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NOTICES IN TESTAMENTARY ACTIONS.

In the District Court of Kalutara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Karunamuni Nonohamy, deceased, of Waskaduwa.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Roosmalecoco, Esq., District Judge of Kalutara, on the 4th day of November, 1898, in the presence of Mr. D. de Silva, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Asuramuni Thomas de Silva; and the affidavits of the said petitioner Asuramuni Thomas de Silva and Asuramuni Charles de Silva, dated 23rd August, 1898, and the affidavit of Disseneris de Fonseka Abeyesekere Gooneratne: It is ordered that the will of the late Karunamuni Nonohamy, deceased, dated 26th July, 1877, and now deposited in this court, be and the same is hereby declared proved.

It is further declared that the said Asuramuni Thomas de Silva is the executor named in the will, and that he is entitled to have probate of the same issued to him accordingly, unless the respondents—1, Asuramuni Mendishamy; 2, Asuramuni Jamishamy; 3, Asuramuni Louisa Nona; 4, Asuramuni Odilishamy; 5, Asuramuni Sadilis Silva; 6, Asuramuni Robert Silva; 7, Asuramuni Daniel Silva, all of Waskaduwa—shall, on or before the 13th day of December, 1898, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

G. C. ROOSMALECOCC,

The 4th day of November, 1898. District Judge.

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In the District Court of Kandy.

Testamentary Jurisdiction. } In the Matter of the Estate of the late Alutgedera Kumarihami, deceased, of Udamadura Medapalata of Walapane.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before John Henricus de Saram, Esq., District Judge, Kandy, on the 4th day of November, 1898, in the presence of Mr. C. Vanderwall, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner Udagedera Vidane, residing at Alutgedera in Udamadura in the Medapalata of Walapane; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 22nd October, 1898, having been read: It is ordered that letters of administration to the estate of Alutgedera Kumarihami, deceased, of Udamadura in Medapalata of Walapane, be issued to the petitioner aforesaid, as husband of the deceased aforesaid, unless Alutgedera Loku Menika and Alutgedera Kiri Banda, both of Udamadura aforesaid, Alutgedera Heen Menika of Patingewattegedera in Yatimadura of Walapane, and Alutgedera Ukku Menika of Uduwalagedera in Kotaganwatta in Medapalata of Walapane, shall, on or before the 12th day of December, 1898, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

J. H. DE SARAM,
District Judge.

4th day of November, 1898.

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In the District Court of Matara.

Order Nisi.

Testamentary
Jurisdiction.
No. 1,203.

In the Matter of the Estate of the late
Don Andris Samarajiwa Siriwardana,
Vidane Arachchi, deceased, of Puhul-
wella.

THIS matter coming on for disposal before J. J. Casie Chitty, Esq., District Judge of Matara, on the 8th day of September, 1898, on the motion of Mr. Proctor, G. E. Keuneman on the part of the petitioner Dona Gimara Samarasinha Jayasekera Hamine, of Puhulwella; and the affidavit of the said petitioner, dated 6th September, 1898, having been read:

It is ordered that the said Dona Gimara Samarasinha Jayasekera Hamine be and she is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of Don Andris Samarasinha Siriwardana, deceased, issued to her, as widow of the said deceased, unless the respondents—1, Don Luwis Samarajiwa Siriwardana, Vidane Arachchi of Owitigamuwa; 2, Don Carolis Samarajiwa Siriwardana, of Kirinda; 3, Don Abraham Samarajiwa Siriwardana, of do.; 4, Don David Samarajiwa Siriwardana, of Puhulwella; 5, Don Cornelis Wijesinha, Registrar of Kamburupitiya; 6, Dona Clara Samarajiwa Siriwardana, of Puhulwella; 7, Dona Tusana Samarajiwa Siriwardana, of Taraperiya; 8, Dona Susana Paliawadana, of Puhulwella—shall, on or before the 19th day of December, 1898, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

JOHN J. CASIE CHITTY,
District Judge.

In the District Court of Puttalam.

Testamentary
Jurisdiction.
No. 128.

In the Matter of the Intestate Estate
of the late Packeer Tamby Piche
Muthu, deceased, of Karukuchena in
Akkarai pattu.

Between

Sagu Meera Nachia *alias* Sella Umma, widow
of the deceased Packeer Tamby Piche
Muthu Petitioner

And

Mohamedo Ussen, also of Karukuchena in
Akkarai pattu Respondent.

THIS matter coming on for order before Edward Thomas Noyes, Esq., District Judge of Puttalam, on the 18th day of November, 1898, in the presence of Mr. Muthukumara, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner; and petition and affidavit of the petitioner, dated the 17th day of November, 1898, having been read: It is ordered that the petitioner Sagu Meera Nachia *alias* Sella Umma, widow of the deceased Packeer Tamby Piche Muthu, be and she is hereby declared entitled to have letters of administration to the estate of the late Packeer Tamby Piche Muthu, of Karukuchena, deceased, issued to her, unless the respondent Mohamedo Ussen, of Karukuchena, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary on or before the 19th December, 1898.

E. T. NOYES,
District Judge.

The 18th November, 1898.

NOTICES OF INSOLVENCY.

In the District Court of Colombo.

No. 1,956. In the matter of the insolvency of Robert Batuwantudawa, of Colombo.

WHEREAS Robert Batuwantudawa has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of the estate of Robert Batuwantudawa has been filed under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Robert Batuwantudawa insolvent accordingly; and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on January 5 and 19, 1899, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court,
J. B. MISSE,
Secretary.

Colombo, December 7, 1898.

No. 1,957. In the matter of the insolvency of Darley Robert Fernando, of Moratuwa.

WHEREAS Darley Robert Fernando has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of the estate of Darley Robert Fernando has been filed under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Darley Robert Fernando insolvent accordingly, and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on January 5 and 19, 1899, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court,
J. B. MISSE,
Secretary.

Colombo, December 7, 1898.

No. 1,958. In the matter of the insolvency of Allanson Herbert Gomes, of Kollupitiya.

WHEREAS Allanson Herbert Gomes has filed a declaration of insolvency, and a petition for the sequestration of the estate of the said Allanson Herbert Gomes has been filed under the Ordinance No. 7 of 1853: Notice is hereby given that the said court has adjudged the said Allanson Herbert Gomes insolvent accordingly, and that two public sittings of the court, to wit, on January 5 and 19, 1899, will take place for the said insolvent to surrender and conform to agreeably to the provisions of the said Ordinance, and for the taking of the other steps set forth in the said Ordinance, of which creditors are hereby required to take notice.

By order of court,
J. B. MISSE,
Secretary.

Colombo, December 7, 1898.

In the District Court of Galle.

No. 296. In the matter of the insolvency of Ukwatte Hewage Odris de Silva, of Dangedara.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate as of the second class was on November 19, 1898, awarded to the above-named insolvent.

By order of court,
JAMES KRAUSE,
Secretary.

Galle, December 3, 1898.

In the District Court of Kegalla.

No. 23. In the matter of the insolvency of John William Bamforth, of Kelani estate, Yatiyantota.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate of the first class was awarded to the insolvent above-named on October 18, 1898.

By order of court,
L. DE SILVA,
Secretary.

Kegalla, December 7, 1898.

NOTICES OF FISCALS' SALES.

Western Province.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Pena Rena Choonna Suppramanian Chetty, of
Negombo Plaintiff.
No. 2,861. Vs.

Warnakulasuria Costantino Croos, of 2nd
Division of Periyamulla Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 4, 1899, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the following property specially hypothecated by bond No. 21, dated April 14, 1887, viz.:—

All that allotment of land, with the tiled house and buildings standing thereon, consisting of several blocks called and known as Kongahawatta, Ambagahawatta, Bogahawatta, Kohombagahakumbura, Siyambalagahakumbura, Bulugahawatta, Kahatagahawatta, Bogahawatta, Kohombagahavayel, Anavulundanvayel, Siyambalagahawatta, and Kongahawatta, respectively, situate at 2nd Division of Periyamulla; and bounded on the north-east and east by the garden of Augustinu Fernando and others, Cecilia Fernando, Leanege Bastian Fernando (now owned by Veliveriege Cecilia Fernando); on the south-east by high road leading to Chilaw; on the north-west and south-west by the garden of Sankino Fernando (now owned by Costantinu Croos), Adrian Fernando and others, Istaki Fernando Singappuli Arachchige Don Juan Appu (the garden formerly belonged to Dure, one of the heirs of Henry Daberera), the garden of the late Mr. J. de Zylva, Deputy Fiscal, the garden of Suse Fernando Annavi, and garden of the late Emmanuel Perera, Mudaliyar; containing in extent 10 acres and 2 square perches more or less, and declared liable to be sold in satisfaction of the decree in the said case.

Amount to be levied Rs. 11,335.61, and interest on Rs. 8,000 at 12 per cent. per annum from March 29, 1897.

SWAMPILLE JOSEPH,
Deputy Fiscal.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Negombo, December 7, 1898.

In the District Court of Negombo.

Charles Stephen Kirthisinghe, of Negombo Plaintiff.
No. 2,669. Vs.

Annakkarage Paulu Peries, of Nelunpitiya... Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on January 7, 1899, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the respective premises the following property, specially hypothecated by bond No. 22,034, dated September 25, 1895, viz.:—

1. The land called Ambagahawatta, situate at Nelunpitiya in the Dunagaha pattuwa of the Alutkuru korale; and bounded on the north-west by the portion of this land excluded to Juanis Fernando and Salman Fernando, on the north-east by the land of Juanis Fernando and others, on the south-east by a road, and on the west by a portion of this land belonging to Annakkarage Bastian Peries and wife Francina Fernando and cart road; containing in extent 1 acre and 17 perches more or less.

2. The land called Gorakgahawatta, at do.; and bounded on the north by the dewata road, on the east by the land called Kosgahawatta, on the south by the land which belonged to Mr. Layard and now of Mr. Roiton, and on the west by the land of Mihidukulasuriya Domingo Vedarala; containing in extent 1½ acre more or less.

3. The land called Gorakgahawatta, at do.; and bounded on the north-east by the land of Weerasiribewahannage Peduru Fernando and others and a cart road, on the south by road, and on the north-west by land of G. Don Punchappu, Siman Kankanama, and Santiago Fernando; containing in extent 1 acre and 2 roods, and declared liable to be sold in satisfaction of the decree in the said case.

Property not mortgaged.

4. An undivided 113/168 share of the land called Relakotuwa, situate at Timbirigaskatuwa alias Nelunpitiya, in do.; the entire land is bounded on the north and east by the lands belonging to the heirs of Domingo Fernando Rendarala, on the south by the lands of Savery Fernando and others, and on the west by the field of Silvestri; containing in extent 1 acre and 2 roods more or less.

Amount to be levied Rs. 531.37½, and interest on Rs. 450 at 18 per cent. per annum from September 25, 1895.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, SWAMPILLE JOSEPH,
Negombo, December 7, 1898. Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Rawanna Rawanna Mana Palaniappa Chetty,
of Colombo Plaintiff.
No. 11,518. Vs.

1, Gabriel de Silva and 2, F. Fernando, both
of College street, Colombo Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, December 31, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 1,000, with interest thereon at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum from July 8, 1898, until payment in full and costs, viz.:—

The entire soil and trees of the two allotments of land described in plan No. 136,910 called Kandabodawatta, in extent 6 acres 3 roods 4 perches, situated at Kalugala in Maha pattuwa of the Pasdun korale; and bounded on the south-west and north-west by Crown land called Kalugalkanda, and on all other sides by a dola and the Kolanda-ela.

Deputy Fiscal's Office, G. H. KEUNEMAN,
Kalutara, December 5, 1898. Deputy Fiscal.

Northern Province.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

Nagamma, widow of Vaitilingam, of Vadduk-
koddai east, administratrix of the estate
of the late Murugar Vaitilingam, of
Vaddukkoddai east Plaintiff.
No. 1,268. Vs.

Suppramanier Ramalingam, of Vannar-
ponne east; 2, Ravanna Mana Ana Runa
Ravanna Mana Vellaiyancheddi, of Van-
narponne, administrator of the estate of
the late Sinnatangam, wife of Ramalingam,
of Vannarponne; and 3, Teivanaippillai,
widow of Muttatampi, of Vannarponne
east Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, December 31, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the land hereinafter described the right, title, and interest of the said late Sinnatangam in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 3,146.40, with interest on Rs. 2,500 at 10 per cent. per annum from December 23, 1897, provided that such interest does not exceed Rs. 1,853.60, and costs of suit being Rs. 217.44 and charges, viz.:—

In a piece of land called Avarantulakai, situated at Vannarponne east, and containing or reputed to contain in extent 26½ lachams varaku culture, with its appurtenances; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by channel, north by property of Valliamunai and others, west by lane, and south by property of Ponnu and channel.

Fiscal's Office, C. L. TRANCHELL,
Jaffna, December 2, 1898. for Fiscal.

In the District Court of Jaffna.

John Alfred Jurgen Ondatje, of Kandy.....Plaintiff.
No. 1,359. Vs.
Anne Hopkins, widow of Virasinga Mudaliyar
Tampaiya *alias* Hopkins, and son Wilson
Simon Hopkins, of Jaffna town.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Friday, December 30, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction on the land hereinafter described the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 1,007, with interest on Rs. 750 at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from March 31, 1898, until payment in full, and costs of suit being Rs. 117-86 and charges, viz. :—

In a piece of land situated at the 3rd Cross street of the Jaffna town called Ilankatoddam, containing or reputed to contain in extent 3½ lachams varaku culture, with its appurtenances, including share of well; bounded or reputed to be bounded on the east by property of Philippupillai Vendarkone and others, north by property of Joseph Solomon, west by property of Tankaratnam, wife of Alfred Ondatje, and south by Chapel street.

Fiscal's Office,
Jaffna, November 30, 1898.

C. L. TRANCHELL,
for Fiscal.

Southern Province.

In the District Court of Matara.

Meer Baay Ahamadu Baay, of Galle.....Plaintiff.
No. 1,974. Vs.
S. A. I. S. Mahamadu Rafai Gem Mawlana,
of Weligama.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the following days, at 3 o'clock P.M., will be sold by public auction at the spot the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 976, viz. :—

At Kokmaduwa on January 5, 1899.

1. Half of 17/21 of the field Bandaranayakawila, in extent 4 amunams.
2. Half of 17/21 of the field Talgastuduwa.

At Porambakananke on January 6, 1899.

3. The land Mimanamullehena *alias* Kalugalkandele.

At Jamburegoda on January 7, 1899.

4. One-fourth of the field Keppuelegankanda, in extent of 4 amunams.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Matara, November 28, 1898.

H. J. DE LIVERA,
Deputy Fiscal.

In the District Court of Matara.

S. L. Omoru Lebbe Markar.....Plaintiff.
No. 1,999. Vs.
S. A. I. S. Mahamadu Rafai Mawlana and
others.....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the following days, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold by public auction at the spot the right, title, and interest of the said defendants in the following property, for the recovery of Rs. 1,526-65, viz. :—

At Padili Kokmaduwa on January 5, 1899.

1. 17/21 parts of the field Bandaranayakawila, in extent of 4 amunams.
2. 17/21 parts of the field Talgastuduwa, in extent of 3 pelas.

At Porambakananke on January 6, 1899.

3. The lands called Mimanamullehena *alias* Kalugalkandehena, Kaluwarakumbura-atmaga, and Kalugalkandehena.

At Jamburegoda on January 7, 1899.

4. One-fourth of the field Keppuelakumbura.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Matara, November 28, 1898.

H. J. DE LIVERA,
Deputy Fiscal.

North-Western Province.

In the District Court of Chilaw.

Seena Kana Runa Seena Sedemberam Chetty,
of Madampe.....Plaintiff.
No. 1,746. Vs.
Herat Balasuriya Mudiyanse Appubamy,
late Arachchirala of Uddeniya in Katu-
gampola korale.....Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, December 31, 1898, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said defendant in the following property, viz. :—

1. The fields called Wagala and Pettiyakiyanakumbura, lying adjoining each other of about 5 beras of paddy sowing extent, and the garden called Migahamulawatta, also adjoining, of about 4 seers of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situated at Udadeniya in Katugampola korale, Kurunegala District.
2. Kosgahawatta of about 2 seers of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situate as aforesaid.
3. Bogahamulapillewa and Paragahahena, adjoining each other, of about 6 kurunies of kurakkan sowing extent, situate as aforesaid.
4. Dambuwehenyaya of about 6 beras of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situate as aforesaid.
5. Siyambalagahakumbura and Midellagahakumbura lying adjoining each other, of about 16 beras of kurakkan sowing extent, situated at Kanubichchiya, Kurunegala District.
6. Kiniriyakumbura of about 7½ beras of paddy sowing extent, situate as aforesaid.
7. Telambugahahena of about 6 lahas of kurakkan sowing extent, with the plantations thereon, situate as aforesaid.

Amount involved Rs. 915, with interest and poundage.

Fiscal's Office,
Kurunegala, December 5, 1898.

N. S. CASSIM,
for Fiscal.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.

In the District Court of Colombo.

Mana Ana Runa Ana Runa Letchimen
Chetty, of Sea street, Colombo.....Plaintiff.
No. 0/9,884. Vs.
1, Gangodevillage Emilia Perera Hamine;
her husband 2, Pagoda Arachchige Don
Paulis Appuhami; and 3, Gammudu-
wattage Don Cornelis, assignee of the
insolvent estate of Pagoda Arachchige
Don Paulis Appuhami, all of Colombo....Defendants.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Saturday, December 31, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, will be sold by public auction at the premises the right, title, and interest of the said first and second defendants in the following property, viz. :—

An allotment of land called Ranwalahena, situate in the village Kanangama in Atulugam korale of Three Korales; bounded on the north by village boundary and liyan tree, on the east by Degalessa estate, Manannalagehena, and Kekiriwarawehena, on the south by Madeniya-ela, and on the west by Ranwala-ela; containing in extent 62 acres 2 roods and 3 perches according to the survey and description thereof authenticated by Mr. R. W. Hepponstall, Licensed Surveyor.

Writ issued to levy the sum of Rs. 10,641-16, with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum from May 22, 1897.

Deputy Fiscal's Office,
Kegalla, December 1, 1898.

TIMOTHY F. ABAYAKOON,
Deputy Fiscal.

DRAFT ORDINANCES.

MINUTE.

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

An Ordinance for making final provision for the Supplementary Contingent Charges for the year 1897.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance No. 13 of 1897 it was enacted that a sum of Rs. 1,188,481.06 should be charged upon the revenue of this island for the Supplementary Contingent Services of the year One thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-seven, in addition to the sum of Rs. 15,406,340 provided by the Ordinance No. 17 of 1896: And whereas an expenditure of Rs. 82,823.59 was incurred and brought to account for the Contingent Services of the year 1897, for which provision is not made by the aforesaid Ordinances: It is enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Rs. 82,823.59 charged upon the revenue of this island of the year 1897 for the final Supplementary Contingent Service of that year.

1 That a sum not exceeding Eighty-two thousand Eight hundred and Twenty-three rupees and Fifty-nine cents shall be and the same is hereby charged upon the revenue of this island of the said year 1897, for the services hereinafter mentioned; the said expenditure being in conformity with the schedule hereunto annexed, whereof the following is an abstract:

	Rs.	
Pensions ...	56,321	33
Port and Marine Department, Colombo ...	7,879	41
Registration of Marriages, Births, and Deaths...	3,896	80
Miscellaneous Services ...	7,137	3
Public Works Recurrent ...	447	64
Public Works Extraordinary ...	7,141	38
Total ...	82,823	59

SCHEDULE.

	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
PENSIONS.				
Crown Agents, London ...	43,050	8		
Government and Agents in India ...	13,271	25		
			56,321	33
PORT AND MARINE DEPARTMENT, COLOMBO.				
Other Charges ...	—		7,879	41
REGISTRATION OF MARRIAGES.				
Other Charges ...	—		3,896	80
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.				
Treasurer ...	804	88		
Crown Agents ...	6,332	15		
			7,137	3
PUBLIC WORKS RECURRENT.				
Maintenance of Roads.				
For the maintenance of the road from Avisawella to Ginigathena ...	446	75		
Miscellaneous.				
Cost of conveyance of stationery and printed forms ...	0	89		
			447	64
PUBLIC WORKS EXTRAORDINARY.				
New Works and Buildings.				
For erecting an iron latrine at Ragama for quarantine camp and for sinking a well, Kelaniya depôt ...	3,945	6		
New Bridges.				
For a bridge across the Badulla-oya at Taldena ...	439	32		
For a bridge over the Vergal-ar, Wellawaya-Mupane road ...	2,757	0		
			7,141	38
Total ...	82,823	59		

By His Excellency's command,

E. NOEL WALKER,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 8, 1898.