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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 on Saturday, September 17, 1898, at 8.30 o'clock a.m., in accordance with notice dated September 12, 1898.

Present :—Hon. Mr. Allanson Bailey, Chairman; J. H. Sproule, Esq.; Dr. F. Keyt; W. D. Gibbon, Esq.; E. Beven, Esq.; C. Vanderwall, Esq.; R. W. Jonklaas, Esq.; A. Philip, Esq.

1. The Minutes of Proceedings of the Meeting held on August 20, 1898, were read and confirmed.

2. The following documents were laid on the table :—Statement of Receipts and Disbursements from close of 1897 to August 31, 1898, on account of the General Revenue, Police Assessment, and Water-rate Accounts; Progress Report of Work done brought up to the same date; Return of Cases instituted by the several Inspectors during the Month of August; and Health Officer's Report.

Resolved,—That the several statements, together with the Minutes of Proceedings of this Meeting, be forwarded as required by section 90 of "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance," No. 7 of 1887, to the Colonial Secretary for publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. The following correspondence was submitted and read :—

- Letter No. 38, dated August 17, from the Colonial Secretary, intimating that the Treasurer had been instructed to advance the Council Rs. 60,000 as a loan for purchase of land in connection with the water supply.
- Letter No. 39, dated August 24, from the Colonial Secretary, stating that Ordinance No. 12 of 1898 to further amend "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," is now in force.
- Letter No. 40, dated August 24, from the Colonial Secretary, acknowledging receipt of Chairman's letter forwarding a resolution of Council in respect of alleys, and suggesting that instead of attempting to deal with all the alleys at one and the same time, the Council should select some of the worst and ascertain cost of acquisition and of erecting model buildings; also Health Officer's reports as to the six worst alleys.

It was proposed by Mr. E. Beven, seconded by Mr. C. Vanderwall, "that the following members be appointed a Special Committee to deal with the matter of alleys and to report to the Council :—The Chairman, Messrs. Gibbon, Creasy, and Philip."

Proposed by Mr. C. Vanderwall, seconded by Mr. A. Philip, "that the thanks of the Municipal Council be conveyed to Government for their letter of August 24, and for the promise of considering favourably an application for a loan."

Carried *nem con.*

- (d) Letter No. 41, dated August 31, from the Colonial Secretary, forwarding copy of report by Captain Hallaran, R.A.M. Corps, on sanitary condition of Malabar street drains.
- (e) Letter No. 42, dated September 2, from the Colonial Secretary, acknowledging receipt of Chairman's letter forwarding copy of resolution having reference to Special Committee's report recommending alteration of section 26, chapter II., of schedule to Ordinance No. 19 of 1896.
- (f) Letter No. 43, dated September 5, from the Colonial Secretary, relating to the recommendation of the Committee appointed to report on the sanitary condition of Kandy in respect of the alleged necessity for legislation for authority to enter private sheds and galas, and forwarding copy of letter from the Attorney-General.

It was proposed by Mr. E. Beven, seconded by Dr. F. Keyt, that the letter be referred to the following Special Committee for report:—Messrs. Sproule, Beven, Vanderwall, and Philip.

- (g) Letter No. 44, dated September 6, from the Colonial Secretary, intimating that the Governor regrets he must decline to comply with the request of the Council that the proceeds of sales of lands within the catchment area of the reservoir be handed over to the Council.
- (h) Letter No. 53, dated September 3, from the Government Agent, forwarding copy of letter from the Colonial Secretary respecting the land at Mahaiyawa handed over by the Military and occupied by the Municipal Council, and inquiring whether the Council desire to buy the land at a valuation.

On motion proposed by Dr. F. Keyt, seconded by Mr. J. H. Sproule, it was resolved that the land at Mahaiyawa be purchased at the valuation made, viz., Rs. 1,512-50.

- (g) Letter No. 2,182 of August 20, from the Director of Public Works, and connected correspondence respecting a retaining wall on the Katugastota road.

4. Mr. Philip, pursuant to notice, inquired—What had been done in regard to extending the limits of the Municipality to Ampitiya, including the dhoby's quarters.

Reply.—The Special Committee appointed on July 16, 1898, has not yet reported. A meeting had been called for Saturday next.

5. In pursuance of notice, Mr. Philip proposed, seconded by Mr. Vanderwall, "that the attention of Government be drawn to the manner in which the assurances given by the Public Works Department in reference to the disgraceful condition of the sides of the Katugastota road from the 1st milepost to the railway viaduct have remained unfulfilled since the damage by floods at the end of 1896, was officially brought under immediate notice by the late Provincial Engineer, Central Province (Mr. A. Murray), and by the Municipal Council through special reports and otherwise, the orders at the time being that the work was to be done from Maintenance Estimates, and that if this could not be done, that the cost be included on the following year's estimates; notwithstanding which and renewed assurances to the contrary nothing has yet been done to put the sides of this principal thoroughfare within Municipal limits into a proper state so as to prevent still further damage and encroachment by a recurrence of floods which may take place at any time."

6. Proposed by Mr. C. Vanderwall, seconded by Mr. R. W. Jonklaas, "that with reference to letter No. 41, dated August 31, from the Colonial Secretary, the Government be informed that in the opinion of the Council the drains referred to should be kept up and maintained in proper repair by the Public Works Department, who have undertaken the upkeep of the streets, inasmuch as the drains are necessary for their preservation."

On the motion being put to the Meeting, the following votes were recorded:—

<i>Ayes.</i>		<i>Noes.</i>
A. Philip. R. W. Jonklaas. C. Vanderwall. J. H. Sproule. Dr. F. Keyt. W. D. Gibbon.		E. Beven. The Chairman.

Ayes, 6 ; Noes, 2 ; Majority, 4.

The Chairman declared the motion carried.

7. Mr. Philip, in accordance with notice, inquired—When the Annual Administration Report of the Municipal Council for 1897, with the observations appended thereto, under section 80, sub-section (e), "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," was transmitted for submission to the Governor in Executive Council, and moved that the letters to Government be read, and any papers be laid on the table.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Beven.

Reply.—Annual Report sent to the Colonial Secretary on July 20, letter No. 76, dated July 20, to the Colonial Secretary, forwarding observations of the Special Committee was read.

8. Mr. Philip, pursuant to notice, asked—What delays the erection of the new public latrine at the site decided on by the Municipal Council near the junction of Lady Gordon's road with Katugastota road and the improvement and conservancy of the locality, desired and determined in terms of resolution passed at the General Meeting held on July 16.

Reply.—The delay was owing to a dispute in respect of one of the boundaries. The work of erecting the latrine way commenced on September 13.

Mr. Philip, with leave of Council, withdrew the motion calling for papers.

9. Mr. Philip, in accordance with notice, asked—How the various cemeteries within Municipal limits are regulated, and moved that the Health Officer's reports recently received on the subject be laid on the table.

The motion as altered to "laid on the table" instead of "read" was seconded by Mr. Beven.

Reply.—The General Cemetery at Mahaiyawa is governed by "The Cemeteries Ordinance, 1862," Ordinance No. 1 of 1894, and regulations made by the Government before the Council took charge, and other burial grounds by Ordinance No. 2 of 1894 and by-laws in chapter XVIII. of the schedule to Ordinance No. 19 of 1896.

Application has been made for registration of one of the burial grounds, viz., the Mohammedan burial ground at Katukele. The owner of the Mulgampola burial ground has been warned to register. The Chairman has ordered

a prosecution in respect of a recent burial on a ground at Getambe, near the railway line. This ground is apparently not in charge of any one.

It was ordered that the Health Officer's report dated September 8 be circulated.

10. Mr. Philip, with leave of Council, amended the motion of which he had given notice by substituting "laid on the table" for "read," and moved "that the most recent report on dairies from the Health Officer be laid on the table."

Report dated September 12 was laid on the table and ordered to be circulated.

11. Resolved that a copy of the report on the sanitary condition of Kandy by the Committee appointed by His Excellency the Governor be sent for publication in the *Government Gazette* in connection with the Minutes of the Special Meeting held on August 6 last.

Confirmed this 15th day of October, 1898 :

ALLANSON BAILEY,
Chairman.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements to August 31, 1898.

REVENUE.	Estimated Receipts.		EXPENDITURE.	Disbursements.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Balance from 1897	—	30,252	73		
Arrears	—	2,412	6		
Cemetery account—fees	900	0	393	50	
Commutation rate	9,250	0	9,680	0	
Interest	300	0	186	45	
Judicial account—fines	2,350	0	2,945	30	
Licenses	6,585	0	6,219	50	
Miscellaneous receipts	431	25	569	32	
Public Works—Government contribution	850	0	—		
Recreation ground—rents	250	0	185	50	
Public market—rents	10,400	0	7,248	0	
Rents	680	0	817	25	
Scavenging	600	0	628	75	
Slaughter-houses—fees	4,425	0	2,759	65	
Stamp duties	10,265	0	—		
Taxes	1,225	0	444	0	
Tolls	25,251	0	12,605	60	
Estimate No. 17 of 1897	—	—	500	0	
Suspense account Rs. 785·22, stores Rs. 5,649·75	—	—	6,434	97	
Guides' deposits Rs. 22, sundry debtors Rs. 176·83	—	—	198	83	
Securities Rs. 1,208·50, dog collars 31 cents	—	—	1,208	81	
Manure	—	—	97	6	
Assessment tax arrears—tax and costs	—	—	1,092	67	
Assessment tax, 1898	21,690	55	15,141	92	
Interest	100	0	142	0	
Costs on account 1898	—	—	22	21	
Water-rate arrears—rate and costs	—	—	1,232	19	
Water-rate, 1898	24,060	34	17,179	39	
Interest	100	0	128	45	
Sale of grass	500	0	118	29	
Waterworks extension	3,500	0	—		
Sundry debtors Rs. 10, water sold Rs. 219·27	—	—	229	27	
House service—work done	—	—	845	98	
Bricks used Rs. 70, costs on account 1898 Rs. 28·34	—	—	98	34	
	123,713	14	122,017	99	
Arrears	—	—	—	—	139 50
Cemetery account—wages and tools, &c.	—	—	—	—	731 35
Commutation rate—commission and sundries	—	—	—	—	625 45
Judicial account—salaries and printing	—	—	—	—	1,151 40
Licenses—printing	—	—	—	—	10 75
Miscellaneous charges	—	—	—	—	657 14
Office charges—salaries and sundries	—	—	—	—	3,874 67
Public works	—	—	—	—	32,391 68
Public market—wages, lighting, &c.	—	—	—	—	1,207 30
Rents—expenses on account Town Hall, &c.	—	—	—	—	160 33
Sanitation and scavenging	—	—	—	—	20,176 90
Slaughter-houses—wages, feeding cattle, &c.	—	—	—	—	1,005 27
Stamp duties	—	—	—	—	6 5
Taxes—charges on account dogs, vehicles, and animals	—	—	—	—	197 16
Time charges—wages, powder, &c.	—	—	—	—	318 67
Volunteer and public band	—	—	—	—	800 0
Pension account Rs. 611·09, interest paid to Government Rs. 800	—	—	—	—	1,411 9
Petty cash Rs. 16·08, suspense Rs. 602·23	—	—	—	—	618 31
Stores Rs. 8,562·11, manure Rs. 194·20	—	—	—	—	8,756 31
Sundry debtors Rs. 586·52, dog collars 31 cents	—	—	—	—	586 83
Estimate No. 17 of 1897	—	—	—	—	728 85
Legal expenses Rs. 21, refund of securities Rs. 98	—	—	—	—	119 0
Assessment tax arrears—charges	—	—	—	—	4 6
Assessment tax, 1898—salaries, commission, &c.	—	—	—	—	1,766 33
Street lighting Rs. 1,478·93, extra clerk Rs. 29·50	—	—	—	—	1,508 43
Refund of overplus Rs. 14·15, street names, &c., Rs. 11·56	—	—	—	—	25 71
Costs on account 1898 Rs. 33·30, police maintenance Rs. 5,768·47	—	—	—	—	5,801 77
Water-rate arrears—charges	—	—	—	—	6 4
Water-rate, 1898—salaries, commission, &c.	—	—	—	—	1,736 76
Waterworks maintenance	—	—	—	—	3,034 67
Waterworks extension	—	—	—	—	2,250 33
House service—materials	—	—	—	—	639 70
Extra clerk Rs. 29·50, Fairieland estate Rs. 1,157·93	—	—	—	—	1,187 43
Land acquisition Rs. 250, costs on account 1898 Rs. 33·30	—	—	—	—	283 30
Interest and sinking fund	—	—	—	—	6,250 0
					100,168 54
Balance					21,849 45
					122,017 99

Kandy, September 8, 1898.

L. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Accountant.

Progress Report of Work done brought up to August 31, 1898.

Est. No.	Heads of Expenditure.	Amount voted for the Year.		Expenditure up to July 31, 1898.		Expenditure in August, 1898.		Total Expenditure.		Unexpended Balances.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1	Pavement and drains ...	1,308	46	1,273	69	12	75 ^a	1,286	44	22	2
2	Town streets ...	4,315	0	3,016	37	731	36 ^b	3,748	13	566	87
3	Alutgantota and Lady Anderson's roads ...	784	30	342	13	14	2 ^c	356	15	378	15
4	Udawattakele roads ...	1,213	50	729	83	—	—	729	83	483	67
5	Halloluwa, Slaughter-house, Bahirowekanda, Hospital, and Huduhumpolaroads	1,193	50	642	61	150	17 ^d	792	78	400	72
6	Municipal buildings ...	880	0	452	72	75	12 ^e	527	84	352	16
7	Watering streets ...	300	0	246	68	4	95 ^f	251	63	48	37
8	Market buildings and roads ...	598	83	574	56	194	81 ^g	769	37	—	—
9	Ornamental plants and trees ...	200	0	199	64	—	—	199	64	0	36
10	Tools ...	400	0	302	96	7	18 ^h	310	14	89	86
11	Ferry approaches ...	225	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	225	0
12	Bathing tank ...	100	0	58	8	—	—	58	8	41	92
13	Lady Longden's, Lady Gordon's, and Lady MacCarthy's roads	853	36	281	0	68	66 ^j	349	66	503	70
14	Ferry boats ...	300	0	85	26	—	—	85	26	214	74
15	Fountains ...	66	0	43	28	—	—	43	28	22	72
16	Recreation ground ...	830	0	577	51	67	57 ^k	645	8	184	92
17	Road from slaughter-house to Richmond Hill ...	1,605	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,605	0
18	Survey of Lady Anderson's, improvement and widening Lady Anderson's	1,600	0	955	13	239	22 ^l	1,194	35	405	65
19	Building concrete drains, railway approach road ...	1,172	75	1,139	83	—	—	1,139	83	32	92
20	Dormer windows to verandahs of Town Hall ...	118	50	85	81	—	—	85	81	32	69
21	Cost of 8 latrines, painting 12 latrines, 4 concrete platforms, drains, &c. ...	5,720	0	3,005	26	397	46 ^m	3,402	72	2,317	28
22	Repairing Gonawatta boat ...	1,036	0	889	92	36	99 ⁿ	926	91	109	9
23	Open drain, Palace square ...	440	0	436	21	—	—	436	21	3	79
24	Opening pits at Katugastota for night soil	1,000	0	184	46	290	90 ^o	475	36	524	64
25	Drainage scheme ...	—	—	12,618	11	15	60	12,633	71	—	—
26	Miscellaneous ...	300	0	866	66	—	—	866	66	—	—
27	Market fountain ...	365	0	132	72	—	—	132	72	232	28
28	Culvert and new fire bars ...	1,690	0	991	70	7	84 ^p	999	54	690	46
29	Double canoe, ferry ...	427	0	286	78	100	19 ^q	386	97	40	3
30	Building cattle sheds ...	3,395	0	—	—	599	79 ^r	599	79	2,795	21
31	Repairs of culverts, Halloluwa road ...	251	25	—	—	223	58 ^s	223	58	27	67

- (a) 70 lineal yards of barrel drain cleared of silt in Trincomalee street; 24 lineal feet of pavement repaired.
- (b) 159 lines of side drains cleared and sides reduced, including Trincomalee street; 82·70 cubes of metal getting; 43 cubes of metal transported; 42 cubes of gravel transported.
- (c) 8 cubes of landslips and drain silt removed.
- (d) 9 lines of drains deepened; 10 lines of road gravelled; 80 cubes of gravel transported.
- (e) 20 squares of whitewashing toll-houses, repairs to toll-houses, tarring and painting; 52 squares of whitewashing slaughter-house and cattle exposing shed; 10 cubes of gravel transported; 3 lines of roadway gravelled.
- (f) Hire of bullocks for carts.
- (g) 64 squares of whitewashing main building and privy; cutting trees, and rooting out hedges; 121 square feet of planking purchased.
- (h) Purchase of two buckets and whitewashing brush.
- (i) Whitewashing cooly lines store and line watcher.
- (k) Hire of bullocks for meadow mower; repairs of machine.
- (l) 35 lines of sides of drains deepened; 46 lines of roadway barrelled and levelled.
- (m) Transport of stone for building retaining wall; painting privies; purchase of laud, Katugastota road, for a public latrine.
- (n) Proportion of cost of repair of tools.
- (o) 135 cubes of earth excavated for night soil pits; covering in pits; clearing ground of scrub.
- (p) Clearing scrub.
- (q) Fitting platform for new ferry boat for Haloluwa.
- (r) Mining, blasting foundation stone, transport of stone; 29 cubes of earth cutting for site of shed.
- (s) Two cubes of dry rubble masonry for foundation; 1·50 cube rubble masonry steps built with cement pointing; transport of stone; mining and blasting; 2 cubes of earth filling.

Health Officer's Report for August, 1898.

Water Supply.—The water supply of Kandy still remains open to many sources of pollution. I consider the matter so urgent that I am of opinion that Fairieland bungalow and all lands from which the supply to the reservoir comes should be bought up at once, and that the purchases should be completed as expeditiously as possible.

I wrote some days ago to Mr. Gordon Pyper asking him to let me know the number of coolies daily employed on Hantane and Fairieland estates from which the water supply is derived, also asking him if weeding, &c., is still carried on. I wrote asking for this information in order that I might forward it to the Members of the Municipal

Council, but up to date I received no reply to my letter. I know from personal observation that large numbers of coolies are employed on the estates I refer to, and I think it a most disgraceful state of affairs that the residents in Kandy have to drink water which is contaminated by these coolies. I beg again to be permitted to bring most urgently to the notice of the Municipal Council the way in which their water supply is liable to sources of contamination.

Alleys.—The alleys of Kandy remain as a rule in a most insanitary state.

Drains.—The drainage of Kandy could not well be worse than it is; many of the drains are simply past description they are so bad.

Laundries.—All the laundries in Kandy have been limewashed. I consider many houses used as laundries quite unsuited for such a purpose, and many times have I thus reported to the Chairman, stating my reasons for doing so. I beg again to be permitted to bring the insanitary condition of the laundries generally to the notice of the Municipal Council.

Cemeteries.—On the 7th of this month I pointed out personally to the Chairman how several cemeteries along Peradeniya road are conducted. I showed the Chairman how the dead were buried, and Mr. Bailey saw for himself that in many cases the deaths could not have been registered. I asked the care-taker of the large Mohammedan cemetery at Katukele to show me all the certificates of deaths he had ever got from medical men, as I presumed he kept them all; he showed me thirteen certificates, these were all dated from last July; in this cemetery we noticed many fresh graves. I noticed that one of the Members of the Municipal Council lately asked what the death-rate of Kandy was. It would be simply impossible to answer this question until the cemeteries I refer to are registered. As far as I could find out, not one of the by-laws in chapter XVIII. relating to burials and burial grounds of Ordinance No. 19 of 1896 are kept in any of the cemeteries the Chairman saw. I have sent a special report about these cemeteries to the Chairman.

Public Latrines have been kept in a sanitary state.

Scavenging.—The scavenging of the town has been well done during August. The scavenging carts are many of them in bad repair. The Chairman inspected land at Peradeniya with a view to purchasing it for depositing refuse, &c., thereon. A depôt at Peradeniya is urgently required, also one at the end of Malabar street, the one at Katugastota being too far away.

Night Soil.—As far as I can find out the carts have removed the night-soil in a sanitary manner from all the public latrines and many private ones during the month.

Depôt at Katugastota.—This place has been kept in a sanitary state. A well to supply water for washing the carts is urgently required there.

Cooly Lines.—The Municipal cooly lines have not been kept in a sanitary state during the month.

Bakeries are all in a fairly sanitary state.

Dairies.—All dairies are kept in a sanitary state; frequent inspections are made.

Cattle Stalls are kept in as sanitary a condition as possible. Owners have often to be prosecuted for not complying with the by-laws.

Public Market.—This building has been kept well scavenged during the month. All the stalls required to be either painted or limewashed. The tats in the market are in a worse condition than even they were.

Slaughter Houses.—These buildings have been kept in a sanitary state.

Cattle Inspection Shed has been kept in a sanitary state.

Cattle.—I carefully inspected cattle and sheep exposed for being slaughtered; only good animals were passed by me.

Fish Boutiques.—Several inspections were made of these places during the month, and several owners were prosecuted and punished for selling rotten fish.

Native Eating Houses.—All these places have been limewashed. As a rule their drainage and other sanitary arrangements are most defective.

Infectious Diseases.—Several cases of chickenpox occurred during the month.

Kandy, September 8, 1898.

W. HALLARAN, Capt., R.A.M.C.,
Health Officer.

LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

THE license for the sale of opium by retail within the limits of the Local Board, Trincomalee, for the year 1899, will be one in number, and the said license will be put up for sale by public auction at this office at 1.30 P.M. on Tuesday, November 15, 1898.

C. M. LUSHINGTON,
Chairman.
Local Board Office,
Trincomalee, October 22, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the provision of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, section 12, a Meeting will be held at the Trincomalee Local Board Office on Monday, December 5, 1898 at 1 o'clock P.M., to elect three Unofficial Members for the Local Board of Health and Improvement for the town of Trincomalee for the year 1899 and 1900.

C. A. MURRAY,
Government Agent.
Batticaloa Kachcheri,
October 31, 1898.

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වම් 1898 කටු මත්තෝවර් මස වෙනි
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1898 ම ජුනියුන් 13 ම ඉලක්කස් ස්ට්‍රීට් 12 ම පිරිමිත් පාදු තිරුක්කොනාමාට්ටු සේසත්තින් සෙසක් සිය තිරුක්කස් සමස්තයට 1899 ම 1900 ම ජුනියුන් 12 ක්‍රු උත්තියොස් ත්‍රාලාල්ලා මුණු අහස්තවරුන්ගේ තේනියුසෙයුම් පොරුටු 1898 ම ජුනියුන් මාර්තු 15 ඊ තිරුක්කි කිසිකිසිම පිරිපක් ඉරු මණිකු තිරුක් කොණමම් ස්තානසමස්ත ක්‍රේතාරීන් ඉරු සුද්ධම් වෛස්සම් මෙණු ඉත්තාල් අතිමිස්සම් මිණුණු.

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ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

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 1898, the Provincial Road Committee, 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:—

AGRA ROAD (between Lindula and end of Agra road).
Government moiety ... Rs. 5,900
Private contributions ... Rs. 5,900
1st section, 3,122 ft.
Total acreage, 22,718½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 244-20—
Sectional rate, '0107c.—Total rate, '0107c.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
W. M. Smith	Belgravia	297	3	27
1st to 3rd section, 7,918 ft.				
Total acreage, 22,421½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 376-14— Sectional rate, '0168c.—Total rate, '0275c.				

A. V. & J. H. Renton	Tallankanda	264	7	36
E. Templer	Deyanella	267	7	44
G. D. T. Bell	Newton	319	8	87
G. A. Talbot & G.				
Reid	Wallaha	290	8	7
James Sinclair	Mousa-ella	503	13	93
A. F. Harper (A. J. Thomas)	Eildon Hall	413	11	45
H. R. Wiggin	Bambrakelle	218	6	11
Do.	Lot 110,386, Dell	100	2	85
G. W. Goodeve (H. R. Wiggin)	Oddington	100	2	85
Mrs. Wiggin	Melton	207	5	79

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
J. M. Robertson & Co.	Ferham	248	6	92
Cumberbatch & Co.	Rahanwatta	305	8	48
H. R. Wiggin	Queenwood	228	6	37
Do.	Lot 110,387	119	3	37

1st to 4th section, 11,984 ft.
Total acreage, 18,840½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 318-03—
Sectional rate, '0169c.—Total rate, '0444c.
The Dimbula Valley
Co. (T. Mackie) ... Tillicultry ... 397 ... 17 72
1st to 6th section, 16,151 ft.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
J. A. Martin (J. A. Campbell)	Waltrim	389	24	25
M. C. Buller	Agrakanda	300	18	73

1st to 7th section, 20,936 ft.
Total acreage, 17,754½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 375-25—
Sectional rate, '0211c.—Total rate, '0832c.
C. R. S. Carew (J. M. Sayers)
... Fassifern West 138 ... 11 58
J. H. Sealey (A. J. Farquharson)
... Fassifern East 138 ... 11 58

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
1st to 8th section, 23,015 ft.				
Total acreage, 17,478½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 162-60— Sectional rate, '0093c.—Total rate, '0925c.				
F. A. & W. N. Fairlie	Howlahena	389	36	8
Geo. Beck	Henfold	305	28	31
Do.	St. Regulas	269	24	98
Whittall & Co.	Gleneagles	222	20	63
R. C. Maciver (H. E. W. Cooper)	Lippakelle	206	19	15

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
Aitken, Spence & Co. (J. Greig)	Macduff	221	20	54
The Ceylon Tea Plantation Company Limited (G. A. Talbot)	Begally, Cymru, and Tangakelle	910	84	27
Bois Brothers	Vellekelle	184	17	12
A. G. Yeates	Maria	297	27	57
G. H. D. Elphinstone (C. B. Lutyens)	Elgin	291	27	1
Do.	Kellyhill	158	14	71
Bois Brothers	Uvakelle	297	27	57
1st to 9th section, 26,915 ft.				
Total acreage, 13,729½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 304-99—Sectional rate, .0222c.—Total rate, .1147c.				
John M. Smith (J. K. Symonds)	Caledonia	244	28	8
1st to 10th section, 34,990 ft.				
Total acreage, 13,485½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 414-11—Sectional rate, .0303c.—Total rate, .1450c.				
A. J. Farquharson	Agra	277	40	26
Colombo Commercial Company, Limited (J. G. Wardrop)	Braamore	259	37	65
1st to 12th section, 41,715 ft.				
Total acreage, 12,949½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 745-27—Sectional rate, .0575c.—Total rate, .2025c.				
Aitken, Spence & Co.	Cranley	455	92	23
R. C. Paterson	Cranley Upper	357	72	39
J. M. Sayers	Holbrook	188	38	17
1st to 14th section, 44,655 ft.				
Total acreage, 11,949½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 229-44—Sectional rate, .0192c.—Total rate, .2217c.				
The heirs of R. B. Lawrence (E. Bowden Smith)	Galatea	189	42	0
1st to 16th section, 49,936 ft.				
Total acreage, 11,760½—Moiety of cost, Rs. 414-11—Sectional rate, .0352c.—Total rate, .2569c.				
J. P. Green & Co. (A. O. Tranchell)	Ardlaw	209	53	79
J. M. Smith	Albion	275	70	74
A. G. Seton	St. Margaret's	197	50	70
The heirs of R. B. Lawrence (E. Bowden Smith)	Balmoral	199	51	22
	Clydesdale	227	58	41
G. B. Sparkes (W. Mackenzie)	Thornfield	293	75	37
W. P. Fletcher	Wishford	181	46	59
Jeronis Peris	Elbedde	276	71	0
A. R. Ashton	Iona	110	28	35
G. L. Gwatkin	Torrington	284½	73	18
A. R. Ashton	Helbeck	109	28	10
Stevenson & Sons	Lot 110,382, Mossend	125	32	21
F. B. Seton	New Preston	167½	43	13
A. G. Seton	Lot 110,383, Preston No. 2	225	57	90
Ceylon Tea Plantation Co.	Polmont	46½	12	4
1st to 17th section, 52,575 ft.				
Total acreage, 8,836—Moiety of cost, Rs. 206-80—Sectional rate, .0234c.—Total rate, .2803c.				
G. A. Talbot (Ceylon Tea Plantation Company, Limited)	Glenlyon & Stair	632	177	21
1st to 18th section, 55,215 ft.				
Total acreage, 8,204—Moiety of cost, Rs. 206-80—Sectional rate, .0252c.—Total rate, .3055c.				
H. E. Fitz Clarence & L. M. Terin (Colombo Commercial Company, Limited)	Aldourie	269	82	27

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.	Rs.	c.
1st to 19th section 57,855 ft.				
Total acreage, 7,935—Moiety of cost, Rs. 206-80—Sectional rate, .0261c.—Total rate, .3316c.				
Stevenson & Sons	Agra Uva	331	109	85
Do.	Fankerton	193	64	9
1st to 21st section, 63,135 ft.				
Total acreage, 7,411—Moiety of cost, Rs. 414-11—Sectional rate, .0559c.—Total rate, .3875c.				
Charles Strachan & Co.	Hauteville	320	124	10
Do.	St. George	263	102	1
John Stewart (T. E. A. Dick-Lauder)	Sutton	277	107	43
Chas. Strachan & Co.	Woodlake	163	63	26
R. W. Wiskham	Holmwood	391	151	61
Chas. Strachan & Co.	Freshwater	251	97	36
1st to 22nd section, 65,775 ft.				
Total acreage, 5,746—Moiety of cost, Rs. 206-80—Sectional rate, .0360c.—Total rate, .4235c.				
A. L. Cross & M. Balfardie (R. W. Kerr)	Glasgow	458	193	96
W. H. & D. Anderson	Waverly	157	66	58
1st to 23rd section, 68,415 ft.				
Total acreage, 5,131—Moiety of cost, Rs. 206-80—Sectional rate, .0403c.—Total rate, .4638c.				
Glasgow Estate Co., Limited (Whittall & Co.)	Nithsdale	242	112	33
R. C. Bowie	Portmore	306	142	2
1st to 24th section, 71,055 ft.				
Total acreage, 4,583—Moiety of cost, Rs. 206-80—Sectional rate, .0451c.—Total rate, .5089c.				
C. B. Lutyens & G. H. D. Elphinstone	Mornington	404	205	59
T. Mackie (the Superintendent)	Ardalie	209	106	46
T. Mackie (G. S. & Co.)	Lot 112,364, Powy's Land	165	84	6
1st to 25th section, 73,920 ft.				
Total acreage, 3,805—Moiety of cost, Rs. 224-26—Sectional rate, .0589c.—Total rate, .5678c.				
New Dimbula Co., Limited	Diyagama	3,125	1,774	37
J. M. Sayers	Nutbourne	165	93	78
The heirs of R. B. Lawrence (E. Bowden Smith)	Lot 112,363, Sandringham	289	164	19
Do.	Lot 112,365, Yaravale	226	128	42
5,789 39				
Which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of the several estates are hereby required to pay into the Colonial Treasury, Colombo, on or before December 1, 1898.				
N.B.—Planters' moiety			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Deduct unexpended balance, 1897			18 67	
Deduct Bank interest, 1st half-year			75 84	
Deduct Bank interest, 2nd half-year			16 10	
				110 61
				5,789 39
F. J. SMITH, for Chairman.				
Provincial Road Committee's Office, Kandy, November 8, 1898.				

UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Clunes Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Clunes Estates Company of Ceylon, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 7, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Saturday, 26th November, 1898, at 12 noon, for the following purposes :—

1. To authorize the Directors to borrow a sum not exceeding Rs 50,000.
2. To consider the payment of a dividend for the year ending 30th June, 1898.

By order of the Directors,

WHITTALL & Co.,
Agents and Secretaries.

Ceylon Standard Press Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first Annual General Meeting of the above Company will be held at 15, Chatham street, Colombo, on Friday, 25th November, 1898, at 3 P.M.

Business.

To receive the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1898; to elect Directors; to appoint an Auditor; and to transact any other competent business that may be brought before the meeting.

By order of Directors,

W. A. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Colombo, November 8, 1898.

WE have this day admitted Mr. Robert Shawe Templer to be a partner in our Firm.

CUMBERBATCH & Co.

Colombo, November 7, 1898.

SIX weeks hence I shall apply to the Hon. the Judges of the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the said Court.

HENRY E. WIJETUNGE,
Proctor, District Court, Negombo.

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, of Kittangoda Naarigama, in the District of Galle, hitherto known as Francis, do hereby give notice that I shall, from this day, sign my name as K. A. F. Perera, my full name being Kalu Arachigey Francis Perera.

K. A. F. PERERA.

Colombo, November 8, 1898.

I, C. JANSZ, Clerk and Draughtsman, Survey Department, Ceylon, shall from the 15th instant use and be known by my full name Charles Edward de Jansz Abeyesekera and shall sign C. J. Abeyesekera.

C. JANSZ.

Dematagoda, November 8, 1898.