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## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.

### MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

Minutes of Proceedings of a Meeting of the Municipal Council of Kandy held in the Town Hall, Kandy, on Saturday, December 16, 1899, at 8.30 o'clock a.m., in accordance with Notice dated December 11, 1899.

*Present*:—Hon. Mr. H. Hay Cameron, Chairman; J. H. Sproule, Esq.; E. Beven, Esq.; C. Vanderwall, Esq.; R. W. Jonklaas, Esq.; A. Philip, Esq.; Dr. J. Craib; and W. W. Pole Fletcher, Esq.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Regular Meeting held on November 18 were read, confirmed, and signed by the Chairman; also Minutes of an Adjourned Meeting held on December 1, as corrected by omission of the portion commencing "Mr. Philip proposed" and ending "would be necessary;" and of a Special Meeting held on December 2 to consider the Budget.

2. The following documents were submitted:—Statements of Receipts and Expenditure from close of 1898 to November 30 on account of the Municipal Fund and Water-rate Account; Progress Report of Work done brought up to the same date; Health Officer's Report and Statement of Cases instituted by the several Inspectors during the month of November.

Resolved,—That the several statements as submitted,—the details of information being limited to those given in the statement published to August 31,—together with the Minutes of Proceedings of the Meetings, as required by section 90 of the Municipal Councils' Ordinance, No. 7 of 1887, and the Health Officer's report, be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following papers were laid on the table:—

(a) Return of tolls collected by the several collectors on behalf of the Municipal Council to end of November.

(b) Reports by the several Inspectors on laundries inspected during November, and registers; also letter dated December 13 from the Health Officer, suggesting that certain laundries, of which he submits a list, be struck off the register.

Resolved,—That the Health Officer be requested to furnish in detail the reasons for his recommendation, and that when received the papers will be circulated.

## 4. Correspondence. The following letters were submitted :—

*Nomination of Councillor.*

- (a) Memorandum from the Colonial Secretary, dated November 30, forwarding copy of letter to Mr. W. W. Pole Fletcher, intimating his nomination as a Member of the Municipal Council of Kandy.

*By-laws under Section 5 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1894.*

- (b) Letter No. 63 from the Colonial Secretary, dated November 18, intimating the confirmation of by-laws under Ordinance No. 2 of 1894, relating to burial of corpses.

*Electric Lighting of Government Buildings.*

- (c) Letter No. 64, dated November 22, from the Colonial Secretary, stating that (1) in the absence of plans and estimates of cost of supplying Government buildings no provision has been made in the supply estimates for next year ; (2) that the Audience Hall may be added to the list of buildings to be lighted with the electric light.

*By-laws under Section 5 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1894.*

- (d) Letter No. 65, dated November 29, from the Colonial Secretary, forwarding copies of by-laws under section 5 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1894, relating to burials.

*Return of Leprosy Cases.*

- (e) Letter No. 66, dated December 2, from the Colonial Secretary, requesting a return of the number and locale of cases of leprosy within the Municipality, exclusive of cases in hospitals.

*Electric Lighting of Government Buildings.*

- (f) Letter No. 67, dated December 7, from the Colonial Secretary, pointing out that the result of the delay in furnishing plans and estimates of cost for supplying Government buildings with electric light is that no provision can now be made in the estimates for 1900 ; also Chairman's reply to the effect that the delay was due to unavoidable causes, and that the matter is one which appears to rest between the Government and the Gas and Water Company, the Municipal Council not being interested pecuniarily.

*Sale of Municipal Tolls.*

- (g) Read letter No. 115, dated December 5, from the Government Agent, submitting the following offers for toll rents for 1900 :—

	Rs.	c.
Peradeniya bridge ...	2,870	0
Iriyagama road ...	1,330	0
Ampitiya and Gurudeniya ...		

The papers had been duly circulated.

Resolved that the offers be accepted as recommended by the Government Agent.

*Sale of Opium Licenses.*

- (h) Read letter No. 119 of December 12, from the Government Agent, stating that Rs. 2,300 only had been offered for the license for sale of opium.

Resolved.—That the Government Agent be asked to call for tenders, to be sent in by 12 noon on December 22, and that he be authorized to accept the present offer, provided no more satisfactory bids be received by tender—that notice be issued in the town in English and Sinhalese.

*Mr. Poulrier's Case.*

- (i) Read letter dated November 22 and December 15, from Mr. George Poulrier, in respect of his compulsory retirement on pension, and asking that rule 19 of the Pension Rules may be made applicable to his case.

Resolved.—That Mr. Poulrier's leave be extended for a further period till January 31, 1900, on full pay, from which date his pension should commence.

5. With leave of the Council Mr. R. W. Jonklaas withdrew his motion, of which he had given notice (respecting notice to Mr. Marcellis).

6. It was proposed by Mr. Beven, in accordance with notice, seconded by Mr. Sproule, "that consequent on the extension of the limits of the Municipality, application be made to the Governor in Executive Council to alter the number of divisions to six."

Resolved, with consent of the Council, that the consideration of this motion be postponed till next meeting, pending which the Secretary will prepare a draft schedule embodying Mr. Beven's suggestion.

7. In accordance with notice Mr. Beven proposed that Government be asked to amend by-law 20 of chapter XII. of the by-laws of the Municipality of Kandy by substituting for "one thousand gallons" the words "three thousand gallons."

With leave of Council Mr. Beven altered three thousand to two thousand.

On receiving the assurance of the Secretary and Superintendent of Works that the concession might be made without inconvenience, it was unanimously resolved that the motion as amended be adopted.

8. Petition dated November 14, from a Sub-Committee of ratepayers, praying that the allowance of water be increased to what it used to be previous to the passing of the present by-laws, and that no rent be recovered for use of meter.

Resolved.—That a reply be sent that the Council have resolved to ask Government to amend the by-laws 20 of chapter XII. of Ordinance No. 19 of 1896, increasing the allowance to 2,000 gallons ; but that the request with reference to charge for use of meter be refused.

9. The Chairman submitted a list of cesspits on premises in Trincomalee street, which the Health Officer recommended should be closed on sanitary grounds and dry-earth latrines substituted.

Resolved unanimously.—That special authority be granted to the Chairman, in accordance with section 209 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1887, as amended by section 33 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1896, to require the owners and occupiers of the following premises Nos. 62 to 65, 69 to 80, and 84 to 91, Trincomalee street, to close the cesspits and substitute dry-earth closets.

10. The Chairman submitted the following Supplemental Budget No. 2 approved of by the Standing Committee:—

## KANDY MUNICIPAL FUND.

## Supplemental Budget No. 2 (submitted to and approved of by the Standing Committee).

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Estimated revenue ...	—		115,488	90	Balance from 1898 ...	—		4,330	90
Loan from Government on account drainage ...	—		16,300	0	Estimated disbursements ...	—		119,730	4
Estimated savings, as per Statement A:					Probable over-estimate, as per Statement C ...	—		4,261	98
General revenue ...	1,588	30							
Consolidated rate ...	4,811	43	6,399	73	<i>Amount of New Votes.</i>				
Receipts in excess of estimate, as per Statement B ...			1,852	29	Public market—commission ...	300	0		
					Consolidated rate—assessors' fee...	315	0	615	0
			140,040	92				128,937	92
					Balance ...			11,103	0
								140,040	92

## Statement A.

## GENERAL REVENUE.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Estimated Savings.</i>					Time charges ...	42	63		
Cemetery account ...	41	53			Public works ...	2,056	62		
Commutation rate ...	109	38			Cattle shed ...	30	0		
Judicial account ...	4	60			Manure ...	25	0	2,548	78
Public market ...	123	22							
Scavenging ...	2,820	26			CONSOLIDATED RATE.			1,588	30
Taxes ...	0	20			<i>Estimated Savings.</i>				
Tolls ...	181	39			Police bill ...	1,400	0		
Engineer ...	855	0			Street lighting ...	3,426	43		
Arrears ...	1	50	4,137	8		4,826	43		
<i>Disbursements in Excess.</i>					Costs in excess ...	15	0	4,811	43
Miscellaneous ...	1	93						6,399	73
Office ...	74	60							
Pension ...	32	0							
Rents ...	10	65							
Slaughter-houses ...	265	10							
Stamp duties ...	10	25							

## Statement B.

## GENERAL REVENUE.

<i>Amount in excess of Estimates.</i>				<i>Disbursements.</i>			
<i>Receipts.</i>	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	<i>Receipts.</i>	Rs.	c.
Arrears ...	154	17			Brought forward ...	—	2,956 38
Cemetery account ...	55	84			Office charges ...	77	82
Commutation rate ...	149	0			Rents ...	24	6
Licenses ...	241	25			Sanitation ...	522	61
Miscellaneous ...	28	25			Plague precautions ...	844	20
Public market ...	152	42			Extra clerk ...	21	0
Rents ...	163	25			Petty cash ...	27	57
Slaughter-houses... ..	560	97			Suspense account ...	524	12
Taxes ...	19	85			Stores ...	136	79
Books ...	201	97			Steam boat ...	107	21
Guides ...	10	0			Interest to Bank... ..	18	18
Manure ...	279	45			CONSOLIDATED RATES.		2,303 56
Sundry debtors ...	330	82			<i>Receipts.</i>		
Securities ...	147	0			Arrears ...	1,212	10
Cattle shed ...	73	57			Costs ...	26	75
Clearing private cesspits ...	102	81					
Estimate No. 18 of 1898 ...	138	71			<i>Disbursements.</i>	1,238	85
Dog collars ...	54	15			Arrears ...	3	31
Cost on account market ...	92	90	2,956	38	Costs ...	36	7
							39 38
Carried forward ...	—		2,956	38			1,199 47
							Gr. 1,852 29

## Statement C.

## GENERAL REVENUE.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
<i>Amounts over-estimated.</i>					
Interest ...	273	96			
Judicial account...	867	15			
Miscellaneous ...	172	70			
Scavenging (night soil work)	2,587	90			
Taxes ...	0	50			
Tolls ...	2,609	10			
Public works ...	4	50			
				6,515	81
<i>Amounts under-estimated.</i>					
Licenses ...	46	0			
Arrears ...	20	0			
Cemetery account ...	150	0			
Commutation rate ...	60	0			
Public market ...	777	0			
Rents ...	100	0			
Slaughter-houses ...	975	0			
Carried forward ...	2,128	0	6,515	81	
					2,832 66
<b>Brought forward ...</b>					
				2,128	0
Stamp duties ...				1,258	45
Cattle shed ...				100	0
Manure ...				125	50
Costs ...				30	0
Office charges ...				41	20
					3,683 15
					2,832 66
<b>CONSOLIDATED RATES.</b>					
<i>Amounts over-estimated.</i>					
Assessment tax ...				1,279	32
Interest ...				150	0
					1,429 32
					Dr. 4,261 98

Kandy, November 20, 1899.

H. HAY CAMERON,  
Chairman.

## Supplemental Budget No. 2 (submitted to and approved of by the Standing Committee).

## Water-rate Account under Ordinance No. 18 of 1884.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Amount of estimated revenue ...	58,082	60	Balance on December 31, 1898 ...	811	22
Receipts in excess of estimate, as per Statement A ...	2,724	83	Estimated disbursements ...	57,844	80
Estimated savings, as per Statement B ...	589	66	Disbursements in excess of estimate, as per Statement C ...	16,557	53
Balance ...	14,018	96			
			<i>Amount of New Votes.</i>		
			Assessors' fees ...	15	0
			Premium on fire policy ...	187	50
					202 50
					75,416 5
					75,416 5

## Statement A.

## Receipts in Excess.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Arrears and costs ...	1,409	70	Rent of Hermitage bungalow ...	450	0
Bricks ...	160	0	Waterworks extension—for pipes sold ...	79	75
Use of motors ...	456	71			
House service—work done ...	135	38			
Costs ...	33	29			
					2,724 83

## Statement B.

## Estimated Savings.

	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Water-rate charges ...	24	75			
Interest on loans for land ...	602	89			
Working of estates ...	222	30			
					849 94
Waterworks maintenance ...					260 28
					589 66

## Statement C.

## Disbursements in Excess.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
House service—materials ...	298	93			Costs ...	86	8
Do. wages ...	535	74			Extra clerk ...	30	0
			884	67	Meters... ..	15,414	22
Waterworks extension—wages ...	104	0			Arrears ... ..	4	99
Do. materials ...	35	48					
			139	48			
Interest to Bank ...			98	9			
						16,557	53

Kandy, November 20, 1899.

H. HAY CAMERON,  
Chairman.

Resolved unanimously that the Supplemental Budget be approved of.

11. With leave of Council Mr. Jonklaas postponed, till next meeting, the questions of which he had given notice.

12. With leave of Council Mr. Jonklaas withdrew his motion, of which he had given notice, respecting the ascertaining from owners and occupiers the actual rent paid by them on their several premises, on the understanding that special instructions be given to the assessors before causing the next general assessment.

13. With consent of Council the motion respecting the proposed amendment of section 43 of the Municipal Councils' Ordinance, No. 7 of 1887, of which Mr. Jonklaas had given notice, was postponed till next meeting.

14. The following recommendation of the Standing Committee was approved of:—That the unexpended balance on estimate No. 20 (Rs. 156.09) be expended in the construction of a retaining wall and a portion of the side drain in Katukele Lake road, the urgent necessity for which was pointed out by the Superintendent of Works.

Confirmed at Kandy this 20th day of January, 1900.

H. WACE,  
Chairman.

## Statement of Receipts and Disbursements to November 30, 1899.

REVENUE.		Estimate.	Receipts.	EXPENDITURE.		Disbursements.
		Rs.	Rs.			Rs.
		c.	c.			c.
Arrears ...	1,555	0	1,731	Balance from 1899 ...	4,330	90
Cemetery account—fees ...	700	0	814	Arrears ...	153	0
Commutation rate ...	11,628	0	11,785	Cemetery account—wages and sundries ...	998	47
Interest ...	300	0	28	Commutation rate—commission and sundries ...	952	12
Judicial account—fines ...	3,000	0	1,785	Cattle shed—wages, &c. ...	105	33
Licenses ...	7,540	0	7,488	Government loan on account lake silt and road ...	4,000	0
Miscellaneous receipts ...	515	0	358	Interest on Government loan ...	1,440	0
Office charges—share by water-rate account ...	2,276	80	2,119	Judicial account—salaries and printing ...	1,557	90
Public market—rents ...	10,550	0	10,238	Licenses—printing, &c. ...	31	50
Rents ...	855	0	1,066	Miscellaneous charges ...	518	45
Scavenging ...	11,000	0	6,432	Office charges—salaries and sundries ...	10,653	55
Slaughter-houses—fees ...	4,125	0	5,176	Pension account ...	420	9
Cattle shed—rents ...	—	—	205	Public market—wages, lighting, &c. ...	1,579	17
Stamp duties ...	10,572	55	—	Rents—expenses on account Town Hall, &c. ...	240	58
Taxes ...	1,230	0	988	Sanitation and scavenging ...	35,314	83
Tolls ...	26,230	0	20,686	Steam boat Rs. 118.68, stamp duties Rs. 10.25 ...	128	93
Public Works—Government contribution ...	850	0	850	Taxes—expenses on account dogs and vehicles and animals ...	288	42
Recreation ground—rents ...	200	0	195	Slaughter-houses—wages, feeding cattle, &c. ...	1,601	50
Perahera booths ...	—	—	201	Time charges—wages, powder, &c. ...	456	13
Stores Rs. 2,899.13, suspense Rs. 12 ...	—	—	2,911	Tolls—wages and sundries ...	2,377	59
Securities Rs. 492, guides' deposits Rs. 26 ...	—	—	518	Volunteer and public band Rs. 1,100, plague precautions Rs. 1,683.77 ...	2,783	77
Estimate No. 18 of 1898 Rs. 388.71, dog collars Rs. 54.15 ...	—	—	442	Public works ...	17,787	85
Sundry debtors ...	—	—	727	Petty cash Rs. 53.08, suspense Rs. 536.12 ...	589	20
Costs on account market rents Rs. 92.90, manure Rs. 375.50 ...	—	—	468	Refunds to guides Rs. 12, extra clerk Rs. 21 ...	33	0
Clearing out private cesspits ...	—	—	757	Manure Rs. 99.50, stores Rs. 3,290.50, estimate No. 18 of 1898 Rs. 250 ...	3,640	0
Loan on account drainage ...	—	—	16,300	Sundry debtors Rs. 192.13, refund of securities Rs. 327 ...	519	13
Government moiety on account plague precautions ...	—	—	841	Clearing private cesspits Rs. 567, interest Rs. 18.18 ...	585	18
Assessment tax arrears—tax and costs ...	—	—	1,212	Assessment tax arrears—charges ...	3	31
Assessment tax, 1899 ...	22,211	55	18,668	Assessment tax, 1899—commission, &c. ...	653	44
Interest ...	150	0	—	Street lighting Rs. 2,114.59, street names, &c., Rs. 22.84 ...	2,137	43
Costs ...	—	—	30	Costs Rs. 36.07, assessors fees Rs. 15 ...	51	7
				Maintenance of police ...	5,779	3
					10,170	87
				Balance carried forward ...	13,319	62
	115,488	90	115,030			49

## Water-rate Account to November 30, 1899.

REVENUE.	Estimate. Rs. c.	Receipts. Rs. c.	Disburse- ments. Rs. c.
Water-rate arrears—rate and costs	—	1,409 70	
Water-rate, 1899...	25,707 60	22,079 54	Balance from 1898 ... 811 22
Interest ...	150 0	—	Water-rate arrears—charges... 4 99
Sale of grass ...	800 0	806 40	Water-rate, 1899—commission, salaries, &c. ... 2,721 61
Receipts from Fairieland and Roseneath ...	29,425 0	—	Interest and sinking fund ... 9,347 11
Water in excess Rs. 677-71, rent of meters Rs. 461 34 ...	2,000 0	1,139 5	Waterworks maintenance ... 5,051 42
Bricks sold ...	—	160 0	Working of Fairieland and Roseneath ... 524 82
House service for work done ...	—	135 38	House service—materials and wages ... 837 42
Costs Rs. 37-52, rents Rs. 450 ...	—	487 52	Meters account. ... 15,414 22
Waterworks extension ...	—	79 75	Waterworks extension Rs. 139-48, bank in- terest Rs. 98-09 ... 237 57
			Costs Rs. 36-08, water in excess Rs. 67-50, assessors fee Rs. 15 ... 118 58
<b>Balance</b> ...	<b>58,082 60</b>	<b>26,297 34</b>	
		<b>8,771 62</b>	
	<b>58,082 60</b>	<b>35,068 96</b>	<b>35,068 96</b>

Kandy, December 6, 1899.

L. VANDERSTRAATEN,  
Accountant.

## Health Officer's Report for the Month of November, 1899.

SIR,—I HAVE the honour to submit my report for the month of November, 1899.

*Scavenging.*—The scavenging of the town was satisfactorily carried out during the month under review.*Drainage.*—The drains, both large and small, were clean owing to repeated flushing they received from the showers that fell during the end of the month.*Market.*—The market is clean and well kept, with the exception of the vegetable stalls, which require reconstruction.

The food stuffs, such as beef, mutton, fish, vegetables, &amp;c., exposed for sale in the market, were of good quality and fit for human consumption.

432 cattle, 128 buffaloes, 110 sheep, 294 goats, and 14 pigs were slaughtered during the month. All of them were in health and fit for food.

*Bakeries.*—All clean, with the exception of two, the owners of which were prosecuted and fined.*Dairies.*—Clean and well kept.*Laundries.*—All well kept, with the exception of those at Katukele, Trincomalee street, Katugastota road, and Malabar street. A special report as to the condition of these laundries has been forwarded.*Latrines.*—Clean and well kept.*Alleys.*—The alleys are being kept as clean as possible. Most of them are in a very unsatisfactory and insanitary condition, and no improvement can be expected till they are broken up and rebuilt.*Slaughter House and Exposing Shed.*—Clean and in good order.*Water Supply.*—Sufficient and good.*General Health.*—The health of the town has been good. No smallpox. A few cases of chickenpox were reported. These were isolated and treated in their own houses.

A few cases of rabies were reported during the month, and suspected dogs were promptly secured and shot.

Stringent orders were issued to people in the town to have their dogs muzzled or chained, and this has been done since the 28th instant.

Kandy, December 14, 1899.

I am, &amp;c.,

FRED. KEYT, M.D.,  
Health Officer.

## Progress Report of Work done brought up to November 30, 1899.

Est. No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted for the Year.		Expenditure up to Oct. 31.		Expenditure in November.		Total Expenditure.		Balance.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1	Upkeep of pavements	2,257	50	1,740	65	198	0a	1,938	65	318	85
2	Town streets	3,241	87	3,114	84	47	68b	3,162	52	79	35
3	Alutgantota and Lady Anderson's road	716	87	674	64	2	82c	677	46	39	41
4	Udawattekele roads	1,695	75	1,234	81	209	82d	1,444	63	251	12
5	Halloluwa, Slaughter-house, Deyenne-wela, &c.	1,121	92	981	90	78	57e	1,060	47	61	45
6	Municipal buildings	1,100	0	958	27	88	10f	1,046	37	53	63
7	Watering streets	251	11	233	46	—	—	233	46	17	65
8	Market buildings and premises	1,242	85	1,214	98	38	60g	1,253	58	—	—
9	Ornamental plants	200	0	182	49	4	96h	187	45	12	55
10	Tools	750	0	480	85	8	16	489	1	260	99
11	Ferry approaches	605	5	317	21	13	97j	331	18	373	87
12	Maintenance and improvements, bathing tank	130	0	47	12	18	34k	65	46	64	54
13	Ferry boats	526	0	259	10	107	67l	402	77	123	23
14	Recreation ground	806	0	734	15	45	80m	779	95	26	5
15	Miscellaneous	300	0	264	30	10	83n	275	13	24	87
16	Public latrines	386	63	331	95	—	—	331	95	54	68
17	Carriage stand repairs	105	0	89	44	—	—	89	44	15	56
18	Bridge, Hospital road	488	0	487	75	—	—	487	75	0	25
19	Dharma lines	200	0	136	25	12	0o	148	25	51	75
20	Sheep slaughter-house	639	75	483	66	—	—	483	66	156	9
21	Peradeniya road culvert	295	20	291	46	—	—	291	46	3	74
22	Clearing lake silt	1,491	40	876	49	378	40p	1,254	89	236	51
23	Barrel drain, Colombo street	2,530	0	1,650	80	268	55q	1,919	35	610	65
24	Weeding ground in Ward street Road and pits	100	0	15	64	11	84r	27	48	72	52
		2,834	74	2,021	43	423	37s	2,444	80	389	94

(a) 20 lineal feet of pavement rebuilt, Rs. 10 ; 10 lineal feet barrel drain repaired, Rs. 16.19 ; 400 yards of barrel drains cleared of silt, Rs. 39 ; 45 lineal feet of pavement repaired in Trincomalee street, Rs. 21 ; 5 feet barrel drain repaired in Trincomalee street, Rs. 10 ; 400 yards of barrel drain in Trincomalee street cleared of silt, Rs. 39.97 ; repairing two manhole covers, Re. 1.56 ; 30 cubes of gravel transported for pavements, Rs. 49.12 ; 14 cubes of gravel spread, Rs. 7.16.

(b) 1½ mile sides and drains cleared and sides reduced, Rs. 44.72 ; removing landslips, Rs. 2.96.

(c) Clearing landslips, Rs. 2.28.

(d) 4 miles side drains cleared, Rs. 40 ; 7 miles of jungle cut back and reducing sides, Rs. 118.60 ; 20 cubes of gravel transported, Rs. 26.85 ; clearing landslips, Rs. 9.37 ; superintendence, Rs. 15.01

(e) 1½ mile side drains and jungle cleared, Rs. 51.67 ; 4 cubes of gravel transported, Rs. 7.66 ; 4 cubes of gravel spread, Rs. 4.14 ; clearing rubbish from water-course and grating at Deyenne-wella, Rs. 4.66 ; clearing landslips, Rs. 5.44 superintendence, Rs. 5.

(f) 31 squares whitewashing slaughter-house, cattle exposing shed, and public latrine, Rs. 9.48 ; 6 squares tarring slaughter-house and cattle exposing shed, Rs. 10.25 ; superintendence, Rs. 5.

(g) 37 squares whitewashing market and privy, Rs. 11.08 ; repairing vegetable stalls, Rs. 16.42 ; clearing and weeding grounds, Rs. 11.10.

(h) Weeding round plants.

(j) Clearing side drains and reducing sides, &c., of three ferry approaches, Rs. 8.97 ; superintendence, Rs. 5.

(k) Repairs to masonry works pointing, Rs. 18.34.

(l) Hauling up boats, Rs. 24.96 ; levelling ground, Rs. 4.94 ; caulking and repairing Ilukmodera boat, Rs. 72.77 ; superintendence, Rs. 5.

(m) Hire of bullocks for meadow mower, Rs. 45.80.

(n) Repairs to wooden railings, Rs. 10.83.

(o) Wages of watcher.

(p) 161 cubes of silt removed, Rs. 161.15 ; repairs to barges, Rs. 34.38 ; working dredger opening channel, Rs. 144.72 ; working steam launch, Rs. 28.15.

(q) 30 cubes excavating and removing old drain, Rs. 43.78 ; clearing bricks, 3.74 ; 40 lineal feet concreting invert of new drain and building arch, Rs. 209.18 ; laying foundation for curb 8 lineal feet, Re. 1.95 ; superintendence, Rs. 10.

(r) Weeding ground, Rs. 6.84 ; superintendence, Rs. 5.

(s) 100 cubes of excavation for pits, Rs. 88.77 ; covering in pits, Rs. 18.48 ; 13 squares of foundation of road laid, Rs. 142.39 ; weeding grounds, clearing jungle, opening side drains, Rs. 78.48 ; getting stones for culvert, Rs. 27.09 ; excavation for culvert 5 cubes, Rs. 4.86 ; proportion of cost of line and store watcher, Rs. 48.30 ; superintendence, Rs. 15.

H. BYRDE,  
Superintendent of Works.

## LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

### LOCAL BOARD OF NAWALAPITIYA.

#### Statement of Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board, Nawalapitiya, during 1899.

REVENUE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1898 ...	—	2,284 72	Establishment ...	—	970 0
<i>Taxes.</i>			Office contingencies ...	—	229 13
Commutation ...	1,653 0		<i>Revenue Charges.</i>		
Assessment ..	1,133 72		Commission to collectors' fees, &c. ...	—	256 59
Dogs ...	36 75		Police charges ...	—	33 66
Water-rate ...	955 56		<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>		
		3,779 3	Scavenging ...	1,009 2	
<i>Licenses.</i>			Latrine conservancy ...	295 32	
Refund of stamp duties ...	779 0		Disinfectants ...	20 94	
Arrears of 1898 do. ...	888 25		Plague precautions ...	795 81	2,121 9
		1,667 25	Interest and sinking fund on Waterworks loan ...	—	715 0
<i>Fines.</i>			Law expenses ...	—	4 35
By Police Magistrate ...	18 75		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Arrears of 1898 on account of commutation tax defaulters ...	21 0		New roads ...	300 0	
		39 75	Dry-earth latrines ...	204 17	
<i>Rent.</i>			Cemetery ...	1,474 10	
Slaughter-house fees ...	—	1,426 50	Waterworks ...	111 0	
<i>Sundries.</i>			Building drains ...	3,015 81	
Miscellaneous receipts ...	1,439 11		Tools and stores... ..	38 25	
Amount due to District Engineer, Dikoya, on account of perfected vouchers furnished ...	18 70		New road,—vouchers furnished by District Engineer, Dikoya— amount still due ...	18 70	5,162 3
		1,457 81	Contribution towards cost of audit ...	—	127 40
			Miscellaneous ...	—	11 87
			Balance on December 31, 1899...	—	9,631 12
		10,655 6			1,023 94
					10,655 6

I, H. Wace, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid on account of the Local Board of Nawalapitiya during the year 1899, and that the balance is in the hands of the Hon. the Government Agent, Kandy.

Sworn to on the 14th day of February, 1900.

Before me :

L. F. KNOLLYS,  
Justice of the Peace.

H. WACE, Chairman.  
J. A. F. ATAPATTU, Member.

#### Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board of Nawalapitiya for 1899.

ASSETS.	Amount. Rs. c.	LIABILITIES.	Amount. Rs. c.
Balance on December 31, 1899 ...	1,023 94	<i>Office Contingencies.</i>	
<i>Taxes.</i>		Postage account for December, 1899 ...	3 35
Dog tax for December, 1899 ...	0 75	Advertising sale of opium rent ...	8 40
<i>Licenses.</i>		<i>Revenue Services.</i>	
Refund of stamp duties for 1899 ...	220 78	Commission, &c., to Secretary, Local Board... ..	7 53
<i>Rent.</i>		<i>Public Works.</i>	
Slaughter-house fees for December, 1899 ...	117 75	House numbers, &c. ...	186 84
		On account roads ...	18 70
			224 82
		Balance ...	1,138 40
	1,363 22		1,363 22

I, H. Wace, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct account of the assets and liabilities of the Local Board on December 31, 1899.

Sworn to on the 14th day of February, 1900.

Before me :

L. F. KNOLLYS,  
Justice of the Peace.

H. WACE, Chairman.  
J. A. F. ATAPATTU, Member.



## Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Nawalapitiya Waterworks for 1899.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.		Total. Rs. c.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount.		Total. Rs. c.
	Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.	
Waterworks loan ...	13,400	0	19,900 0	Spent on account of Waterworks	18,066	16	18,268 39
Contribution from Railway ...	6,500	0		Miscellaneous—Amount due to District Engineer, Dikoya, on works executed ...	202	23	
Miscellaneous—District Engineer, Dikoya, by vouchers perfected ...	—	—	202 23	Balance on December 31, 1899	—	—	1,833 84
			<u>20,102 23</u>				<u>20,102 23</u>

I, H. Wace, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge the above is a true and correct account of all moneys received and paid on account of Nawalapitiya Waterworks during the year 1899, and that the balance is in the hands of the Hon. the Government Agent, Kandy.

Sworn to on the 14th day of February, 1900.

Before me :

L. F. KNOLLYS,  
Justice of Peace.

H. WACE, Chairman.  
J. A. F. ATAPATTU, Member.

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Nawalapitiya Waterworks for 1899.

ASSETS.	Total.		LIABILITIES.	Total.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Balance on December 31, 1899 ...	1,833	84	District Engineer, Dikoya, on account Waterworks ...	202	23
Miscellaneous ...	202	23	Balance ...	1,833	84
	<u>2,036</u>	<u>7</u>		<u>2,036</u>	<u>7</u>

I, H. Wace, do hereby swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct account of the assets and liabilities of the Waterworks on December 31, 1899.

Sworn to on the 14th day of February, 1900.

Before me :

L. F. KNOLLYS,  
Justice of Peace.

H. WACE, Chairman.  
J. A. F. ATAPATTU, Member.

## Statement of Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board, Nawalapitiya, for 1900.

PROBABLE REVENUE.							
I.	Amount.		Total. Rs. c.		Amount.		Total. Rs. c.
	Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.	
Balance of 1899 ...	—	—	1,023 94	<i>Fines.</i>			
<i>Taxes.</i>				By Police Magistrate	20	0	
Commutation (labour rate) ...	1,600	0		Commutation tax defaulters	—	—	20 0
Assessment (property rate) ...	1,000	0		<i>Rents.</i>			
Dogs ...	50	0		Slaughter-house fees	1,400	0	
Water-rate ...	1,250	0	3,900 0	Cemetery fees ...	200	0	1,600 0
<i>Licenses.</i>							8,448 84
Opium ...	754	90		II.—WATERWORKS ACCOUNT.			
Stamp duties ...	950	0		Balance of 1899	—	—	1,833 84
Arrears from 1899 ...	200	0	1,904 90				

PROBABLE EXPENDITURE.				
	Amount.	Total.	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Establishment.</i>				
Secretary and inspector ...	720 0			
Peon ...	120 0			
Slaughter-house cooly ...	120 0			
Cemetery-keeper and coolies ...	250 0			
		1,210 0		
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>				
Printed forms and stationery ...	80 0			
Repairs to furniture ...	10 0			
Rent of Local Board Office ...	130 0			
		220 0		
<i>Revenue Services.</i>				
Commission to collectors of taxes and fees ...	300 0			
Remuneration to assessors ...	—			
Cost of remittances ...	20 0			
		320 0		
<i>Police Charges.</i>				
Cost of seizing dogs ...	—	40 0		
<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>				
Scavenging ...	948 0			
Latrine conservancy ...	780 0			
Purchase of disinfectants ...	50 0			
Plague precautions ...	150 0			
		1,928 0		
<i>Interest and sinking fund on Water-works loan ...</i>				
			—	804 0
<i>Law expenses ...</i>				
			—	20 0
<i>Public Works.</i>				
New roads and buildings ...	500 0			
Maintenance of roads ...	100 0			
Maintenance of bridges and drains ...	50 0			
Cemetery (acquisition of land) ...	1,000 0			
Tools and stores ...	50 0			
Drains (construction of concrete) ...	1,000 0			
Waterworks ...	1,000 0			
				3,700 0
<i>Contribution towards cost of audit ...</i>				
			—	80 0
				8,322 0
<i>Probable balance on December 31, 1900 ...</i>				
			—	126 84
				8,448 84

January 27, 1900.

H. WACE, Chairman.

## LOCAL BOARD OF MINUWANGODA.

## Abstract of Statement of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Minuwangoda, for the Year 1899.

REVENUE.		Amount.	Total.	EXPENDITURE.		Amount.	Total.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>							
Sanitary rate collections of the four quarters of 1898 collected and credited by the Hon. the Government Agent ...		298 68		Pay of establishment ...		—	90 0
Sanitary rate collections of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd quarters of 1899		224 1		<i>Office Contingencies.</i>			
Commutation tax recovered by the District Road Committee, Negombo, and remitted to this Board ...		185 90		Value of printed forms ...		23 89	
			708 59	Value of blank books ...		21 0	44 89
<i>Licenses.</i>							
Carts ...	9 50			<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>			
Butchers ...	14 25			Cost of scavenging ...		242 50	
Firearms ...	2 37			Cost of removing night soil and cleaning the latrine ...		86 0	328 50
Opium ...	95 0			<i>Public Works.</i>			
Gunpowder ...	9 50			Cost of an iron latrine without roof		260 0	
Retail and wholesale of spirits other than arrack ...	213 75		344 37	Roofing and partitioning the latrine		75 0	
				Repairing the public well ...		170 0	505 0
<i>Rents.</i>							
Lease of public market for one year ...	150 50			<i>Lighting.</i>			
Rent of market for one month ...	12 50			Cost of lighting the Havelock lamp		—	74 50
Do. do. ...	12 50		175 50	<i>Audit.</i>			
				Cost of audit ...		—	19 51
<i>Sundries.</i>							
Amount realized by sale of three unserviceable lamps ...	7 0			<i>Miscellaneous.</i>			
Contribution from Village Committee funds ...	298 68			Value of six chimneys ...		3 97	
Do. do. ...	149 34		455 2	Repairing the Havelock lamp ...		5 50	
				Value of six copies of Ordinances ...		1 50	
			1,683 48	Value of three lamps ...		8 50	
				Value of eight copies of Ordinances ...		1 30	
				For publishing the notices of sale of opium license ...		6 75	
				Rail freight ...		2 86	30 38
				Balance on December 31, 1899		—	1,092 78
							590 70
							1,683 48

I, Walter Dias Bandaranayeka, do hereby swear that the above is a true and faithful account of all moneys received and paid by me on account of the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Minuwangoda, for the year 1899.

Sworn to before me this 6th day of February, 1900:

J. KOERTZ,  
Justice of the Peace.

WALTER DIAS, Chairman.

Certified as correct: JOHN E. D'SILVA, Member.

Office of the Local Board,  
Minuwangoda, February 5, 1900.

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Local Board, Minuwangoda, on December 31, 1899.

ASSETS.			LIABILITIES.		
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
<i>Taxes.</i>			<i>Establishment.</i>		
Sanitary rate of the 4th quarter, 1899	—	74 67	Pay of Secretary for December	—	10 0
<i>Sundries.</i>			<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>		
Contribution from Village Committee funds	—	149 34	For scavenging in December	25 0	
			Latrine conservancy in December	21 50	46 50
		224 1	<i>Public Works.</i>		
			Building the slaughter-house	114 0	
			Building a fence round the latrine	7 75	121 75
Balance on December 31, 1899	—	590 70	Balance	—	178 25
					636 46
		814 71			814 71

I, Walter Dias Bandaranayeka, do hereby swear that the above is a true and correct account of the assets and liabilities of the Local Board, Minuwangoda, on December 31, 1899.

Sworn to before me on the 6th day of February, 1900 :

J. KOERTZ,  
Justice of the Peace.

WALTER DIAS, Chairman.  
Certified as correct : JOHN E. D'SILVA, Member.

## Probable Revenue and Expenditure of the Local Board of Minuwangoda for the Year 1900.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE.		
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Balance from 1899	—	590 70	<i>Establishment.</i>		
<i>Taxes.</i>			Secretary	—	120 0
Sanitary rate collections	298 68		<i>Revenue Charges.</i>		
Contribution from Village Committee funds	298 68		Commissions	—	50 0
Commutation tax	185 90	783 26	<i>Office Contingencies.</i>		
<i>Licenses.</i>			Printed forms	—	50 0
Hackery	19 0		<i>Police Charges.</i>		
Cart	950 0		Lighting	—	120 0
Guns	4 75		<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>		
Coaches	5 70		Scavenging	300 0	
Liquor	214 75		Latrine conservancy	420 0	720 0
Opium	500 0		<i>Public Works.</i>		
Butcher	14 25		Repairs to market	200 0	
Gunpowder	4 75		Building a female latrine	250 0	
Explosives	19 0	1,732 20	Repairing a public well	170 0	620 0
<i>Rents.</i>			<i>Miscellaneous.</i>		
Rent of market	150 0		Miscellaneous	—	1,637 16
Lease of teak garden	31 0	181 0			
<i>Fines.</i>					
Fines	—	5 0			
<i>Sundries.</i>					
Sundries	—	25 0			
		3,317 16			3,317 16

Local Board Office,  
Minuwangoda, February 7, 1900.

WALTER DIAS, Chairman.  
S. D. LLANDURU, Member.

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## BOARD OF IMPROVEMENT, NUWARA ELIYA.

## Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1899.

REVENUE.				REVENUE.			
	Amount.	Total.		Amount.	Total.		Amount.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.
Balance brought forward	...	2,013 38					
<i>Taxes.</i>			<i>Fines.</i>				
Assessment	9,619 60		By Police Magistrate	1,393 0			
Commutation	2,478 0		Cattle trespass	67 61			
Vehicles, dogs, &c.	954 0		Commutation tax defaulters	50 0		1,510 61	
Government contribution in lieu of local rates	650 0	13,701 60	<i>Rents.</i>				
<i>Licenses.</i>			Library and reading room	450 0			
Refund of stamp duty on licenses:			Lands	285 50			
Carts and coaches	903 0		Board room	145 0			
Carrriages and rickshas	290 0		Chairs	156 65			
Hackery	35 0		House	96 0			
Gun	25 0		Hearse	75 0			
Hotel	1,300 0		Streams	—			
Club	200 0		Market	1,253 75		2,461 90	
Liquor	350 0		<i>Sundries.</i>				
Beer and porter	20 0		Scavenging fees	206 0			
Poison	10 0		Sale of tin tickets	7 55			
	3,133 0		Sale of carts	23 0			
Less 5 per cent. commission	156 65		Other items	412 0		648 55	
		2,976 35	Government contribution on account of plague expenses	413 99		413 99	
Opium	530 0						
Fishing	68 0						
Shooting	17 0						
Slaughter-house	1,148 0						
Grazing	633 88						
Sand, gravel, and stone	144 11	5,517 34				26,267 37	
				EXPENDITURE.			
<i>Establishment.</i>				Interest on loan of Rs. 9,000 for the construction of the library and reading room			
Pay of inspector and secretary	1,200 0			360 0			
Pay of clerk and sub-inspector	360 0		Sinking fund on above	90 0		1,972 80	
Pay of clerk	360 0		Law expenses	—		1 95	
Pay of slaughter-house keeper	240 0		<i>Public Works.</i>				
Pay of peons	359 92	2,519 92	Planting trees, weeding parasites, &c.	174 59			
<i>Office Contingencies.</i>				Upkeep of cemeteries	20 68		
Printing, printed forms, and stationery	324 55		New street lamps	2,110 86			
Stamps for letters, &c., and telegrams	42 21		Painting roofs	593 68			
Other items	22 11	388 87	Carrriage roads	1,487 39			
<i>Revenue Charges.</i>				Bridle roads	265 14		
Assessing lands and buildings	180 0		Bridges. &c.	145 77			
Tom-tom beater — publishing notices	7 0		Street names	48 74			
Refund of commutation tax	8 0		Buildings	457 24			
Assessment clerk's allowance	50 0		Stores	613 56			
Tin plates and tin tickets	19 82		Market	313 86			
Assessment tax collector's commission for 1898	178 13		House Nos.	0 20			
Assessment tax collector's commission for 1899	312 31		Esplanade improvements	381 64			
Commutation tax collector's commission. &c., for 1899	244 80		Improvements to the Board room	280 15			
Advertisements	26 0	1,026 6	Town clock	74 90			
<i>Sanitary Charges.</i>				Secretary's house	183 0		
Sewage farm	299 96		Clearing streams	7 0			
Allowances to the medical officer	600 0	4,181 51	Clearing undergrowth	21 25			
<i>Interest and Sinking Fund on loans.</i>				Allowance to the District Engineer	600 0		7,784 65
Interest on loan of Rs. 14,000 for the construction of the market...	450 80		Street lighting	—		1,655 50	
Sinking fund on above	280 0		Audit fees	—		150 0	
Interest on additional loan of Rs. 6,000 for the construction of the market	192 0		<i>Miscellaneous.</i>				
Sinking fund on above	600 0		Time signal gun	19 13			
			Other items	356 38		375 51	
			Waterworks	—		126 61	
			Plague expenses	—		828 48	
			Balance	—		5,255 51	
						26,267 37	

Board of Improvement,  
Nuwara Eliya, January 6, 1900.

W. E. DAVIDSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.

1899.		LOAN ON ACCOUNT WATERWORKS.		Rs. c.	
January	1	...	Balance in hand on January 1, 1899	...	61 13
December	31	...	Balance	...	61 13

1899.		LOAN ON ACCOUNT LIBRARY AND READING ROOM.		Rs. c.	
January	1	...	Balance in hand on January 1, 1899	...	821 70
December	31	...	Expended for the year ending December 31, 1899	...	821 70

1899.		Expenditure on account Government Grant for IMPROVEMENT TO NUWARA ELIYA PARK.		Rs. c.	
September	25	...	Remittance from Government for the planting, &c., of the Park	...	2,500 0
				...	835 93
				...	1,664 7
				...	2,500 0

## SUMMARY.

Balance in hand with the Assistant Government Agent on December 31 on account General Revenue, as per statement	...	5,255 51
Balance in hand with the Assistant Government Agent on account Waterworks loan, as per statement	...	61 13
Balance in hand with the Assistant Government Agent on account Government Grant for Improvements to Nuwara Eliya, as per statement	...	1,664 7
		<u>6,980 71</u>

Board of Improvement,  
Nuwara Eliya, January 6, 1900.

W. E. DAVIDSON,  
Assistant Government Agent.

## ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the 26th clause of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, all persons intending to offer themselves as Candidates for the Office of European Member of the District Committee of Colombo, rendered vacant by the departure of Mr. F. W. Waldoek from the Island, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Western Province at least ten days before the day of election. The election will be held on March 8, 1900, at 2 o'clock P.M., at the Colombo Kachcheri.

J. S. DRIEBERG,  
Secretary.  
Provincial Road Committee,  
Colombo, February 19, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting held on the 7th instant the following gentlemen were elected to form the Local Committee to perform the duties imposed by Ordinance No. 14 of 1896 in respect of the roads Maskeliya-Crudon, Brownlow-Luccombe, Norwood Bridge-Maskeliya and Moray, and Norwood-Upcot, for the term ending 7th February, 1902:—Mr. Geo. Greig (Chairman) and Messrs. R. A. Galton, G. A. Craib, G. B. de Mowbray, and R. Maclure.

F. J. SMITH,  
for Chairman.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, February 20, 1900.

## Dotale Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held at Elkadua store on Friday, March 9, 1900, at 9 A.M., to consider and report to Provincial Committee with regard to the maintenance estimate of Rs. 1,200 for the current year.

The meeting will be followed by a general meeting of estate representatives to elect a Local Committee to serve for two years from May 1, 1900.

F. J. SMITH,  
for Chairman.

Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kandy, February 21, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for 1899, the Provincial Road Committee, acting under the provisions of "The Branch Road Ordinance, 1896," have assessed the proportion due by each estate in the district interested in the repair of the said road, as follows:—

## DELTOTA ROAD (between Peradeniya and Naranhena).

Government moiety ... Rs. 6,629  
Private contributions ... Rs. 6,629

1st section, 1 mile.

Total acreage, 19,481—Moiety of cost, Rs. 348 85—  
Sectional rate, 0179c.—Total rate, 0179c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Amount.
			Rs. c.
R. Anderson	...	New Peradeniya	458 ... 8 24
T. C. Huxley	...	Old Peradeniya	1,171 ... 21 3

1st to 4th section, 4 miles.

Total acreage, 17,852—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,046 68—  
Sectional rate, 0586c.—Total rate, 0765c.

E. Webb	...	Hindagalla	640 ... 49 10
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1st to 5th section, 5 miles.

Total acreage, 17,212—Moiety of cost, Rs. 348 89—  
Sectional rate, 0202c.—Total rate, 0967c.

R. J. Farquharson	...	Watterantenna	70 ... 6 91
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Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreege.	Amount. Rs. c.	Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreege.	Amount. Rs. c.
1st to 7th section, 7 miles.				Deltota Arachchi ... Perawatta Ambagahawatta ... 22 ... 6 74			
Total acreage, 17,142—Moiety of cost, Rs. 697-79— Sectional rate, .0407c.—Total rate, .1374c.				L. B. Yatawara Kekeletenna ... 50 ... 15 8			
R. J. Farquhar-son	{ Upper Haloya } { Lower Haloya }	650 ...	89 46	1st to 16th section, 16 miles.			
Do.	Old Haloya	223 ...	30 79	Total acreage, 6,250—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,046-68— Sectional rate, .1674c.—Total rate, .4650c.			
1st to 8th section, 8 miles.				J. Murdock ... Great Valley ... 785 ... 365 26			
Total acreage, 16,269—Moiety of cost, Rs. 348-89— Sectional rate, .0214c.—Total rate, .1588c.				E. R. Wiggan... Oolooawatta ... 296 ... 137 88			
Geo. Stewart & Co.	{ Lower Wariagalla } { Upper and Middle } Wariagalla	1,261 ...	200 39	R. B. Roberts Boulana ... 395 ... 183 91			
1st to 10th section, 10 miles.				G. C. T. Estate and Agency Co. Ltd. ... Mausakelle ... 333 ... 155 8			
Total acreage, 15,008—Moiety of cost, Rs. 697-79— Sectional rate, .0464c.—Total rate, .2052c.				1st to 19th section, 19 miles.			
The Galaha Ceylon Tea Estate and Agency Company, Limited	Godawella and Gona-kelle and Kiriwana	1,430	293 58	Total acreage, 4,441—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,046-75— Sectional rate, .2357c.—Total rate, .7007c.			
Boustead Bros.	Nilambe and New Nilambe	2,262 ...	464 31	Bois Bros. & Co. Pattiagama ... 1,000 ... 700 94			
1st to 13th section, 13 miles.				O. Estates Co., Ltd. ... Naranghena and Loole Condera ... 1,966 ... 1,377 81			
Total acreage, 11,316—Moiety of cost, Rs. 1,046-68— Sectional rate, .0924c.—Total rate, .2976c.				W. H. Walker Gonavy and Gallantenna ... 1,000 ... 700 94			
Galaha Ceylon Tea Estate and Agency Co., Ltd.	Vedaheta	980 ...	291 84	M. R. Maary Kangany ... Pokuruwatta and Korakagalla ... 350 ... 245 48			
Do.	Dunally	544 ...	162 9	Caithan Perera Dara-oya ... 45 ... 31 77			
Do.	Galaha	746 ...	222 20	Allapitchey ... Native garden ... 50 ... 35 27			
Do.	Kitulmoola	430 ...	128 16	Kaderawail Kangany ... do. ... 30 ... 21 26			
Do.	Amblamana	404 ...	120 43	6,629 0			
E. G. Wood	Gallantenna	569 ...	169 53	Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before March 15, 1900.			
Cumberbatch & Co.	Deltota	569 ...	169 53	F. J. SMITH, for Chairman.			
Geo. Stewart & Co.	Little Valley	752 ...	223 99	Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, February 21, 1900.			

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

KOSLANDA BAZAAR TO POONAGALA FACTORY ROAD.

Calculation of contribution towards maintenance.

Total cost of maintenance	...	Rs. 700
Moiety	...	350
Assessment of several estates, 1st section, from Koslanda bazaar to Arnhall store, 1½ mile,		
Cost of maintenance	...	Rs. 318
Moiety	...	159
Total acreage 2,274.—Rate per acres 6,992c.		

Proprietor or Agent.	Estates.	Acreege.	Amount. Rs. c.
J. M. Robertson & Co.	Arnhall	175	12 23
Do.	Ampitikanda	320	22 38
J. A. Martenz	Macaldenya	500	34 97
C. S. Coombe	Poonagala	275	19 22
Poonagala Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd.	Cabaragala	207	14 45
F. R. Bisset	Udahena	302	21 12
R. G. Coombe	Lunugala	495	34 63
		2,274	159 0

2nd section, from Arnhall store terminus, 1½ mile.

Cost of maintenance	...	Rs. 382
Moiety	...	191

Total acreage 1,779—Rate per acre, 10·7364c.

Proprietor or Agent.	Estate.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
J. A. Martenz ...	Macaldeniya ...	500 ...	53 68
C. S. Coombe ...	Poonagala ...	275 ...	29 52
Poonagalla Valley Ceylon Co., Ltd. ...	Cabaragala ...	207 ...	22 22
F. H. Bisset ...	Udahena ...	302 ...	32 42
R. G. Coombe ...	Lunugala ...	495 ...	53 16
		<u>1,779</u>	<u>191 0</u>

*Abstract.*

Estate.	Rs. c.	Deduct Interest due to Estate. Rs. c.	Balance. Rs. c.
Arnhall ...	12 25	1 26	10 99
Ampitikanda ...	22 40	2 30	20 10
Macaldeniya ...	88 68	3 62	85 6
Poonagala ...	48 77	1 98	46 79
Cabaragala ...	36 71	1 49	35 22
Udahena ...	53 56	2 17	51 39
Lunugala ...	87 68	3 57	84 6
	<u>350 0</u>	<u>16 39</u>	<u>333 61</u>

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay in to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, on or before April 30, 1900.

*Note.*—The interest shown above has accrued on estate contributions in the hands of the Treasurer in the first and second half-years of 1899.

F. BARTLETT,  
for Chairman.

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

## BANDARAWELA-LEANGAWELA ROAD.

Calculation of contribution towards maintenance.

	Rs.
Total cost of maintenance ...	1,000
Moiety ...	500

Assessment of several Estates: first two half-mile sections from Windy Corner.

	Rs.
Cost of maintenance ...	600
Moiety ...	300

Total acreage 1,489—Rate per acre, 20·8193c.

Proprietor or Agent.	Estate.	Acreage.	Amount. Rs. c.
H. C. Richmond ...	Balagala ...	312 ...	62 86
G. C. Anderson ...	Layangahawela ...	692 ...	139 42
W. F. Reid ...	Broughton ...	485 ...	97 72
		<u>1,489</u>	<u>300 0</u>

Third and fourth sections (one half a mile, the other 2,250 ft.).

	Rs.
Cost of maintenance ...	400
Moiety ...	200

Total acreage, 1,177.—Rate per acre, 16·9022c.

G. C. Anderson ...	Layangahawela ...	692 ...	117 59
W. F. Reid ...	Broughton ...	485 ...	82 41
		<u>1,177</u>	<u>200 0</u>

Estate.	Abstract.		Deduct Interest due to Estate.		Balance.
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs. c.
Balagala	62	86	7	21	55 65
Layangahwela	257	1	16	0	241 0
Broughton	180	13	11	20	168 93
	500	0	34	41	465 59

Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents, of the several estates are hereby required to pay in to the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, Uva, on or before April 30, 1900.

F. BARTLETT,  
for Chairman.

*Note.*—The interest shown above has accrued on estate contributions in the hands of the Treasurer in the first and second half-years of 1899.

## UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### The Ceylon Tea and Coconut Estates Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Times Buildings, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, the 13th March, 1900, at noon.

#### *Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

To appoint an Auditor.

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

By order of the Directors,

TARRANT, HENDERSON & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 16, 1900.

### The Udabage Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Meeting of the Company will be held at 1 P.M. on Saturday, 3rd March, 1900, at the registered office of the Company, No. 21, Baillie street, Colombo.

(1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to 31st December, 1899.

(2) To elect a Director.

(3) To appoint an Auditor.

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

By order of the Directors,

CARSON & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

### The Kandyan Hills Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Meeting of the Company will be held at 12 noon on Saturday, 3rd March, 1900, at the registered office of the Company, No. 21, Baillie street, Colombo.

(1) To receive the report of the Directors and accounts to 31st December, 1899.

(2) To declare a dividend.

(3) To elect two Directors.

(4) To appoint an Auditor.

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

By order of the Directors,

CARSON & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

### The Knavesmire Estates Company, Limited.

OFFERS for the privilege of mining for Plumbago on the Company's property should be sent in to the Secretaries before the General Meeting of Shareholders to be held at No. 14, Queen street, Colombo, on Friday, 2nd March, at 12 o'clock noon.

GEORGE STEUART & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

### The Tonacombe Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at Ambewatte House, Slave Island, Colombo, on Wednesday, the 7th March, 1900, at 10 A.M.

#### *Business.*

To receive the Directors' report and accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1899.

To declare a dividend.

To appoint an Auditor for the current year, and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 24th February to 7th March, 1900.)

By order of the Directors,

CUMBERBATCH & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

### The Maha Uva Estate Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Maha Uva Estate Co., Ltd., will be held at the Company's registered office, No. 7, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, the 9th day of March, 1900, at 12.45 P.M., for the purpose of confirming as a Special Resolution the following Resolution, which was duly passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 20th day of February, 1900:—

That the following addition be made to Article 76:—

"And they may if they think fit, without reference to the Company in General Meeting, determine on and declare an interim dividend or dividends to be paid to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend of the year."

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 23, 1900.



**The Union Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 7, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, the 13th March, 1900, at 2 P.M.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

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

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & CO.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 22, 1900.

**The Upper Maskeliya Estates Company, Limited.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Upper Maskeliya Estates Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's registered office, No. 7, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, the 9th day of March, 1900, at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of confirming as a Special Resolution the following Resolution, which was duly passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 16th day of February, 1900:—

That the following addition be made to Article 76:—

“And they may if they think fit, without reference to the Company in General Meeting, determine on and declare an interim dividend or dividends to be paid to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend of the year.”

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 23, 1900.

**The Estates Company of Uva, Limited.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 7, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Tuesday, the 13th March, 1900, at 12.30 P.M.

*Business.*

To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

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

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 22, 1900.

**The Ceylon Hills Tea Estates Company, Limited.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 17, Queen street, Colombo, on Monday, March 5, 1900, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the report of the Directors and the statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1899.

Any Shareholder unable to attend this meeting will please appoint some Shareholder to act as his proxy. A legal form (which must be deposited duly executed at this office before 1.30 P.M. on the 3rd March) may be obtained from the undersigned upon application.

By order of the Directors,

BOSANQUET & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

Colombo, February 22, 1900.

**The Roeberry Tea Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

**T**HE Fourth Ordinary Annual General Meeting of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, the 10th March, at 12 noon.

*Business.*

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the past year.

2. To declare a dividend.

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

By order,

BOIS BROTHERS & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

**The Templestowe Estate Company of Ceylon, Limited.**

**T**HE Ordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at their registered office, No. 6, Prince street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, 10th March, 1900, at noon:—

*Business.*

To receive the Directors' reports and accounts for the season ending 31st December, 1899.

To appoint a Director.

To appoint an Auditor.

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

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 23rd February to 10th March, 1900, both days inclusive.

J. M. ROBERTSON & Co.,  
Agents and Secretaries.

**S**IX weeks hence I, Murugapper Chinnaiyah, of No. 33, Kew road, Slave Island, Colombo, shall apply to the Hon. the Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled an Advocate of the said Court.

M. CHINNAIYAH.

No. 33, Kew road, Slave Island,  
Colombo, February 22, 1900.

**S**IX weeks hence I, Edward Walter Perera, of the Walawwa, Kotte, shall apply to the Hon. the Judges of the Supreme Court to be admitted and enrolled an Advocate of the said Court.

EDWARD W. PERERA.

The Walawwa, Kotte,  
February 19, 1900.

இதன் கீழ் கையொப்பம்வைக்கும் சப்பரகாமப் பகுதி ரத்னபுராவிலிருக்கும் விற்றர் உகோ ஜேமீஸ் பொனோ குரு வாகிய நான் 1877 ம் வருஷத்தி 2 ம் நம்பர் கட்டளைச்சட்டப்பிரகாரம் இலங்கை உத்தம தேசாதிபதியவர்களிடம் சப்பரகாமப் பகுதி மெதகடவத்தக்கோறளை இரண்டுக்கும் சிங்களப் பாவையில் நொத்தாரிணவேலை இன்றுமுதல் மூன்று மாதத்தைக்குப்பின் கேள்கக நினைத்தருக்கிறதை இத்தால் அறிவிக்கிறேன்.

வீ. எச். ஜே. பெளஞ்சூ.

ரத்தினபுரி, 1900 ம் வருஷ ஜனவரிமீ 29 ந் உ.