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DRAFT ORDINANCES.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance relating to the publication of intended sales of Immovable Property affected by the "Thesavalamai" of the Northern Province of Ceylon.

Preamble.

Repeal of Ordinance

No. 1 of 1842.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make better provision for the due publication of sales of immovable property in the parts of the Northern Province to which the *Thésavalamai* applies : Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows :

1 From and after the date on which this Ordinance comes into operation the Ordinance No. 1 of 1842, entitled "To make certain regulations respecting the granting of Schedules on execution of Deeds affecting Land in the Northern Province," shall be wholly repealed, but such repeal shall not affect any right, privilege, obligation, or liability

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acquired, accrued, or incurred, nor anything duly done or suffered under the said Ordinance, nor any penalty, forfeiture, or punishment incurred in respect of any omission, or neglect, or delay, or illegal demand under the said Ordinance, nor any legal proceedings or remedy in respect of any such right, liability, obligation, penalty, forfeiture, or punishment as aforesaid.

2 In every case of intended sale of land within the aforesaid parts of the Northern Province, it shall be the duty of the vendor to give notice to the registrar of the district or registrars of the districts within which the land to be sold is situate, not less than twenty-one days then next preceding the date of such sale. Such notice shall state fully the names of the parties, the name, situation, and acreage of the land to be sold, and there shall be annexed to it a plan of such land, and such notice shall be in the form A in the schedule hereto, and shall bear a stamp of fifty cents.

3 Upon the receipt of such notice by the registrar, he shall forthwith endorse thereon the true date of such receipt, and shall file every such notice with the records of his office, and shall suspend a copy of such notice in a conspicuous place in his office, and shall cause other publication of such notice to be made by affixing a copy thereof at such conspicuous places in his district as shall for that purpose be appointed by the Registrar-General, and shall also forthwith enter a true copy of the said notice, together with the date of receipt of the same, into a book to be called the "Land Sale Notice Book," which shall be open at all reasonable times without fee to all persons desirous of inspecting the same.

4 Upon the expiration of twenty-one days after the receipt of the said notice, it shall be the duty of the registrar to issue to the vendor a certificate of publication under his hand, provided that no lawful cause be shown to the satisfaction of such registrar why such certificate should not issue. Every such certificate shall state the particulars set forth in the notice and the day on which the notice was entered, and shall be in the form B in the schedule hereto.

If any cause be shown to the satisfaction of the registrar against the issue of such certificate of publication, the registrar shall forthwith make report thereof to the district court of the district within which the land is situate, and shall suspend such issue or such publication and all further proceedings thereon until it shall have been decided by such court whether such certificate ought to be issued or not. And such court shall as soon as possible after such report shall have been received take the same into consideration and decide in a summary way whether such certificate should issue or not, and from this decision there shall be no appeal.

6 A certificate issued under this Ordinance shall remain of force for a period of twelve calendar months from the date of the issue thereof, and it shall be lawful for the vendor to execute a conveyance in the manner prescribed by law in favour of the vendee at any time within the said period, but not otherwise.

7 This Ordinance shall not apply to grants of land by the Crown.

SCHEDULE. Form A. Notice.

(Under Section 2 of Ordinance No. -

Notice is hereby given that A. M., of _____, in ____, has intimated to _____, the Registrar of Lands of _____, on the _____ day of _____, 189 __, that he intends to sell on or before the _____ day of _____, 189 __, the land _____, situate in _____ in _____, and bounded on the north by _____, on the east by _____, on the south by _____, and on the west by _____, and consisting of _____, as more fully shown in the plan now lying for inspection in the office of the said Registrar of Lands.

Jaffna, _____, 189 ____

Registrar of Lands.

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Notice of intended sales to be given to the registrar of lands.

Duty of registrar to receive and publish each notice.

Issue of a certificate of publication.

Opposition to the issue of such certificate how disposed of.

Sale of land permissible within twelve months of the date of the issue of such certificate.

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Form B.

Certificate of due publication.

(Under Section 4 of Ordinance No. -

Jaffna, -----, 189 ---.

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER, Colonial Secretary.

Registrar of Lands.

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, October 11, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that a suit has been instituted in the Court of Requests of Hatton by eighteen labourers of Norwood estate, against the proprietors thereof, under the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, for the recovery of their wages amounting to Rs. 205.85.

This 16th day of October, 1894.

LOUIS DUNDESEKERE, Chief Clerk.

NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTION'S.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. C/498.

In the Matter of the Goods and Chattels of Jinorasabhidhana Dhammasiddhi Terunnanso *alias* Dhammasiddhi Terunnanse, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Joseph Grenier, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on the 13th day of September, 1894, in the presence of W. P. Ranesinghe, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Happitiya Sonuttara Terunnanse, of Kande Vihare, now of Millate in the Gangaboda pattu of Siyane korale : and the affidavit of the said Happitiya Sonuttara Terunnanse, dated 31st July and 11th September, 1894, having been read : It is ordered that the said Happitiya Sonuttara Terunnanse be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Jinorasabhidhana Dhammasiddhi Terunnanse alias Dhammasiddhi Terunnanse, deceased, issued to him, as pupil of the said deceased, unless the respondent, Ranatun Acci Nawagomurallage Gamel Appu, of Radawana in the Gnngaboda pattu of Siyane korale, shall, on or before the 25th day of October, 1894, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

JOSEPH GRENIER, Acting District Judge.

The 13th day of September, 1894.

In the District Court of Colombo. Order Nisi.

Jurisdiction. No. C/507. In the Matter of the Estate of Pattiwilage Don John Cornelis, late of Pilapitiya in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale, deceased.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Joseph Grenier, Esq., Acting District Judge of Colombo, on the 20th day of September, 1894, in the presence of Adrian de Livera, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Pattiwilage Don John Godfried, of Pilapitiya in the Adikari pattu of Siyane korale ; and the affidavit of the said Pattiwilage Don John Godfried, dated 10th July, 1894, having been read: It is ordered that the said Pattiwilage Don John Godfried be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Pattiwilage Don John Cornelis, deceased, issued to him, as brother of the said deceased , unless the respondents—1, Pattiwilage Don Hen chi Appuhami, and 2, Javalatachchige Dona Catherina Hamine, both of Pilapitiya in the Adikari pattu of Siyane kerale—shall, on or before the 1st day of November, 1894, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of his court to the contrary.

> JOSEPH GRENIER, Acting District Judge.

The 20th day of September, 1894.

In the District Court of Kalutara. Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. No. 74.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Wadugey Balbera Perera, deceased, of Mahawaddua.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before H. C. P. Bell, Esq., Acting District Judge of Kalutara, on the 13th day of September, 1894, in the presence of Mr. Domingo de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Paiyagalawadugey Pemianu Fernando; and the affidavit of Paiyagalawadugey Pemianu Fernando, dated the 31st day of August. 1894, having been read:

It is declared that the said Paiyagelawadugey Pemianu Fernando, as husband of the deceased, is entitled to have letters of administration of the deceased's estate issued to him, unless the respondents—1, Wadugey Francisco Perera, Peace Officer; 2, Wadugey Agostinu Perera; 3, Wadugey Jaunis Perera; 4, Wadugey Lianora Perera; 5, Wadugey Jusey Perera, all of Mahawaddua—shall, on or before the 22nd day of October, 1894, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> H. C. P. BELL, Acting District Judge.

The 13th day of September, 1894.

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Order Nisi.

In the District Court of Kandy.

Maria Mikail Kangany, of Sinne Kadianlena Petitioner and

1, Nalla Muttu ; and 2, Alaga Muttu, both of

Kadianlena Respondents.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before John Henricus de Saram, Esq., District Judge of Kandy, on the 11th day of July, 1894, in the presence of Messrs. Sproule and Sproule, Proctors, on the part of the peti-tioner Maria Mikail Kangani, and the affidavit of the spir Maria Mikail Kangani, distribution of Maria said Maria Mikail Kangany, dated the 8th day of May, 1894, having been read :

It is declared that the said Maria Mikail Kangany is a as such is entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Seena Wana Sami Naden, deceased, and issued to him, unless the respondents above-named shall, on or before the 24th day of August, 1894, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> J. H. DE SARAM, District Judge.

The 11th day of July, 1894.

This Order Nisi is extended to the 28th day of September, 1894, and it is ordered that the said Maria Mikail Kangany of Sinne Kadianlena will be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Seena Wana Sami Naden of Kadianlena, deceased, issued to him, unless the respondents named in the Order Nisi shall, on or before the 28th day of September, 1894, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> J. H. DE SARAM. District Judge.

The 24th day of August, 1894.

This Order Nisi is extended to the 26th day of October, 1894, and it is ordered that the said Maria Mikail Kangany of Sinne Kadianlena will be declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Seena Wana Sami Naden of Kadianlena, deceased, issued to him, unless the respondents named in the Order Nisi shall, on or before the 26th day of October, 1894, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> J. H. DE SARAM, District Judge.

The 28th day of September, 1894.

In the District Court of Jaffna. Order Nisi. Testamentary) In the Matter of the Estate of the late

Jurisdiction. No. 633. Class I.		anagarayar hiviaterru,
Kanagarayar	Kanapathippillai, of Chivia-	

terru......Petitioner.

Vs.

Ponnachchippillai, widow of Visuvanather,

of ChiviaterruRespondent.

HIS matter of the petitioner of Kanagarayar Kanapathippillai, of Chiviaterru, praying for letters of administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Sinnappillai, wife of Kanagarayar Kanapathippillai, coming on for disposal before F. J. de Livera, Esq., District Judge, on the 9th day of October, 1894, in the presence of Messrs. Casippillai & Cathiravelu, Proctors, on the part of the petitioner; and the affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 9th day of October, 1894, having been read: It is declared that the petitioner is the husband of the said intestate, and is entitled to have letters of

administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to her, unless the respondent or any other person shall, on or before the 5th day of November, 1894, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

> F. J. DE LIVERA, District Judge.

Signed this 11th day of October, 1894,

In the District Court of Galle.

Order Nisi.

No? 3,072.

Testamentary In the Matter of the Last Will and Jurisdiction. In the Matter of Henry James Barton, deceased, of Galle.

HIS matter coming on for disposal before F. H. de Vos, Esq., Additional District Judge of Galle, on the 6th day of October, 1894, in the presence of Mr. W. E. de Vos, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Susana Dorothea Barton, of Galle; and the affidavit of the said Susana Dorothea Barton, of Galle, dated 4th day of October 1891, having hear read. October, 1894, having been read

It is ordered that the will of Henry James Barton of Galle, deceased, dated 5th day of August, 1894, and now filed in the above case, be and the same is hereby declared proved, shall, on or before the 2nd day of November, 1894. show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said Susana Dorothea Barton, of Galle, is the executrix named in the said will, and that she is as such entitled to have probate of the same issued to her accordingly.

> F. H. DE VOS. Additional District Judge

The 6th day of October, 1894.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

No. 462. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Mutunamagonnage Gabriel Fernando, of Wennappuwa.

HIS matter coming on for disposal before Edward Thomas Noyes, Esq., District Judge of Chilaw, on the 27th day of September, 1394, in the presence of the petitioner Pattinige Catharina Fernando, of Wennappuwa; and the affidavit of the said petitioner having been read: It is ordered that the said Pattinige Catharina Fernando, of Wennappuwa, be and she is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late Mutunamagonnage Gabriel Fernando, of Wen-nappuwa, issued to her, and that such letters be accordingly issued to her, unless any person shall, on or before the 12th day of November, 1894, show sufficient cause to the contrary.

E. T. NOYES, September 28, 1894. District Judge.

In the District Court of Chilaw. Order Nisi.

No. 463.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late Pattinige Juan Fernando, Sacristan, of Katuneriya.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before Edward Thomas Noyes, Esq., District Judge of Chilaw, on the 3rd day of October, 1894, in the presence of the petitioner, Jayasuriya Kuranage Silvestri Perera, of Katuneriya; and the affidavit of the said petitioner having been read: It is ordered that the said Jayasuriya Kuranage Silvestry Perera of Katunerities he and he is Kuranage Silvestry Perera, of Katuneriya, be and he is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late Pattinige Juan Fernando, Sacristan, of Katuneriya, issued to him, and that such letters be accordingly issued to him, unless any person shall, on or before the 12th day of November, 1894, show sufficient cause to the contrary.

October 3, 1894.

E. T. Noves, District Judge.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 1,750. In the matter of the insolvency of D. B. S. Jayasekera, of Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent will take place at the sitting of this court on October 25, 1894, to prove further claims.

By order of court,

J. B. Misso,

Colombo, September 28, 1894.

Secretary.

No. 1,800. In the matter of the insolvency of Arthur Wambeek of Silversmith street, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the issue of a certificate of conformity of any class to the above-named insolvent has been refused.

By order of court,

Colombo, September 29, 1894.

No. 1,809. In the matter of the insolvency of Oona Ismail Lebbe Marikar of No. 82, Bankshall street, Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that a public sitting of this court will be held on November 1, 1894, to grant certificate of conformity to the insolvent.

By order of court,

Colombo, September 28, 1894.

J. B. MISSO, Secretary.

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Secretary.

No. 1,716. In the matter of the insolvency of John Maitland, trading as M itland & Co,

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of creditors will be held at the sitting of this court on October 25, 1894. for the purpose of considering a report to be submitted by the assignee in reference to certain shares which were held by the insolvent in the Colombo Ice Company, Limited, and other companies, and giving directions to the assignee in the matter.

By order of court,

Colombo, October 6, 1894.

J. B. Misso, Secretary.

No. 1,760. In the matter of the insolvency of Meyna Muna Ibrahim Saibo, of Colombo.

NOTICE is hereby given that a public sitting of this court will be held on November 1, 1894, for the allowance of a certificate of conformity to the abovenamed insolvent.

By order of court,

Colombo, October 9, 1894.

Secretary.

J. B. MISSO.

No. 1,814. In the matter of the insolvency of Charles Thomas, of Colombo.

WHEREAS the above-named Charles Thomas, of Colombo, was on October 5, 1894, adjudged insolvent by the District Court of Colombo, 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 November 15 and 29, 1894, 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. Misso,

Secretary.

Colombo, October 8, 1894.

No. 1,815. In the matter of the insolvency of Alfred Buse Scott of Colombo, trading as A. B. Scott & Company.

WHEREAS the above-named Alfred Buse Scott, of Colombo, was on October 4, 1894, adjudged insolvent by the District Court of Colombo, 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 November 1 and 22, 1894, 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, initialed "An Ordinance for the due collection, administration, and distribution of Insolvent Estates."

> By order of court, J. B. Misso, Secretary.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Colombo. Christopher Goodenough Jolliffe, of Bambalapitiya......Plaintiff.

No. 3,167/C. Vs. Simon de Abrew Abeyesinghe and Agnes

Anastasia de Soyza, both of Colombo......Defendants. NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, November 12, 1894, at 4 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.:-

VIZ.:--An undivided one-sixth part or share of all that house and garden called "Elie Cottage," situated at Alutmawata in Colombo; bounded on the north by the property of Mr. William Rajapaksa, Proctor, on the east by mud ground called "Kimbulahela," on the south by the property of Mrs. Madelena Mendis Karunaratna, and on the west by Alutmawata road, containing in extent 3 acres more or less.

Fiscal's Office, Colombo, October 17, 1894.

Colombo, October 6, 1894.

J. S. DRIEBERG, Deputy Fiscal.

In the Court of Requests of Colombo.

Charles Samarawickrama......Plaintiff.

No. 396/7,921. Vs.

Richard Lambert Havers......Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 10, 1894, 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. :--

All that garden called Kongahawatta alias Kosgahawatta, together with the buildings standing thereon, situated at Delduwa alies Mabole, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkurn korale; bounded on the north by the road leading to Mahara, on the east by Palliawatta, on the south by the land belonging to Hettimuni Migel Fernando and Juan Fernando, and on the west by the road leading to Colombo, containing in extent 4 acres 1 rood and 22_{75}^{3} square perches more or less.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, HENRY Welisara, October 16, 1894.

e, HENRY A. PERERA, 894. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Don Federick Weerasundera Goonetilleka, of Pattia in Panadure Plaintiff. No. 1.093. Vs.

Mr. J. G. L. Vanderstraaten, Secretary of the District Court of Kalutara, administrator of the estate of Gampollege Philippo Fonseka, of Debbedda Defendant

N OTICE is hereby given that on Monday. November 12, 1894, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property, for the recovery of the sum of Rs. 1,737.76 $\frac{1}{2}$, with further interest on Rs. 1,000 at 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum from May 15, 1894, till payment, viz. :--

1. The soil and trees of a portion of Ketandedeniya, situate at Debbedda; bounded on the north by a portion of this land belonging to the said Gampollege Philippo Fonseka, east by Ambagahawatta and Kajugahawatta, south by a portion of this land belonging to Waduge Salonis Fernando and others, and on the west by Depa-ela.

2. The soil and all the trees of two contiguous portions of land called Bambigahadeniya, together with the buildings standing thereon, situated between the villages Nallur and Debbedda; bounded on the north-west by the cart road leading from Nallur to Weragama, northesst by the owita lands belonging to Daniel Fernando and Joseph Fernando, south-east by the portion of land marked No. 1, and on the west by a portion of this land in the name of Mandadige Manuel Fernando.

3. The soil and all the trees of a portion of Bambigahadeniya, situate at and lying between the villages Dibbedda and Nallur; bounded on the north by the cart road, east by a portion of this land purchased by the said Gampollege Philippo Fonseka, south by the ditch or fence of the live sticks, and on the west by the watercourse; mortgaged with the plaintiff by bond No. 7,978, dated December 27, 1890, and filed with the plaint, be and the same are hereby declared bound and executable for the decree in the above case.

And the right, title, and interest of the deceased defendant in and to the buildings standing on the aforesaid portion of Ketandedeniya marked No. 1.

H. W. BRODHURST, Deputy Fiscal's Office, Deputy Fiscal. Kalutara, October 16, 1894.

Southern Province.

In the District Court of Galle.

Mohidin Bawa, of China Garden......Plaintiff. No. 2,238. Vs.

1, Sinnawan Noorudeen Mohammadu Ismail ; 2, Abdulla Cassim Ibrahim, both of China Garden, carrying on business at Galle under the firm and style of Galle Lighter Company......Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the days and hours under-mentioned will be sold by public auction the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, viz. :-----

On Saturday, November 10, 1894, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, at the residing houses of the defendants.

Two ebony couches, two almirahs, one iron almirah, twelve pictures, four lamps, one big looking-glass, and other movables seized belonging to the defendants.

On Monday, November 12, 1894, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at the spot.

All that garden called Galketigodawatia and the buildings standing thereon, situate at Kumbalwela. This writ is issued to levy a sum of Rs. 915-76.

H. J. WOUTERSZ,

Deputy Fiscal.

Fiscal's Office, Galle, October 15, 1894.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

Muna Ana Sidambaram Chetty, of Madampe.....Plaintiff. No. 839. Vs.

1, Warnakulasuriya Marsitino Lowe; 2, Warnakulasuriya Pedro Lowe; and 3, Warnakulasuriya Luciya Lowe, all of

Hattiniya......Defendants. **D**OTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, November 10, 1894, commencing at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the

following property, viz. :--1. The entire soil and trees of the garden called Kahatagahawatta, situated at Hattiniya in Chilaw District. which is of the extent of about 300 cocoanut trees plantable soil, excluding therefrom 25 cocoanut trees plantable soil; bounded on the north by the fence of the garden of Pedru Annavirala, on the east by, the land of Migel Fernando, on the south by the garden belonging to Pedru Fernando and others, and on the west by the garden of Suse Pulle.

2. The entire soil and trees of the garden called Siyambalagahawatta, situated at Hattiniya in Chilaw District; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Manuel Loweand others, on the east and south by the lands belonging to the heirs of Ukkiriya Gamaduraya, and on the west by the high road.

3. The entire soil and trees of the extent of 50 cocoanut trees plantable soil out of the extent of 100 cocoanut trees plantable soil in the western side of the garden called Siyambalagahawatta, situated at Hattiniya in Chilaw District, which is of the extent of about 400 cocoanut trees plantable soil; bounded on the north by the land belonging to Martina Fernando, Manuel Fernando, and others, on the east by the old road, on the south by the land belonging to Tambiya and others, and on the west by the new road.

Amount recoverable Rs. 1,455 62, with further interest on Rs. 1,288 75 at 16¹/₂ per cent. per annum from April 14, 1894, till payment in full.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, Chilaw. October 15, 1894. E. T. Noves, Deputy Fiscal.

H. C. COTTLE, ACTING GOVERNMENT PRINTER, COLOMBO, CEYLON.