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## DRAFT ORDINANCES.

### MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 12 of 1894, intituled  
 “An Ordinance to authorize the destruction of valueless  
 Documents preserved in Courts of Justice.”

Preamble.

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to amend in certain respects the Ordinance No. 12 of 1894, intituled “An Ordinance to authorize the destruction of valueless Documents preserved in Courts of Justice” and hereinafter referred to as “the principal Ordinance;” 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 and the principal Ordinance shall be read together as one Ordinance, and this Ordinance may be cited as “The Destruction of Valueless Records Ordinance, 1905.”

Amendment of second schedule with regard to classes of documents which may be destroyed under section 6.

2 In form B in the second schedule to the principal Ordinance there shall be added after the 7th clause of the enumeration of documents therein contained the following further clause, namely :

8. Summary criminal cases over five years old.

By His Excellency's command,  
 Colonial Secretary's Office  
 Colombo, July 7, 1905.

A. M. ASHMORE,  
 Colonial Secretary.

*Statement of Objects and Reasons.*

THE object of the Draft Ordinance is to supply an accidental omission in Ordinance No. 12 of 1894. The Ordinance, while making provision for the destruction under proper conditions of the different classes of documents which accumulate in the record-rooms of Courts of Justice, makes no reference to the records of summary criminal cases.

The Draft Ordinance adds to the enumeration of documents in Form B in the Second Schedule to the principal Ordinance "Summary criminal cases over five years old," and thereby enables such documents to be destroyed in accordance with section 6 of the Ordinance.

June 27, 1905.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,  
Attorney-General.

**MINUTE.**

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

An Ordinance to further amend the Law relating to General Regulation of Customs.

**Preamble.**

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend in certain particulars the Ordinances relating to the General Regulation of Customs: 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 Customs Duties Amendment Ordinance, 1905," and this Ordinance and "The Customs Duties Ordinances, 1869 to 1904," shall be read and construed as one Ordinance, and may be cited together as "The Customs Duties Ordinances, 1869 to 1905."

**Substitution of new section for section 3 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1904.**

2 For section 3 of "The Customs Duties Amendment Ordinance, 1904," there shall be substituted the following section, namely:

In Schedule D of "The Customs Duties Amendment Ordinance, 1903," the following words shall be added after the words "If exceeding 288 hours to pay the same rate outwards as paid inwards," namely:

Provided that buoy rent shall not be payable—

- (a) In respect of any time beyond the said period during which a sailing vessel has stayed in port for repairs, or because she was unable to put to sea without risk, if the master attendant is satisfied that such stay was necessary and was not unduly prolonged; or
- (b) In respect of any time during which a vessel is on the slips or in dry dock; or
- (c) In respect of any time during which any vessel is kept in port as a reserve vessel to maintain the regularity of the mail service or for other important public service.

The Governor shall from time to time, by notification in the *Government Gazette*, declare the vessels which are entitled under this sub-section to be exempted as reserve vessels from buoy rent.

**Amendment of tariff of import duties as regards perfumery and used motor bicycles accompanying passengers.**

3 (1) In Schedule B annexed to "The Customs Duties Amendment Ordinance, 1903," there shall be substituted for the words "Perfumery or spirits imported as perfumery per gallon Rs. 7" the following words, namely:

	Rs. c.
On perfumed spirits and bay rum a duty per gallon of ...	7 0
On perfumery other than perfumed spirits, for every Rs. 100 of the value thereof a duty of ...	5 50

(2) In the enumeration of articles exempted from Customs duty under the head of "Passengers' Luggage accompanying the Passenger" in the table of exemptions in the said schedule to the said Ordinance, the words "used motor bicycles" shall be inserted between the words "used bicycles" and "photographers' cameras."

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 16, 1905.

A. M. ASHMORE,  
Colonial Secretary.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

- 1. "The Customs Duties Amendment Ordinance, 1904," provided for the charge of a buoy rent on all vessels staying in Colombo Harbour for more than 288 hours, sailing vessels staying in harbour for repairs or under stress of weather being exempted from the charge.
- 2. The Draft Ordinance extends the exemption from buoy rent to vessels on the slip or in dry dock, and also to vessels kept as reserve vessels to maintain the regularity of the mail service or for other important public duty.
- 3. The Draft Ordinance further introduces a slight alteration in the import duty charged on perfumery and perfumed spirits. Whilst perfumery not containing spirit is admitted on payment of the ordinary *ad valorem* 5½ per cent. duty, the duty of Rs. 7 per gallon which Ordinance No. 2 of 1903 imposed on all perfumery is retained in the case of perfumed spirits and bay rum. Used motor bicycles are also added to the list of articles which are admitted free of duty when accompanying the passenger.

Colombo, June 22, 1905.

ALFRED G. LASCELLES, Attorney-General.

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 District of Anuradhapura will be holden at the Court-house at Kandy on Monday, July 31, 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.

Fiscal's Office, Anuradhapura, July 11, 1905.

C. D. VIGORS, Fiscal.

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අනුරාධපුර පිස්කල් කන්තෝරුවෙහිදී.

ඉවකකෙකිවිත් සකස්කොට පවිතින් කොට්ඨාසයේ කට්ටනියක්ද නාම ප්‍රාප්තිකව තවදුරටත් තාවකාලික: ක්ෂණික නියායන තවදුරටත් මෙහි පවිතින් කොට්ඨාසයේ අනුරාධපුරයේ උසාවියේ පවිතින් ක්‍රීම් කෙළු කවු ජ්‍යාගය වසී 1905ක්වූ ජූලි මස 31 වෙනි දින පෙරවරු 11 පැය පටන් මහනුවර නිවෙහි කවුසලාලේ පවත්වන ලද කෙරෙහි ඇත. එහි යම් කාරණය ඇතුළු සිවික සැමදෙනාම යටති ප්‍රායෝගිකයට යටති වෙලාවට ඇති පෙනී සිටින බව මිනැවින් ඇර අවසර ඉල්ලා ලබාගෙන මස

ඉතලා අවසරයෙන් පවිතින් කොට්ඨාසයේ කට්ටනියක්ද නාම ප්‍රාප්තිකව තවදුරටත් තාවකාලික: ක්ෂණික නියායන තවදුරටත් මෙහි පවිතින් කොට්ඨාසයේ අනුරාධපුරයේ උසාවියේ පවිතින් ක්‍රීම් කෙළු කවු ජ්‍යාගය වසී 1905ක්වූ ජූලි මස 31 වෙනි දින පෙරවරු 11 පැය පටන් මහනුවර නිවෙහි කවුසලාලේ පවත්වන ලද කෙරෙහි ඇත. එහි යම් කාරණය ඇතුළු සිවික සැමදෙනාම යටති ප්‍රායෝගිකයට යටති වෙලාවට ඇති පෙනී සිටින බව මිනැවින් ඇර අවසර ඉල්ලා ලබාගෙන මස

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අනුරාධපුර පිස්කල් කන්තෝරුවෙහිදී.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Dodanpahalage Juan Fernando, deceased, of Idama in Moratuwa.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before James Richard Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 1st day of July, 1905, in the presence of Messrs. Silva and Perera, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Sinnathommelage Marias Silva; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 15th day of June, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late Dodanpahalage Juan Fernando issued to her, unless the respondent Dodanpahalage Selena Beatrice Fernando, by her guardian *ad litem* Sinnathommelage Juan Silva in Moratuwa, shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. R. WEINMAN,  
District Judge.  
The 1st day of July, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Liyana Arachchige Don Juan Annavirala, deceased, of Batagama in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before James Richard Weinman, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 23rd day of June, 1905, in the presence of Mr. Charles Perera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Rundeni Arachchige Dona Helena Hami; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 21st day of June, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late Liyana Arachchige Don Juan Annavirala issued to her, unless the respondents—(1) Liyana Arachchige Dona Isohamy, widow of the late Weeragodagamage Don Bastian Appu, (2) Moderagamage Don Gabriel, (3) Moderagamage Don Anthony, (4) Moderagamage Don Walirianu, (5) Moderagamage Don Lameria, (6) Moderagamage Don Nicholas, (7) Moderagamage Dona Ana and her husband (8) Bamunu Achchi Patirage

**Herat Hami**, all of Bollate in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru korale, (9) **Moderagamage Dona Lucy Hami**, widow of the late **Dikirike Jayamaha Mudalige Mariannu**, (10) **Liyana Arachchige Dona Pabilina** and her husband (11) **Pattampereuma Arachchige Don Nicholas**, all of Batuwatta in the Ragam pattu aforesaid, (12) **Liyana Arachchige Don Marthinnu**, (13) **Liyana Arachchige Dona Eusenia** and her husband (14) **Adikarige Don Juan**, (15) **Liyana Arachchige Dona Carlina** and her husband (16) **Moderagamage Don Nicholas**, all of Batagama aforesaid, (17) **Liyana Arachchige Don Romel**, (18) **Liyana Arachchige Don Piloris**, both of Hapugoda in the Ragam pattu aforesaid, (19) **Wannakku Arachchige Marthelis**, (20) **Wannakku Arachchige Christian**, both of Batuwatta aforesaid, (21) **Wannakku Arachchige Pabilina** and her husband (22) **Solanga Arachchige Augustinnu**, both of Bollate aforesaid, (23) **Wannakku Arachchige Lucy Hami** and her husband (24) **Pallewattagamarallige Podi Sinno Appu**, both of Orutota in Siyane korale, (25) **Wannakku Arachchige Mungo Hami** and her husband (26) **Pattampereuma Arachchige Migel Appu**, both of Batuwatta aforesaid—shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

**J. R. WEINMAN,**  
District Judge.

The 23rd day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late **Palihawadana Arachchige Diyonis Perera**, deceased, of **Weligampitiya**.  
No. 2,387 C.

**THIS** matter coming on for disposal before **James Richard Weinman, Esq.**, District Judge of Colombo, on the 26th day of June, 1905, in the presence of **Mr. E. W. Perera**, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner **Palihawadana Arachchige Sebastian Perera**; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 19th day of June, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late **Palihawadana Arachchige Diyonis Perera** issued to him, unless the respondents—(1) **Pattinikuttige Ana Nonis**, (2) **Palihawadana Arachchige Jochinoe Perera**, both of **Weligampitiya**, and (3) **Palihawadana Arachchige Porlentina Perera** of **Kannwana** in the Ragam pattu of **Alutkuru Korale South**—shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

**J. R. WEINMAN,**  
District Judge.

The 26th day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi declaring Will proved.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late **Bemenihennedige Joseph Peiris**, deceased, of **Egoda Uyana** in **Moratuwa**.  
No. 2,388 C.

**THIS** matter coming on for disposal before **James Richard Weinman, Esq.**, District Judge of Colombo, on the 26th day of June, 1905, in the presence of **Messrs. Silva and Perera**, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner **Lindamulage Bastiana Silva**; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 22nd day of June, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the will of the above-named **Bemenihennedige Joseph Peiris**, deceased, dated the 14th day of April, 1905, be and the same is hereby declared proved, unless any person interested shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary. It is further declared that the said **Lindamulage Bastiana Silva** is the executrix named in the said will, and that she is entitled to have probate of the same issued to her accordingly, unless any person interested shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

**J. R. WEINMAN,**  
District Judge.

The 26th day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late **Winayawarige Andris Perera** and **Panadure Acharige Wijayasundara Gunatilaka Francina Perera**, husband and wife, deceased, of **Suwarapola** in the **Palle pattu** of **Salpiti korale**.  
No. 2,389 C.

**THIS** matter coming on for disposal before **James Richard Weinman, Esq.**, District Judge of Colombo, on the 26th day of June, 1905, in the presence of **Messrs. Silva and Perera**, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner **Winayawarige Christian Perera**; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 15th day of June, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased **Winayawarige Andris Perera** and **Panadure Acharige Wijayasundara Gunatilaka Francina Perera** issued to him, unless the respondents—(1) **Winayawarige Helena Perera** of **Suwarapola** aforesaid, (2) **Winayawarige Selestina Perera** and her husband (3) **Colomba Acharige Domingo Naide**, both of **Weboda** in **Siyane korale**, (4) **Winayawarige Susana Perera** and her husband (5) **Chitra Acharige Don Juan Naide**, both of **New Bazaar** in **Colombo**, shall—on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

**J. R. WEINMAN,**  
District Judge.

The 26th day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late **Zohara Umma**, deceased, of **Armour street**, **Colombo**.  
No. 2,391 C.

**THIS** matter coming on for disposal before **James Richard Weinman, Esq.**, District Judge of Colombo, on the 28th day of June, 1905, in the presence of **Mr. Charles Perera**, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner **Samsy Lebbe Marikar Omer Lebbe Marikar**; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 23rd June, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late **Zohara Umma** issued to him, unless **Periyatambi Slema Lebbe** of **Armour street** in **Colombo** shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

**J. R. WEINMAN,**  
District Judge.

The 28th day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late **Casi Lebbe Marikar Kadija Umma**, deceased, of **Dean's road** in **Colombo**.  
No. 2,397 C.

**THIS** matter coming on for disposal before **James Richard Weinman, Esq.**, District Judge of Colombo, on the 5th day of July, 1905, in the presence of **Mr. G. L. Cooray**, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner **Casie Lebbe Marikar Zainadeen Marikar** of **Dematagoda** in **Colombo**; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 3rd July, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the aforesaid petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased **Casie Lebbe Marikar Kadija Umma** issued to him, unless the respondents—(1) **Bawa Lebbe Ismail Lebbe Marikar** of **Dean's road** in **Colombo** and (2) **Uduma Lebbe Casie Lebbe Marikar** of **Dematagoda**—shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

**J. R. WEINMAN,**  
District Judge.

The 5th day of July, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate and Effects  
Jurisdiction. } of Peduru Estalan Vaas of Pallan-  
No. 861. } sena in Dunagaha pattu of the Alut-  
kuru korale, deceased.

Ana Rodrigo of Pallansena ..... Petitioner.

And

1, Maria Vaas; 2, Christna Vaas, assisted by her husband Pedro Fernando; 3, Anathasia Vaas; 4, Martha Vaas; 5, Leo Vaas; 6, Savari Vaas; 7, Theresa of Lunuwila, assisted by her husband Croos; 8, Rosaline Vaas of Giriulla, assisted by her husband Anthony Pulle..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on the 6th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Mr. D. L. E. Amarasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Ana Rodrigo; and her affidavit, dated 31st day of May, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner aforesaid be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased Peduru Estalan Vaas of Pallansena be issued to her, as wife of the said deceased, unless the respondents above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before the 18th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. W. WOODHOUSE,  
District Judge.

June 6, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate and Effects  
Jurisdiction. } of Mahamalage Don Daniel Perera of  
No. 862. } Talahena, deceased.

Mahamalage Dona Ana Fernando of Talahena.....Petitioner.

And

(1) Mahamalage Helena Perera of Haldanduwana, (2) Mahamalage Ana Perera, assisted by her husband Pettithantherage Abraham Fernando, (3) M. Agenda Perera, assisted by her husband Juwan Fernando, (4) M. Manual Perera, all of Talahena, (5) M. Justina Perera of Katunayaka, (6) M. Porlentina Perera of Talahena, (7) Maria Salo Tissera, assisted by her husband Domineeku Fernando, both of Morukkuliya, (8) Ana Tissera, assisted by her husband Warnekulesuriya Martheenu Fernando, both of Pallansena..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on the 6th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Mr. D. L. E. Amarasinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner, the above-named Dona Ana Fernando of Talahena; and her affidavit, dated 2nd day of June, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased Don Daniel Perera of Talahena issued to her, as wife of the said deceased, unless the respondents above-named or any other person or persons interested shall, on or before the 18th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,  
District Judge.

June 6, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate and  
Jurisdiction. } Effects of Mena Cheena Meyappa  
No. 419. } Chetty of Negombo, deceased.  
And  
In the Matter of the Civil Procedure  
Code, 1889, chapter XXXVIII.

Mena Cheena Kadirawelan Chetty of Negombo.....Petitioner.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse, Esq., District Judge of Negombo, on the 20th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Mr. W. M. Rajapakse, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Mena Cheena Kadirawelan Chetty of Negombo; and the affidavit dated the 16th day of June, 1905, of the said petitioner having been read over and there being no respondents named: It is declared that the said Mena Cheena Kadirawelan Chetty, as the brother of the said Mena Cheena Meyappa Chetty, deceased, is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Mena Cheena Meyappa Chetty of Negombo, who died at Panangndi in Southern India, issued to the petitioner, unless any other person interested shall, on or before the 24th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,  
District Judge.

Negombo, June 20, 1905.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. } Susewhewage Balis Fernando of  
No. 408. } Potupitiya, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on the 15th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Martin Henry Jayatileke, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Rupasingha Nico Fernando of Potupitiya; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated the 15th day of June, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner Rupasingha Nico Fernando be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late Susewhewage Balis Fernando, deceased, issued to her, as widow of the deceased, unless the respondents—(1) Susewhewage Charles Fernando of Potupitiya, (2) Susewhewage Nonno Fernando of Molligoda and husband (3) Thiramuni Domis Fernando of Molligoda, (11) Liveris Rupasingha of Potupitiya for himself and on behalf of the minors (4) Susewhewage Sadiris Fernando, (5) Susewhewage Sainetis Fernando, (6) Susewhewage Pinhami Fernando, (7) Susewhewage James Fernando, (8) Susewhewage Deeder Fernando, (9) Susewhewage Rosiya Fernando, (10) Susewhewage Alice Fernando—shall, on or before the 19th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

W. R. B. SANDERS,  
District Judge.

The 15th day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Kandy.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. } late Barnes de Alwis, deceased, of  
No. 2,441. } Kandy.

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 3rd day of July, 1905, in the presence of Mr. J. B. Siebel, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Edward Alfred de Alwis of No. 34, Brownrigg street, Kandy; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 1st July, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner Edward Alfred de Alwis of No. 34, Brownrigg street, Kandy, be and he is hereby declared entitled to letters of administration to the estate of Barnes de Alwis, deceased, of Kandy, as the eldest son

of the said deceased, unless (1) Emily Matilda de Alwis, (2) Clement Christopher de Alwis, (3) Jessie Maul de Alwis, (4) Frederick Barnes de Alwis, (5) Arthur Albert de Alwis, (6) Francis Vincent de Alwis, (7) Justin Augustus de Alwis, (8) Victor Ewart de Alwis, all of No. 34, Brownrigg street, Kandy, the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th respondents by their duly appointed guardian *ad litem* Emily Matilda de Alwis, the 1st respondent, shall, on or before the 4th day of August, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAN,  
District Judge.  
The 3rd day of July, 1905.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. } Elisabeth, wife of Manuelpillai  
No. 1,637. } Santhiapillai of Karaiur, deceased.  
Class I. }

Manuelpillai Santhiapillai of Karaiur .....Petitioner.

(1) Anthonipillai Soosapillai and (2) wife  
Anthonypillai *alias* Chinnachipillai of  
Valany West.....Respondents.

**T**HIS matter of the petition of the above-named petitioner praying for letters of administration to the above-named deceased Elisabeth, wife of Manuel Pillai Santhiapillai, coming on for disposal before H. R. Freeman, Esq., District Judge, on the 15th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Mr. N. Appauswami, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and affidavit of the petitioner, dated 14th day of June, 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 31st day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

H. R. FREEMAN,  
District Judge.

This 15th day of June, 1905.

In the District Court of Galle.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. } Kiripina de Soya Hamine, deceased,  
No. 3,560. } of Kosgoda.

**T**HIS matter coming on for disposal before G. A. Baumgartner, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on the 13th day of February, 1905, in the presence of Mr. W. E. Weerasooriya, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner William Francis de Soya of Kosgoda; and the affidavit of William Francis de Soya of Kosgoda, dated 2nd February, 1905, having been read: It is declared that the said William Francis de Soya of Kosgoda is entitled to have letters of administration of the estate of the deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Hondamuni Rewaneri, (2) Hondamuni Panchinona, (3) Hondamuni Podinona and husband (4) Manaweera Suwaderis, (5) Kaluhath Siman de Abrew, widow of Demuni Kiriappu, (6) Demuni Frederick, (7) Demuni Cicilias, all of Welitara—shall, on or before the 21st day of March, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. A. BAUMGARTNER,  
District Judge.

The 13th day of February, 1905.

The date of the *Order Nisi* for showing cause against it is extended to 18th April, 1905.

March 21, 1905.

G. A. BAUMGARTNER,  
District Judge.

The date of the *Order Nisi* for showing cause against it is extended to 23rd day of May, 1905, for service on 1st, 5th, 6th, and 7th respondents.

C. E. DE VOS,  
Additional District Judge.

April 18, 1905.

The date of this *Order Nisi* is extended to 23rd June, 1905, for service on the 1st, 5th, 6th, and 7th respondents.

G. A. BAUMGARTNER,  
District Judge.  
May 23, 1905.

The date of the *Order Nisi* is extended to 25th July, 1905, for service on the 1st, 5th, 6th, and 7th respondents.

G. A. BAUMGARTNER,  
District Judge.  
June 23, 1905.

In the District Court of Galle.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. } Tinnyadura Emishamy, deceased, of  
No. 3,576. } Egodamulla.

**T**HIS matter coming on for disposal before G. A. Baumgartner, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on the 19th day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. Weerasooriya, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Hattimuni Tedoris Silva of Egodamulla; and the affidavit of Hattimuni Tedoris Silva of Egodamulla, dated 12th May, 1905, having been read: It is ordered and declared that the said Hattimuni Tedoris de Silva of Egodamulla is uncle of the said deceased, and that he is as such entitled to have letters of administration of the estate of the deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents—(1) Yakupiti Abilian of Ahungalla, represented by Pin Angohami of Ahungalla, (2) Wijemuni Juwanis Appu of Egodamulla, represented by Yakupiti Aron Silva of Ahungalla—shall, on or before the 21st day of June, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. A. BAUMGARTNER,  
District Judge.

The 19th day of May, 1905.

The date of the *Order Nisi* is extended to 21st July, 1905.

G. A. BAUMGARTNER,  
District Judge.  
June 21, 1905.

In the District Court of Matara.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. } late Appuhennedige Eleanor  
No. 1,452. } Edith Silva, deceased, of Mirissa.

**T**HIS matter coming on for disposal before T. B. E. Loftus, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on the 31st day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. E. Buultjens, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of Andreas Sudrikku Jayawickarama, dated 26th April, 1905, having been read:

It is ordered that Andreas Sudrikku Jayawickarama be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration be issued to him as widower of the deceased, unless the respondents (1)—Daniel Sudrikku Jayawickarama, (2) Charlina Sudrikku Jayawickarama, and (3) Carlina Sudrikku Jayawickarama—shall, on or before the 24th day July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the 4th respondent Appuhennedige Juanis Silva of Weligama be appointed guardian *ad litem* over the said three minors, the 1st 2nd, and 3rd respondents, unless they shall, on or before the 24th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

T. B. E. LOFTUS,  
District Judge.

The 31st day of May, 1905.

## In the District Court of Matara.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late  
Jurisdiction. } Appu Hennedige Eliza Magdelina  
No. 1,453. } Silva, deceased, of Mirissa.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before T. R. E. Loftus, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on the 31st day of May, 1905, in the presence of Mr. E. Buultjens, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of Don Abraham Sudrikku Jayawickrama, dated 26th April, 1905, having been read: It is ordered that Don Abraham Sudrikku Jayawickrama be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased, and that letters of administration be issued to him, as widower of the deceased, unless the respondent Robis Abraham Sudrikku Jayawickrama of Mirissa shall, on or before the 24th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that Appu Hennedige Juanis Silva of Weligama, now of Galle arrack godown in Talbot town, be appointed *guardian ad litem* over the said minor Robis Abraham Sudrikku Jayawickrama, unless he shall, on or before the 24th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

T. R. E. LOFTUS,  
District Judge.

## In the District Court of Tangalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the  
Jurisdiction. } late Willaddara Heelege Dingi  
No. 385. } Appu, deceased, of Ovilana.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before L. W. C. Schrader, Esq., District Judge of Tangalla, on the 4th day of July, 1905, in the presence of Willaddara Heelege Babinis Appu of Ovilana, the petitioner; and the affidavit of the said Willaddara Heelege Babinis Appu, dated 7th March, 1905, having been read and all parties heard:

It is ordered that letters of administration be issued to the said petitioner, unless the respondents—(1) Wiratunga Arachige Dingi Hamy of Ovilana, (2) Willaddara Heelege Kiri Hami of Ovilana, (3) Wannu Achchi Kankanange Don Pedris of Ovilana, (4) Willaddara Heelege Then Hamy of Puwakdandawa, (5) Kodituwakku Kankanange Sedonis Appu of Puwakdandawa, (6) Willaddara Heelege Don Hami of Palapota, (7) Willaddara Heelege Dasan Hami of Ovilana, (8) Willaddara Heelege Balappu of Ovilana—shall, on or before the 10th day of August, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

L. W. C. SCHRADER,  
District Judge.

The 4th day of July, 1905.

## In the District Court of Trincomalee.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of Karti-  
Jurisdiction. } gasoe Ambalavanapillai, late of No. 3  
No. 180 B. } Division, Trincomalee, deceased.

Thangamuttu, widow of Nallatampi Chel-  
lappa, of No. 1 Division, Trincomalee.....Petitioner.  
Vs.

Ambalavaner Kartigasoe of No. 1 Division,  
Trincomalee.....Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before W. L. Kindersley, Esq., on the 26th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Mr. M. M. Subramaniam, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and on reading the affidavit and petition of the above-named petitioner, it is ordered that the petitioner, as the sister of the said deceased Kartigasoe Ambalavanapillai, is entitled to have letters of administration to the unadministered portion of the estate issued to her, unless the respondent or any other person interested in the said estate show sufficient cause to the contrary on the 31st day of July, 1905.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
District Judge.

Trincomalee, June 26, 1905.

## In the District Court of Kegalla.

*Order Nisi.*

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate  
Jurisdiction. } of Muhandiramrallagey Appuhamy  
No. 194. } of Pinnawela, deceased.

Muhandiramrallagey Dingiri Appuhamy of  
Pinnawela.....Petitioner.

Vs.

1, Muhandiramrallagey Punchirala of Pinna-  
wela; 2, Makure Bokola Vidanelagey  
Dingirihamy of Pinnawela.....Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before P. E. Pieris, Esq., District Judge of Kegalla, on the 19th day of June, 1905, in the presence of Mr. G. S. Suraweera, Proctor for petitioner; and the petitioner's affidavit dated 18th day of June, 1905, and his petition of this date having been duly read: It is ordered and declared that the petitioner, as son of the deceased, 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 other person interested shall, on or before the 20th day of July, 1905, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the court to the contrary.

P. E. PIERIS,  
District Judge.

The 19th day of June, 1905.

## NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

## In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 2,143. In the matter of the insolvency of  
Walter Harris de Kretser of the  
Pettah in Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sittings in  
the above-named matter will take place at the  
sitting of this court on August 24, 1905.

By order of court,  
P. DE KRETSEK,  
Acting Secretary.

Colombo, July 6, 1905.

No. 2,191. In the matter of the insolvency of  
Kuna Muna Mohideen Pitche of  
No. 28, Dam street, Colombo.

WHEREAS the above-named Kuna Muna Mohideen  
Pitche has filed a declaration of insolvency, and  
a petition for the sequestration of the estate of the  
said Kuna Muna Mohideen Pitche has also been filed  
by Thana Meeana Malingu, under the Ordinance No. 7 of  
1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has  
adjudged the said Kuna Muna Mohideen Pitche insolvent  
accordingly, and that two public sittings of the court, to  
wit, on August 17 and 31, 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,  
P. DE KRETZER,  
Acting Secretary.

Colombo, July 30, 1905.

No. 2,192. In the matter of the insolvency of Ana Ibrahim of New Moor street, Colombo.

WHEREAS the above-named Ana Ibrahim has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of the estate of the said Ana Ibrahim has also been filed by Sinne Lebbe Marikar Abdul Majid, under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Ana Ibrahim insolvent accordingly, and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on August 17 and 31, 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,  
P. DE KRETZER,  
Acting Secretary.

Colombo, July 6, 1905.

No. 2,193. In the matter of the insolvency of Hewadewage Manuel Fernando of Galakissa in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale.

WHEREAS the above-named Hewadewage Manuel Fernando has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of the estate of the said Hewadewage Manuel Fernando has also been filed under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Hewadewage Manuel Fernando insolvent accordingly, and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on August 17 and 31, 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,  
P. DE KRETZER,  
Acting Secretary.

Colombo, July 7, 1905.

#### In the District Court of Kalutara.

No. 105. In the matter of the insolvency of Owen Mendis Obeyesekera of Nagoda, now of 2nd Division, Maradana, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sittings of this court in the above matter has been adjourned till August 9, 1905, for the assignee to file a correct report.

By order of court,  
W. M. DE SILVA,  
Secretary.

Kalutara, July 7, 1905.

#### In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,476. In the matter of the insolvency of H. F. Ensor Harris of Kotuagodella estate.

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 August 11, 1905, to consider the application to have the adjudication of insolvency annulled.

By order of court,  
W. M. DE SILVA,  
Secretary.

Kandy, July 11, 1905.

#### In the District Court of Galle.

No. 353. In the matter of the insolvency of Deonis Sudrikku Jayawickrama Goonasekara of Magalla.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second sittings in the above matter has been adjourned to August 1, 1905, for the examination of the insolvent.

By order of court,  
D. M. JANSZ,  
Secretary.

Galle, July 7, 1905.

No. 358. In the matter of the insolvency of Weerekandegge Remis of Ratgama.

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 August 23, 1905, for the grant of a certificate.

By order of court,  
D. M. JANSZ,  
Secretary.

Galle, July 5, 1905.

## NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

### Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Frederick Charles Loos of Colombo.....Plaintiff.  
No. 2,720. Vs.  
Eliyadurage Leonis Andris Fernando of Wellawatta .....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, August 9, 1905, at 3 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. 9,000, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from July 13, 1903, till payment, and costs of suit, viz.:-

All that allotment or portion of the garden called Kongahawatta, marked A in the figure of survey dated March 15, 1890, made by J. H. Krickenbeek, Surveyor,

being a portion from and out of all that allotment of land bearing registration No. 211A in the registration plan No. 2, Wellawatta, situated in the village Wellawatta in the District of Colombo, which said portion marked A is bounded on the north by the high road, on the east by Mission premises and lot B, on the south by the gardens of Magage Siman Fernando and Serange Baba Nona, and on the west by the garden of Eliyadurage Bastian Fernando; containing in extent 3 roods and 36 perches, together with all the buildings and plantations thereon; and all rights, ways, privileges, easements, servitudes, and appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises, and all the estate, right, title, interest, property, claim, and demand whatsoever on May 12, 1903, of the said defendant into, out of, or upon the same.

E. ONDATJE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

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



In the District Court of Colombo.

Don Philip Wijeyewardene of Sedawatta in the Adikari pattu of Hewagam korale .....Plaintiff.

Helena Wijeyewardene of Sedawatta aforesaid, widow and executrix of the last will and testament of Don Philip Wijeyewardene of Sedawatta aforesaid, the deceased plaintiff..... Substituted Plaintiff.

No. 16,710. Vs.

Welikalage Don Simou Wijeyesekera, Vidane Arachchi of Waga in the Meda pattu of Hewagam korale .....Defendant.

Dona Philippa Dassanayaka of Waga aforesaid, administratrix of the estate of Welikalage Don Simon Wijeyesekera, Vidane Arachchi, the deceased defendant .....Substituted Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, August 15, 1905, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the following property, specially and primarily mortgaged and hypothecated with the plaintiff and ordered to be sold by the order of court dated June 13, 1902, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 733, with further interest at 12 per cent. per annum on Rs. 500 from April 22, 1902, to June 13, 1902, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and the costs of the action, viz.:-

At 10.30 A.M.

1. All that allotment of land called Aandahadolaladde, situated at Waga in the Meda pattu of Hewagam korale; bounded on the north by the Crown land, on the east by the land appearing in plan No. 119,883, on the south by the properties belonging to M. Haramanis Appu, M. Palis Appu, and others, and on the west by the land sold by P. Don Thepanis; containing in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 19 perches, together with all the trees and plantations thereof and the buildings thereon.

At 11.30 A.M.

2. All that undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  part or portion of and from the allotment of land called Alubogahawatta and of the trees and plantations thereon, situated at Waga aforesaid; bounded on the north by the property of Don Simon Wijeyesekere, Vidane Arachchi, on the east by Kumbukgaha-ela, on the south by Embulgamageowita and Radageowita, and on the west by Piltotageowita and Wara-ata; containing in extent 6 acres and 37.68 square perches, with all the right, title, and interest, claim, and demand whatsoever of the defendant in and to the said premises.

E. ONDATJE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

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

In the District Court of Colombo.

W. Daniel Andris Fernando of Slave Island in Colombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 21,483. Vs.

Arisie Marikar Hadjar Mohamado Salieb of New Moor street, Colombo.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, August 8, 1905, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, mortgaged with the plaintiff and decreed to be sold by the decree entered in the above action, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 2,461.66, with interest on Rs. 2,000 at 12 per cent. per annum from March 7, 1905, till April 14, 1905, and thereafter on the aggregate amount at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full, and costs of suit, viz.:-

All that part of the garden called Todoawatta bearing assessment No. 35, Forbes road, situated at Maradana, Colombo; bounded on the north by the other part of this property, on the east by a passage, on the south by the

property of Sesina Lebbe Awoe Lebbe Marikar, and on the west by the other part of Todoawatta No. 6; containing in extent 10.50 perches.

E. ONDATJE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

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

In the Court of Requests of Colombo.

M. P. L. Palaniappa Chetty of No. 104, Sea street, Colombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 29,352. Vs.

1, John G. Atapattu, and 2, James Wickremesinghe, both of No. 11, Kothena road in Colombo.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, August 7, 1905, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said first defendant in the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 201.32, with legal interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from October 29, 1904, till payment in full, and Rs. 26.75 for costs, viz.:-

All that land called Tembiligahawatta, situated at Dehiwala in the Palle pattu of Salpiti korale; bounded on the north by Chapel garden, east by the property of D. S. Britto and others, west by high road to Galle, and on the south by Tembiligahawatta, property of D. P. Weerasingha; containing in extent about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acre, together with the buildings standing thereon.

E. ONDATJE,  
Deputy Fiscal.

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

In the District Court of Negombo.

Suna Pana Lana Thennappa Chetty, by his attorney Suna Pana Palaniappa Chetty of Negombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 5,291. Vs.

Edirimuni Malina Latteru, administratrix of the estate of Hammuddara Abraham de Silva Gunasekera of Mukulangomuwa, deceased.....Substituted Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 14, 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. The western portion of the owita land called Bopitiyakumbura, situate at Mukulangomuwa in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by the owita belonging to Mellewetantirige Siman Perera Appuhamy, on the east by a portion of this land belonging to Don Abraham Perera Appuhamy and by the field, on the south by the owita belonging to Pelis Appu and others, and on the west by the land belonging to Christian de Silva Guna Pala Arachchi; containing in extent 2 roods more or less.

2. Three acres extent out of an allotment of land called Kuruwe Mudiyansele Kurunduwatta, situate at ditto; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Pehandi Migel Silva and others, on the east and south by the lands formerly of Edirimuni Simanis de Silva Samarasekera Appuhamy and now of Edirimuni Marthinu Latheru Appuhamy, and on the west by the land formerly of Arumadura Savial Silva and others and now of Kalumiti Suravial Silva and others; containing in extent 4 acres more or less.

3. Three contiguous lots called Madangahawatta alias Munamalghawatta, situate at Leyanegemulla in ditto; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Mr. J. M. S. W. S. Salgado, on the east by the road, on the south by the land belonging to S. J. Perera, and on the west by ditch which separates the land called Kadolkela belonging to Pehandi Elaris Silva Gunasekera; containing in extent 4 acres and 2 roods more or less.

4. Half of the three contiguous lots Nos. 11, 12, and 13 called Dawatagahakurunduwatta *alias* Bowila Muhandirangewatta, situate at ditto; bounded on the north by the portion of this land lots Nos. 14 and 15 belonging to Christian de Silva, Arachchi, and others, on the east by the field called Dikwela, on the south by the lands of Christian Fernando and others, and on the west by the portion of this land lots 9 and 10 belonging to Siman Silva and others; containing in extent 39 acres 1 rood and 23 perches more or less.

5. One-fourteenth of the land called Dawatagahakurunduwatta, situate at ditto; bounded on the north by the sandy road, on the east by the land of Girigoris Silva, on the south by the land of Hendrick de Silva Gunasekara, Arachchi, and on the west by the land belonging to Hamuddara Sineris Silva *alias* Salman Silva; containing in extent 1 acre and 3 roods more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 8,119.25, and interest on Rs. 7,000 at 15 per cent. per annum from November 2, 1903, to April 27, 1904, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment in full.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Negombo, July 11, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Sina Nana Kana Pana Arumugam Chetty of  
Negombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 5,592. Vs.

(1) Mutukuda-arachchige Gregoris Dias  
Rupasinha Senanayaka, Muhandiram, (2)  
Abraham Dias Senanayaka Appuhamy,  
both of Nilpanagoda.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 26, 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 second defendant in the following property, viz:—

The land and the tiled house and other buildings standing thereon wherein the second defendant resides, situate at Nilpanagoda in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by the high road, on the east and south by the live fence of the land belonging to Girigoris Dias, Registrar, and others, and on the west by the field; containing in extent 7 acres more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 2,451.75, with interest on Rs. 2,300 at 21 per cent. per annum from July 4 to October 20, 1904, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Negombo, July 12, 1905.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Seena Nana Seena Supparamanian Chetty  
of Negombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 5,744. Vs.

(1) Sarukkalige Marselino Fernando of  
Kelepitimulla, (2) Mehidukulesuriya  
Luciyanu Fernando of Nambadaluwa.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 19, 1905, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property specially ordered to be sold by the decree entered in the said action, viz:—

1. The allotment of land called Delgahawatta *alias* Kongahawatta, situate at Kelapitimulla in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by the live fence separating the land belonging to Sarukkalige Manuel Fernando, on the east and south by the lands belonging to the said Manuel Fernando, and on the west

by the land belonging to Amaris Appu, deceased; containing in extent 3 roods more or less.

2. The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the land called Millegahawatta, situate at Mapalangedera in ditto, the said land being bounded on the north by the field, on the east by the land belonging to Christian, deceased, and others, on the south by the land belonging to Ugo Naide and others, and on the west by the field; containing in extent 4 acres more or less.

3. The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Vewakumbura, situate at Kelapitimulla in ditto, the said field being bounded on the north by Bangalagodella, on the east by the cart road, on the south by the land belonging to Manuel Fernando, and on the west by the land belonging to Setuhami and others; containing in extent 4 parrahs of paddy sowing more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 756.50, with interest on Rs. 550 at 24 per cent. per annum from October 15, 1904, to January 6, 1905, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,  
Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Negombo, July 11, 1905.

In the Court of Requests of Negombo.

Seena Thana Kana Nana Sana Annamala  
Chetty of Negombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 11,627. Vs.

(1) Savial Rudrigo Suse Pulle, (2) Anthony  
Rudrigo Suse Pulle, both of Harakgalaga-  
gama, (3) Gabriel Fernando Peduru  
Pulle of Etgala.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 12, 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 1st and 2nd defendants in the following property, viz:—

1. Those undivided  $\frac{1}{3}$  shares of the land called Ehetugahalanda and of the buildings standing thereon, situate at Jambugaswadiya in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by the land belonging to the heirs of Saveri Fernando Gabriel Pulle, on the east by the land belonging to the heirs of Peduru Fernando Palappa Pulle, on the south by dewata road, and on the west by the fence of the land belonging to Marsal Appu and others; containing in extent 5 acres more or less.

2. Those undivided  $\frac{1}{10}$  of  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Millagahawatta and of the buildings standing thereon, situate at Harakgalagama in ditto; bounded on the north by the old road or the lands belonging to Peduru Fernando Ramanadan Pulle and others, on the east by the lands of Peduru Fernando Ramanadan Pulle and others, on the south by the ditch of the land belonging to the heirs of Amarasinha-arachchige Silvestri Saparamadu Appuhamy, and on the west by the land formerly of Domingo Fernando Paulu Pulle and now belonging to Francisco Paulu Silva; containing in extent 7 acres more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 214.15, with interest on Rs. 140 at 21 per cent. per annum from June 25 to August 16, 1904, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment.

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Negombo, July 11, 1905.

In the Court of Requests of Negombo.

Suna Pana Rawenna Mana Lena Kolenda-  
yan Chetty of Negombo.....Plaintiff.

No. 12,503. Vs.

Manikuge Asanaris Silva Kankanama of  
Unnaruwa.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 7, 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. The four contiguous portions of land called Keilahawattukebella, Eladangahaowita, Eladangahakumbura, and Kahatagahawatta, situate at Katiyala in Dunagaha pattu of Alutkuru korale; bounded on the north by the land belonging to the heirs of Silvestri Silva and Elias Silva, on the east by the boundary ditch which separates the land of Pattage Amaris Fernando Annavirala, on the south by the portion of land which separates the land called Eladangahakumbura belonging to Siadoris Silva, and on the west by the fence which separates the land of Pattage Elaris Fernando; containing in extent 4 acres and 2 roods more or less.

And on August 8, 1905, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, viz. :—

2. The  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Dawatagahawatta and the buildings standing thereon, situate at Unnarua in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale, the said  $\frac{1}{2}$  share being bounded on the north by the high road, on the east by the fence which separates the land of the defendant, on the south by the live fence which separates the land of Manikuge Odiris Silva, and on the west by the portion of this land of Santiago Silva; containing in extent 4 acres more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 253.50, with interest on Rs. 220 at 30 per cent. per annum from February 6 to March 22 1905, and thereafter at 9 per cent. per annum till payment

FRED. G. HEPPONSTALL,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Negombo, July 11, 1905.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Ramukkane Maggonage Johannes Perera of  
Ratmalana in Galkissa.....Plaintiff.

No. 2,735. Vs.

1, Dewage Don Arnolis Veda Appuhamy of  
Walana in Panadure; 2, Dewage Don  
Pedrick Appuhamy of Walana in Panadure..Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, August 8, 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 defendants in the following property to recover a sum of Rs. 1,866.50, with further interest on Rs. 2,000 at 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. from May 3, 1903, till the date of decree, and thereafter at 9 per cent. on the aggregate amount till payment in full, viz. :—

1. The entire soil (excluding  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the planter's  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the trees of the first and second plantations) and all the remaining trees of a portion of land called Gorakagahawatta, together with all the buildings standing thereon, and all other things thereon, situate at Walana in Panadure; and bounded on the north by Gorakagahadeniya or the ditch of Delgahawatta, east and south by the ditches of the defined portions of the said Gorakagahawatta belonging to the heirs of Dewagey Don Adrian, and on the west by the drain of the high road; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 17 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches.

2. The entire soil and trees of a portion of land called Diakadittewatta and the adjoining owiti land and the tiled house and all things standing thereon, situate at Pamunagama in Panadure; and bounded on the north by the high road passing and repassing to Ratnapura, east by the portion of land sold by Suppahaya and the water-course, south by the water-course, and on the west by a portion of the said land purchased by Illeperumaratchige Harmanis Perera and the ditch of owiti lands; containing in extent 3 roods 19.36 perches; specially mortgaged with the plaintiff.

S. T. DE SILVA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Kalutara, July 11, 1905.

Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

1, Pana Lana Seena Shanmugan Chetty;  
2, Pana Lana Rawanna Mana Carupen  
Chetty, carrying on business in partnership  
under the name, style, firm, and velasam  
of Pana Lana Raman Chetty or Pana  
Lana Rawanna Mana.....Plaintiffs.

No. 16,796. Vs.

1, Dinbai Pestonjee; 2, D. H. Pestonjee,  
Salem estate, Nawalapitiya.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 16, 1905, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the 1st defendant in and to the following lands, namely, all that estate called and known as Ashbourne, comprising the following premises, adjoining each other, and form one property.

1. An allotment of land called Galeoruwamulahena, situate at Weligampola in Pasbage korale in Uda Bulatgama, containing in extent about 4 amunams or 8 acres; bounded on the east by Maha-ela and jak tree, on the south by the limit of the garden of Kalimuttoo, on the west by Mahaweli-ganga, and on the north by Alubokandela boundary up to the waldelgaha at Kaluwa's garden and the boundary from punchiwaldelgaha at Kiri Menika's garden up to Mala-ela (including portion belonging to Kaluwa and Kiri Menika), the remaining portion is in extent about 8 acres.

2. Two undivided fifth parts or shares in extent about 2 acres of and in all that land called Panwatta, situate at Dekinda in Pasbage korale aforesaid, in extent 5 acres; bounded on the east by Kurangalaketugalahawahena claimed by Bannekgedara people, on the south by Lalkanduru-oya, on the west by amuna passing through Medagama, and on the north by Bannekgedara Ettinagahena.

3. An allotment of land called Lalkandurawatta, situate at the village Weligampola aforesaid; bounded on the east by the property belonging to Mr. Newman and Mala-ela of Bogahawatta Punchiralagewatta, on the south by Lalkanduru-oya, on the west by the limit of Bannekgedara Punchiralagewatta and Mahagala, and on the north by the limit of Punchiralagewatta; containing in extent 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  acre.

4. An allotment of land called Dangahatennehena, situate at the village Weligampola aforesaid, in extent about 3 acres; bounded on the east by the limit of Dingirigewatta, on the south by Crown lands, on the west by Kurahangalamulawatta, and on the north by the path leading to Dekanda.

5. Three acres in extent of the land exclusive of Gedarawatta, Panewatta, and paddy field of the land called Panwattahena, situate at Nawangama in Pasbage korale aforesaid; bounded on the east by the chena land called Bannekgedara Punchirala, south by the limit of Niyandagala estate, on the west by Lalkanduru-oya, and on the north by the garden of Ganitagedara Kiri Menika, of about 5 acres in extent in the whole.

6. The remaining portion of the land called Kurahangalamulahena, save and except the southern 2 acres thereof, containing about 12 amunams in extent in the whole; bounded on the east by Dangastennehena and Crown land and Galbeddedelgahamulahena, on the south by Niyandagala and Puppalakelewatta, on the west by a road leading to Dekinda and Crown land, and on the north by Galayhena and Crown land.

7. All that portion allowed by the Government on the western side of the land comprising (1) Panwattahena, (2) Ambagahamulahena, (3) Kokuellahena, (4) Kurahangalaketuwagawahena, (5) Ninewatunagalumulahena, all situate at Dekinda in Pasbage korale aforesaid, all of ten amunams in extent more or less; bounded on the east by the limit of Niyandagahawatta, the road to Dekinda, on the south by Lalkanduru-oya and the ditch of Bogahawattagedara Punchirala, on the west by the Mahaweli-ganga, and on the north by the limit of Luwishamy's garden.

8. An allotment of land called Puwakgahadeniya, situate in the village Weligampola aforesaid; bounded on the north by Puwakgahadeniyahena and Puwakgahadeniya-aswedduma claimed by H. Huratala, east by a path, south by Kokelahena claimed by B. Panchirala, west by Deyakolagahamulahena claimed by Lewishamy and Puwakgahadeniyahena claimed by H. Huratala; containing in extent 4 acres 2 roods and 10 perches.

9. An allotment of land called Galpottadeniyagomana, situate in the village Weligampola aforesaid; bounded on the north by Dangastennehena claimed by H. Huratala, Dangastennewatta and Dangastennewatta claimed by M. Dingiri, Dangastennehena claimed by G. Tikiri and others, Dangastennewatta claimed by H. Ratarana Huratala; east by a Crown land, Galpottadeniya and Palaniammagewatta, and Godellahena Hinattamulahena claimed by H. Rana; south by Godedehiwattamulahena and Kurahangalahena claimed by H. Pinna; containing in extent 4 acres and 33 perches.

10. An allotment of land called Ketakitulpandura, situate in the Weligampola aforesaid; and bounded on the west and north by Puwakgahadeniyahena claimed by H. Huratala, east by Mollilage-elahena and Kurahangalahena claimed by H. Pinna, south by Puwakgahadeniya and Puwakgahadeniyaswedduma claimed by H. Huratala; containing in extent 1 acre and 2 roods.

11. An allotment of land called Kokallahena, situate in the village Weligampola aforesaid; bounded on the north by Diyakolagahamulahena claimed by Lewishamy and land described in plan No. 153,707, east by a path, south by land described in plan No. 44,994, west by Pandeniyahena and Pandeniyawatta claimed by W. Dingiriappu and Kokolahena claimed by B. Panchirala; containing in extent 10 acres 3 roods and 20 perches.

12. An allotment of land called Dangastennehena, situate in the village Weligampola in Pasbage korale aforesaid; bounded on the north by Malingalahena claimed by H. Pinna and a path, east by Dangastennewatta claimed by M. Dingiri, south by land described in plan No. 153,706, west by Kurahangalahena claimed by H. Pinna; containing in extent 3 acres 1 rood and 18 perches.

13. Two undivided third parts of all that land called Ambagahamulahena, situate at Nawangama of the extent of 3 pelas paddy sowing; bounded on the east by patana and stone, on the south by the ditch of the Kiriappu's garden, on the west by the road leading to Niyanda, and on the north by three stones marked with numbers thereon belonging to Sallappu.

14. All that portion of the extent of  $\frac{3}{4}$  acres towards the east of all that high land called Kegallayowita, situate in the village Weligampola aforesaid, of three amunams paddy sowing extent; bounded on the east by delgaha and Karawgaha, on the south by the boundary of the cleared land, on the west by delgaha and ant-hill, and on the north by Mahaweli-ganga.

15. An allotment of land situate in the village Weligampola aforesaid; bounded on the north by Milligahamulahena, and on all other sides by Ashbourne estate; containing in extent 2 acres and 34 perches.

16. An allotment of land called Ambamulla, situate in the village Weligampola aforesaid; bounded on the north by paddy fields of Karuppen, south by Galemula-ela, on the east and west by Ashbourne estate, and said to contain about  $3\frac{1}{2}$  acres.

17. An exact half share out of the five pelas paddy sowing extent towards the west by the land called Godedehiattamulahena, or containing in extent 2 acres, as appearing in the figure of survey made by George Ellis de Zilva, Licensed Surveyor, dated November 7, 1901, situate in the village Weligampola aforesaid; bounded on the north by Galpottadeniya and a block, on the east by land belonging to Peruma Duraya and ditch, on the south by water-course, on the west by Ashbourne estate and ditch, with the buildings and plantations thereon.

Amount of writ, Rs. 2,575.49 and interest.

A. V. WOUTERSZ,  
Deputy Fiscal

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, July 12, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Richard Daniel of Colombo.....Plaintiff  
No. 18,610. Vs.

1, Samuel Munesinghe of Kotte road; 2, Joseph Munesinghe; 3, James Charles Amarasekere, Mudaliyar; 4, Charles Munesinghe; 5, Francis Munesinghe of Gregorys road in Colombo, individually and as curator of the estate of Mary Munesinghe, Georgina Munesinghe, Alice Munesinghe, William Munesinghe, and Polydora Munesinghe; 6, Mary Munesinghe; 7, Georgiana Munesinghe; 8, Alice Munesinghe; 9, William Munesinghe; 10, Polydora Munesinghe, all of Madampe...Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on August 14, 1905, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, mortgaged and decreed to be sold by judgment entered in the above case, namely, all those seventeen undivided eighteen parts or shares of and in all that estate or plantation called and known as Pihillekanda, situate in the District of Matale, and comprising the following allotments of land, to wit:—

1. All that allotment of land called Pihillekanda, situate at Dumbukola in the Udasiya pattu of Matale; bounded on the south-west by land said to belong to the Crown and by land claimed by natives, and on all other sides by land claimed by natives; containing in extent (exclusive of the portion marked A) 30 acres 2 roods and 22 perches, as per title plan No. 56,022, save and except that portion of the said land of 6 acres in extent, marked B to the north of the Crown reserve marked A in the said plan, and the south-eastern portion of the said land marked C of 8 acres in extent sold to Mr. J. H. Barber.

2. All that allotment of land called Buluwamulahena, situate at Dumbukola aforesaid; bounded on the north-east and east by land described in plan No. 56,022, on the south-east, south, and south-west by Buluwamulahena claimed by Mr. Munesinghe and others, and on the north-west by land described in plan No. 90,958; containing in extent 3 roods and 3 perches according to the Government title plan No. 143,891.

3. All that allotment of land called Buluwamulahena, situate at Dumbukola aforesaid; bounded on the north by land described in plans Nos. 146,147, and 143,894, on the north-east by land described in plan No. 143,891 and Buluwamulahena claimed by Mr. Munesinghe, on the east by land described in plan No. 146,147 and Buluwamulahena claimed by Mr. Munesinghe, on the south by land described in plan No. 146,346, on the south-west by lands described in plans Nos. 146,145 and 146,147, and on the north-west by land described in plan No. 146,147; containing in extent 6 acres 1 rood and 31 perches as per title plan No. 146,146.

4. All that allotment of land called Buluwamulahena, situate at Dumbukola aforesaid; bounded on the north and north-east by land described in plan No. 143,891, on the east by land described in plan No. 146,147, on the south-east by lands described in plans Nos. 146,146 and 146,145, on the south by land described in plan No. 146,146, on the west by lands described in plans Nos. 146,146 and 90,958, and on the north-west by land described in plan No. 90,958; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 33 perches as per title plan No. 146,147.

5. All that allotment of land called Buluwamulahena, situate at Dumbukola aforesaid; bounded on the north-east and east by land described in plan No. 146,146, on the south by lands described in plans Nos. 146,346 and 146,144, on the south-west by land described in plan No. 146,346, on the west by lands described in plans Nos. 90,958 and 146,144, and north-west by lands described in plans Nos. 90,958 and 146,146; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 18 perches as per title plan No. 146,145.

6. All that allotment of land called Buluwamulahena, situate at Dumbukola aforesaid; bounded on the north and east by land described in plan No. 146,145, on the south by land described in plan 146,346, and on the west

and north-west by lands described in plan No. 90,958 ; containing in extent 1 rood and 8 perches as per title plan No. 146,144.

7. All that allotment of land called Delgolla, situate at Ukkuwala in the District of Matale ; bounded on the north-east by land described in plan No. 56,022, on the east by land claimed by Matale Ratemahatmaya, and on all other sides by lands claimed by natives ; containing in extent 40 acres and 18 perches according to the title plan No. 90,958, excluding, however, therefrom a portion in extent of 9 acres to the south sold to Thomas Hodgson.

8. All that allotment of land called Katakanaampehena, situate in the village Ukkuwala aforesaid ; bounded on the south-east by Katakanaampe claimed by Tikiri Banda, late Arachchi, on the south-west and west by railway, and on all other sides by a road ; containing in extent 2 acres 2 roods and 39 perches in extent as per title plan No. 146,336.

9. All that allotment of land called Katakanaambe, situate at Ukkuwala aforesaid ; bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 146,314, Jambugahamukalana claimed by G. Wijekoon and Kirindegala claimed by Tikiri Banda, late Arachchi, and another, on the south-east by land described in plan No. 90,958 and a road, on the south and south-west by a road, and on the west by land described in plan No. 146,337 ; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 18 perches, as per title plan No. 146,338.

10. All that allotment of land called Katakanaambe, situate at Ukkuwala aforesaid ; bounded on the north by Tawalankolahena claimed by Juanis Fernando and land described in plan No. 146,314, on the east by lands described in plans Nos. 146,314 and 146,338, on the south-west by a road ; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 34 perches as per title plan No. 146,337, and all of which said several lands and premises above described (exclusive of the portions reserved or above-mentioned) adjoin each other and form one property called and known as Pihillakande estate ; and bounded or abutted as follows : on the north by Crown reserved, marked A and by land belonging to Messrs. Hodgson & Company, on the east by land belonging to J. H. Barber, on the south and south-west by lands belonging to Mr. Hodgson, on the west by rail road to Matale, together with all the buildings, stores, machinery, tools, fixtures, implements, cattle, and other the dead and live stock in and upon the said premises called Pihillakande or thereto belonging or used therewith.

Amount of writ, Rs. 4,000 and interest.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kandy, July 12, 1905.

A. V. WOUTERSZ,  
Deputy Fiscal.

### Southern Province.

In the District Court of Galle.

A. L. S. Saminathen Chetty, by his attorney  
A. L. S. Alagappa Chetty of Kaluwella.....Plaintiff.  
No. 6,400. Vs.

Ginige John de silva of Gonapinuwala and  
others.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, August 19, 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. Lot No. 6 of the garden called Weliketiyewatta lying towards the north, situate at Modarapatuwata, and all the upstairs boutique house standing thereon built of stones, 19 ft. in length and 35 ft. in breadth, together with two cocoanut trees standing thereon.

2. Seven cocoanut trees and the soil lying within the walls erected on the lots Nos. 5 and 6 of Weliketiyewatta, at ditto.

3.  $\frac{2}{3}$  parts of the field called Pimburudeniya of the extent of about two acres, at ditto.

4. An undivided  $\frac{1}{200}$  part, exclusive of the planter's share of the first plantation, of Maradanewatteowita and

the 45 cocoanut trees of the second plantation thereon, at Dodanduwa.

Writ amount Rs. 777-62, with legal interest on Rs. 447-87 from July 16, 1902.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,  
Galle, July 7, 1905.

In the District Court of Galle.

Kaluachchi Sardiel de Silva of Tiranagama.....Plaintiff.  
No. 7,610. Vs.

Nanayakkarawassan Patabendige Don Charles  
de Silva of Werellana.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, August 12, 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 defendant in the following property, viz. :—

1. All the fruit trees and soil and the buildings standing on the residing garden of the defendant, in extent about four acres, at Werellana.

2. The young plantation made by defendant, the share of the old plantation, and the share belonging to him of the land called Ayappuwegewatta *alias* Gasbarugewatta, in extent about 1 acre, with the boutique standing on the said land, at ditto.

Writ amount Rs. 2,283-12, with interest on Rs. 2,200 at 9 per cent. per annum from November 11, 1904.

Fiscal's Office,  
Galle, July 7, 1905.

C. T. LEEBRUGGEN,  
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Matara.

Ediriweera Arukatti Patabendige Siman-  
hamy of Gandara ..... Plaintiff.  
No. 3,316. Vs.

1, Don Siman Abeyagunewardena Yapa, and  
2, Madawala Liyanage Don Juwanis, both  
of Naorunna ..... Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, August 11, 1905, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title and interest of the said defendants in the following property, in the consecutive order of the list, viz. :—

1. An allotment of land called Diyagahahena, situate at Babarenda in the Wellaboda pattu of the Matara District ; and bounded on the north by land described in plan No. 155,717 and Rajapaksagehenedeniya and Wellappuligewewa, on the east by Diyagahahena, on the south by lands described in plans Nos. 155,725 and 155,713, and on the west by lands described in plan No. 155,724 ; containing in extent 4 acres 3 roods and 21 perches.

2. An allotment of land called Diyagahahena, situate at ditto ; and bounded on the north by Wellappuligewewa, on the east by land reserved, on the south by Nidanahena and Maddumagehena, and on the west by lands described in plans Nos. 155,725 and 155,716 ; containing in extent 2 acres 1 rood and 30 perches.

3. An allotment of land called Diyagahahena, at ditto ; and bounded on the north and west by land described in plan No. 155,716, east by Diyagahahena and Nidanahena, and on the south by land described in plan No. 155,713 ; containing in extent 1 acre 2 roods and 18 perches.

4. An allotment of land called Diyagahahenekele, situated at ditto ; and bounded on the north by Lindareeatmaga, on the east by Rajapaksagehenedeniya, on the south by land described in plan No. 155,716, and on the west by land described in plan No. 155,724 ; containing in extent 1 acre 1 rood and 21 perches.

Writ amount Rs. 557-82, with further interest on Rs. 410 at the rate of 20 per cent. per annum from February 6, 1904, till May 27, 1904, and legal interest on the aggregate amount from this date till payment in full, and costs of suit.

H. J. DE LIVERA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Matara, July 7, 1905.

In the District Court of Colombo.

1, Arunasalam Chetty, son of Velleyan Chetty, and 2, Santramanli Chetty, son of Arunasalam Chetty, both of Kanadukatham Tirupatur, Madura, Southern India, carrying on business under the name and style and firm or villasam of Veyna Ana Runa.....Plaintiffs.

No. 18,674. Vs.

Owen Bernard Wijesekara of Staple street, Slave Island, Colombo.....Defendant.

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

The allotments of land called Oliyagankela *alias* Galpolahena, Yakadagalpolahena, and Kurunduwatta, situate at Aturaliya in the Gangaboda pattu of the Matara District; and bounded on the north by land claimed by P. Don Loku Appu and P. Don Louis and land claimed by natives, on the east by the Crown lands, and Halielewewa, on the south by the Crown lands and on the west by the land described in plan No. 116,670 and by a path; containing in extent, exclusive of the road passing through the land, 43 acres 3 roods and 18 perches.

Writ amount Rs. 26,558, with interest at 12 per cent. per annum from June 24, 1904, till payment in full.

H. J. DE LIVERA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,  
Matara, July 7, 1905.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

Liyanaige Stephen de Silva Appuhamy of Wirahena and another.....Plaintiffs.

No. 3,102. Vs.

Davith de Silva Gunasekara Arachchirala of Makawita.....Defendant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that on Saturday, August 12, 1905, 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.:-

Soil and productive trees of the contiguous lands, Kongahamulahena, Timbirigahamulahena, Kotuwehena *alias* Kanathehena, Pataba-agare Galagawahena, Kahatagahamulahena, Kadurugahamulahena, Galagawahenyaya, Atapattuwe *alias* Kongahamulahena, Galgodahena, Ehatugahamulahenyaya, Weheragawahenyaya, Galagawahenyaya, Palugahamulahena, Meda-agarahena, Kongahamulahena, Patabagamahena, Timbirigahamulahena, Backmeegahamulahena, Galpottehena, Galagawahena, Kahatagahahena, Mellagonnawemahawalagawahena, Kongahamulahena, and Kajugahamulahena, situate at Udubaddawa and Pallevela in Katugampola korale of the Katugampola hatpattu, with the building standing thereon, of about 300 acres in extent; and is bounded on the north by lands belonging to Menuhamy and others, east by lands belonging to Herathamy and village limit of Werambuwa, south by lands belonging to Juan Appu and others and Crown land, west by the drain and water-course which separate the lands belonging to defendant.

Amount to be levied is Rs. 5,375.50, with interest and poundage.

Fiscal's Office,  
Kurunegala, July 12, 1905.

C. V. REBEIRA,  
Deputy Fiscal.

**I.** STEPHEN MONTAGU BURROWS, Fiscal for the North-Western Province, do hereby appoint Mr. A.V. Herat to be Marshal for the Division of Pitigal Korale North and Central in the District of Chilaw, under the provisions of the Fiscals' Ordinance, No. 4 of 1867, and authorize him to perform the duties and exercise the authority of Marshal from June 30, 1905, during the absence of Mr. David Fernando on leave, for which this shall be his warrant.

This 30th day of June, 1905.

S. M. BURROWS,  
Fiscal.

## DISTRICT AND MINOR COURTS NOTICES.

### Return of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Colombo for the Half-year ended June 30, 1905.

No. of Case.	Name of Insolvent.	Date of refusal of Certificate.
2,166	Amardaya Samuel Moses	April 6, 1905
District Court, Colombo, July 11, 1905.		

J. R. WEINMAN,  
District Judge.

### List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Negombo for the Half-year ended June 30, 1905.

No. of Case.	Name of Insolvent.	Residence.	Remarks.
69	Mihidukulasuriya Hugo Polycarp Fernando	Negombo	Pending. On the motion of the assignee Proctor Mr. Willenberg appointed auditor to audit the accounts filed by him.
71	E. A. de Zoysa	Negombo	June 8, 1905. Supreme Court allowed a certificate of the second class, but suspended the issue of the same for one year.
72	Kanapathyar Vellepuram	Minuwangoda	Pending. Notice issued to the assignee.
73	Debewalage Don James de Philips	Kurana	Pending. Insolvent files a statement of his liabilities. Fix for certificate examination.

District Court,  
Negombo, July 12, 1905.

G. W. WOODHOUSE,  
District Judge.

**List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Kandy for the Half-year ended  
June 30, 1905.**

District Court,  
Kandy July 7, 1905.

Nil.

J. H. DE SARAM,  
District Judge.

**List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Mullaittivu for the Half-year  
ended June 30, 1905.**

District Court,  
Mullaittivu, July 6, 1905.

Nil.

R. A. G. FESTING,  
District Judge.

**Return of Moneys received and paid on account of Estates under Official Administration for the  
Half-year ended June 30, 1905.**

District Court,  
Mullaittivu, July 6, 1905.

Nil.

R. A. G. FESTING,  
District Judge.

**Return of Testamentary Cases under Official Administration for the Half-year ended June 30, 1905.**

District Court,  
Anuradhapura, July 10, 1905.

Nil.

C. D. VIGORS,  
District Judge.

**List of Uncertificated Insolvents in the District Court of Anuradhapura for the Half-year ended  
June 30, 1905.**

District Court,  
Anuradhapura, July 10, 1905.

Nil.

C. D. VIGORS,  
District Judge.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Kandy by (1) Cathirawelu, (2) Raman, (3) Muttoo, and (4) Narayanan, late of Peradeniya estate, against the proprietor of New Peradeniya estate, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 48.

Court of Requests,  
Kandy, June 30, 1905.

JNO. HARDING,  
Chief Clerk.

**A**NY person who may have a claim to the under-mentioned furniture and timber seized in Matara Police Court, case No. 16,439, and in respect of which there is reason to believe that an offence under the Forest Ordinance has been committed, is requested to come before me and establish his claim within six months from the date hereof. The property referred to is at present under seizure at the instance of the Assistant Government Agent, Matara :—

*List referred to*

6 loungers  
Completed pieces of 11 loungers  
4 posts for a large bed

1 small nedun bed  
11 nedun planks 6 ft. by 2½ in. by 6  
Some old pieces of wood

H. E. BEVEN,  
Police Magistrate.

Police Court,  
Matara, July 7, 1905.

## DRAFT ORDINANCE.

*(Continued from page 411.)*

### MINUTE.

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

**An Ordinance to extend the Powers of Municipal Councils and Local Boards with regard to the Provision and Maintenance of Schools.**

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS by Ordinance No. 33 of 1884, intituled "An Ordinance to authorize Municipal Councils and Local Boards of Health to provide for the Maintenance of Schools in which the English Language is taught," municipal councils and local boards were empowered to pay from their funds the salaries of the teachers and such other expenses as might be necessary of certain schools in which the English language is taught; and it is expedient that such municipal councils and local boards should be further empowered to make provision for the establishment and maintenance of schools in which instruction is given in the vernacular languages: 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 Schools Ordinance, 1905."
Power to extend provisions of Ordinance to other municipal and local board towns.	2 It shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, by Proclamation in the <i>Government Gazette</i> , to bring the provisions of this Ordinance or such of them as shall be specified in such Proclamation into operation within any municipal or local board town, and in every such Proclamation the limits of such municipal or local board town shall be set out and defined, and the Governor, with the advice aforesaid, may from time to time revoke, alter, vary, or amend any such Proclamation.
Definition.	3 In this Ordinance, unless the context otherwise requires, the word "parent" includes a guardian and any person who has the actual custody of a child.
Presumption as to occupier of premises in which child resides.	4 The occupier of the premises in which any child usually resides shall be presumed to have the custody of such child until the contrary be proved.
Power of municipal council or local board to make provision for instruction in vernacular languages.	5 (1) It shall be lawful for any municipal council or local board, if they shall consider it expedient so to do, to make provision from the municipal or local board fund for the establishment and maintenance of one or more schools within the limits of the jurisdiction of any municipal or local board town for the instruction of children in the vernacular languages. (2) The expenditure which such municipal council or local board, as the case may be, is hereby authorized to incur shall include the cost of acquiring and purchasing sites for school buildings, of providing suitable school buildings, and providing the same with the necessary furniture, maps, books, and equipment, and of paying the salaries of a suitable staff of teachers, caretakers, and attendants, and of one or more attendance officers to be appointed as hereinafter provided. (3) The site, buildings, furniture, and articles so acquired and provided shall be the property of the municipal council or local board, as the case may be.
Power to make by-laws.	6 (1) A municipal council or local board, as the case may be, may from time to time make, and when made may revoke, amend, alter, or vary such by-laws as may seem necessary or expedient for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance, and may impose penalties for the contravention thereof not exceeding a fine of twenty rupees, and an additional fine not exceeding ten rupees per day in case of a continuing offence. (2) No by-law, or revocation, amendment, alteration, or variation of any by-law shall have effect until the same is confirmed by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council. (3) All by-laws when so confirmed shall be published in the <i>Government Gazette</i> in the English, Sinhalese, and Tamil languages, respectively, and from the date of such publication shall have the same force as if they had been enacted by this Ordinance. (4) All such by-laws shall be laid before the Legislative Council if in session within one month of such publication, and if not in session within one month of the commencement of the session next ensuing, and in either case they shall be on the table during four sittings at least of the Council, and any by-law which has been approved by resolution of the Council shall cease to have any force or effect.
	7 (1) The by-laws made under the last preceding section may provide among other things for— (a) Specifying the limits of any area within the municipal or local board town for which a school is established. (b) Requiring the parent of any child or children between the ages of six years old and twelve years old residing within such area to cause such child or children to attend school. Provided further that no parent shall be liable hereunder to cause his child



or children to attend such school, if he proves to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Instruction that he has made other efficient provision for the education of such child or children, or if he proves that he has other reasonable excuse for not causing such child or children to attend. A parent shall be deemed to have a reasonable excuse for not causing his child to attend school, if he proves that the child is prevented from attending by sickness or other unavoidable cause.

- (c) Determining the days on which and the hours during which children shall attend such school.
- (d) Prescribing, on the recommendation of the Director of Public Instruction, the course of instruction to be given in schools.
- (e) For every other purpose which may by such municipal council or local board, as the case may be, be deemed necessary for carrying out the provisions of this Ordinance. Provided that nothing herein contained shall in any way restrict or be construed to restrict the generality of the powers conferred by the last preceding section, but such powers shall extend to all matters, whether similar or not to those in this section mentioned as to which it may be expedient to make by-laws for the better carrying into effect of the objects of this Ordinance.

Appointment of attendance officers.

8 It shall be lawful for the Director of Public Instruction, on the requisition of a municipal council or local board, to appoint one or more attendance officers to carry out the provisions of this Ordinance. Attendance officers so appointed shall be officers of the Government, and subject in all respects to the rules and regulations of the Public Service. The salaries of such attendance officers shall be fixed by the municipal council or local board, but shall be paid in the first instance from the Colonial Treasury. The amount, however, so paid shall be refunded to the Treasury by the municipal council or local board at such times as the Governor shall direct.

Power of attendance officer to require information with regard to children.

9 It shall be lawful for any attendance officer appointed under this Ordinance to require the occupier of any premises to give full information with regard to the children residing in such premises and of the provision, if any, which is made for their instruction, and if necessary to produce such children before him for inspection.

Power of attendance officer to enter and search premises.

10 Whenever the occupier of any house, premises, or place refuses to give such information as aforesaid to the attendance officer, or gives information which the attendance officer has reasonable ground for believing to be false, it shall be lawful for the attendance officer, at any time between sunrise and sunset, to enter and search such house, premises, or place, and the occupier of the same shall afford him all reasonable facilities for so doing; and every occupier who fails or refuses to afford such facilities shall be guilty of an offence, and liable on conviction to the penalties prescribed in the following section.

Penalties.

11 Any person who refuses to give an attendance officer any information which such attendance officer is authorized by this Ordinance to require, or wilfully gives information which is false in any particular, or wilfully obstructs any attendance officer or any person acting under the lawful orders of an attendance officer in the discharge of his duties, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction thereof to be punished with imprisonment of either description for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, or with both.

How prosecutions are to be instituted.

12 (1) Every prosecution in respect of an offence under this Ordinance may be instituted by a written report made by an attendance officer and certified by the Director of Public Instruction that such offence has been committed

being presented to a police magistrate or, in the case of a municipal town, a municipal magistrate.

(2) All fines imposed under this Ordinance may be recovered in the case of municipal towns in the manner provided by "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," for the recovery of fines imposed under that Ordinance, and in case of local board towns, in the manner provided by "The Local Boards' Ordinance, 1898," for the recovery of fines imposed under that Ordinance.

Power of  
magistrate in  
certain cases to  
order child to be  
sent to certified  
industrial  
school.

13 (1) If any child of such age as to be liable to attend school habitually and without reasonable excuse neglects to attend such school, or is found habitually wandering about the streets and not under proper control, or in the company of disorderly or immoral persons or of reputed criminals, it shall be the duty of the attendance officer, after due warning to the child and to the parents of the child, if they can be found, to present a written report certified by the Director of Public Instruction to a magistrate, and the magistrate shall summon such child and the parents (if they can be found) before him, and if satisfied of the truth of the report may order such child, if a male, to be whipped in accordance with the provisions of "The Flogging Regulation Ordinance, 1904," or order any such child to be sent to any school or institution certified by the Governor under "The Youthful Offenders' Ordinance, 1886" (hereinafter referred to as "a certified industrial school"), for such period not less than three months, or more than six months, as to such magistrate shall seem proper.

(2) The costs of maintaining and educating the child at the certified industrial school shall be defrayed, in the first instance, from the municipal or local board fund, but the magistrate may in his discretion issue an order to the parent of such child requiring such parent to pay the whole or any part of the costs of such maintenance, provided that such order may be made on the application of an attendance officer appointed under this Ordinance, and shall be made and enforced so far as is consistent with the provisions of this Ordinance in the manner provided by sections 32 to 37 inclusive of "The Youthful Offenders' Ordinance, 1886."

Procedure.

14 With regard to proceedings before a magistrate under this Ordinance or under any by-laws thereunder, the following provisions shall have effect :

- (1) In any proceeding for an offence under a by-law the magistrate may, instead of inflicting a penalty, make an order directing that the child shall attend school, and that if he fails to do so, the person on whom such order is made shall pay a penalty not exceeding the penalty to which he is liable for failing to comply with the by-law.
- (2) Any magistrate may require by summons any parent of a child required by by-law to attend school to produce the child before him, and any person failing without reasonable excuse, proof whereof shall lie on the parent, to comply with such summons shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifteen rupees.
- (3) When a child is apparently of the age alleged for the purpose of the proceeding, it shall lie on the defendant to prove that the child is not of that age.
- (4) A certificate purporting to be under the hand of the Director of Public Instruction stating that a child has reached a particular standard of education, or is or is not under efficient instruction, or stating that any school "does or does not provide efficient instruction," or stating that any person has been appointed an attendance officer under this Ordinance, shall be evidence of the facts stated in such certificate.

By His Excellency's command,

A. M. ASBMORE,  
Colonial Secretary,  
Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, July 14, 1905.

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*Statement of Objects and Reasons.*

THE general purpose of the Draft Ordinance is to empower Municipal Councils and Local Boards to make provision from local funds for the instruction of children in the vernacular languages.

2. The Ordinance is not of general application, but is operative only in such Municipal or Local Board towns as the Governor may designate for the purpose.

3. Municipal Councils and Local Boards are authorized to pass by-laws enforcing the attendance of children between the ages of six and twelve, unless their parents have made other efficient provisions for their education.

4. The course of instruction to be given in the schools is prescribed by the Council or Local Board on the recommendation of the Director of Public Instruction.

5. The Director of Public Instruction is empowered to appoint attendance officers paid from the Municipal or Local Board fund for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Ordinance. Attendance officers by sections 9 and 10 are given special powers and protection in carrying out their duties.

6. Children who habitually neglect to attend school or are found habitually wandering in the streets or in bad company may be summoned before a Magistrate, who may order the child, if a male, to be whipped, or to be sent to a school certified under the Youthful Offenders Act.

Colombo, June 7, 1905

ALFRED G. LASCELLES,  
Attorney-General.