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Special Notice

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NOTICES.

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S. S. Lady Gordon	4th May 1903
"	18th " "
"	1st June " "
S. S. Lady Havlock	12th May 1903
"	26th " "

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May 8th 1903
Secretary.

ORDER NISI.

In the District Court of Jaffna.
Testamentary No. 1349
Jurisdiction
In the matter of the estate of the late Charlot Tankamam wife of David Nallatamby John of Chankani deceased.
David Nallatamby John of Chankani petitioner.
1. Mary widow of Bryant of Chankani
2. Robert Ponniah Bryant of Navaly
3. William Bryant of Chetty Street, Vannarponnae Respondents

This matter of the Petition of David Nallatamby John of Chankani praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Charlot Tankamam wife of David Nallatamby John coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders Esquire District Judge, on the 8th day of May 1903 in the presence of Mr. Tambiah S. Cooke proctor on the part of the Petitioner, and affidavit of the Petitioner dated the 30th day of April 1903 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 him unless the Respondents or any other person shall on or before the 8th day of June 1903 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.
Jaffna 6th May 1903
W. R. B. SANDERS.
District Judge.

ORDER NISI.

In the District Court of Jaffna.
Testamentary No. 1348.
Jurisdiction
In the matter of the estate of the late Sarasapathippillai wife of Valanar Tambiah of Chavagacherry deceased.

Changarapillai Ponnampalam of Chavagacherry, petitioner
1. Valanar Tambiah of Chavagacherry son.
2. Valliammai wife of Changarapillai Ponnampalam of do
3. Nallachippillai widow of Veeravago of do, Respondents.
This matter of the Petition of Changarapillai Ponnampalam of Chavagacherry praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the above-named deceased Sarasapathippillai wife of Valanar Tambiah coming on for disposal before W. R. B. Sanders Esquire District Judge, on the 4th day of May 1903 in the presence of Mr. Tambiah S. Cooke proctor on the part of the Petitioner and affidavit of the petitioner dated the 30th day of April 1903 having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is the next of kin of the said intestate and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him unless the Respondents or any other person shall on or before the 22nd day of June 1903 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.
Signed this 4th May 1903
W. R. B. SANDERS
District Judge.

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George C. Lee
Acting Principal
April 6, 1903

JAFFNA COLLEGE.

Admission examination.

An examination for admission to Jaffna College will be held on Monday and Tuesday May 18th and 19th, beginning at 10 a.m. on Monday. Every candidate must bring a certificate of good character from the Manager or Principal of the school where he has been studying. A fee of Re 1 will be charged. Paper and ink will be provided, also board for two days.

The subjects of examinations are as follows:—

1. Dictation and Translation in both English and Tamil from a sixth Reader or equivalent.
2. English, General and Text as for 7th Standard.
3. English Grammar through Syntax.
4. Tamil Grammar, இனச்சொற்களும், or Latin Grammar through Regular Verbs.
5. Arithmetic to Compound Interest.
6. Algebra: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division.
7. Geometry: Euclid, first 15 propositions.

S. Geography, General and especially Europe and Asia.

9. English History, from 1066 to 1688.
Those who have passed in Reading, Writing Arithmetic, Geography and History in the 7th Standard will be admitted without examination.

Candidates for the Entrance class will be examined in the subjects studied by the last Preparatory class.

Those who have passed the Entrance Examination of any Indian University will be admitted to the F. A. Class, and those who have passed the F. A. will be admitted to the Junior B. A. class on Monday May 18th, the day for re-opening the college.
R. C. HASTINGS
Principal.

CEYLON GOVERNMENT RAILWAY.

Until further notice special trains to convey passengers to Jaffna will be in readiness at Kanguerantal on arrival at that port of the fortnightly steamers from Colombo.

G. P. GREENE
General Managers' Office }
Colombo, April 1903. } General Manager.

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Next term begins on June 10th. Entrance Examination for new pupils will be held at 9 a.m. on the same day.

Copies of the prospectus giving full details as to the course of study, Fees, Term &c., may be had from, The Matron, Mr. S. I. Sinnappah, any of the Native Pastors or from the Manager Rev. W. J. Hanan B.A., Nellore.

Local and General.

Weather. We are having very hot weather. Rain has fallen in many places in Jaffna and this has cooled off the air somewhat, but there is no wind to speak of and the heat is oppressive.

Missionaries. Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Hastings, Miss. S. R. Howland and Sister Faith returned by the last trip of the Lady Gordon, and Rev. and Mrs. G. G. Brown are expected this week on Sunday.

Kangesanturai. Captain Robbins preaches in English at this port every other Sabbath. It is a pleasure to have such a man as Capt. Robbins interested in Christian work.

P. L. It is rumored that the Director of Public Instruction is to come to Jaffna by a next steamer. We hope that Mr. Harvard will make a special study of Higher education in Jaffna while here.

Is it Murder. On or about the 10th April last a certain Chinnavan of Kait, fisher, was found missing. About a week afterwards the skeleton of an adult male with some parts missing was discovered drifted to the shore of the Eluvavoo Island. The matter was brought to the notice of the Magistrate Mr. Woutersz, and he initiated proceedings. Evidence was forthcoming to throw grave suspicions on the father-in-law and three brothers-in-law for the missing man. The wife of the missing man still believes, to set free her brothers, that her husband has gone on a journey. Mr. Woutersz is doing all he could to find out and trace the cause of the man's disappearance.

A Police Vidhan and butchers. Two butchers in the Town and the Police Vidhan of Vannarponna, Nagamittin, were charged for forging two cattle vouchers and uttering the same knowing them to be forged documents. Sometimes cattle that go to graze in the expanse disappear, and no trace of them afterwards can be found. People now attribute such mysterious disappearances to the combination of the butcher and the police Vidhan. The Police Vidhan having absconded the two butchers were tried in the District Court on the 6th inst. for uttering the two forged vouchers. They were found guilty and sentenced to 12 months rigorous imprisonment. The position of a Vidhan appears to be a source of great evil and crime. Receiving no pay from the Govt. all sorts of devices are practiced to make a living.

A Competing firm. Mr. Joseph Alvaris of the firm of Joseph & Co. of India and Colombo, is at present at Jaffna with a large consignment of flat tiles for the Jaffna Catholic Mission. The company manufactures flat tiles and Mr. Alvaris intends to keep a depot in Jaffna to trade in flat tiles.

Meetings to be held by the Salvation Army Officers Lieut. Colonel Yenmutnam and Adjutant Tully.

1903 May 17th	Navalty Church 9 a.m.	
"	"	8 p.m.
"	Sulimalai school room 4.30 p.m.	
"	Mr. W. Mather's house 7 "	
"	Navalty Church's school 5 "	
"	"	" 7.30 "
"	"	" Ragged " 7.30 "
"	19th	Manipay church 6.30 "
"	20th	S. S. C. S. C. office Jaffna 10 a.m.
"	"	Wesleyan Chapel 6 p.m.

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