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CURATIVE VALUE OF CURD

Contains Vitamin B. Complex

IN the course of their investigation on the organism in Indian curds or *dahi*, writes N. V. Joshi of the Bio-chemical Labs of the Fergusson College, Poona, they found about the end of 1949 a species of yeast of the genus *torula*, which is considered to be an entirely new one because of the biochemical reactions and physiological activities displayed by it, and hence the new *torula* is named by them as *torula dahi*.

It was found in all the samples of *dahi* examined at a number of places all over India. In fact, Indian curds may be considered its natural habitat. Its function in the *dahi* is rather interesting. It supplies vitamin B complex for the proper growth of the lactic acid bacteria which turn our milk sour.

By the method of biological assay it has been shown that this yeast produces riboflavin, nicotinic acid, biotin, thiamin pyridoxine and the following growth-factors, *Pala* and folic acid. Each of the above constituents of vitamin B (complex) was found in sufficient quantity to meet the full requirements of lactic acid bacteria, except pantothenic acid, which was slightly less than the normal quantity required for growth of the lactic acid bacilli.

An Essential Diet

Now, when milk is converted into *dahi*, the milk-sugar (lactose) becomes converted into lactic acid and the medicinal properties of the lactic acid as well as of the lactic acid bacteria contained in *dahi*, in the treatment of certain intestinal disorders like colitis, dysentery, enteritis and fermentative diarrhoea of the nature of sprue, have long been known to the Hindus evidently as curds (rather butter-milk) formed the essential diet in such diseases. It is only lately, however, that western scientists have explained this view of the ancient Hindus and according to Prof. Metchnikoff, the action of lactic

acid and the lactic acid bacteria is on the fermentative bacteria in the intestines, especially *B. Coli*, and is, therefore, a beneficial one; so much so, that Bulgarian milk koumiss, fermented mare's milk, was once regarded as a panacea for all human ills, and that its daily use tended towards longevity.

Acknowledged By Ayurveda

Buttermilk thus came to be used by western physicians in the dietetic treatment of sprue, colitis, fermentative diarrhoea, constipation, gout, arteriosclerosis (or pipe stem arteries associated with high blood pressure) and some forms of skin disease and erysipelas, the last four having been proved to be brought about by intestinal toxæmia. In the Ayurveda also buttermilk is spoken of in the same strain.

Yatha Suranam Amritam
Pradhanam
Tatha naranam bhuvi takra-
mahuh.
Natakra dagdhah prabavanti
rogah
Natakra sevce vyathate kada
chit.

"Just as *amrita* (nectar) is indispensable for the gods in heaven so is buttermilk for humans on earth. No disease under the scorching effects of buttermilk shall sagment or grow worse; nor does one that uses buttermilk every day suffer from diseases whatsoever".

Vitamin B-12 is the latest vitamin discovered and is one of the most efficacious remedies for anaemia.

Fatal Road Accident

A lorry belonging to the Theamaradchy Co-operative Agriculture Society met with an accident at Navatkuly. S. Kanapathypillai who was travelling in the lorry, S. Sundaram the driver of the lorry and Sinnathambi Arumugam sustained injuries and were removed to the Jaffna Civil Hospital. Kanapathypillai died.

The Judgment Box

Machine To Know Minds

British scientists have developed some electronic gadgets that indicate man, one of these days, may think himself out of a brain.

One new device shown at the Physical Society is known as a "Judgment Box". Its face shows a series of 21 knobs, an instrument dial, and a lot of electrical switches.

The knobs are used to control "weight factors"—factors

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in A. B. Patrika

that entering judgment such as willingness, skill, initiative and so forth.

It was pointed out that an employer interviewing a candidate for a job might not want to trust his own judgment whether the candidate was qualified. So, through use of electronic "weights", the employer lets the machine decide.

The machine, the scientists say, can also be used by an employer to determine whether an increase in pay would bring increased production. In using it for that purpose, the opinions of the workers are collected—from the office boy all the way to the boss.

Again, the value of the "factors" of each person's opinion are "weighed".

The answer, according to the scientists, comes out "no" or "yes" whether to grant a pay rise.

Another machine is being used to test "legal reasoning."

It also uses electronic tubes and questions put to the machine are "weighed". Coloured lights go on in different sequences to measure the logical reasoning of a particular person. For instance, the machine can determine whether a person should be a salesman, or an engineer.

British scientists are keeping up with Americans in the production of "electronic brains". While the American scientists seem to go in for the more elaborate "brains", using many thousands of electronic "memory" tubes, the scientists on this side of the Atlantic seem to have more imagination.

For instance, they believe they can produce a machine that will play a good game of chess. The Americans don't think it is possible.

How To End Cold Conflict

Put Peace Proposals To Practice

YOU might not think it in the current atmosphere of negation, but the big question today is still the one of finding out how far Russia is willing to go towards settling the cold war, and whether the United States can do anything intelligent towards making that discovery. To date, it must be admitted, Moscow has made more pronouncements than concessions, while Washington has done little but dismiss the whole thing with a self-righteous sniff.

Sane minds urge different policies, but in Russia these are inarticulate, and in the United States they are surrounded by fear and an ever-swelling bellicosity. So accustomed are we to the endless strain of the cold conflict that we may, unwittingly, find ourselves in the predicament of a man who has leaned so long against a bitter wind

By

DEVERE ALLEN

that, when it suddenly ceases to blow, he falls flat on his face.

If Russia wants an end to the present stress there must be sense enough in the Kremlin to know that the non-Communist world is far past the stage when words will suffice. Western governmental spokesmen can hardly be blamed, in the face of the long record, for feeling scepticism. What Moscow can do now, if it desires, and undoubtedly to the applause of its own and its satellite peoples, is take a series of definite steps to give its peace proposals more than the appearance of propaganda.

Moscow's Turn

Here are some things open to Russian action for peace. Moscow can end the long haggling over an Austrian peace treaty, which it has stubbornly blocked in sessions so numerous as to require a

calculating machine to keep count. It can give its aid to, and derive its own benefit from, the various relief and welfare agencies of the United Nations—agencies it has usually ignored and refused to take part in. It can stop condemning other countries for going outside the U. N. and devote a few rubbles to U. N. constructive work through UNESCO, the Food and Health organizations, to mention only some.

More Press freedom

Russia can announce specifically that although it finds Marshal Tito's Yugoslavia a thorn in the flesh, and strongly disagree with the course of events in that key Balkan state, it will not use armed force to bring about a change. It can, at home, put into the pages of *Trud*, *Pravda*, *Izvestia*, and other internal press organs the same pacific material it is now publishing in "News," the foreign-language journal it recently launched to signalize its peace drive. It can allow outside correspondents at least the same freedom of travel and observation permitted to representatives of "Tass" in the United States. It can allow Soviet citizens to subscribe as freely to outside periodicals as Americans can who wish to read papers issued in the U. S. S. R. It can con-

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Lecture On Religion And Life

On Saturday, 22nd instant, at 5.30 p. m. at the Vivekananda Society Hall, Hill Street, Colombo under the joint auspices of the Vivekananda Society and the Tiruketheeshvaram Temple Restoration Society, a public lecture will be delivered on 'Religion and Life' by Vidvan K. V. Jagannathan Avergal, M. A.; B. O. L.; the distinguished Indian Publicist and Editor, Kalaimagal, who is now on a visit to Ceylon.



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Treasure These Thoughts

The samsara that pursues us through all lives is the sense of I and Mine—Hence freedom from Samsara or Moksha consists in the eradication of this sense of I and Mine.

—VIVEKANANDA

HEADMEN

THE IMPORTANCE OF THE task which every headman has to perform was emphasized by both the Governor General and the Premier when they met the headmen of Colombo District on last Wednesday. According to the Governor General, they were the backbone of the provincial administration of the country and no form of Rural Development work could be pushed ahead without their assistance and co-operation, and according to the Prime Minister, they were the leaders in the country who were in touch with the people in the most remote areas; it was their duty to enlighten the people amidst whom they lived and worked and to help them to gain their rights and privileges; and the peasants would not reap the full benefit of any assistance which Government gave them (the peasants) without the headmen fulfilling their duties and obligations.

From very ancient times the headmen system appears to have existed. Time was when the minor headmen such as Police Vidhans were not paid any salary and still they were expected to discharge the onerous duties of their office. It is needless to state that under such circumstances the system became highly corrupt. During the last two or three decades of British rule, the minor headmen were given a meagre salary of about Rupees Twenty five per mensem with which amount they had to support themselves and their families and main-

tain the dignity of their status. It was impossible to eradicate the rot which had crept in. During the war years and after, many a village headman abused his powers and reaped big profits either by illicit dealing in rice-ration books or by obliging cultivators in assessing the amount of paddy harvested at a lower figure or by doing a host of other things which they were called upon to do under the Emergency Regulations. The conditions of pay and allowances prevailing at present are not bad but it must be admitted that headmen who are honest cannot balance their budgets unless they have other income from their private property. The result is that no marvellous change has taken place and bribery and corruption are still more the rule than the exception.

On the recommendations of the last Headmen's Commission, District Revenue Officers were appointed in place of the Maniagars of old and the office of Udyar was being abolished. The proposal to appoint Divisional Headmen in place of the old Udyars to assist the D. R. O's has been made by the Home Ministry and approved by the Cabinet. No action, however, appears to have been taken although several applicants have applied for the posts. The proposed reform if implemented will result in a change of nomenclature and not of the system.

The rot which had set in ought to be eradicated. The importance of the role which headmen have to fulfil cannot be minimised. Their responsibilities are great; they are an important link between the Government and the people, and unless they are honest great harm will be caused. Kirama Vidhans appear to be dissatisfied with the remuneration paid to them and the third class railway warrants issued for their travel in connection with their duty. A Joy Aeroplane ride, a Minister's lunch and things like that once in a life-time and reversion to the same old unsatisfactory conditions cannot bring about any material change. It is to be hoped that Government will not fail in its duty of bettering the conditions of service of headmen and eradicating bribery and corruption. Care should be also taken to avoid giving room for the Opposition to state 'Join the U N P. and tour the World.'

SOVIET GOVT. NOT LAW ABIDING

'DREADFUL TYRANNY EVER'

—TRUMAN

President Truman on hands of the State "far Sept. 17 described the more formidable than it Russian Government as was in the days of the stage coach and muzzle-loading musket."

Kremlin's Evil Power

Mr. Truman's remarks were made in a speech at the Library of Congress, as the originals of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution were sealed in helium-filled cases to protect them for all time.

Departing from his text, the President said the guarantees to the Russian people in the Soviet Constitution are "just as false" as a treaty with Russia and that the Russian Constitution itself is a "mere historical curiosity. A Bolshevik agreement is not worth the paper it is written on—it is only a scrap of paper".

Red Promises Are All Empty

He drew a sharp contrast between the United States and Soviet Constitutions and the ways of life they provide. He said the Soviet Constitution contains a "lot of fine language" professing to guarantee freedoms. "But these good words in the Soviet Constitution mean less than nothing. They are empty promises, because the citizens of the Soviet Union have no way of enforcing their rights against the State"

The President said: "Soviet citizens live in fear. Their society is a jungle, through which the naked power of the Government prowls like a beast of prey, making all men afraid. Communists claim they have to use weapons of tyranny in order to improve the condition of the people. But that is not true. That is a rejection of the long experience of mankind. By resorting to the worst evils of ancient tyranny, the Soviet rulers have held their citizens in terror and bondage, while freedom is growing in the rest of the world."

Pointing to the technological progress which has been made in recent years, Mr. Truman declared the developments make tyrannical power in the

He said: "The power of the Kremlin is more effective, more violent and more far-reaching than the powers of the Czars or the power of Genghis Khan or the power of other tyrants of the past. To-day, a tyrant can uproot and liquidate whole classes of people and entire nations. The death camps of Hitler's Germany or of modern Siberia demonstrate that unrestrained power of Government can be a greater evil in our modern civilisation than it ever was in ancient times"

Mr. Truman said the only guarantee against such a society of fear and cruelty was through the principle that the Government, as well as the people, must abide by the law.

Sabbai Announcement

Thirukonesar Temple Statues

As announced earlier Bronzes belonging to Thirukonesar Temple will reach Jaffna on Sunday the 23rd instant. A civic reception will be held in the Jaffna Town Hall where the statues will remain till they are taken in procession at 4-30 p. m. on the 24th instant along the Clock Tower Road Hospital Road and College Road to the Saiva Paripalana Sabbai Saiva Ashram Navalar Hall where special poojahs will be held.

The statues will remain at the Ashrama Hall and will be taken to the different parts of the peninsula according to arrangements made with the President of the Jaffna Saiva Paripalana Sabbai. Saiva Associations and leaders who wish to make arrangements are requested to write to the President before the 24th inst.

Understanding 'Spirit of the Age'

Nehru's Advice To Students

An appeal to the students to understand the various problems facing the country to-day and act in a manner which would enable India to make progress in every sphere of life was made by the Prime Minister, Mr. Nehru, at Lucknow.

Mr. Nehru emphasised that the dignity of manual labour should be valued as had been done by the Western countries, which had made great progress economically and industrially, if India was to attain her lost greatness of the past. Manual labour, Mr. Nehru stressed, was as much necessary for mental development as it was for physical development.

The Prime Minister further said that no education was complete without vocational training. Every Western country was able to make progress because of the developments which had been brought about by their engineers and scientists.

He appealed to the youth of the country, to understand the "spirit of the age." Elucidating his point, he said, that great philosophers had made a distinctive contribution by propounding certain theories in every age, which had been of some value for some periods only. There was a time when slavery was advocated and practised, but gradually this practice was rooted out with the change of time.

New Ideologies

Mr. Nehru said that Marx, whose contribution in the field of political philosophy was of great value, had studied the social conditions then prevailing in England and Germany. His ideology was based on certain fundamental principles.

But to-day, Mr. Nehru continued, in this world of fast-changing phases, it was not possible to find a solution for problems by adopting methods which had become out-of-date. He stressed that if India had to make progress, which he believed she would, the solution for her various complex problems which were so inter related to one another, would have to be found in the context of new ideologies.

"Talks of socialism and trade unionism go ill together with obsolete ideas and ideologies", he added

British General Election

According to Premier Attlee the British General Election will be held on October 25. The British Premier goes to the country for a renewal of confidence.

—Our Astrological Feature—

WEEKLY FORECASTS

"SRI PATY"

FROM 23-9-51 TO 29-9-51

ARIES Aswini, Barani, Kartikai 1st part [Medha Rasi]

A good week for social undertaking. Surprisingly pleasant experiences promised. Strangers and foreigners likely to help you a lot. Your enemies will not be able to triumph over you however much they try.

TAURUS Kartikai 2, 3, 4, Rohini, Mirugasirisha 1, 2 [Idapa Rasi]

Financially a good time but take care of health specially abdominal complaints. Petty official troubles also shown. But it will not lead to any serious consequences.

GEMINI Mirugasirisha 3, 4, Thiruvathirai, Punarpusam 1, 2, 3 [Mithuna Rasi]

Some improvements in your family situation and rise in position promised this week. Better to consider the feelings of elderly people in any actions that you take. You may have to shoulder soon additional responsibilities.

CANCER Punarpoosa 4, Poosa, Ayilya [Kataka Rasi]

Excellent business week. Make use of whatever opportunities you get to extend it. Socially also it is a time of rapid progress.

LEO Maha, Poora, Uttira 1, [Singha Rasi]

Whatever difficulties you meet with you will be able to clear them. Friends of the opposite sex will prove of much help to you. But some misunderstanding in the family circle shown week end.

VIRGO Uttira 2, 3, 4, Atta, Chittirai 1, 2 [Kanni Rasi]

Health a problem this week. A serious estrangement also shown. Don't be quick at making decisions and changing routine works.

LIBRA Chittirai 3, 4, Swati, Visaka 1, 2, 3, [Thula Rasi]

You will find it difficult to make both ends meet this week. Whatever things you undertake will succeed; only much labour. Troubles through paternal relatives shown but friends will prove useful.

SCORPIO Visaka 4, Anursha, Kettai [Vrischika Rasi]

From the money making angle this week is likely to be what you could wish. Only spend the first three days without making any rash commitments. Good time for making changes after Thursday.

SAGITTARIUS Moolam, Pooradam, Uttiradam 1, [Thanu Rasi]

The first 3 days will keep you very busy. Some official troubles and mental worries shown Tuesday afternoon Wednesday and Thursday. Rest of the week is favourable for business deals.

CAPRICORNUS Uttiradam 2, 3, 4, Thiruvonam, Avittam 1, 2, [Makara Rasi]

Good week for arranging changes but consult elderly people before making any important decisions. Father's relatives might upset you week end Friday and Saturday must be spent with care.

AQUARIUS Avittam 3, 4, Satayam, Pooraddati 1, 2, 3 [Kumbha Rasi]

Don't rely much on friends of the opposite sex this week. Some scandals and trouble through secret enemies shown. Ill health in the family circle also not ruled out. But triumph over competitor promised.

PISCES Pooraddati 4, Uttiraddati, Revati, [Meena Rasi]

Some serious estrangement in the domestic circle shown. In-laws may be the cause of this. Avoid heated arguments and hasty decisions. Financial gains promised week end.

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vert its blackguarding of foreign governments and individuals into decent criticism.

The Other Side

There is another side, however, and that is the appalling flippancy with which the Moscow peace approaches have been thrust away at Washington as if they were inconsequential raindrops from a hurricane sky. Says the Providence, R.I. Journal, no advocate of appeasement. "We think the State Department is making a serious mistake in attempting to shrug off Russia's new 'peace' proposal as 'pure propaganda.'" It is surely that, concedes the Journal, but it may be more. "Instead of turning up a disdainful nose, the State Department, we suggest, should seize upon the Soviet manoeuvre and counter with a proposal for a full-dress peace parley within the United Na-

tions."

It is too soon to judge the value of the recent visit made to Moscow by a group of British Quakers, for although they have described the replies given to their suggestions by Mr. Malik and their generally courteous reception, their full report will not be published until a little later.

Fear of Peace?

To a correspondent for Worldover Press who has recently interviewed 90 parliamentarians, a West European diplomat and former delegate to the U. N. made a discerning comment. The U. S. in Korea, he said, was at war in a way not true of any European state. Though the Europeans were closer to Russia, they were free from the war mentality noted by all observers in the United States. The European, not at war, tends to see American belligerency a bordering on madness. How true is this analysis—is it this that accounts for Washington's almost pathological fear of peace, the

eternal toughness that goes on losing friends in a manner that seems virtually wanton? Or have we simply ploughed a furrow of fear so deep that we can no longer climb out? (Worldover Press).

THE POLITICAL WIND

Last weekend in Jaffna the political wind blew from all sides. The Leftists invaded the North almost in full strength and while remembering their departed colleague Tharmakulasingham gave a hint that all constituencies in the North would be contested by the Leftists. They pleaded with the audience not to listen to others and if ever they listened not to believe what they heard from them. Service to the country is a privilege exclusive to them and them only!

At Kondavil the Federal Freedom Party were themselves sending out election feelers. The party leaders devoted a good length of time to the consideration of the poser set by somebody else—the peculiar qualification the candidate for Kopay

THE JAFFNA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

NOTICE

Tenders are hereby invited for the "lease" of the right to collect rents in the undermentioned Markets, Gala and Bus-stand for one year beginning from 1st January 1952.

Tenders for the first and sixth should be made upon forms which would be supplied at this office on a deposit of Rs. 500/- for each form. In the case of the 2nd, 3rd and 4th a deposit of Rs. 250/- and in the case of others a deposit of Rs. 50/- each should be made. In the case of 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 6th a further sum of Rs. 150/- should be deposited (value of stamps and Notarial fees for the purpose of executing a Notarial Bond) in order that Tender forms may be issued.

Tenders should be submitted in sealed envelopes marked "Tender for lease of markets etc" on the left hand corner of the envelope and addressed to the Commissioner, Municipal Council, Jaffna and should reach this office at or before 12 Noon on Saturday the 27th October 1951.

Separate offers should be made for each
(Market or Gala and Bus-stand)

The tenderer selected by the Council will be required to deposit within five days of such selection one third (1/3) of the tendered amount. The Balance amount to cover up the full tendered amount in respect of the 5th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th leases should be paid on or before 1st day of December 1951. The tenderer selected in respect of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 6th "leases" should execute before the 1st day of December 1951 a notarial bond hypothecating real property supplying stamps and paying notarial fees in addition to the sum of Rs. 150/- already deposited. The Balance amount should be paid in eight equal instalments on or before the 15th day of each month, the first of such payments to be made on or before the 15th day of January 1952 subject to the conditions of lease, forms of which are available at the Municipal Office.

Should any tenderer fail to deposit the amounts required and execute the Notarial Bond as stated above his deposit will be forfeited and the rent will be resold.

The Council reserves to itself the right to reject any or all the tenders without assigning reason therefor.

Any further information may be obtained at the Municipal Office.

There will be no reduction in the rate of rents obtaining at present in the markets. The Mayor will allocate specified places inside the Market premises for different kinds of trades and the Renter and sub-lessees should be bound by the decisions of the Mayor.

Markets referred to:—

1. Grand Bazaar Vegetable Market (excluding the two Main Permanent Market Buildings) the Sundry boutiques erected by the Council, and stalls already erected with the approval of the Council the tin sheds and the space of land between the Road and the tin sheds and excluding the space allotted to the Marketing Dept.
2. The Grand Bazaar Fish Market (including Pannathurai where Fish is sold.)
3. Small Bazaar (excluding all meat stalls)
4. The Sengunther Market inclusive of the two rooms but excluding the tin shed erected with the approval of the Council.
5. The Ariyalai Market (excluding the Room)
6. The Gala including the bus-stand at Grand Bazaar.
7. The Muththirai Chanthai (excluding the portable boutique)
8. The Colombutturai Market
9. The Navanturai Market
10. The Pasayoor Market

K. Shanmugam,

Commissioner,

Office of the Municipal Council,
Jaffna, 15th September 1951.
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Jaffna Municipal Council

Electorate should possess. At least one prospective candidate speaking hypothetically referred to how the cigar industry was in his blood and inferentially put forward his claims for representing Kopay. The signs are that Leftists and the Federalists will wage war on this issue.

The Tamil Congress Party meeting in Committee decided to begin the Election campaign with the bye-election fight for Vavuniya Seat.

Caught in this whirlwind Mr. Voter returned home eyes!

weather-beaten, confused more than ever. But the indications are that his judgment will be sober and the verdict will be clear—yes when the time comes.

According to Senator (Dr.) E. M. V. Naganathan, a Marxist in mind and Federalist in Faith the bloody revolution if it came would be not from the Reds but from the Tamil speaking peoples of Ceylon. The Sena or (Dr.) advised the Govt. to open its eyes. But actually it is the Tamil Community that should open its

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Secular State India's Ideal

President Prasad in the course of a message to Shri Political Conference reiterated the *Secular Ideal* of India.

The message said: "In India, we have declared ourselves, firmly and unequivocally in favour of what is called a secular democracy, that is, a State where people of all religions or denomination have the same rights and same opportunities. All of our people may not live up to this ideal and might be swept away occasionally by misguided notions. That makes it all the more incumbent that we have our minds clear about our aim. We must not allow another's error to lead us to wrong action. For India, this is the only path and those who go against it do injury not only to the larger cause but also to the narrower good of the particular group they may represent. It is only by keeping this larger vision before us and always trying to act up to it that we can build up a strong and progressive nation, at peace with ourselves and with our neighbours and the rest of the world."

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
JAFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction
No. 1354

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Rasammah wife of Bastiampillai Spalding Nalliah of 3rd Cross Street, Jaffna

Deceased
Bastiampillai Spalding Nalliah of 3rd Cross Street Jaffna

- Vs Petitioner
1. Nalliah Gunaratnam of the Electrical Dept. Batu Pahat in Malaya
 2. Nalliah Alagaratnam of the Commerce and Industries Dept. Colombo
 3. Rasamani daughter of Nalliah of 3rd Cross Street, Jaffna,
 4. Nalliah Rajaratnam of Kuala Lipis
 5. Nalliah Tambiratnam of Batu Pahat, Malaya
 6. Nalliah Jayaratnam aged 18 years
 7. Nalliah Vijayaratnam aged 16 years
 8. Jayamani Nalliah aged 15 years
 9. Sellammah Nalliah aged 10 years
 10. Rathi Nalliah aged 8 years all of 3rd Cross Street, Jaffna and
 11. Murugesu Selvaratnam of Kachcheri Rd., Jaffna

This matter coming on for disposal before Wm. G. Spencer Esquire Additional District Judge of Jaffna on the 11th day of September 1951 in the presence of Messrs Subramaniam and Somasundram Proctors on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 19th May 1951 and the affidavit of the attesting witnesses dated 6th January 1951 having been read:

It is ordered that the 11th respondent abovenamed is appointed guardian - ad - litem over the minors 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th respondents abovenamed, and that the Last Will and Testament of the said Rasammah deceased dated 5th December 1950 which has been produced and

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
JAFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction
No. 1329

- In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Kanagasabai Ratnam of Tellippalai East Deceased Kanagasabai Ratnam of Tellippalai East Petitioner
- Minors 1. Sellathurai Balasingham
 - " 2. Sellathurai Pathmarajah
 - " 3. Sellathurai Tharmalingam
 - " 4. Sellathurai Parameswaran
 - " 5. Jegatheeswary daughter of Sellathurai
 - " 6. Pakkiam daughter of Sellathurai
 - " 7. Sellathurai Ambikampalam all of Tellippalai East by their Guardian-ad-litem
 8. Thangamuttu widow of Sellathurai of do

Respondents.

This matter coming on for disposal before V. S. Jayawickrama Esquire, District Judge of Jaffna on the 25th day of June 1951 in the presence of Mr. M. Sithambaranathan, Proctor on the part of the petitioner abovenamed and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 10th April 1951 and the affidavit of the Notary and subscribing witnesses dated 10th April 1951 having been read.

It is ordered that the abovenamed 8th respondent be appointed Guardian-ad-litem over the minors the abovenamed 1st to 7th respondents for the purpose of this case and that the Last Will and Testament dated 3rd November 1950 and attested by M. Sithambaranathan Notary Public under No 2515, the Original of which has been produced and now deposited in this court be and the same is hereby declared proved and that the petitioner abovenamed is the executor named therein and that he is entitled to have the Probate thereof issued to him accordingly unless the abovenamed respondents or any other person interested shall appear before this court on the 20th day of August 1951 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the abovenamed minors the 1st to 7th respondents should be produced in Court on the said date

This 25th day of June 1951.

(Sgd.) V. S. Jayawickrama,
20-8-51 District Judge.

Drawn by
(Sgd.) M. Sithambaranathan,
Proctor for Petitioner.

Time to show cause is extended till 24-9-51.

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D. J.
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deposited in this Court be and the same is declared proved and that Letters of Administration with a copy of the said Last Will annexed be issued to the petitioner as the lawful husband of the deceased unless the respondents or any other person interested in the above estate shall appear before this Court on or before the 28th day of September 1951 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

This 11th day of Sept, 1951.

Sgd. V. S. Jayawickrama,
District Judge.
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Anuradhapura Vivekananda Society

Silver Jubilee Celebration

The Silver Jubilee of the Anuradhapura Vivekananda Society Ltd. Anuradhapura was celebrated on Wednesday the 12th of September 1951 at the Society Hall which was gaily decorated and illuminated.

The President of the Society Mr. M. Rajendra C. C. S. Government Agent N. C. P. Anuradhapura presided over the morning session 8.45 a. m.—11.45 a. m. and the President of the Colombo Vivekananda Society Ltd. Mr. K. Alvapillai C. C. S. Director of Food Supplies Colombo occupied the Chair during the evening session 3.30 p. m.—9.30 p. m.

The Celebrations commenced with a Pooja by Rev. Swami Asanganandaji President of the Ramakrishna Mission Colombo, followed by Congregational Prayer by Mr. M. S. Thiruvilagam of Colombo and a Pooja Dance by Miss Indranayagi Vairamuttu of Isaikalai Manram Colombo.

Record of Work

After the President's Welcome Address, P. B. Bulankulame Dissawa M. P. Parliamentary Secretary Ministry of Agriculture and Lands Colombo unveiled the Portrait of

late Mr. A. Sivakolunthu Proctor Anuradhapura who was the strongest pillar of the Society for 25 years since its inception in 1925. Mr. V. Ramaswamy J. P., U. M., the Patron of the Society and President for 25 years, reviewed the History of the Society since its birth.

Miss. Kamala Nagamuttu of Jaffna entertained the audience with a vocal music recital, after which Rev. Swami Asanganandaji and Mr. K. S. Arulnandy of the Ceylon University delivered addresses in English and Tamil respectively.

Music Recitals

The evening programme started with the Presidential address by Mr. K. Alvapillai C. C. S., followed by a vocal music recital by Mrs. Annaledchumy Ambalavaner of Vavuniya and an address in Tamil by Mr. K. Kanagaratnam M. P. Parliamentary Secretary Ministry of Education Colombo. After a vocal music recital by Miss Raneer Hubert of Colombo and an oriental dance by Miss. Indranayagi Vairamuttu, the large gathering of ladies, gentlemen and children were treated with light refreshments. Thereafter, Sir Kanthiah Vaithianathan C. C. S. Permanent Secretary Ministry of Defence and External Affairs Colombo and Mr. J. N. Arumugam C. C. S. Permanent Secretary Ministry of Transport and Works Colombo delivered addresses in English and Tamil respectively. Misses.

Ceylon Trainees For England

Arrangements have been made for Messrs D. S. Kalansuriya and M. R. Mylvaganam of the Industrial Research Laboratory to travel to the United Kingdom for a period of training with Messrs. Unilevers under the Colombo Plan.

The United Kingdom Government are paying all the expenses involved in sending these trainees to Britain as part of their contribution to the Technical Co-operation Scheme

Messrs. Kalansuriya and Mylvaganam will sail by the S. S. Orion on the 20th September.

Other trainees from the Laboratory are expected to follow very shortly.

Vallinayagi Subramaniam and Rajeswary Subramaniam of Colombo and Miss. Kamala Nagamuttu then entertained the audience with vocal music recitals. Accompaniments were: Messrs. S. Somasunderam (Violin), T. Ratnampillai (Mirdangam), A. Sockanathan, T. Kailasapillai and Miss. Thevanayagi Vairamuttu—all of Colombo.

Dr. V. Rajapillai, Medical Officer of Health Anuradhapura, a Vice-President of the Society proposed a vote of thanks.

Rev. Swami Asanganandaji planted a Mango tree to commemorate the occasion.

The arrangements and organisation were in charge of Mr. A. K. Arumugamthamby, Honorary Secretary of the Society, and Messrs. R. V. Kandasamy and E. Panchadacharam.

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