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## TEACHER'S ROLE IN NATIONAL AWAKENING

Mr. K. Kanagaratnam on Educational Changes

The Hon. Mr. K. Kanagaratnam, Acting Minister of Education, speaking at a reception accorded to him by the Valigamam West Tamil Teachers' Association on Saturday, said that to implement the new educational policy of Government, teachers endowed with a breadth of vision, high thinking and stability of character are required in large numbers. In the days of the foreign rule, the people of this country did not have the freedom to shape their educational policy because the country itself had not the freedom to explore its own resources for the benefit of the people. The new Education Act is the creation of a people's government enjoying full democratic rights devised to meet the needs of the country and to give primarily happiness and contentment to the people as a whole. For this, it is very necessary that the national wealth of the country should be increased. The teachers of today who are the creatures of the old system are now required to give a complete reorientation to the educational needs in order to connect them up with the economic development of the country. In this difficult task, the teacher will have to play a very important part. It is not enough that he confines his duties to a mere imparting of education which will give the children the necessary means of earning their livelihood. The future stability of good government depends entirely on the kind of leaders this country can produce through its educational methods. In this respect, the teacher should transform himself into both a demagogue and a reformer; by his own pattern of life, he alone can bring about the necessary changes in the political and economic life of the country. For this, it is necessary to restore into our educational system, the ancient ideals and close contacts between the teacher and the children who are placed in his charge.

### Historic Tanks At Keerimalai Reconstructed

Declaring open the reconstructed tanks at Keerimalai on Friday last Mr. S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike promised to make more lands available for further improvements to the tanks and added that a sum of Rs. 17,000 had already been released during the last three years.

Mr. T. V. Chellappah, Chairman, Village Committee, Keerimalai received the Minister.

The children would naturally look up to him as their ideal in every respect.

### Profession, not a Trade

Mr. Kanagaratnam deprecated the tendency that has grown in the midst of a mixed civilization to look upon the teaching profession as a trade and thereby loss all contacts with the children both in their school and home life. In the olden days, the teacher's as everybody else's wants were few and the emphasis was on the building up of the personality of the children as a whole, the teacher playing in this connection the additional role of a village leader and an adviser to the village people in all their domestic affairs. The link has snapped during the long period of a slavish life and should be restored in order to create a new society which would protect the interests of men especially in the lower grades who were hitherto denied their legitimate rights to live as free human beings with their elementary rights to share the world's goods on equal terms with the producers. Therefore, teachers who will work with a sense of devotion to duty and understanding of human life are the principal needs in order to create the right kind of leadership which would boldly and fearlessly face all evils which have crept into the public life of the country.

### Revision of Salary Scales

Mr. Kanagaratnam further stated that he was aware that the teacher's position in society today is greatly handicapped by an inadequacy to meet his financial needs, owing to a differentiation which had persisted for many years in the matter of the salaries paid to him and to his counterparts in Government service who are his equal in society and he hoped that all such anomalies would be rectified under the proposed investigation of the salary scales applicable to all public servants. It is a happy augury for the future welfare of this country that the representatives of the All-Ceylon Union of Teachers and Headmasters and Headmistresses decided at a joint conference held in Colombo last month, as a prelude to the New Education Week to be held in July this year, to focus the attention of the public and especially of the educational world to matters of importance to the welfare of the country. He commended their decision to members of the Valigamam West Tamil Teachers Association, and asked

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All Ceylon V. C. Conference

### Paving The Way For Better Communal Harmony

In the course of his presidential address at the 26th Annual Sessions of the All Ceylon Village Committee Conference held at Vaddukoddai on Saturday last, Mr. S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike declared that the electors at the next general elections which incidentally would be the most crucial and vital factor in deciding the fate of this country for many years to come would not suffer generalisations of policy on questions of language, culture, religion and several others.

### Decisive Drift

Continuing Mr. Bandaranaike said that the next few years will have to decide whether democracy will continue or whether either Marxism or Fascism will gain control.

The Minister warned the village fathers that they should not get caught napping at the General Elections.

Speaking on the Local Government subjects the Minister deprecated the slowness of the V.Cs in taking advantage of obtaining grants for Housing Schemes.

### National Languages

Striking a bold note on the official languages campaign, Mr. Bandaranaike explained the fact of the Govt's acceptance of the principle of making Tamil and Sinhalese as the official languages and commended the suggestion that village committees should conduct their business in Sinhalese or Tamil.

Earlier Mr. A. T. Vethaparanam Chairman of the Reception Committee in welcoming the President said that such conferences would help bring about better communal understanding.

Over 500 delegates from all over the Island participated in the conference.

### The Ramanathan Centenary

#### At Manipay

The Manipay Parish Welfare Society will celebrate the centenary of Sir P. Ramanathan the most distinguished son of Manipay on a grand scale on Monday the 16th inst. at the Memorial School Hall at 5 p. m.

Hon. Mr. J. B. Jayawardene the Finance Minister will be the chief speaker.

### Soviet Aim in Asia

Some persons profess to see in the Communist drive a "glorious and epic crusade" to free the world from "imperialism" and "colonialism". They view the literacy, electric power and collective farming schemes of Communist Russia as "achievements" of the Soviet regime. Such persons overlook the tens of millions of Soviet citizens who languish in slave labour camps because they dare to assert their God-given humanity and their human rights. Such naive persons overlook a Yugoslavia which, if it is Communist, is not under the heel of Stalin and which therefore, in Stalin's view, must be destroyed by a Communist Russia whose concept of democracy is utter surrender to the will of the Kremlin.

And in the Asian countries which have found freedom and national independence, indigenous regimes have struggled with the terrible social and economic problems which resulted from occupations of the Japanese Army. These new regimes have struggled to emancipate their people and to resurrect and refurbish their century-old cultures and century-old civilizations. Yet Moscow has attacked each and every national regime in Asia—except those subservient to Moscow—as "bourgeois, anti-national, rotten regimes".

In essence the Soviet aim in Asia since the end of the Pacific war has been to wreck the new-found national independence of Pakistan, India, Ceylon, Indo-China, Indonesia, Burma, Korea, and the Philippines. Stalin's actions clearly warn that Red China is the Asian base which the Kremlin is using to extend Communist domination across the map of ancient Asia. Where the British and Dutch and French have withdrawn, Moscow plans to march in. Nothing less than complete domination of Asia is the objective of the Kremlin and Chinese communists, who use two tactics in the achievement of their aggressive strategy and warmongering.

One is the exploitation of overseas Chinese minorities in the Philippines, Indo-China, Thailand, Malaya, Indonesia and Burma to aid in the financing of Chinese Communist propaganda, penetration and espionage. Anyone who listens to Radio Peking broadcasts made daily to the overseas Chinese knows that the Chinese Communists are banking on use of overseas Chinese as a fifth column in Free Asia.

The second tactic is use of the so-called World Federation of Trade Unions and its "unions" to foment civil disorder, violence, sabotage and juncture with Communist guerillas in the final all-out push to liquidate the governments of Indo-China, Pakistan, India, Indonesia, Malaya, Burma, Thailand and Philippines.

(Indian Social Reformer)



## Hindu Organ

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1951

### Treasure These Thoughts

*Who is a real Sadhu? He in whose heart God has been established. As one feels warmth when one goes near fire, so also the heart of one is filled with godly thoughts and peace when one approaches a really holy person.*

—MAHAPURUSHAJI

### MINISTER AS V. C. CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN

HAS human daring been smothered? Otherwise it surpasses our understanding how a member of the Cabinet has been allowed by a conference of an institution for which he is responsible to Government to be its perpetual president. Ever since he became the Minister of Local Administration in the State Council, Mr. S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike has been the President of the All Ceylon Village Committees' Conference. Virtually this arrangement gives the impression of the existence of an unwritten regulation to the effect that the Minister for Local Government should be *ex officio* the President of the V. C. Conference. The position will be different if Mr. Bandaranaike happens to be the chairman of a Village Committee.

Mr. Bandaranaike the President places before the Government the grievances of Village Committees and makes certain demands; and Mr. Bandaranaike the Minister considers his own submissions and disposes of them with administrative authority. What an envious position for a leading statesman? This Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde alternation of activities, Mr. Bandaranaike assumes elsewhere also. In the political arena he once appears as the President of the Sinhala Maha Sabha, a communal party and again trots about as a front-bench member of the U. N. P. a non-sectarian organisation.

Schools inviting the Minister for Education to distribute prizes, Post Offices being declared open by Minister Sitampalam, Railway Engines getting christened by Sir John Kotelawala, Co-operative Societies entertaining Minister Ratnayake at dinner, all these, certainly, have the sly and unseen ministerial contact. However, we are unable to agree with the Village Committees Conference in their

decision that a person who on behalf of the Government is expected to administer affairs relating to the organisation should assume the anomalous role of champion as well. It is common knowledge that Minister Bandaranaike is a Social Democrat respecting the conventions of the people's will and having no faith in the 'Divine Right' of assuming unofficial authority. We are also aware of the fact that on Mr. Bandaranaike has been thrust the chairmanship of this conference by chairmen and members of Village Committees lest there might arise an acrimonious and ugly scramble for power among themselves. However, the Village Fathers would do well to remember that notwithstanding any such fears as of threatened disruption in their ranks the untenable practice of inviting a Minister of State to be the chairman of an unofficial body cannot be regarded as truly democratic particularly in an age where the very practice of the same person holding the same office in even a literary association, year after year, calls for the severest condemnation.

*In the House of Representatives*

### Partition Bill Passed

A comprehensive code aiming at a speedier and less expensive procedure for the partition and sale of lands held in common, under the title of Partition Bill, made its way through all stages when the House of Representatives met on Friday.

Mr. George R. de Silva, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Peace, introducing the Bill said that it was a simple affair in that the Bill repealed the existing Partition Ordinance No. 10 of 1863 and codified the provisions.

### Land Grabbing

The Communist leader opposing the Bill said that the Govt. had unduly slept over that matter and had now produced a Bill which, no doubt, aimed at speedy action—not for partitioning lands alone but for helping the land grabbers achieve their ends more quickly.

### Registration of Births & Deaths

The Birth and Deaths Bill, the second reading of which was moved by Mr. H. R. U. Premachandra, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Home Affairs came in for severe criticism at the hands of Mr. Keuneman who showed surprise at the hunt for graphic details about nationalities and races.

The Communist leader saw something political behind this statistical survey in disguise.

Mr. S. Thondaman deplored the change in the period of time allowed for registration of births in estates from 42 days to 7 and moved an amendment that it should be deleted. The Prime Minister promised to consider it.

The Bill was passed a third time also.

### Ramanathan Centenary Celebrations

Centenary of the birth of the late Sir Ponnambalam Ramanathan will be celebrated on the 16th April 1951 in Colombo, in the form of a Public Meeting on the grounds of the House of Representatives at 5 o'clock in the evening, with Hon. Mr. Albert F. Peris, the Speaker in the chair. A part of the proceedings will be relayed. The following are among the speakers: Hon. Sir Oliver Goonetilleke, Hon. Mr. G. G. Ponnambalam, His Excellency J. C. Satterthwaite, the American Ambassador in Ceylon, Senator Sir Mohamed Macan Markar Dr. V. R. Schokman, Adigar Sir T. B. Panabokke, Dr. Paul E. Peiris and Mr. N. E. S. Ragavachari, Actg. High Commissioner for India in Ceylon.

### 101 Garlands For Statue

It is proposed to place at the statue of Sir Ramanathan in the grounds of the House of Representatives one hundred and one (101) Garlands as a symbolic token. The organisers of the celebration would be glad if the various Parliamentary electoral areas, local Government bodies and various Associations and Institutions in Ceylon would send or provide for one garland each in grateful remembrance of a unique personality who had rendered signal services to the country. Already some Associations and Institutions have volunteered to place garlands. It is hoped that others will follow suit and assist in placing the required number. Among the Institutions who are placing garlands is the House of Representatives.

It is understood that Ceylonese in foreign countries, particularly India and Malaya would be organising centenary celebrations in their respective countries in a fitting manner.

A representative committee with Hon. Sir Oliver Goonetilleke as Chairman and Messrs Valentine S. Perera and S. Sivasubramanian Joint Secretaries has been formed.

### 'Sequence of Tenses' In Indian Court

Nesfield's grammar figured as an authoritative source in the Supreme Court at Delhi to clarify the sequence of tenses on the meaning of a controversial section of an Act. The Madras lawyer, Mr. M. K. Nambiar, contesting the interpretation of the Attorney-General, Mr. M. C. Setalvad, cited the Nesfield grammar to tell the court the "exact meaning" of the words "shall have" and "had been" as contained in Section 12 of the Preventive Detention Act, 1951. Mr. Nambiar was arguing for a group of Madras detenus who challenged the Act.

The Chief Justice objected to "strict reliance" on the grammar of a foreign language, particularly in the context of the popular demand to have an Indian language in its place.

To this, Mr. Nambiar submitted: 'But, My Lord, the Act has been framed in English. So it should be understood in accordance with the English grammatical construction'.

### WAYSIDE WHISPER

Mr. Critic, that guy who enlivens whispering societies, is here again. In affected ignorance of happenings he prophetically declared that the Cement Factory would not be a factual affair. That was some years ago. Mr. Critic, however, lived to see the grand opening of the Factory!

He, anyway, was not to be beaten hollow. The collapse of a part of a building inspired Mr. Critic afresh. He alleged sabotage and what not. He went further and said that there would not be any further production at the factory, in any case no production of cement.

In the same breath, Mr. Critic wanted an enquiry into the system of appointments charging the administrative officers with keeping superfluous staff. Not that Mr. Critic whispered it to the Treasury Officers, but the discontinuance of unwanted employees had been effected anyway.

Again Mr. Critic would not be silenced. Now, why should anyone be discontinued? asks he.

This mysterious Mr. Critic is a feature not peculiar to Sri Lanka alone. Premier Nehru described this as negative criticism in India. That is higher up. Down below in ordinary life one meets this elusive imp. He can sit on judgment on any affair, men and matters. Science, education, art, industries, agriculture, religion, literature—these are some of the many subjects of which Mr. Critic has so far attempted reorganisation.

Co-operative Societies — if Mr. Critic is not a somebody in that set up—is a useless undertaking that can be made useful only if he is given a chance to try his hand at that.

Rural Development Unions — no they are all mismanaged. Why Mr. Critic is not there to guide its affairs.

Community Centres—a colossal wastage of time, money and energy for the only reason that Mr. Critic has not been invited to share the responsibility.

And this cosy companion haunts society like an evil thought.

### PERSONAL

Mr. M. Srikantha has been appointed Director of Land Development.

Mr. M. Rajendra has been appointed Government Agent, North Central Province.

**ORDER NISI**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 1278

In the matter of the last will and Testament of the late Kandappan Vaithilingam Kandiah of Vaddukoddai East Deceased. Theivanaipillai widow of K. V. Kandiah of Vaddukoddai East Vs. Petitioner.

1 Vaithilingam Nagesu of Vaddukoddai East; Minor 2 Thanaledchumy daughter of K. Duraiswamy; Minor 3 Jeyaledchumy daughter of K. Duraiswamy; 4 Kandiah Duraiswamy of Irrigation Department Kilinochchi and 5 wife Sinnammah of do; Minor 6 Gnaneswary daughter of V. Sellathurai; 7 Vyramuttu Sellathurai and wife; 8 Ponnammah; Minor 9 Mailvaganam Vijayarajam; 10 Ramalingam Mailvaganam and 11 wife Annapillai; 12 Nagesu Nadarajah and wife 13 Rasammah; 14 Markandu Velupillai all of Vaddukoddai East Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before S. S. J. Goonesekera Esquire District Judge Jaffna on the 19th day of February 1951 in the presence of Mr. M. Kathiravelu Proctor on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 5th February 1951 and that of the attesting Notary and witnesses dated 12th December 1950 having been read;

It is ordered that the last will and testament of Kandappan Vaithilingam Kandiah the abovenamed deceased dated 16th June 1950 and attested by M. Kathiravelu Notary Public under No. 1899 be and the same is hereby declared proved unless the respondents or others interested shall on or before the 27th day of April 1951 appear before this Court and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said 4th respondent be appointed guardian-ad-litem over the minors the 2nd and 3rd respondents; that the said 7th respondent be appointed Guardian-ad-litem over the minor the 6th respondent and that the 10th respondent be appointed guardian ad litem over the minor the 9th respondent and that Theivanaipillai widow of K. V. Kandiah the petitioner is the executrix named in the said will and that she is entitled to have probate of the same issued to her accordingly unless the respondents or others shall on or before the 27th day of April 1951 appear before this court and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

And it is further ordered that the

**Ban On Drinks And Races Urged**

**V. C. Conference Resolutions**

One of the resolutions adopted at the 26th sessions of the All Ceylon V. C. Conference on Saturday was to the effect that the Government should take steps to introduce prohibition and ban racing.

Another resolution urged that Sinhalese and Tamil should be adopted immediately as official languages throughout the whole Island fixing a time limit wherever immediate adoption is not practicable.

**Health Work**

A sub-committee was appointed to consider in what ways V. Cs could give assistance to Government in Health work.

The most important resolution accepted by the Conference was that V. Cs should conduct all their business in Sinhalese or Tamil forthwith.

**Ambassadors of Peace**

Earlier Mr. K. Kanagaratnam, Acting Minister expressed great satisfaction at the idea of the North and the South meeting in conference on all Island questions.

**New Office-bearers**

President: Mr. S. W. R. D. Bandaransike.

Secretaries: Messers D. H. E. Nanayakkara, S. Wanigasekera, A. W. Seniveratne and C. Arulambalam.

Treasurer: Mr. D. D. Abeyasinghe.

**WANTED**

Wanted an Arts Graduate or an English Trained or certificated teacher to do English work in the Post Primary classes from 4-5-51. Apply before 30th inst. to The Manager, Hindu English School, Tondamannar. (M. 7 10, 13, 24)

said 4th 7th and 10th respondents do produce the said minor respondents respectively in court on the said date.

This 19th day of February 1951 Sgd J. H. V. S. Jayawicrama District Judge,

Drawn by M. Kathiravelu Proctor for Petnr. (O. 3, 10 & 13)

**Teacher's Role In National Awakening**

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them to give their fullest cooperation to the All Ceylon Union of Teachers in their noble endeavours to support the Government Educational policy.

**New Order**

Today world organisations have been established to create a 'one world' whose chief aim is to abolish all distinctions between man and man and to accept the fundamental human rights as the basis of world peace and happiness. In this great movement, those who are in charge of the younger generation, especially the teachers, play a very important part. They should appreciate the desire of the modern man wherever he may live to create a new society with good progressive ideas which will absorb all that is best in the past but will refuse to be wedded to old theories and ideologies which really hinder the real religious and moral progress of man. If a teacher finds himself unable to fit himself into the new world of progress and help in the elimination of human injustice, he should give up his profession, for through him the life of a new generation would be placed in jeopardy and moral deterioration

**RAMANATHAN CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS PUBLIC MEETING**

Monday 16th April 1951 at 5 P. M.

At the Grounds of the House of Representatives

Hon. Mr. Albert F. Peris, The Speaker, will preside

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED (M. 6 10)

**ORDER NISI**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 1272/T

Kathiravelu Candyah of Araly-North, Petitioner

Vs

Candyah Sinnammah of Araly North Respondent

In the matter of the estate of the late Candyah Le-chumithevi deceased of Araly North This matter coming on for disposal before T. Muttusampillai Esqr. Addl. District Judge Jaffna on the 7th day of February 1951 in the presence of Mr. R. C. Subramaniam Proctor on the part of the petitioner dated 7th February 1951 having been read.

It is ordered that Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased be issued to the abovenamed petitioner unless the abovenamed respondent or any other person or persons shall on or before the 20th day of April 1951 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

This 7th day of February 1951 Sgd Wm. G. Spencer District Judge

Drawn by R. C. Subramaniam Proctor for Petitioner (O 2 10 & 13)

*Jaffna School of Dancing*

**Kandyan Dancing Introduced**

Mr. P. J. Hudson, G. A. N. P., attending his last function prior to his departure to England on furlough performed the inauguration ceremony at The Jaffna School of Dancing of introducing Kandyan Dancing in the North on Friday the 6th instant.

The Jaffna School which has specialised so far in Kathakali and Bharatha Natyam under the able instruction of Chellappan and Bhavani has now embarked on this new venture. Mr. Hudson remarked that this was the forging of a new link between the North and the South.

The Director Mr. V. R. Rasanayagam read out a message from, Mr. K. Kanagaratnam, M. P. Acting Minister of Education. "I congratulate you on your great enterprise in introducing Kandyan Dancing into Jaffna. I have no doubt that our people will not only benefit by learning the ancient dancing of the Sinhalese people, but they will also get the opportunity of acquiring international harmony through Art and Culture."

Before Sederaman, the renowned Kandyan Dancer came, on the stage Mr. S. Sanmuganathan, Asst. to the Archaeological Commissioner gave a talk on Kandyan dancing. He remarked that this new venture of the School was like the meeting of two monsoons. After every item Mr. Sanmuganathan added explanatory notes with regard to costume and period in every detail.

Mr. D. A. Weerasinghe, introduced the dancer to the audience.

Sederaman will be conducting a holiday course at the School and this service will be honorary.

**Alleged Murder At Achchuvely**

One Selvanayakam of Achchuvely was taken into Police Custody yesterday in connection with the death of his sister as the result of gun shot injuries.

**Vadamaradchi Rural Development Union**

The 2nd Annual General Meeting of the Vadamaradchi Rural Development Union was held in the Office of the D. R. O. Vadamaradchy at 10 a. m. on 7th April, 1951. The R. D. O. and the D. R. O. were the chief speakers.

The following office bearers were elected for the year 1951-52

President: Mr. S. Saravanaperumal, Vice President: Mr. R. S. Kandiah, Secretary & Treasurer: Mr. V. Alvappillai, Asst. Secretary: Mr. E. Thillayampalam.

**Committee Members**

Messers M. S. Chittambalam, M. Kandiah, K. Senthinathan, E. Chinniah, K. K. Velautham.

**JAFFNA HINDU COLLEGE DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS**

&

**GRAND CARNIVAL**

MAY 2ND - 13TH

Attractions Include

**EXHIBITIONS**

ELECTRIC MERRY-GO-ROUND  
GIANT WHEEL, DANCES,  
DRAMAS, RECITALS,  
GAMES OF SKILL

&

**THE WORLD-FAMOUS MAGICIAN**

**GOGIA PASHA**

## Juvenile Delinquency And Maladjustment

Now in the U. K. on a British Council Fellowship, Miss Kohila Doraiswamy, Superintendent of the Madras Children's Aid Society, is studying problems relating to juvenile delinquency and maladjustment.

These problems are tackled in Britain in a variety of ways and through many specialised institutions. Miss Doraiswamy has been visiting prisons and schools for juveniles (the latter institutions known in Britain as "Bortals") schools for the subnormal child, homes for unmarried mothers and children, and hostels, nurseries, classification centres and similar organizations. She has travelled all over the country attending juvenile courts and listening to other cases in the magistrates' courts dealing with questions of adoption and marital difficulties. All this is an extension of the special research work she has already done in Bombay.

### 'On Honour' Parole

Miss Doraiswamy was particularly impressed by the open prisons—"prisons without bars". "I'd like to see them introduced in Madras", she said. "I'm sure that with the right people in charge, schools and prisons like these, where the offenders are not locked up but put on their honour not to escape can do much more good than shutting first-offenders up in prison cells."

Miss Doraiswamy is anxious to study the juvenile employment problem, which is being tackled on a large scale by specialized Government departments in Britain today.

## ORDER 'NISI' DECLARING WILL PROVED

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 1274

Kulanthaivelu Ambalavanar of Karaitivu West  
Petitioner.  
Vs.

- 1 Karthigesu Kulanthaivelu
- 2 Karthigesu Ponniah
- 3 Sithamparapillai Murugesu and
- 4 wife Ponnupillai
- 5 Arumugam Kandiah and
- 6 wife Theivanai all of Karaitivu West
- 7 Karthigesu Sangarapillai
- 8 Thangamuttu widow of Karthigesu Ramupillai both of Karaitive North Respondents.

In the matter of the estate of the late Karthigesu Ramupillai of Karaitive North Deceased

This matter coming on for disposal before T Muttusamipillai Esq., District Judge Jaffna on the 13th day of February 1951 in the presence of Mr. S. Candiah Proctor on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the abovenamed petitioner dated 4-2-1951, having been read.

It is ordered that the will of Karthigesu Ramupillai of Karaitivu North deceased, dated 11th December, 1950 and numbered 618 be and the same is hereby declared proved unless the respondents or anyone else interested in the said estate shall, on or before the 26th day of April 1951, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the said Kulanthaivelu Ampalavanar, petitioner is the executor named in the said Will and that he is entitled to have Probate of the same issued to him accordingly unless the respondents or others shall on or before the 26th day of April 1951, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

This 13th day of February  
Sgd S. S. J. GOONESEKERA  
District Judge.

U K I S O. 1, 10 & 13

## Ceylon Government Railway Level Crossing Repairs

The Level Crossing at 78 miles, 33 chains, 74 links (Railway mileage) between Gampola and Ulapana Railway Stations on the Nawalapitiya-Kandy Road will be closed for vehicular traffic as follows for effecting repairs:

Partially closed from 8.00 P. M to 10.00 P. M. on Wednesday 18-4-51.

Totally closed from 10.00 P. M. on Wednesday 18-4-51 to 2.00 A. M. on Thursday 19-4-51.

During the period of partial closure traffic will be assisted over the Level Crossing.  
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## North Ceylon

### Oriental Music Society

This year's examinations are postponed. The dates for applications and examinations will be notified later.

S. R. KANAGASABAI,  
Secretary.

4-4-51.  
(M. 1. 6 & 10)

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Amount of Calls made	Rs. 134,367.00
SHARES: 8000 shares of Rs. 100/- each. 75 monthly instalments of Re. 1/- per share will earn Rs. 100/- for each at the end of the period. Shares issued all times.	
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed at 1% per annum on the average monthly balance when it does not fall below Rs. 500/-.	
FIXED DEPOSITS received for periods of 3, 6, 9 and 12 months and interest allowed at 1, 2, 4 and 6 % respectively.	
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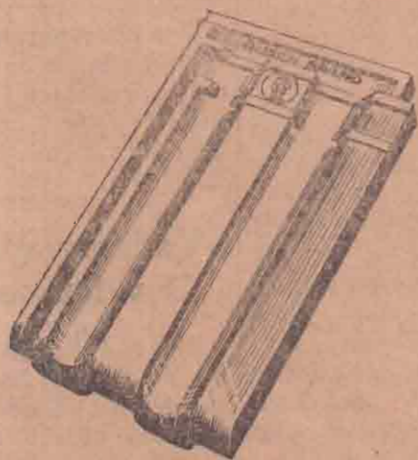
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