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BY virtue of a Mandate to me directed by the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, I do hereby proclaim that a Criminal Session of the said Court for the Western Circuit will be holden at the Court-house at Hulftsdorp, Colombo, on Monday, October 12, 1896, 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.

SOLOMON SENAVIRATNE,
for Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office,
Colombo, September 23, 1896.

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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

M I N U T E.

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

An Ordinance to amend "The Masters Attendant's Ordinance, 1865."

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend in certain respects the Ordinance No. 6 of 1865, intituled "An Ordinance to declare the duties of Masters Attendant, and to provide for the better preservation of the Ports of the Island, and for the better regulation of the Shipping therein," and the Ordinance No. 6 of 1880, intituled "An Ordinance for the regulation and government of Boatmen employed in Licensed Boats": It is hereby enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :

Short title.
To be read as one with Ordinances Nos. 6 of 1865 and 6 of 1880.

1 This Ordinance may be cited for all purposes as "The Masters Attendant's Amendment Ordinance, 1896," and shall be construed and read as one with "The Masters Attendant's Ordinance, 1865," and "The Boatmen's Ordinance, 1880."

Amendment of section 6 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1865.

2 After sub-section 11 of section 6 of "The Masters Attendant's Ordinance, 1865," there shall be inserted the following sub-section, namely :

11 (a) For regulating bumboats, and all boats used by traders, hawkers, and others for the conveyance of goods for sale in any such port.

Amendment of section 23 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1865.

3 In section 23 of "The Masters Attendant's Ordinance, 1865," after the words "for the conveyance for hire of passengers" shall be inserted the words "or as a bumboat, or as a boat for the conveyance of traders, hawkers, or of goods for sale."

Amendment of section 3 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1880.

4 To section 3 of "The Boatmen's Ordinance, 1880," the following words shall be added : "and any bumboat and any boat used by traders or hawkers, or for the conveyance of goods for sale."

By His Excellency the Governor's command,

W. T. TAYLOR,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, September 11, 1896.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction } In the Matter of the Estate of Battugahagey Nona Perera Haminey, of No. C/788. } Maliban street in Colombo, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before D. F. Browne, Esq., District Judge of Colombo, on the 27th day of August, 1896, in the presence of John Caderamen, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Mooddugoda Arachchige Seadoris Perera Appuhamy of Maliban street, Pettah, Colombo; and the affidavit of the said Mooddugoda Arachchige Seadoris Perera Appuhamy, dated 26th August, 1896, having been read: It is ordered that the said Mooddugoda Arachchige Seadoris Perera Appuhamy be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Battugahagey Nona Perera Haminey, deceased, issued to him as husband of the said deceased, unless the respondents—1, Mooddugoda Arachchige Johana Perera Haminey, wife of 2, Lansagey Theadoris Madis Appuhamy, both of Ratmalana in the Palle pattu of the Salpiti korale; 3, Mooddugoda Arachchige Bastian Perera Appuhamy; 4, Mooddugoda Arachchige Lucina Perera Hamy; and 5, Mooddugoda Arachchige Albina Perera Hamine, all of Maliban street, Pettah, Colombo—shall, on or before the 1st day of October, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

D. F. BROWNE,
District Judge.
The 27th day of August, 1896.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction } In the Matter of Masinge Haramanis Appuhamy, of Balagala in Yatigaha pattu of Hapitigam korale, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Roosmalecocq, Esq., District Judge, on the 15th day of September, 1896, in the presence of the petitioner Jayakodiarachchige Leiso Hamy, and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated the 5th day of September, 1896, having been read:

It is ordered that the said petitioner Jayakodiarachchige Leiso Hami be and she is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the above deceased issued her, as widow of the said deceased, unless any person shall, on or before the 1st day of October, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. ROOSMALECOQC,
District Judge.
This 15th day of September, 1896.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Busabaduge Johanis Fernando of Beruwala.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before S. Haughton, Esq., Acting District Judge of Kalutara, on the 11th September, 1896, in the presence of Mr. Solomon Fernando, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Busabaduge Francis Fernando; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 11th September, 1896, having been read:

It is declared that the said Busabaduge Francis Fernando is entitled to have fresh letters of administration to the estate of the deceased Busabaduge Johanis Fernando issued to him, unless any person shall, on or before the 14th day of October, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

S. HAUGHTON,
Acting District Judge.
The 11th September, 1896.

In the District Court of Kandy.

No. 1,865. In the Matter of the Estate of Muna Kuna Sinne Carupen Chetty, late of Thevacottai, Madura Zillah, in India, deceased.

Muna Kuna Seena Kana Carpen Chetty.....Petitioner.

1, Muna Kuna Seena Kana Sidemberam Chetty; 2, Muna Kuna Seena Kana Sokkalingen Chetty; 3, Muna Kuna Seena Kana Kolendawailen Chetty Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before John Henricus de Saram, Esq., District Judge of Kandy, on the 29th day of December, 1894, in the presence of Messrs. Sproule & Sproule, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner Muna Kuna Seena Kana Carpen Chetty; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated the 19th day of December, 1894, having been read:

It is declared that the said Muna Kuna Seena Kana Carpen Chetty is the son of Muna Kuna Sinne Carupen Chetty, deceased, and as such is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Muna Kuna Sinne Carupen Chetty, deceased, issued to him, unless the respondents above-named shall, on or before the 15th day of February, 1895, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAM,
District Judge.
The 29th day of December, 1894.

This *order nisi* is extended to the 29th day of March, 1895, and it is ordered that the said Muna Kuna Seena Kana Carpen Chetty of Colombo will be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Muna Kuna Sinne Carupen Chetty, late of Thevacottai in India, deceased, issued to him, unless the respondents named in the *order nisi* shall, on or before the 29th day of March, 1895, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAM,
District Judge.
The 15th day of February, 1895.

The *order nisi* is extended to the 23rd October, 1896, and it is ordered that the said Muna Kuna Seena Kana Carpen Chetty of Colombo be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Muna Kuna Sinna Carupen Chetty, late of Thevacottai in India, deceased, issued to him, unless the respondents named in the *order nisi* shall show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary within thirty days from date of service.

J. H. DE SARAM,
District Judge.
This 4th day of September, 1896.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Ratta Hulawalyagedara Lapaya, deceased, of Udawela in the Ganga Ihala korale of Udapalata.

Ratta Hulawalyagedara Saleloo of Udawela aforesaid.....Petitioner.

And

Parukarayagedara Kiri Bayah, Peace Officer, of Dolosbage Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before John Henricus de Saram, Esq., District Judge of Kandy, on the 25th day of August, 1896, in the presence of Mr. C. Jayatilaka, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Ratta

Hulawaliyagedara Saleloo of Udawela aforesaid; and the affidavit of the said petitioner Ratta Hulawaliyagedara Saleloo, dated the 24th August, 1896, having been read:

It is declared that the said petitioner Ratta Hulawaliyagedara Saleloo is entitled to letters of administration to the estate of Ratta Hulawaliyagedara Lapaya, deceased, issued to her, as the daughter of the said deceased, unless the respondent Parukarayalagedara Kiri Baiyah, Peace Officer, shall, on or before the 9th day of October, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

The 25th day of August, 1896.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Kurunatar Nagalingam of Taiyiddi,
No. 790. } deceased.

Kurunatar Tampar of Taiyiddi Petitioner.

Vs.

Aechchippillai, widow of Kurunatar Nagalingam
of Taiyiddi Respondent.

THIS matter of the petition of Kurunatar Tampar of Taiyiddi, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Kurunatar Nagalingam of Taiyiddi, coming on for disposal before H. H. Cameron, Esq., District Judge, on the 7th day of September, 1896, in the presence of Mr. T. C. Changarapillai, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 4th day of September, 1896, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the next of kin of the said intestate, and as such is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him, unless the respondent or any other person shall, on or before the 20th day of October, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

H. HAY CAMERON,
District Judge.

Signed this 7th day of September, 1896.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Uduma Lebbe Markar Kiduru Saibu,
No. 3,165. } deceased, of Hirimbure.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. J. de Livera, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on the 8th day of September, 1896, in the presence of Mr. Abeyasinha, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Uduma Lebbe Markar Ismail Lebbe Markar of Hirimbure; and the affidavit of the said Uduma Lebbe Markar Ismail Lebbe Markar, dated 14th July, 1896, having been read: It is declared that the said Uduma Lebbe Markar Ismail Lebbe Markar of Hirimbure is brother-in-law of the above-named deceased, and that he is as such entitled to have letters of administration of the estate of the above-named deceased Uduma Lebbe Markar Kiduru Saibu issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents—1, Kiduru Saibu Mohidin Lebbe of Hirimbure, by his duly appointed guardian, the 2nd respondent, Uduma Lebbe Markar Marikkar Lebbe of Hirimbure—shall, on or before the

30th day of September, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. J. DE LIVERA,
District Judge.

The 8th day of September, 1896.

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Jurisdiction. } Gustinnawadu Sedoris, deceased, of
No. 3,164. } Kaluwadamulla.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before F. J. de Livera, Esq., District Judge of Galle, on the 4th day of September, 1896, in the presence of Mr. Nicholas Dias Abeyasinha, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Jasentu Liyanawango Nona *alias* Babahamy of Ambalangoda; and the affidavit of the said Jasentu Liyanawango Nona *alias* Babahamy, dated 26th August, 1896, having been read:

It is declared that the said Jasentu Liyanawango Nona *alias* Babahamy of Ambalangoda, is widow of the deceased Gustinnawadu Sedoris, and that she is as such entitled to have letters of administration of the estate of the above-named deceased issued to her accordingly unless the respondents—Gustinnawadu Layris Sinno; 2, Gustinnawadu Arlis Sinno, Gustinnawadu Martin Sinno, all of Ambalangoda, minors, by their duly appointed guardian *ad litem* 4, Jasentu Liyana Odris of Ambalangoda—shall, on or before the 30th day of September, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

F. J. DE LIVERA,
District Judge.

The 4th day of September, 1896.

In the District Court of Kurunegala.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary } In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
Jurisdiction. } of the late Wadanahaluwalage Andiya
No. 563. } of Galagedara in Pitigal korale.

Between

Wadanahaluwalage Unga of Galagedara.....Petitioner.

And

1, Dewagirihalulage Rankiri, wife of the deceased; 2, Wadanahaluwalage Podi; 3, Wadanahaluwalage Puspa; 4, Wadanahaluwalage Punchiredie; 5, Wadanahaluwalage Paustina; 6, Wadanahaluwalage Pulinga, children of the deceased, all of Galagedara in Pitigal korale..... Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. P. Lewis, Esq., District Judge of Kurunegala, on the 15th day of September, 1896, in the presence of the petitioner in person; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 15th day of September, 1896, having been read: It is ordered that the said Wadanahaluwalage Unga, the petitioner, as the eldest son of the deceased intestate, be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the said deceased intestate issued to him, and that such letters be issued to him, unless the respondents or any other person or persons shall, on or before the 14th day of October, 1896, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. P. LEWIS,

The 15th day of September, 1896. District Judge.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Negombo.

No. 52. In the matter of the insolvency of Carolis de Silva Gunasekara of Uluambalama.

WHEREAS the above-named Carolis de Silva Gunasekara of Uluambalama was on September 17, 1896, adjudged insolvent by the District Court of Negombo, and an order has been made by the said court placing the estate of the said insolvent under sequestration in the hands of the Fiscal: Notice thereof is hereby given to all concerned, and notice is also

hereby given that the said court has appointed that two public sittings of the court will be held, to wit, on October 31 and November 30, 1896, for the said insolvent to surrender and conform, and for such other proceedings in the said matter as may then be competent under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853, intituled "An Ordinance for the due collection, administration, and distribution of Insolvent Estates."

By order of court,

J. B. Loos,

Secretary.

Negombo, September 21, 1896.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Central Province.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Sawanna Ana Annamaley Chetty, of Gampola... Plaintiff.
No. 10,195. Vs.

Kader Bebee, daughter of Mohamradu Abdul Kader, of Gampola.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on October 19, 1896, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property of the defendant.

1. At the risk of the original purchaser, Wana Ena Arumogan Pulle, who has failed to comply with the conditions of sale held on August 8, 1896 :—

The garden called Heennarangahamulatennawatta of 28½ perches in extent, with the buildings bearing assessment No. 213, and everything standing thereon, situated by the side of the road leading to Ambegomuwa within the gravets of the town of Gampola ; and bounded on the east by the great ditch, on the south by the high road, on the west by the land belonging to Kader Ossen Bai, and on the north by the land which belonged to Mr. Edama and now the property of the Church of St. Joseph.

2. At the risk of the original purchaser, Mammadu Ali Hadjar, who has failed to comply with the conditions of sale held on August 8, 1896 :—

The garden called Pathianwalawatta of 2 roods and 14 perches in extent, together with all the buildings standing thereon, situate at Molligodapitia in Gampola

aforesaid ; and bounded on the east and north by the high road, on the south by Keerapana-oya, and on the west by land belonging to Manannatage Ukkuwa and land appearing in plan 4,988.

Amount of writ, Rs. 1,189-90.

Fiscal's Office,

Kandy, September 21, 1896.

C. S. VAUGHAN,

Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kandy.

D. Dias of Kandy..... Plaintiff.
No. 7,821 Vs.

Nawanna Kadirawail Defendant.

Kawari Amma of No. 138, Hill street,
Kandy, Legal Representative of Deceased Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on October 17, 1896, at 12 o'clock, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property of the defendant :—

The houses and ground bearing assessment Nos. 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, and 145; bounded on the east by Castle Hill street, on the south by the land belonging to Chartered Mercantile Bank and the land belonging to N. K. N. C. Carupen Chetty, on the west by the land belonging to Mr. D. B. Alwis and the wall of the Kataragam Dewala, and on the north by the lane belonging to D. S. Perera, together with the buildings and the ground thereto belonging, situate in Castle Hill street in Kandy.

Amount of writ Rs. 1,751-87.

Fiscal's Office,

Kandy, September 21, 1896.

C. S. VAUGHAN,

Fiscal.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit No. 6,093 has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Avisawella by the labourers of Clunes estate, against the proprietor thereof, to recover the sum of Rs. 49-50 due to them as wages.

Court of Requests,
Avisawella, September 15, 1896.

J. W. DIAS,
Chief Clerk.