunice Mirando of Liyanage-
mulla.....Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W.
Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge, Negombo, on the
25th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. W. M.
Rajapakse, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the
affidavit of the said petitioner Andrew Simon Mirando,
dated the 16th day of May, 1905, having been read:

It is declared that the said Andrew Simon Mirando,
the petitioner, as the husband of the deceased, is entitled
to letters of administration of the estate of the said
deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the respondent
or any other person on her behalf shall, on or before the
28th day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the
satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,
District Judge.
May 25, 1905.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. } of Karunanayaka Tennanalage
No. 188. } Appuhami of Kohombadeniya,
deceased.

Karunanayaka Tennanalage Ukku Banda of
Kohombadeniya.....Petitioner.

Karunanayaka Tennanalage Dingiri Menika
of Kohombadeniya.....Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before P. E.
Pieris, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on the 18th
day of March, 1905; and the petition and affidavit of

Karunanayaka Tennanalage Ukku Banda, dated 17th
March, 1905, having been duly read:

It is ordered and decreed that the petitioner is entitled
to letters of administration to the estate of Karunanayaka
Tennanalage Appuhami of Kohombadeniya, deceased, and
that the same be issued to him accordingly, unless the
above-named respondent or any other person interested
shall, on or before the 21st day of June, 1905, show
sufficient cause to the contrary to the satisfaction of this
court.

P. E. PIERIS,
District Judge.
The 18th day of March, 1905.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of Meera
Jurisdiction. } Lebbe Abubaker Lebbe Padiyar, late
No. 191. } of Paliporuwa, deceased.

C. P. W. Gunasekera, Secretary of the Dis-
trict Court of Kegalla.....Petitioner.

Vs.

1, Abubaker Lebbe Sarija Umma, now of
Madolbawa; 2, Habibu Umma, now of
Dumbuluwawa; 3, Habibu Umma Abdul
Carim Lebbe; 4, Habibu Umma Palima
Bibi; 5, Habibu Umma Mohamadu Lebbe;
6, Habibu Umma Abuwaker Lebbe Sandu
Umma of Getaberiya, now all of Pali-
poruwa.....Respondents.

THIS action coming on for disposal before P. E.
Pieris, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on the 15th
day of May, 1905, in the presence of the above-named
petitioner; and the petitioner's affidavit, dated the 15th
day of May, 1905, and his petition of this date having been
duly read:

It is ordered and decreed that the petitioner is entitled
to letters of administration to the estate of the above-
named deceased, and that the same be issued to him ac-
cordingly, unless the above-named respondents or any
other person interested shall, on or before the 21st day
of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the contrary to
the satisfaction of this court.

P. E. PIERIS,
District Judge.
The 2nd day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. } of Dugganarallage alias Mohotalage
No. 192. } Mudalihamy Appu of Tolangomuwa,
deceased.

C. P. W. Gunasekera, Secretary of the District
Court of Kegalla.....Petitioner.

1, Dugganarallage alias Mohotalage Kiri Banda,
Gan-arachchi; 2, Dugganarallage alias Mohota-
lage Appuhamy; 3, Dugganarallage alias
Mohotalage Ukku Menika; 4, Dugganarallage
alias Mohotalage Dingirimenika, all of Tolan-
gomuwa.....Respondents.

THIS action coming on for disposal before P. E.
Pieris, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on the
15th day of May, 1905, in the presence of the above-named
petitioner; and the petitioner's affidavit dated the 15th
day of May, 1905, and his petition of this date having
been duly read:

It is ordered and decreed that the petitioner is entitled
to letters of administration to the estate of the above-
named deceased, and that the same be issued to him
accordingly, unless the above-named respondents or any
person interested shall, on or before the 22nd day of
June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the contrary to the
satisfaction of this court.

P. E. PIERIS,
District Judge.
The 2nd day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Mullaittivu.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Nachipillai, widow of Arunasalem of
No. 48. } Vavuniya, deceased.

Ramanater Thamotarampillai of Vairaver
Puliankulam, presently of Mullaittivu.....Petitioner.

And

1, Kalinker Sapapady of Marutankulam ;
2, Arunasalem Katiravalu of Maruk-
karampalai; and 3, Arunasalem Siva-
kami *alias* Sinnamma, a minor, of
Vavuniya.....Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before R. A. G.
Festing, Esq., District Judge of Mullaittivu, on the

20th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. Alex. A.
Manuel, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the
affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 20th day of May,
1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner Ramanater
Thamotarampillai be declared entitled to have letters of
administration to the estate of the late Nachipillai, widow
of Arunasalem, issued to him, as 'cousin, unless the res-
pondents or any other person shall, on or before the 23rd
day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction
of this court to the contrary.

R. A. G. FESTING,
District Judge.

The 20th day of May, 1905.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,123. In the matter of the insolvency of William
Rae Sands of Colombo, in his individual
capacity and as a partner of the
firm of Baker & Hall.

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 July 13, 1905, for
proof of further claims.

By order of court,

J. B. MISSE,
Secretary.

Colombo, June 9, 1905.

No. 2,146. In the matter of the insolvency of Matara
Hapuhennedige Peris Silva of No. 92,
Fourth Cross street, Pettah, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the cre-
ditors of the above-named insolvent will take
place at the sitting of this court on July 6, 1905, to
approve the conditions of sale.

By order of court,

J. B. MISSE,
Secretary.

Colombo, June 12, 1905.

No. 2,174. In the matter of the insolvency of D. C. W.
Abeyaratne of Madampitiya.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the cre-
ditors of the above-named insolvent will take place
at the sitting of this court on July 6, 1905, to approve
the conditions of sale.

By order of court,

J. B. MISSE,
Secretary.

Colombo, June 12, 1905.

No. 2,182. In the matter of the insolvency of
Philip Cadiramenpulle of No. 86,
New Chetty street in Colombo.

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 July 13, 1905, for the
grant of a certificate of conformity to the above-named
insolvent.

By order of court,

J. B. MISSE,
Secretary.

Colombo, June 8, 1905.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 113. In the matter of the insolvency of Uduma
Lebbe Sinna Lebbe Marikar of Atulu-
gama.

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 July 5, 1905, for the
proof of further claims.

By order of court,

WM. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Kalutara, June 7, 1905.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

No. 72. In the matter of the insolvency of Mohamadu
Lebbelage Madar Lebbe of Bendawa.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sittings in
the above case has been adjourned till June 29,
1905, to receive the report of the assignee.

By order of court,

R. SOLOMONS,
Secretary.

Kurunegala, June 9, 1905.

In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,508. In the matter of the insolvency of W. R.
Waller of Dikoya.

WHEREAS C. L. Davis of Blinkbonny, Dikoya,
has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a
petition for the sequestration of the estate of W. R.
Waller, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is
hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said
W. R. Waller insolvent accordingly, and that two public
sittings of the court, to wit, on July 10 and 27, 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,

W. M. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Kandy, June 13, 1905.

No. 1,509. In the matter of the insolvency of Kawanna Muna Muhamadu Ismail of Yakgahapitiya in Lower Dumbara.

WHEREAS Kawanna Muna Muhamadu Ismail has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration as insolvent of his own estate, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853, and it appears that he has been in actual custody within the walls of a prison for debt for more than 21 days: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged him an insolvent accordingly,

and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on July 7 and 24, 1905, will take place for the 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,

W. M. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Kandy, June 13, 1905.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Ana Perumal Chetty of Colombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 20,324. Vs.

Abdulla Hawwa Umma of Peliyagoda.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, July 14, 1905, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, mortgaged with the plaintiff and ordered to be sold by order of court dated April 17, 1905, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,115, with interest on Rs. 2,000 at 6 per cent. per annum from June 25, 1904, till payment in full, and costs of action, viz.:-

A portion of the garden called Asmestriyawatta *alias* Attikkagahawatta with the tiled and thatched buildings standing thereon (not mentioned in the decree), situated at Peliyagoda in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale in the District of Colombo, Western Province; bounded on the north-east by Kurunduwatta belonging to the estate of David Peris, on the south-east by a cart road, on the south-west by the high road to Kandy, and on the north-west by the other portion of this land belonging to Don Cornalis Appuhami; containing in extent 2 roods and 9 perches.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, June 14, 1905.

E. ONDATJE,
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Henrietta Keith of Colombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 21,445 C. Vs.

1, Casie Lebbe Ahamed Ally of Maradana;
and 2, Abdul Bahiman Abdul Madjid of
Messenger street, Colombo.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, July 10, 1905, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, mortgaged and decreed to be sold by the decree entered in the above action, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,000, with interest thereon at 12 per cent. per annum from July 1, 1904, till March 17, 1905, and thereafter on the aggregate amount at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz.:-

All that and those the two allotments of land called Appuhamigewatta, situated at Wellawatta within the Municipality of Colombo, contiguous to each other, and now forming one property, to wit:-

1. All that portion of the $\frac{1}{2}$ part marked F of the lot No. 2, described in plan No. 102, dated August 5, 1851, of the garden called Appuhamigewatta, situated at Wellawatta, now called Bambalapitiya, within the Municipality of Colombo, which said portion is bounded on the north by the $\frac{1}{2}$ part E of the same lot No. 2,

formerly of Johanes Boúrigo now belonging to W. D. Carolis, on the east by a portion of the aforesaid $\frac{1}{2}$ part letter F now owned by G. W. Grero, on the south by the lot No. 3 formerly of Catherine Grero now of S. K. R. M. K. Ramen Chetty and Kalutarage Carlina Fernando, and on the west also by a portion of the aforesaid $\frac{1}{2}$ part F belonging to E. O. Felsing; containing in extent 11 perches according to the figure of survey No. 576, dated November 27, 1899, made by Juan de Silva, Licensed Surveyor, annexed to the title deed thereof bearing No. 2,105, dated December 21, 1899, and attested by Arthur William Alvis of Colombo, Notary Public.

2. All that allotment of land called Appuhamigewatta, situated at Wellawatta within the Municipality of Colombo, marked A and B in the plan thereof bearing assessment No. 17, comprising (1) all those portions of land called Appuhamigewatta, situate at Wellawatta, bounded on north the by lot No. 2 and the remaining part of lot B, on the east by the remaining parts of lots A and B and the high road, on the south by the property of J. L. K. VanDort, and on the west by the rail road, containing in extent 2 roods and 27 square perches and $\frac{1}{10}$ of a square perch as per figure of survey dated October 18, 1878, made by Juan de Silva, Licensed Surveyor, and described in the conveyance thereof No. 1,597, as being bounded on the north by the lot No. 2 and the property of Kalutarage Carlina Fernando and the high road, on the south by the property of Mr. J. L. K. VanDort, and on the west by the seashore now rail road; (2) all that part of the garden called Appuhamigewatta, situated at Wellawatta aforesaid, marked B in the plan thereof, bounded on the north by lot A of the same garden, on the east by the remaining part of lot B, on the south and west by parts of the same garden belonging to Mr. A. Siebel, containing in extent 6 $\frac{3}{8}$ square perches as per figure of survey thereof dated November 1, 1879, made by the said Juan de Silva, Surveyor, annexed to the title deed thereof bearing No. 296, dated January 25 and February 22, 1900, and attested by Francis Albert Prins, junior, of Colombo, Notary Public, save and except therefrom a portion in extent 31 $\frac{5}{8}$ perches sold by the said Casie Lebbe Ahamed Ally to E. O. Felsing, and transferred by deed No. 1,896, dated July 12, 1900, and attested by John James de Fry of Colombo, Notary Public.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, June 14, 1905.

E. ONDATJE,
Deputy Fiscal.

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 Wednesday, July 12, 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. 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 $\frac{3}{4}$ share of the land and the whole house bearing assessment No. 22, situated at Saunders road in Pettah, within the Municipality of Colombo, presently bounded on the north by the property of Dunuwille Hewage Martin Fernando Arachchi, on the south by the property of Assaruppulige Marthelis Fernando and others, on the east by the property of Kalusayakkara Katcho Fernando, and on the west by Saunders road; containing in extent $1\frac{1}{80}$ square perches more or less.

E. ONDATJE,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, June 14, 1905.

In the Court of Requests of Colombo.

C. M. Abdul Carim of Panchikawatta,
Colombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 31,460. Vs.

John Wyrewanaden of Kollupitiya, Colombo...Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Thursday, July 13, 1905, at 3.15 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the life interest of the said defendant in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 202-46, together with legal interest on Rs. 200 from May 4, 1905, till payment in full, and costs of suit Rs. 26-25, viz.:-

An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ part or share of all that land and of the building standing thereon bearing assessment Nos. 140, 141, 142, and 143, situated at Kollupitiya within the Municipality of Colombo; bounded on the north by the property of Manis Fonseka bearing assessment No. 144, on the east by the high road leading to Galle, on the south by the property of Manis Fonseka bearing assessment No. 139, and on the west by the railway line; containing in extent 3 acres more or less.

E. ONDATJE,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, June 14, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Muna Runa Rawenna Mana Suna Pana
Supparamaniam Chetty of Negombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 5,441. Vs.

1, Mihidukulesuriya John Tissera; 2, Mehidukulesuriya Patabendige Domingo Fernando; and 3, Mehidukulesuriya Anthony Fernando, all of Negombo.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 24, 1905, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said third defendant in the following property, viz.:-

1. An allotment of land partitioned and divided off from the land called Katukendewatta marked lot No. 7 and the buildings standing thereon, situated at Katukende in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale, the said allotment being bounded on the north by lot No. 5, on the east by lot No. 6, on the south by the road leading from Negombo to Giriulla, and on the west by lot No. 8; containing in extent 118 acres 1 rood and 1 perch more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 1,254-87 $\frac{1}{2}$, and interest on Rs. 1,100 at 9 per cent. per annum from March 6, 1904, till payment in full.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Negombo, June 13, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Suna Pana Ena Kina Supperamanian Chetty
of Negombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 5,542. Vs.

(1) Casi Lebbe Eleamma and son (2) Mana
Mohammad Meera Saibo, both of Minuwangoda.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 29, 1905, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, specially hypothecated by bond No. 15,047 dated January 15, 1903, viz.:-

1. The undivided two-third shares of the land called Tekkawatta and the building standing thereon, situate at Minuwangoda in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by the burial ground, on the east by the land bearing No. 9,398 belonging to Cader Saibo Mohiadeen Kuppa Umma Habi, on the south by the high road, and on the west by the land bearing No. 19,397 belonging to Jayesekeramudalige Don Girigoris Appuhamy; containing in extent $7\frac{1}{80}$ perches more or less.

2. The portion of the paddy field Hadiramekumbura, situate at Borakadawatta in ditto, which is at present raised and planted with coconuts, is bounded on the north and west by a portion of this land belonging to Obberiage Elaris Fonseka, on the south by the live fence of the garden of Batau Appuhami, and on the east by the high road; containing in extent 30 perches more or less; and declared liable to be sold in satisfaction of the decree entered in the above case.

Amount to be levied Rs. 1,088-37, with interest on Rs. 750 at 30 per cent. per annum from May 31 to August 2, 1904, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Negombo, June 13, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Salpadorage Francisco Fernando of Pallansena...Plaintiff.
No. 5,918. Vs.

Madigapolalekange Girigoris Fonseka of
Pallansena.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 20, 1905, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property mortgaged with the plaintiff, viz.:-

1. Two contiguous portions of garden called Higgahawatta, situate at Pallansena in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by the lands belonging to Madigapolalekange Juse Fonseka, on the east by the land of Madigapolalekange Bastian Fonseka, on the south by the lands of Madigapolalekange Maria Fonseka and Kosetadenige Elaris Fernando, and on the west by the land of Ama Lebbe; containing in extent 2 acres 3 roods and $20\frac{1}{80}$ perches more or less.

2. The garden called Migahawatta situate at ditto; bounded on the north by the land of Loos Pulle, on the east by a portion of this land belonging to Madigapolalekange Siman Fonseka, on the south by the land of Thana Meena and others, and on the west by the dewata road and by the land of Sinna Marikkar; containing in extent 3 roods and 4 perches more or less; and declared liable to be sold in satisfaction of the decree; entered in the above case.

Amount to be levied Rs. 3,292-05, with interest on Rs. 2,000 at 16 per cent. per annum, and on Rs. 185 at 16 per cent. per annum, on both amounts from February 3 to April 19, 1905, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Negombo, June 13, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Lady Catherina de Soysa of Alfred House,
Colombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 21,021. Vs.

Walimuni Prohis Mendis of Kotugoda.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on July 22, 1905, commencing at 10 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. :—

1. All that land consisting of two allotments adjoining each other and known as Pelengahalanda, situate at Lansiyawadiya *alias* Kotugoda in Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by land belonging to Pattage Lawareuti Fernando, on the east by a portion of the same land sold to Koragalagamage Abram Fernando, on the south and south-west by land belonging to Pina Vidane; containing in extent 3 acres more or less, together with the soil, plantations, and buildings standing thereon (former buildings not in existence; a new small house is existing).

2. All that $\frac{5}{8}$ parts or shares of all the land and plantations of the allotment of land forming a portion of Ekala cinnamon gardens, situate at Udammitta in ditto; bounded on the north by land belonging to Malluwahandi Edoris Silva; on the east by the land belonging to the heirs of Dunuhinge Davith Silva; on the south by the land belonging to Martinu Lateru; and on the west by land belonging to the heirs of Dunuhinge Davith Silva; containing in extent 2 acres more or less.

3. An undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ shares or portions of the land, plantations, buildings, and premises (buildings not in existence) of the eastern portion of the land called *Faleganeliya alias* Pelengahalanda, situate at Kotugoda in ditto; bounded on the north by the ditch of Madelgahawatta, on the east by the ditch of the portion of the same land sold to Pattage Siman Fernando and by a portion of the same land belonging to Gan Neketige Carolis and others, on the south by the high road leading to Kotugoda, and on the west by the ditch of a portion of the same land sold unto Abilinu; containing in extent 3 roods more or less.

Decree No. 5.

4. $\frac{3}{4}$ shares of a portion of Ekala cinnamon gardens and plantations thereon (the $\frac{1}{4}$ share excluded being towards the southern boundary), situate at Udammitta in ditto; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Manatunge Hendrick Silva and Appu Silva, on the east by land formerly belonging to Veda Bastian Silva and Abrew Rajapakse Appuhamy, on the south by the boundary of the land of Dimisinge Solomon Silva, and on the west by the boundary of the land of Dimisinge Davith Silva; containing in extent 2 acres and 2 roods more or less.

Decree No. 6.

5. $\frac{3}{4}$ shares or parts of the entire portion of the land called Kajugahawatta, together with the soil, buildings, and plantations standing thereon (former buildings not in existence; a new house is existing), situate at ditto; bounded on the north by the land of Muttamuni Agonis Silva, on the east by Ekala cinnamon gardens, on the south by Pansalawatta, and on the west by land of Manatunge Juanis Silva; containing in extent 1 acre more or less.

Decree No. 7.

6. One undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ share or part of the entire portion of the land called Halgahawatta, together with the soil, buildings, and plantations standing thereon (buildings not in existence), situate at ditto; bounded on the north by the land of Mr. Rajapakse, on the east by the Ekala cinnamon garden, on the south by the land of Andris de Silva Arachchi, and on the west also by land belonging to Andris de Silva Arachchi; containing in extent 2 acres and 2 roods more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 2,418-43, with interest on Rs. 2,176-63 at $12\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum from November 15, 1904, to January 20, 1905, and thereafter on the aggregate amount of the decree at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,
Deputy Fiscal's Office, Deputy Fiscal.
Negombo, June 13, 1905.

Southern Province.

In the District Court of Galle.

John William Erskine of Galle.....Plaintiff.
No. 7,416. Vs.

James Edward de Vos of Ambalangoda.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, July 15, 1905, commencing at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following mortgaged property, viz. :—

1. An allotment of land called Delgaha-addaraduwa, situated at Karadeniya, in extent 1 rood and 18 perches.

2. An allotment of land called Delgahawatta, at ditto, in extent 1 rood and 18 perches.

3. An allotment of land called Lewokanda-addarawatta, at ditto, in extent 5 acres 3 roods and 28 perches.

4. An allotment of land called Kanda-addaraskumburebedda in Kiripedha, at Karadeniya, in extent 1 acre 3 roods and 37 perches.

5. All that 1 pela out of 4 amunams paddy sowing extent of the field called Kiripeddewala, at Karadeniya.

6. The right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to the following, viz., the bungalow standing on Kosatumanane Lewokanda-addarawatta, at Karadeniya.

Writ amount Rs. 1,131-32 $\frac{1}{2}$, with interest on Rs. 1,000 at 9 per cent. per annum from June 6, 1904.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Galle, June 13, 1905.

In the Court of Requests of Galle

Kalupahanage Emanis da Silva of Patuwata....Plaintiff.
No. 2,366. C.R./D.C. Vs.

Waduantrige Aberan of Patuwata and others.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, July 22, 1905, commencing at 2 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. :—

1. Half part of the soil and plantations of the land called Kudahennatotawatta at Patuwata, together with the thirteen cubits tiled house and also the nine cubits cadjanned house standing thereon.

2. One-third of the soil and all the plantations of the portion of land called Kudahennatotawatta at Patuwata and the two houses of five cubits each, and also the coconut shell enclosures in the river along the bank of the land belonging to the defendant.

Writ amount, Rs. 189-93 with poundage.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,
Fiscal's Office, Deputy Fiscal.
Galle, June 13, 1905.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Suna Pana Rawanna Mana Seena Thana
Sidamberam Chetty of NegomboPlaintiff.
No. 5,585. Vs.

Madanasingha Nangallage Haramanis Perera
of Lihiriyagama and another.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, July 8, 1905, commencing at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property viz. :—

1. An undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ share of the allotment of land called Bakmigahakumbura, situate at Lihiriyagama in Katugampola Medapattu korale of the Katugampola hatpattu; and bounded on the north by the land claimed by Arachchi Naide and by the land appearing in the plan No. 143,258, north-east and east by lands mentioned in the figures of

survey Nos. 143,258 and 143,256, south-east by lands mentioned in the figures of survey Nos. 143,259 and 143,256 and by Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno, south-west by lands mentioned in plans Nos. 143,256 and 137,397, a land reserved for a road, and by the land of M. Haris Perera; containing in extent 6 acres 2 roods and 5 perches, excluding a road across the land.

2. An allotment of land of two acres in extent of an undivided one-half of the land called Kahatagahawatta bearing No. 387, situate at Murukkuwa-agare in Katugampola Medapattu korale of the Katugampola hatpattu; and bounded on the north by the lands belonging to the two persons Werasundarapedige Sitta and Werasundarapedige Bilinda and others, east also by the fence of the field belonging to the same parties and others, south by the land belonging to Andiris Peeris, and on the west by the lands belonging to Madanasinha Nangallage Peduru Perera and others; containing in extent of about 6 acres.

3. An undivided 1/4 share of the portion of land called Bakmigahakele mentioned in the deed bearing date April 27, 1886, obtained from His Excellency the Governor, situate at Lihiriyagama in Katugampola korale of the Katugampola hatpattu; and bounded on the north by Bakmigahakele claimed by Peduru Perera and others, east by the land appearing in the figure of survey bearing No. 137,935, south by the land appearing in the figure of survey No. 137,933, and on the west by the land reserved for a road; containing in extent of about 20 acres.

4. An undivided 1/4 share of the land called Ehatugahawatta mentioned in the deed bearing date June 27, 1888, and No. 452 obtained from the Government Agent of the North-Western Province, situate at Lihiriyagama aforesaid; and bounded on the north-west and north by Kahatagahawatta claimed by Appu Sinno and others, north-east and east by Kahatagahawatta claimed by Appu Sinno and others and by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,262 and 143,259, south-east by the land appearing in figure of survey No. 143,259, south by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,259 and 143,257, south-west by the land appearing in figure of survey No. 143,257, and west by the land appearing in the figures of survey Nos. 143,259 and 143,257 and by the land reserved for a road; containing in extent 16 acres 2 roods and 22 perches.

5. An undivided 1/4 share of the land called Bakmigahawatta mentioned in the deed bearing date June 27, 1888, and No. 540 obtained from the Government Agent, situate at Lihiriyagama aforesaid; and bounded on the north-east and east by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,257 and 143,259, south by Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno, south-west by Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno and by the land appearing in figure of survey No. 143,257, and west and north-west by land appearing in figure of survey No. 14,325; containing in extent 4 acres and 7 perches.

6. An undivided 1/4 share of the land called Bakmigahakele mentioned in the deed bearing date June 27,

1888, and No. 543 obtained from the Government, situate at Lihiriyagama aforesaid; and bounded on the north by Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno and by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,257 and 143,258, north-east by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,257 and 143,262 and by Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno, east by Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno and by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,258, 143,260, and 137,935, south by the land appearing in figure of survey No. 137,932, south-west by the land appearing in figure No. 143,258, and west by a portion reserved for a road by the Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno and by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,256 and 143,258, north-west by lands appearing in figures of survey Nos. 143,257 and 143,258 and by Potukolawewa claimed by Appu Sinno; containing in extent 27 acres and 20 perches.

Amount to be levied is Rs. 1,472-50, with interest and poundage.

V. SIVAGURU, Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Kurunegala, June 14, 1905.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

Mena Chena Vellasamy Pulle of Negombo Plaintiff. No. 3,235. Vs.

Ana Kana Sawul Hamido of Chilaw.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, July 12, 1905, commencing at 1 o'clock in the afternoon will be sold by public auction at the premises the right title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz. :-

Three contiguous lands bearing Nos. 9,036, 9,037, and 9,038, which adjoin each other, and containing of the extent of 22 acres, with plantations standing thereon, situate at Sittamadama in Anaivilundan Pattu South of Sengal-oya.

Three contiguous lands bearing Nos. 8,580, 6,675, and 6,676, which adjoin each other, and containing in extent 87 acres, with the plantations standing thereon, situate at Karukkuliya

Half share of gala land belonging to the execution-debtor situate at Moor street, Chilaw.

Amount to be levied Rs. 1,855, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from May 29, 1905, and poundage.

J. O'K. MURTY, Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Chilaw, June 13, 1905.

BY virtue of a Mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said Court for the Western Circuit will be holden at the Court-house at Chilaw on Monday, July 3, 1905, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said day.

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

E. ONDATJE, for Fiscal, Western Province.

Fiscal's Office, Colombo, June 9, 1905.

ලංකාවිභාගේ ගරුකටයුතු උතුම්ව සුප්‍රීම් උසාවියෙන් මෙම ලැයි කී බවක ආඥාවක බලය කරණකොටගෙන මෙසින් ප්‍රකාශකරන්නේ ක්‍රිස්තුස් වසර 1905 වසරේ ජූලි මස 3 වෙනි දින පෙරවරු 11 පැය පටන් හඳුන්වන නිවැරදි කඩසලාමේ පවත්වන මෙහෙයුමට ඇත. එහි ම ආකාරණ ඇතුළු සියලුම දෙනාම සටකි ස්ථානයට සටකි වෙලාවට ඇති පෙනී යාමට මිනිසුන් ඇර අවසර ඉල්ලා ලබාගෙන මෙහි සටකි පිටතට සන්ට නුපුවත් බවක් මෙසින් සැමදෙනාටම දන් වන්නෙමි.

ඊ. ඔන්ඩාට්ජි, පිස්කල්කාන වෙනුවට.

මේ 1905 වසරේ ජූනි මස 9 වෙනි දින කොළඹ පිස්කල් කන්කෝරුවේදීය.

இலங்கைத்தீவின் சங்கைபோந்த சுப்பிரீங்கோட்டாரது கட்டளையின்படி நாம் பிரதித்தப்படுத்தவதாவது: சிலாபம் நியாயஸ்தலத்திலே மேற்சொல்லிய சுப்பிரீங்கோட்டாரால் மேற்கூப்பி யிளின் கிறிமினெல் வழக்குவிசாரணை, 1905 ம் ஆண்டு ஆடிமாத 3 ந்தேதியாகிய திங்கட்கிழமை காலமே 11 மணி தொடங்கி அன்றும் அதற்கடுத்த நாட்களிலும் நடத்தப்படும்.

ஆதலால் அவ்விசாரணையிற் காரியகருமமுன்னவர்களை லோரும் சொல்லப்பட்ட நேரத்திலே சொல்லப்பட்ட இடத்திலே வெளிப்பட்டு அவ்விடத்தினின்றும் உத்தரவின்றி நீங்காதிருக்கக்கூடவர்கள்.

இங்ஙனம்,

இ. ஒன்டாச்சி,
டிப்பியூடி பிஸ்கால்.

கொழும்பு பிஸ்கால் கந்தோர்,
1905 ம் ஆனிமீ 9 ந் உ.

BY virtue of a Mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said Court for the Districts of Chilaw and Puttalam will be holden at the Court-house at Chilaw on Monday, July 3, of 1905, at 11 o'clock of the morning of the said day.

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

J. M. DAVIES,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Kurunegala, June 10, 1905.

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சே. சூசி. ஹீலிசு,
பிச்கால் வெஜுவடு.

வெ 1905 ன் டி சூசி மச 10 வெசி டின கார்,
கூரூடு பிச்கால் கன்டோர், வெலிடிம.

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இங்ஙனம்,
ஜே. எம். டேவிஸ்,
பிச்காலுக்காக.

கூருணக்கல் பிச்கால் கந்தோர்,
1905 ம் ஆனிமீ 10 ந் உ.