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MEDITATION ON GOD

(BY SWAMI SIVANANDA)

Salute the Lord, of course; but that is not enough. You should also try to meditate a little. Night is the ideal time for meditation. When you meditate, though, for a short time, try to detach yourself completely from your work. Shaking off all worries and withdrawing yourself from everything, seek to be established in your own Self. You should practise this at least once a day even if only for a short while. Naturally you have your duties and responsibilities in the world, your pains and pleasures there—but all these are transient. This world is unreal—there can be nothing more certain than that.

Though the work you are carrying on is no doubt good for a while you will have to abstract your mind from even this and offer it at the lotus feet of the Lord, at the same time being absorbed in the thought of Him, who is the Supreme Father, the embodiment of Truth and Goodness. The Lord will then occupy your whole heart and there will be no thought of this world, no thought even of your own self. Pray to God thus: "O Lord, give me faith and devotion, knowledge and discrimination. See that I do not get entangled in the snares of the world-bewitching Maya." When you pray, pray with all your heart and soul. When you meditate, try to be one with God, to have the consciousness of unity and identity. One should, by all means, practise like this.

My children, I repeat: At the end of the day, even if for a short while, lay aside everything and commune with God. In the beginning you may have some difficulty in practising meditation in this way, but there is no reason to stop trying. Pray to Him, and He will give you peace. Out of His compassion He will strengthen your heart and make you one with Him. With the practice of meditation peace of mind will grow and alone will you be in a position to undertake humanitarian activities in the right spirit. Know for certain that this world and all living beings are His. He is the creator, you are His servants. You are blessed to the extent that He, in His grace, allows you to serve His creatures. Meditation on God will obliterate the ego, and He will then be all in all. Only when your mind reaches this state, will you be able to do genuine philanthropic work.

Mrs. Pandit To Lead U. N. O. Delegation

It is understood that Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit, sister of Pandit Nehru may lead the Indian Delegation to the U. N. O. Conference which will debate the Indian question in South Africa.

"Munneswaram Thondar Sabai"

The inaugural meeting of the above Sabai was held on 26.8.46 at 6 p. m. at the D.M.O.'s bungalow Chilaw with Dr. V. Doraisamy in the chair.

After the adoption of the draft rules for the Sabai the following office bearers and an executive Committee of six were elected.

Patron: Muband'ram L. M. W. Senanayake, **President:** Dr. V. Doraisamy, **Vice President:** Dr. K. Mahadeva and Mr. K. Kai'asapillai **Hony Treasurer:** Mr. A. Thambiah **Asst Hon'y Treasurer:** Mr. K. Kathirgamathamby **Hony. Secretary:** Mr. P. Kathiravelu **Hony Auditor:** Mr. V. Sockalingam.

Details about organising the "than-nir Penthel" during the coming festival season were then discussed and decided. —Cor.

RELIGION

"Religion is a conquest over self. It is not conquest over material world so much. It is a mandate to transform your own nature. You must become different if you are a spiritual soul. You must grow into a larger consciousness into a higher understanding."

—Sir S. Radhakrishnan.

Communists To Contest Municipal Elections

As eight out of the nine candidates of the Ceylon Communist Party for the Colombo Municipal Council elections in December are leading members of the CTUF and in view of the enormous assistance given by the Communist Party during the last seven years in building up the CTUF as a major trade union centre in Ceylon, the General Council of the CTUF has decided to support all the nine Communist Party candidates. —Cor.

New Site For I. D. H.

The Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, Dr. S. F. Chelappah has finally selected a ten acre block of land near the Salt pans at Chivatheru as the most suitable place for the new Infectious Diseases Hospital. Till buildings are put up small pox patients and contacts will be housed at Kayts.

Y. M. H. A. Mount Lavinia

The 3rd Annual General Meeting of the above Association was held on Sunday the 25th August 1946 at 4 p. m. at No. 3, Vihare Lane, Mt Lavinia. There were 25 members present. The President Mr. M. C. Rutnam moved the adoption of the report of the Committee of management which was seconded by Mr. A. Thirugnanasambanther. An additional office of Secretary for classes was created which resulted in the increase in the number of committee members to sixteen and the quorum at a committee meeting to seven. The membership was made open to all Tamils and associate membership to all Buddhists.

The election of office-bearers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President: Mr. M. Kanagasabai. **Vice-Presidents:** Dr. Ratnabalsuriya and Mr. C. Rasiah. **Hony. General Secretary:** Mr. S. Murgesan. **Asst. Secretary:** Mr. T. Kanthaswamy. **Secretary (classes):** Mr. R. E. Iathamby. **Sports Secretary:** Mr. I. Kadirgamathamby. **Treasurer:** Mr. C. Kandiah. **Asst. Treasurer:** Mr. R. Subbramaniam.

Seven members were elected to serve in the Committee. Mr. V. S. Kandaswamy was elected Auditor. The proceedings terminated with the singing of Devaram. —Cor.

C. T. U. F. ANNUAL SESSIONS

Communists Plan Common Front

Mr. S. A. Dange, Executive Committee member of the World Federation of Trade Unions and Vice-President of the All-India Trade Union Congress is expected to attend the Annual Sessions of the Ceylon Trade Union Federation convened for 21st—22nd September 1946. It is also expected that a fraternal delegation from the Indian Trade Union Congress will attend the Annual Sessions.

The Annual Session will consider such problems as unemployment, wages, plantation industry, pensions and trade union unity. It will also consider the creation of a common front of Indian and Ceylonese trade union movements for improving the living conditions of plantation labour in both countries.

The Annual Sessions will be followed by a demonstration and public rally at the Galle Face Green, Colombo, on 22nd September, 1946.

The Ceylon University

The New Ceylon University at Peradeniya will provide for the education of 6000 students, and it will take 10 years to complete the scheme, according to Mr Shirley D'Alwis, the Architect. The full scheme would cost the Government approximately Rs. 35 million.

Dahanayake Determined To Expose Maladministration of the Worst Type

More interesting facts about the State Councilor who took on the job of a Supervisor of Milk Feeding Centres have come to light. Mr. W. Dahanayake, who exposed "this instance of maladministration of the worst order" stated to a press reporter on Monday last that he was not going to rest till the whole affair was fully exposed to the public.

"This colleague of mine carried an impress of Rs 200 for the payment of his subordinates", he said. "He was the only Milk Supervisor who was given an advance of Government money for this purpose," stated Mr Dahanayake.

On August 15 when the Food Commissioner Mr. K. Vaithianathan, admitted to the Public Accounts Committee that a State Councilor had been appointed as a Supervisor of Milk Feeding Centres, Mr. Dahanayake described the procedure as an "instance of maladministration of the worst order."

Mr. Vaithianathan's admission came as a sensation to the members of the Public Accounts Committee, who then decided to express their disapproval of a Member of the

State Council functioning as a supervisor of milk feeding centres.

Mr. Dahanayake further stated to the Press representative: "I have not finished with this matter yet. I shall ask for full details in open Council during the Committee stage of the Budget.

"I know the type of replies that will be forthcoming. But that will not deter me from doing my duty. I will expose irregularities and try to prevent this type of abuse."

Mr. Dahanayake said that since the meeting of the Committee he had investigated the matter further. He had now learnt that:—

All milk feeding supervisors, except the State Councilor, were called upon to furnish security;

Milk, sugar etc. were despatched to this State Councilor in his own name;

This State Councilor signed all relevant departmental documents."

Mr. Vaithianathan said in the Public Accounts Committee that all the supervisors were paid Government employees, except this State Councilor who was an honorary worker.



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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1946.

THE AUDITOR GENERAL'S REPORTS

IT IS EVIDENT FROM MR. D. S. Senanayake's remarks at the meeting of the State Council on the 3rd instant that the Ministers have thought it advisable to publish the Auditor-General's reports as usual. Mr. Senanayake said it was the "desire of everyone" to see these reports were published. Surely, the Board of Ministers knew this very well before they made up their minds to suppress these reports. The public looks to the Auditor-General to keep an eye on the manner in which the revenue is spent. With the large number of schemes that are being run by the Government at State expense the functions of the Auditor General have become even more important than they were formerly. Now that rubber and tea may, within a measurable distance of time, revert to normal conditions in the matter of prices, a serious shrinkage in revenue is inevitable. There is all the more reason then that the Auditor-General should retain his freedom to tell the public of the irregularities in public expenditure.

Mr. D.S. Senanayake's reference to the acting Auditor-General's "lack of judicial temperament" should remind us of the real attitude of the Ministers towards the activities of the Auditor-General. They have come to look upon him not only as a nuisance but also as a menace. What is meant by a "judicial temperament"? If it means that the Auditor-General should pursue the cult of secrecy after the worthy example of the Ministers themselves, the post of Auditor-General may well be abolished. Nothing is easier than to hang a man on the ground that he has no "judicial temperament". We do not think that Mr. D.S. Senanayake himself understands fully the true meaning of the words. If on the other hand all the spending departments of the Government were dealt with in a truly judicial spirit, they would have got their deserts long ago. The trouble with the Board of Ministers has been that they expected the Auditor-General to be an obedient tool in their hands and to say nothing about departmental irregularities. We agree with Mr. Dahanayake that, in the case of Mr. K. Kanagaratnam, the acting Auditor-General, his only fault was that he had not "stooped so low as to cover up

The Future Of The Tamils

By The Editor

In the last issue of the "Hindu Organ" I referred to the very conciliatory attitude of Pandit Nehru and the Indian National Congress towards Mr. Jinnah. All political controversies generate a certain amount of bitterness but the campaign of the Muslim League against the Congress has been not only bitter and vituperative but also planned to bring about the destruction of Indian unity, Pakistan is the very negation of a United India. And yet, the Congress leaders have not banged and bolted the door to an honourable settlement.

I have every hope that in Ceylon too the best elements among the Singhalese people will gladly welcome the co-operation of the Tamils of Ceylon through the Tamil Congress in working the new Constitution. It has been suggested by the opponents of the Tamil Congress that the Singhalese leaders will never agree to co-operate with the Tamil Congress members of Parliament. There is no foundation for this statement. No Singhalese leader whose opinion counts for anything has said so. It is significant that those who make this statement are a handful of Tamils whose one object seems to be to encourage individual opportunism in politics.

The Tamils are further told that fighting elections on a communal ticket and making vituperative speeches against Singhalese leaders will embitter the feelings of the Singhalese against the Tamils. It is obvious that those who proffer this advice are trying to misrepresent the real trend of the Tamil Congress campaign. I have attended most of the meetings of the Tamil Congress in Jaffna Town and the countryside

and I am in a position to say that the charge implied in this statement is untrue. There is no communal ticket on which the Congress is trying to rally the Tamils. As I said repeatedly such a thing is not possible under the new Constitution. The Congress is only trying to unite the Tamils and to suppress by all constitutional means those dissident elements which constitute the real menace to the future of the Tamil people. Naturally these elements have to fight for their very existence, but they ought not to try and create bad blood between Singhalese and Tamils by making charges that are absolutely false.

The Tamils are also advised to return to Parliament members who will be able to secure the co-operation of the Singhalese members. I agree but if this means that the Tamils have to elect as their representatives men who broke away from the Tamil ranks, the authors of this piece of advice have not judged the temper of the Tamil people aright. Nor is it possible for the Singhalese leaders to overlook the obvious failings of such representatives, if they sincerely wish to inspire the Tamil people with confidence in regard to their future under the new Constitution. The value which these representatives put on themselves is entirely fictitious.

With regard to the welfare of the people of the Northern Province, I should think that the Tamil Congress has within its ranks men born and bred in the country who know the needs of the people far better than the authors of this campaign against the Tamil Congress. There is no ground for the fear that the needs of the Tamil people will be ignored by the Tamil Congress representatives.

Notes and Comments

Right Move

We congratulate the Commissioner of Co-operative Development on the move he is reported to have taken to cleanse the co-operative movement of undesirables. It is a notorious fact that crooks and thieves have, of late, captured some of these Societies, and taking advantage of the lenience of the authorities, they have brought this movement into disrepute. The time has now come to put a stop once and for all to the activities of these miscreants and to purge the movement of all undesirable elements. The Co-operative movement is still in its infancy in Ceylon though it has made progress. The war and its attendant shortages in foods and in other necessities of life have given an impetus to this movement: it is the duty of the Government to see that this growth is maintained. Black sheep there are bound to be in the present state of social advancement in every movement, and they thrive on the lenience of the

the deficiencies of staff officers". This view was strongly supported by Mr. H.W. Amarasuria, Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee. The action of the Board of Ministers in regard to the post of Auditor-General has tended to undermine public confidence in any future holder of the post. We trust that at least hereafter Mr. D.S. Senanayake will not lend his position and influence to the encouragement of conspiracies which are bound to destroy the integrity of an officer like the Auditor-General.

authorities. This should not be allowed. Dishonest persons in Co-operative Societies and stores should be hunted down, and no mercy should be shown them if the movement is to survive the post-war problems which are already visible on the horizon.

The "Times" Again

Surely something is wrong with the "Times of Ceylon" which has of late been wandering into realms of which it is either ignorant or which it is determined to view with a jaundiced eye. We admit that it is after all not an easy thing for the editor of this European-managed paper to look on calmly while the old idea of Empire is steadily disappearing. To watch with complacency the slow but sure drifting away of the brightest gem in the British crown is a thing which should give enough heartache to die-hard British Imperialists and we have no doubt that our contemporary is one of them. But pervasion of truth is not at all desirable in journalism. In its issue of 30-8-46, the "Times" writing on the Bengal riots, points an accusing finger at the Indian National Congress. It states, "in the latest news from India, it is firmly stated that this demand for an inquiry does not appear to find favour in Congress circles.....The Muslim Leaguers may well smile. Had there been a good case, the Congress would have ignored it for any consideration." This is of course as untrue as some of the other falsehoods that have crept into the editorial columns of this paper. We are not prepared to discuss the merits of the case at this juncture. But let us assure our worthy contemporary that the Indian National

"Dead" Man Returns

DISCLOSURE IN COUNCIL

The strange story of a man "rising from the dead" was related by Mr. Susanta de Fonseka, M. S. C. for Panadura in the State Council on Tuesday last when the votes under Head "His Excellency the Governor" were being discussed in Committee.

He said that a man who was supposed to have been murdered about seven years ago had now come back to his village and the unfortunate man who was convicted of this supposed murder was still serving life imprisonment. The "dead" man he explained, had returned to the village four months back.

The man, who was convicted of this supposed murder was sentenced to death, but owing to his youthfulness he was pardoned and sentenced to life imprisonment. He urged that steps be taken early to release this man.

Mr. de Fonseka later told a press reporter that the man who was supposed to be murdered was a Goigama community man. He had married a dhoby caste girl and had left his village through fear that his people might victimise him.

Mr. de Fonseka when asked whether the dead body was not identified before action was taken replied: "The police found a leg of a man and suspected that the missing man was murdered."

Congress, as an organisation, has during its long career of nearly sixty years, never swerved from the path of righteousness, truth and non-violence. Is the "Times" ignorant of the fact that the Congress has demanded in unequivocal terms a thorough inquiry into the riot in all its aspects?

Guard Your Expressions!

The grim tragedy recently enacted in Bengal should serve as a lesson to us in Ceylon too. It was the campaign of communal abuse carried on by politicians who ought to have known better, that was the primary cause of the tragedy by which thousands lost their lives, tens of thousands lost their limbs and millions lost their belongings. The leaders who incited the mobs lost nothing. They kept themselves safe within the four walls of their palatial buildings; and the innocents were massacred. It is easy to incite the masses. It is easier still to appeal to their lower instincts and to fan communal hatred and malice. It is to be regretted that some of our men who profess to be leaders have not as yet learnt this lesson. Mr. Senanayake's speech at Pasdun Korale is a typical one. The recent outbursts of the Sama Samajists and communists at Jaffna are another. Criticism of a constructive nature, there should be to foster democratic ideals; but condemnation and vilification of individuals should be eschewed, and especially so at the present time, when with the approach of elections to the new Parliament, feelings are bound to rise high among the adherents of the different candidates. Honest differences there are bound to be; and they should be tolerated in as magnanimous a manner as possible. But to abuse the other party for such differences of opinion smacks of nothing but rowdyism of the worst type. It is the duty of all thinking persons to suppress in time, such signs of rowdyism. We appeal to our leaders to exercise more restraint in their utterances.

PROSPECTS OF PEACE

BY S. A. NATHAN

The shape and form of what is being done in Paris in the way of post-war resettlement of international affairs may ultimately embroil the world in a war far more destructive in its incidence than the one just brought to an end. Rather may it be said that a state of war is kept up in the peace-talks in Paris by the irritable and angry scenes enacted by the peace-envoys of the allied nations.

That eminent men representing various nations, big and small, engaged in the high and supreme purpose of exploring durable foundations of peace should disclose not only fragile and frayed temper but widely divergent ways of approach to a common problem, does not augur well for a world in the iron grip of an economic depression consequence on a war that wrenched out root and branch world economy. There is wide spread chaos, social, political and economic. In the midst of it all, the quarrels of peace-makers stand out as a mockery and travesty of a serious human purpose.

Though there is no actual fighting in terms of military operations between nations this jitteriness that marks the peace talks is a worse symptom than real warfare. It is an indication of refractory and impenitent attitudes of opposing factions round the peace-board. The mutually antagonistic approaches to the elusive problem of peace render the cessation of hostilities a truce so that the next trial of strength may be the better organised on a different alignment. That is what exactly took place at the close of the first world-war. The second world-war has been a continuation of the first and the third, which looks likely, will be a continuation of the second.

The Second World War arose directly from the terms of peace that concluded the first. The rise and surge of Soviet Communism after 1917 has been a challenge to the capitalistic democracies of the West European bloc. Its rapid spread as an ideology so frightened the democratic bloc that it connived at the violations of the Peace of Versailles by the Germany of Hitler. The peace of Versailles was vindictive and unfair. Yet it could have been enforced and the Second World War could have been postponed, if not averted. The rise of the Soviet made the difference. Germany and her satellite powers were allowed to rearm themselves on a massive scale as a wall of possible protection to the democratic bloc against the "red peril."

The play of forces shifted ground. When the storm burst, the Soviet of whom the Democracies stood in mortal fear, protected them from the Axis fury, by sapping the military might of Germany in a series of prodigious feats of drawing and absorbing her shocks. The part played by the Soviet in the defeat of Hitler is almost incalculable. The plans forged at Potsdam and Yalta worked well till the fall of the Axis powers. Once the question of spoils and reparations and control of defeated enemy territories came in, for deliberation, fundamental differences began to rear their ugly heads and the Paris peace-parleys reveal the cleavages which are ever widening. The League of Nations designed to say "Amen" to the handling of international questions by the democratic bloc failed because of duplicity; and its lineal descendent the United Nations Organisation is bound to go the way of its parent, for the Soviet is repeatedly tearing veils of the democratic combination.

The Treaty of Versailles failed because of the bogey of "Red Peril" which today is better organised and

BOMBAY RIOTS

The communal riots with the orgy of murder, arson, looting and destruction in Bombay continues although the situation showed signs of improvement towards evening of Wednesday as a result of the extension of the curfew to a wider area and the drafting of additional military. Owing to the rigorous enforcement of the curfew not a single incident of violence was reported from any part. The number of persons killed was on Wednesday 3, while the injured number 83. The total number of persons killed since the disturbances began is 146 and the number of injured totalled 484. The police rounded up 107 persons bringing the total number of arrests up to Wednesday evening to 1170.

PERSONAL

Mr. K. Ariacuddy of 'Maniagar Walavu' Chankanai, has been appointed a member of the Local Land Advisory Committee for Delft, Islands, and Valikamam West divisions of the Jaffna District.

Mr. P. Selvaratnam, Circle Assistant, Co-operative Societies, Trincomalee has been transferred to Kalmunai.

Dr. V. Sangarapillai, D. M. O., Murunkan has been transferred to Kalutara as D. M. O.

The Saiva Paripalana Sabai, Jaffna

The 58th Annual General meeting of the above Sabhai will be held on Sunday the 8th instant at the Jaffna Hindu Tamil School, Vannarponnai at 3-30 p.m.

therefore more challenging. There is already a parting of the ways in the control of Germany. The sweep of Soviet Communism in Central and South Eastern Europe is unerring. The disarmament of Germany and her control for 25 years will prove as uncertain as her disarmament after the first World War. The Soviet zone of Germany is now a willing partner in the plans of Communism and the rest of Germany will soon come under the ferment and the Soviet will rearm the Germans in their pursuit of world communism.

Dorothy Thompson's studies of the situation on the spot are thoroughly revealing of the organic and fundamental differences between the democratic bloc and the Soviet. These differences are common to the peace talks and the deliberations of the Security Council of the U. N. O., where the Soviet representative has the other day asked the Powers to disclose their deployment of troops in foreign lands. This has perturbed more than one power, Comrades in arms are now definitely falling apart. The British fear that mounting disagreements may drive the U. S. A. to withdraw, as she did before from European tangles. As against that contingency, the British diplomacy is trying to create a self-contained bloc of West European countries including Western Germany to mount guard against the militant communism of the Soviet. The position crystallizes into a conflict of capitalistic democracy and Soviet communism of the entire World Order. Is peace possible in the face of this conflict? How leaders are "eyeless at Gaza"!

Hindu Eng. School Vaddukodai

In outlining the object for which the leading residents of the village of Vaddukodai have met together on the evening of 2nd August 1946 at a meeting Presided over by Mr. S. Marimuthu—Malayan Pensioner the principal of Vaddukodai Hindu English School, Mr. S. Sivgurunathapillai appealed to the residents to sacrifice a bit in cash and kind towards the completion of the unfinished block of the school.

Mr. K. Kanagaratnam, retired Ag. Auditor General speaking next recollected his young days about 46 years ago, when he was one of the first batch of first standard pupils who were inspected for the purpose of the first Government grant for the school. He credited his achievements in life to the highly disciplined Hindu training he received at this school. He paid a glowing tribute to the sacrifice made by the then Headmaster Mr. Sinnadurai and also said that he was glad that Mr. Sivgurunathapillai has got that ideal in him.

Mr. V. Nagalingam Proctor S. C. recalled how the principal in his opening address had invited those present to look at the eye sore presented by the incomplete block in front. He appealed to all those present to make a vow to see the building completed early.

Messrs. M. Kathiravelu, Proctor S. C., S. Annamalai, Somasunthera Pulavar, C. Thillaiampalam and Dr. S. Kandiah also spoke. A resolution that an appeal should be made to the Ceylonese residents in Malaya through Dr. C. Cheliah a gentleman with an abiding interest in the up-liftment of this school was passed; A Committee to see to this was elected.

Cor.

AUCTION SALE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

No. 2260

Karthigesu Visuvalingam of Suthumalai Plaintiff.

Vs.

Arumugam Sivasambu of Suthumalai Defendant.

Under and by virtue of the Commission issued to me in this case I shall sell by public auction the undermentioned mortgaged property on Saturday the 12th October 1946 at 4 p.m. at the spot.

Property Referred to:

All that piece of land situated at Suthumalai Kachchipayam and Koolavadyum in extent 8 Lms. V.C. with stone built house, well and plantation and bounded on the East by the property of Arumugam Nagarasa and brothers, North by lane, West by the property of Sellam wife of Sivakolunthu, and South by the property of Velupillai Kandiah.

V. A. DURAYAPPAH, Commissioner.

Jaffna, 2-9-46. (Mis. 163. 6.)

NOTICE

Teacher seeks immediate employment, preferably in Jaffna Schools, sat for the degree exam of the University of Ceylon. Capable of teaching English, Latin, Logic and History in the upper forms.

Write to:

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(Mis. 165. 6.)

Survey On Food

At the request of the World Federation of Trade Unions the Ceylon Trade Union Federation is undertaking a comprehensive survey, as far as local conditions and available information will permit, on 'Agriculture and Food', 'Women Workers' and on 'Coal'. The World Federation is carrying out this survey for the purpose of working out a common international trade union policy on these very vital problems, for helping deficient or underdeveloped countries and for the purpose of making effective representations to the United Nations Organisation on these problems.

With the help of the various authorities to whom it has sent a questionnaire on these problems, the C. T. U. F. hopes to prepare an initial draft report in about a month's time.

Gandhi Thanks Britain

Mahatma Gandhi addressing a prayer meeting at New Delhi on Tuesday last said: 'The door to Purana Swaraj has at last been opened. The whole of India has waited watched and suffered for years for this day. Whatever our past quarrels with the British Government, we must thank them now, for they have come to a willing understanding with the leaders.'

Matrimonial

The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place shortly of Mr. S. C. Sivagurunathan B. A. (Hons.) of the tutorial staff of Sivananda Vidyalya, Batticaloa and second son of Mr. ST. M. P. Sithambaranatha Chettiar of Vannarponnai, with Sowpakiavathy Maheswary only daughter of Mr. C. T. Cumarasamy Proctor S. C. & Notary of Nallur.

Valikamam North Co-operative Stores Union Ltd WANTED

Two Clerks for the Branch Depots of the Union at Tellippalai and Chunnakam from 1st October, 1946. Salary Rs. 60/- and War allowance of 25% per mensem.

- Applicants should:-
- (a) Be between 25 and 40 years of age.
 - (b) Have passed at least the J. S. C. (English) Examination.
 - (c) Possess a knowledge of accounts.
 - (d) Be able to furnish cash Security of Rs. 500/-

Apply with at least 2 recent testimonials before 15-9-46, to:-
The Hon'y. Secretary,
Valikamam North Co-op. Stores Union, Ltd., Tellippalai. (Mis. 161 3 & 6)

NOTICE

Crossword Competition in aid of the of the Jaffna Hindu and Ladies Colleges.

The closing date of the above Competition has been extended till 31st of October 1946.

All Counterfoils should be returned with the money on or before that date.

The Results will be published about the middle of November 1946.
S. N. RAJADURAI
Joint Secretary,
Jaffna Hindu College and Ladies College Carnival.

Jaffna, August 27th 1946. (Mi 166, 6)

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA
Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 585

In the matter of the estate of the late
Murugesu Ponnambalam of Karainagar West, Jaffna, late of Kuala Lumpur in F. M. S. Deceased.
Sivakkolunthu widow of Ponnambalam of Karainagar West.

Vs. Petitioner.

1. Delythevi daughter of Ponnambalam 2. Ponnambalam Ariaratnam 3. Swathiradvi daughter of Ponnambalam 4. Kaparathipathi Naga muttu all of Karainagar West

Respondents.

This matter coming on for disposal before R. R. Selvadurai Esq., District Judge, Jaffna on the 23rd day of July 1946 in the presence of Mr. A. Arumugam, Proctor on the part of the petitioner and on reading the affidavit and petition of the petitioner

It is ordered that the abovenamed 4th respondent be appointed guardian ad litem over the minors the abovenamed 1st, 2nd and 3rd respondents and that Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased be issued to the petitioner as the legal widow of the abovenamed deceased, unless the abovenamed respondents appear before this court on or before the 12th day of September 1946 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary. It is further ordered that the minors be produced in court on the 12th September 1946.

This 23rd July, 1946

(Sgd.) R. R. Selvadurai
District Judge.

(O. 64, 6 & 10)

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA
No. Testy 507

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Kantappa Appathurai of Araly South

Deceased.

Muttukumaru Subramaniam of Araly South

Vs. Petitioner.

Minor 1. Parameswari daughter of Sampanthar of Araly, minor 2. Sampanthar Mahalingam of do, minor 3. Sivanesam daughter of Sampanthar of do

accordingly the guardian ad litem the 4th respondent

4. Ve'anthar Muttukumaru of do, minor 5. Nagar team daughter of Sithamparappala, minor 6. Sivapackiam daughter of Sithamparappala 7. Kantharu Tharmali son of do

The 5th and 6th respondents are minors appear on by their guardian ad litem the 7th respondent 8. Kantharu Nivalingam of do 9. Ponnambalam wif of Subramaniam of do 10. Namutia widow of Kanthappu of do

Respondents.

This matter of the petition of the petitioner praying that the 4th respondent be appointed guardian ad litem over the 1st, 2nd and 3rd respondents and the 7th respondent be appointed guardian ad litem over the 5th and 6th respondents and that the Last Will and Testament be declared proved and that the petitioner be appointed executor named therein declared entitled to Probate, come on for disposal before R. R. Selvadurai Esq., District Judge, Jaffna on the 5th day of January 1946 in the presence of Mr. V. Navaratnam Rajah Proctor on the part of the petitioner and on reading the affidavit and petition of the petitioner.

It is ordered that the 4th and 7th respondents be appointed guardian ad litem over the 1st, 2nd and 3rd and 5th and 6th respondents respectively, that the last will filed in record be declared proved and that the petitioner be executor named therein declared entitled to Probate unless the abovenamed respondents shall show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the con-

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction No 575
In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Ve'uppillai Sivapiragasam of Araly East.

Deceased.

Chellamma widow of Ve'uppillai Sivapiragasam of Araly east

Vs. Petitioner.

1. Sivapiragasam Tharma 2. Sivapiragasam Ganesan, 3. Sivayozamalar daughter of Sivapiragasam 4. Thanaleesumv daughter of Sivapiragasam all of do 5. Maakaiyathkarasi wif of G. Thampu Ratnasingham of Po and presently of F. M. S.

Respondents.

This matter coming on for disposal before R. R. Selvadurai Esquire District Judge, Jaffna on the 5th day of July 1946 in the presence of Mr. C. C. Somasegaram Proctor on the part of the petitioner and on reading the affidavit and petition of the petitioner.

It is ordered that the abovenamed 1st respondent be appointed guardian ad litem over the minors the abovenamed 3rd and 4th respondents and that the Last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased dated 12th November 1945 and attested by C. C. Somasegaram Notary public under No. 2757 and filed on record in this case be declared proved and Probate of the will issued to the petitioner as the Executrix named in the said will, unless the respondents abovenamed appear before this court on or before the 23rd day of August 1946 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

This 5th day of July 1946
Sgd. R. R. Selvadurai
District Judge.

The above Order Nisi.

extended for 12-9-46.

Sgd. R. R. Selvadurai.

D. J.

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The date of closing entries has been extended to 7th September, 1946.

Ian SANDEMAN

Director of Education

Colombo, 27th August 1946.

(G. 67, 3 & 6)

revary on the 11th day of February 1946 at 10 a.m.

This 5th day of February 1946.

Sgd. R. R. Selvadurai,

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ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction No 397

In the matter of the estate of the late Remulingam Nallathamby of Karainagar West Deceased.
Annammah widow of Nallathamby of Karainagar West Petitioner.

Vs

Minor 1. Sivayokam daughter of Nallathamby of do. 2. Arumugam Kandiah of do Respondents.

This matter coming on for disposal before R. R. Selvadurai Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on the 28th day of May 1946 in the presence of Mr. A. Arumugam, Proctor on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 2nd May 1946 having been read.

It is ordered that the abovenamed 2nd respondent be appointed Guardian ad litem over the minor the 1st respondent and that the said petition be declared entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to her unless the respondents or others interested shall on or before the 30th day of July 1946 appear before this court and show cause to the contrary to the satisfaction of this court.

The 28 day of May 1946.

Sgd. R. R. Selvadurai,
District Judge.

31-8-46

Time to show cause extended to 19-9-46.

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