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## Northern Province Teachers' Assn. Proper Perspective MEMORANDUM ON TRANSFERS of Astrology

Sent to the Hon'ble the Minister of Education and  
Director-General of Education

The Executive Committee of the N. P. T. A. has fully considered the Education Department's decision to transfer considerable numbers of Teachers out of the Jaffna Schools to the outstations in January 1968, and wishes to protest against such a mass transfer of teachers. Such transfer is unnecessary, ill-advised and will impair the standards which have already begun to deteriorate with the excessive red tape under which schools are being managed by the officials of the Education Department.

We should like to set out below, the reasons for our protest and to pose the question whether the contemplated mass transfers could be in the interests of education in this country.

We are not aware of the basis of these transfers. In the absence of any published scheme of transfers the Teachers' Unions fear that all these transfers cannot be fair or free from influence.

We have not been told whether Jaffna is a surplus area in respect of teachers; but according to the Education Department, Colombo is the only surplus area. If Jaffna is not a surplus area, what is the justification behind this move to take out experienced and efficient teachers? This does make these transfers appear suspect.

It had been the practice for the officers of the Education Department to consult the Teachers' Unions before making transfers. It was a sound and healthy principle of school management. But since 1965 this system of consultation has been suspended, for reason best known to the department, and today there is no guarantee whatsoever against irresponsible transfers.

Teachers have a right to be consulted not only in the formulation of edu-

cational policy but also in administration of education. Consultation with the teacher is a duty enforced on the Department of Education in all countries where educational standards are high. The National Education Commission recommended the setting up of District Appointment and Transfer Boards, where, under the Chairmanship of the Director of Education of a region, representatives of the teachers and of the public could collaborate in appointments and transfers - admittedly the two most difficult aspects of educational administration. If their recommendation had been implemented it would have been an ideal arrangement under which the representatives of the teachers and the parents of the district could have found a way to work together in the service of their schools under the guidance of an experienced officer of the Department. But the powers that be have decided not to share any administrative duties with either the teachers or the public, and in doing so, have lost the advice and support of the people who have a stake in good education.

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In a very instructive and lucid exposition of the Revelations of the seven great Rishis known as *Saptha Rishva kiyam* at the Jaffna Hindu College Prayer Hall, Mr. S. Sittampalam B. Sc. Hons. (Lond.), Commissioner of Inland Revenue, dispelled the common belief that personal material needs and aspirations could be satisfied by the aid of astrology and impressed on the audience that astrology was one of the means to derive Real or Superior knowledge and helped human beings know themselves to fulfil the real purpose of life namely liberation from Karma. The learned lecturer made the complex problem of the significance and scope of the Revelations of the seven great Rishis as simple as could be comprehended in the course of a talk.

Mr. S. U. Somasegaram M. A. Retired Director of Education, Jaffna and President of the Hindu Culture Society, introduced the lecturer as one of the most distinguished old boys of Jaffna Hindu College and as one eminently qualified to deal with the subject. Mr. N. Chellappah Secretary of the Society proposed a vote of thanks to the lecturer.

## FIGHT THE COMMON FOE

### The Tyrant of the Black Market

Devaluation or no devaluation the devil that besetrides the Black Market has become a permanent fiendish feature of the country's economy. Feeding fat on the fluctuating circumstances that now hover over Lanka, this demon has taken a dominating hold on the day to day life of the common man. And the prospects of the people look as black as the black market.

This is a challenge of illegal forces to the legal life of the people. In other words here is a persistent onslaught on the peace loving people by corrupt practices which have been allowed to ac-

quire the sanction which custom bestows on long practice. But today the ordinary man is in such a state of crippled economy that he has to fight back for survival.

(To be continued)

## KANDERODAI

By

Panditha Ratna C. S. Navaratnam

(Continued from last issue)

In the first period Kanderodai was the capital of the northern principality. It seems to have had a flourishing trade with the mainland. According to the Mahavamsa there was a Naga Kingdom in North Ceylon. The Jaffna tradition according to the Vaipava malai is that Vijaya landed at a northern port and later repaired to Kadiramalai (Kanderodai). As a thanks-giving for his safe arrival he built the temple of Naguleswaram at Keerimalai and went round to the other coasts building new ones.

In the second period Kanderodai continues to be the capital of an independent kingdom and the Naga kings who ruled it seem to have had peaceful relations with the kings of Anuradhapura. In the 3rd century B. C. when the Bodhi tree was brought to Jambukola, the king Devanampiya Tissa placed the Bodhi sapling upon a beautiful decorated car and escorting it led it along the trunk road from Jambukola through Kadiramalai, Punakari and the Vanni Districts to the northern gates of Anuradhapura. On the way the king caused the Bodhi tree to be set down at the entrance to the village of the Brahman Tivakka. This shows that there were Hindus in the Jaffna Peninsula at the time of the arrival of the Bodhi tree. At the festival of the planting of the Bodhi tree besides the great Theva Mahinda and Bhikkuni Sangamitta prominence is given to Tivakka. He seems to have represented the Hindus of Nagadipa at the great festival.

In this period Devanampiya Tissa erected a Vihara at Jambukola, a place consecrated by the landing of the Bodhi tree. One of the eight Bodhi saplings was also planted at this centre. The new religion did not make much headway in Nagadipa.

From the time of Kakavanna Tissa who married a Naga princess Vihara Devi of Kalyani. Naga connections with Ceylon kings became stronger and stronger. The royal families of Anuradhapura began to have marriage alliances with the royal families of Nagadipa. Another change was also taking place in that country; the Tamils were also intermarrying with the members of the Naga royal families and their progeny were turned Lambakannas (those with big ear lobes) by the Sinhalese. These Lambakannas had grown so powerful in the courts of the kings of Anuradhapura that they soon began to seize power and become kings.

From the death of Devanampiya Tissa 297 B. C. to the beginning of the reign of Vasabha A. C. 127 no mention is made of Nagadipa by the author of the Mahavamsa. This reticence might have been due to the independent position enjoyed by the northern kingdom.

In the third period Vasabha of the Lambakanna clan whose home was in the Northern Province became king of Anuradhapura. He was followed by his son and his illustrious grandson Gaja Bahu I. The latter married a Naga princess of Nagadipa. He introduced the cult of Kannakai in his kingdom. A temple for the goddess was built at Kanderodai and caused a colossal statue of his to be erected before the temple in order to impress the public of his edict. The statue was found in a broken state by Sir Paul E. Pieris in the premises of the temple and was later removed to the Jaffna museum.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1967

### CO-OPERATIVE MOVEMENT TO AID CULTIVATION

In the course of his presidential address at the Annual Conference of the Northern Co-operative Federation, Mr. Vernon Abe-yasekera, the Government Agent of Jaffna, stressed the need for achieving economic freedom by putting into practice the principles of co-operation and added that in the countryside there was more room for expansion of this movement as at present only one fifth of the population of the Jaffna District enjoyed membership of the co-operative societies. The people themselves know that in the present trend of sudden fluctuation in the financial arrangements of every country only the spirit of co-operation could beat the black market and preserve the minimum of standards of living by developing cultivation of rice, kurakkan, corn and subsidiary food stuffs.

The shortage of milk and milk-food has severely hit this country and caused great hardship to householders. Cattle breeding on the co-operative basis would go a long way to alleviate the distressing situation in the matter of the supply of milk and other foods that have milk as their base. Self sufficiency in production cannot be achieved merely by the official food drive; the co-operative movement must inspire the people with confidence and enthusiasm by giving them all the assistance that can be made available by the Co-operative Federation.

Dr. S. K. Saxena, Regional Officer, International Co-operative Alliance, relevantly referred to the present depression in the economic strength of the countries of South East Asia and said that the situation demanded the application of co-operative principles for rehabilitation. The useful work of the Northern Division Co-operative

Federation must be continued with abiding interest and continuous enthusiasm in order to make the rural areas recover from the grip of penury and contribute to the progress of the entire country.

### Northern Province Teachers' Assn.

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tion and of those who are engaged in the work of education in the class room, and are therefore most competent to make decisions on the problems of education. The falling standards of the last six years following the take over, are traceable to this failure by the Department of Education to consult teachers and take their advice.

'Transfer for transfer's sake' may or may not be a sound principle in any other department but teachers have never accepted the relevance of this principle to education. It is dangerous to introduce such a routine system into educational administration. It can deaden all interest. The personal relations that have been built up over the years between the teachers of a school and the people of the area cannot be chopped off without serious loss to the school, to the teacher and to education. There may be exceptional cases where transfers might be justified, but as a general system transfers impair standards and stall the development of schools — particularly this mass transfer proposed by the Department is going to dislocate and throw into confusion the plans and work of hundreds of schools for months after transfer orders. Only a District Teacher Service, as envisaged by the National Education Commission, entailing the minimum of transfers, could bring back order and harmony into our school administration, presently being strained to breaking point.

It is the duty of teachers to point to the record of the Government schools administered for years by the officials of the Department in their own 'official' way with routine transfers at the end of a specified period. Under the system neither the Head Masters nor their assistants ever had a chance to know their schools or to give themselves up fully to their work, because they were transferred out before they could get interested in their schools or get to know the people whose children they had gone

there to teach. As against these Government Schools of those days the assisted schools had a better record to show in spite of their inferior financial resources. The reasons are obvious: transfers were few and the teachers were consulted before managerial decisions were made, and the area of management was limited, sometimes even to one school only. Bureaucratic control chokes the free and comprehensive growth of any school.

This is not to mean that teachers regret the take over of the assisted schools. We reiterate our support, but urge that the take over by itself is not enough. Statutory provision must be made now for consultation between the officers of the Education Department, the parents and the teachers, and for the participation of teachers in the administration of education at all levels.

An examination of the Teacher-Pupil ratio figures of the last ten years (Vide Preliminary Survey on Education—I, B. R. D. and I. D. A.) shows that for the period 1959 — 1962 there was one teacher for 32 students, but in 1963, the ratio had widened to one for 38. Now the gap would have widened much more. This underlines the current shortage of teachers. As this gap widens further with the retirement of teachers, it must be possible for them gradually to move to their home areas without dislocating the smooth working of schools by a mass transfer.

The New Organization sought to be put into effect in January 1968 and the mass transfers also due to be effected on the same date, can very well throw out of gear the entire working of the schools. It is a warning which as teachers we ought to give to those who think they can fruitfully run their schools without consulting the men who are actually in charge of the day to day work of education at the grass roots.

V. Sivasubramaniam  
General Secretary.

Jaffna Hindu College  
17th November, 1967.

### OBITUARY

We deeply regret to record the death that occurred today of Mrs. Sundaram Subramaniam mother of Senator S. Nadarajah and Mrs. R. N. Sivaprakasam of Malla-kam. She lived up to the age of 76 and led a very religious life.

## KANDERODAI

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Even to this day during festivals the "poosaris" who officiate at this shrine sing the praises of the goddess from old Tamil manuscripts that were handed down to them from generation to generation. It is strange that the author of the Mahavamsa has given a defective treatment of Gaja Babu's reign although he contributed much to the welfare of his people in many ways. He gave equal support to Hinduism and Buddhism. The Konesar Kalveddu says that he gave cash endowments to Koneswaram.

The kings who came to the throne of Anuradhapura after Gaja Bahu I tried to spread the religion of the Buddha among the people of Nagadipa. Mahalla Naga (196—202 A. C.) who succeeded Gaja Bahu I, though he built many viharas in different parts of the country did not fail to build one in his native country Nagadipa. Kanittha Tissa (227—245 A. C.) repaired the edifice constructed over the Cetiya at Nagadipa. Maha Naga, the Minister of Voharika Tissa (269—291) built a wall round Tissa Vihara in Nagadipa.

The fourth period (483—850 A. C.) of Kanderodai begins with the rule of the Pandyas. In this period Hinduism began to regain its lost position and in the succeeding centuries Tamils became very powerful and Anuradhapura stripped of its riches became unsafe for Sinhalese kings to live in. To state briefly, the sixth, the seventh and eighth centuries were a period of strife between rival monarchs in Lanka. Sinhalese princes were fighting for the throne with the aid of Tamil armies. Describing events at the end of the eighth century the Vaipava Malai, a Chronicle of Jaffna says that in A. C. 795 Ugra Singan, a Kalinga prince, made a descent upon Lanka with a numerous force from Vadathesam (India). This Jaffna king ruled from Kathiramalai (Kanderodai) and was the last to use it as the capital of the northern kingdom. He later shifted his capital to Singai Nagar, a town on the eastern coast of the Jaffna Peninsula. Why he changed his capital is not known. Probably Kathiramalai might have been sacked when Sri Mara Sri Vallabha, the Pandyan king invaded Ceylon and sacked Anuradhapura in the reign of Sena I (831—851). In this connection it is good to note the observation made by Cosmos the Greek traveller with regard to the Jaffna kingdom. He says that there were two rival kings in Ceylon in the sixth century one of whom possessed a famous gem and the other governed the coast districts (perhaps from Matota or Kathiramalai) where trade was carried with foreign nations.

In the last period of Kanderodai, the post-Anuradhapura period, this ancient capital sinks into oblivion. Its decline coincides with that of Anuradhapura. On the other hand during the reigns of Parakrama Bahu I (1153—1186) and Bhuvaneka Bahu VI (1450—1467) when the Jaffna kingdom was directly ruled by these sovereigns some viharas might have been built for the Sinhalese fishermen who had gravitated to the peninsula for business purposes. The religious edifices mentioned in the Sinhalese work "Nampota" of the fifteenth century might be those founded during the reigns of these kings and those founded by the early Lambakanna rulers.

The founding of a few viharas does not mean that the people of the peninsula were all Buddhists at one time. The Suta Smhita, a Sanskrit work and a part of the Skanda Purana of the sixth century has referred to Naguleswaram (Keerimalai) among the ancient places of pilgrimage. In the fifth century A. C. The Pandu king of Anuradhapura drove away the Tamil fishermen of Keerimalai from those coasts for desecrating the Naguleswara temple wells. Granting that a good number of Tamils once belonged to the Buddhist faith as in South India at that time, the great revival of Saivism that originated in Tamil Nadu in the seventh and eighth centuries had its own repercussions on our Island. Hinduism once more regained its lost position, when the Anuradhapura kings lost their influence over Jaffna especially after the fifth and sixth centuries. The Kalingas, the Cholas and the Arya Chakravarties helped the propagation of Saivism in the Northern kingdom.



## Astrological

## WEEKLY FORECASTS

SRIPATHY

FROM 3 — 12 — 67 to 9 — 12 — 67

**ARIES** Aswini, Barsani, Kartikai 1st part [Meda Rasi]

Health must be given particular care for some time. Beware of Scandal-mongers. Financially a good week. Friends will help you out of difficulties.

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

Work will be heavier than usual. New ventures will have to be handled with care. Troubles in the office shown. Spend Sunday and Monday with care.

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

There will be no mental peace. New ventures will be delayed but successful. Spend Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday morning with care. Minor health upsets likely.

**CANCER** Panarpoosa 4, Poorasa, Ayilya [Kataka Rasi]

Financially a good week. New ventures will be successful. But health will be unsatisfactory. Domestic upsets also shown. Paternal relatives will be on the war path. Spend Thursday, Friday and Saturday morning with care.

**LEO** Maha. Pooru, Uttira 1, [Singha Rasi]

You will have to face some unwanted criticisms this week. New ventures will not bring the desired results. Expenses will soar. Spend Saturday evening with care.

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

Success in educational pursuits promised. Expenses will be heavy. There will be no mental peace. Health also will be unsatisfactory. Abdominal complaints likely.

**LIBRA** Chittirai 3, 4, Swat-Visaka 1, 2, 3, [Thula Rasi]

A good week for business and professional undertakings. Financial gains and ruin to enemies also promised. But there will be some domestic upsets. Troubles through relatives shown.

**SCORPION** Visaka 4, Anusha Kettai [Vrischika Rasi]

Work will be heavy. There will be no mental

peace. Minor health upsets also shown. But ruin to enemies promised. Elderly relatives will help you out of difficulties.

**SAGITTARIUS** Woolam, Pooradam, Uttiradam 1 [Thaanu Rasi]

Financially a good week. Friends of the opposite sex will be very helpful. But clashes with relatives likely. You will be quick to pick up quarrels.

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

You will have to face some initial difficulties in your undertakings this week. New ventures will be delayed. Health upsets likely. Gains through agriculture indicated.

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

Professionally a good week. Fame and social success indicated. But you may have to meet some heavy expenditure week end.

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

Health will be a problem. Financially a fairly good week. Gains through lands and our landed properties indicated. Elder brothers will be helpful.

## NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF POINT PEDRO

No. 9382

Kathirasippillai widow of Sabapathipillai Rasiyah of Puloly South

Vs.

Plaintiff

Minor 1 Rasiyah Selvarajah

" 2 Sakuntala daughter of Rasiyah

" 3 Valliappar Veluppillai personally and as G. A. L. of 1 &amp; 2 Defendants

" 4 Theivaganai widow of Kovintha Veluppillai

" 5 Suppar Rasiyah and

" 6 wife Sinnathangam

" 7 Veluppillai Kanapathipillai

" 8 Eladohumy widow of S. Murugesu all of Puloly South.

Defendants

It is hereby notified that action No. 9382 has been

## Letter to the Editor

## Thiruketheeswaram Temple

Sir,—The 10th granite rock block stone was delivered at Thiruketheeswaram last week, for the Main Ketheeswaranathar Swami Kovil Tirupani work. These are now coming in fast from quarries in Colombo.

The Raja Gopuram work is in steady progress; concreting the base of the first tier is over and the erection of the tier itself was commenced on the twenty second of November.

Much attention was devoted during the month to the completion of balance work on the seven Parivara temples; Somakanda Moorthy, Mahavishnu, Pancha Lingam, Maha Lakshmi, Palli-Arai, Yaga Salai and Bhairavar. Plastering the walls, providing steps, paving the floors with granite slabs, building up Komuki stones were done at all the seven buildings.

All these required the dressing of ornamental pedestal stones, preparation of granite paving slabs and carving of architectural Komuki stones. The stone sculptors have been diverted on these, in order that these structures be completed in time for ceremonies early next year when General meeting of the Society and the Maha Shivarathiri are also forthcoming events of note. Difficulty is however experienced in obtaining material for the Kalasam pinnacles.

Yours etc.

S. Arumugam  
Chairman, Building  
Committee.

68 Davidson Road  
Colombo 4.  
27-11-67.

instituted in the District Court of Point Pedro under the Partition Act No. 16 of 1951 for the partition / sale of the land/lands called 'Appumananseema' in extent 8 1/2 Lms. v.o. and situated at Puloly West Malavaraya Kurichy in the Parish of Point Pedro in the Division of Vadamaradehy in the District of Jaffna, Northern Province.

The Defendants in the aforesaid action are summoned to appear in Court on the 13th day of December 1967 at 10 O'clock of the forenoon.

This 25th day of November 1967

By Order of Court  
S. S. Navaratnam

(2141)

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
POINT PEDRO

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 908/T

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Sellammah wife of Ariacutty Sellish of Karaveddy north. Deceased

Ariacutty Sellish of Karaveddy north.  
Vs. Petitioner  
1 Ariacutty Chelliah Kulasingham of Mahatma Lane, Nelliaddy, Karaveddy  
2 Chelliah Sornalingam, Assistant Medical Practitioner, Government Hospital, Nuwara Eliya,  
3 Ariacutty Chelliah Rasingam of Mahatma Lane, Nelliaddy, Karaveddy.

Respondents  
This matter of the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioner praying that the Last will and testament of the abovenamed deceased dated 12th January 1959 attested by K. Ramalingam, Notary Public, under No. 3024 be declared proved and that the Probate be granted to the Petitioner as Executor named in the said Last will, coming on for disposal before V. M. Coomaraswamy Esquire, District Judge, Point Pedro in the presence of Mr. M. Velummayilum, Proctor for Petitioner, and the affidavit of the Petitioner, and of the Notary and witness having been read.

It is ordered that the said Last will and testament be declared proved and Probate thereof be granted to the Petitioner as Executor named in the said Last will unless the Respondents show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary, on or before the 20th day of December 1967.

This 14th day of October 1967.  
Sgd V. M. Coomaraswamy  
District Judge

Drawn by  
Sgd. M. Velummayilum  
Proctor for Petitioner  
(O.200 1 & 8)

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 2132

In the matter of the intestate estate of the late Kandiah Arumugam of Colombuthurai Deceased  
Arumugam Varatharajan of No. 86, Colombogam Road, Colombuthurai, Jaffna

Vs. Petitioner

1 Bhuvaneswary widow of Kandiah Arumugam

Minor 2 Pathmarnai daughter of Kandiah Arumugam

" 3 Pathmawathy daughter of Kandiah Arumugam

" 4 Yogeswary daughter of Kandiah Arumugam

" 5 Kandiah Yugalogarajah all of Colombuthurai

Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before N. A. De S. Wijayasekara Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on the 4th day of October 1967 in the presence of Mr. V. Nadarajah, Proctor on the part of the

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 2130

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Saraswathy widow of Kanagaretnam of Urumpirai North. Deceased

Sunderam Nithiyanandan of Urumpirai, presently of Hugel and Estate, Vanuwatte, Welimada.

Vs. Petitioner  
1 Thambiah Satchithanandam and wife  
2 Navaneetham both of Neer-veli.

Respondent.

This matter coming on for disposal before N. A. de S. Wijayasekara, Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on the 1st day of October 1967 in the presence of Mr. A. Thanabalasingam, Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 1-10-67 and the affidavit of the Notary and witnesses dated the 1st day of October 1967 having been read:

It is ordered that the Last Will and Testament bearing No. 4917 dated 2nd October 1964 and attested by A. Thanabalasingam, Notary Public, made by the abovenamed deceased and which original 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 hereby declared entitled to have Probate thereof issued to her accordingly on his paying estate duty and taking oath of office; unless any person or person or persons interested shall on or before the 13th day of December 1967 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

Sgd. N. A. De S. Wijayasekara  
District Judge.

Draw by  
Sgd. A. Thanabalasingam  
Proctor for Petitioner  
(O.182 1 & 8)

petitioner and the petition and affidavit of the petitioner dated 1st October 1967 having been read.

It is ordered that the abovenamed 1st respondent be appointed guardian-ad-litem over the minors the abovenamed 2nd to 5th respondents and that the petitioner as one of the heirs of the abovenamed deceased be declared entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased and that such Letters of Administration be issued to the petitioner, unless abovenamed 1st respondent or any others interested shall appear before this court on or before the 13th day of December 1967 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the said minors the 2nd to 5th respondents should be produced in court on the said 13th December 1967.

This 4th October 1967,

N. A. De S. Wijayasekara  
District Judge.

Drawn by  
Sgd. V. Nadarajah  
Proctor for Petitioner  
(O.158 24 & 1)



## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF JAFFNA

[No. T/2133]

In the matter of the Intestate estate and effects of Velupillai Sathianathan of 51 Kandy Road Jaffna.

Maheswary widow of Velupillai Sathianathan of 51 Kandy Road, Chundikuly Jaffna

Vs. Petitioner

- 1 Sathianathan Mohanraj,
- 2 Sathianathan Jayanthi,
- 3 Sathianathan Manoraj,
- 4 Sathianathan Vinoraj,
- 5 Sathianathan Shobana all of 51 Kandy Road, Jaffna and
- 6 Nicholas Varendran of De Fonseka Place, Colombo G. A. L. of 1st to 5th respondent minors;

Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before N. A. de S. Wijesekera Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on the 4th day of October 1967 in the presence of Mr. R. Sivasubramaniam, Proctor on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 2nd day of October 1967 having been read:

It is declared that the 6th respondent be and he is hereby appointed guardian-ad-litem over the 1st to 5th respondent minors and that the petitioner be and she is hereby declared entitled as the widow of the deceased to have Letters of Administration issued to her accordingly unless the respondents or others shall on or before the 13th day of December 1967 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

This 4th day of October 1967.

Sgd. N. A. de S. Wijesekera, District Judge Jaffna.

Drawn by  
R. Sivasubramaniam  
Proctor for Petitioner  
(O.166 1 & 8)

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF JAFFNA

No. 2134

In the matter of the Intestate estate of the late Vythilingam Vijayaratham of Urumpirai

Punithavathy widow of Vythilingam Vijayaratham of Urumpirai

Vs. Petitioner

Minor 1 Vijayaratham Jayasiri

" 2 Vijayaratham Rubasiri

" 3 Vijayaratham Kalasiri

" 4 Vijayaratham Vignathasan

" 5 Vijayaratham Gunasiri

" 6 Vijayaratham Uma-siri, minors by their Guardian-ad-litem

7 Vythilingam Arasaratham all of Urumpirai.

Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before G. C. Niles Esquire Additional District Judge, Jaffna on the 5th day of October 1967 in the presence of Mr. A. Thanabalasingam, Proctor on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 5th day of October 1967 having been read:

It is ordered that the 7th named respondent abovenamed be and he is hereby appointed Guardian-ad-litem of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th minor respondents abovenamed for the purpose of these proceedings.

It is further ordered that

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

OF JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 2128

In the matter of the Intestate estate of the late Kandappa Selladurai of No. 216 Croosvart Road, Jaffna

Deceased

Sinnathangam widow of Kandappa Selladurai of No. 216, Croosvart Road, Jaffna

Vs. Petitioner

1 Selladurai Somasundaram of No. 216 Croosvart Road, Jaffna

2 Selladurai Kanagasabapathy of No. 216 Croosvart Road, Jaffna

3 Ilayathamby Nagalingam of No. 216 Croosvart Road, Jaffna

Minor 5 Selladurai Nageswari

do 6 Selladurai Sivaramalingam

do 7 Selladurai Saraswathy

do 8 Selladurai Kamalambihai all of No. 216 Croosvart Road, Jaffna (the 5th to 8th Respondents being

minors appearing by their Guardian-ad-litem the 1st Respondent abovenamed)

This matter coming on for disposal before N. A. de S. Wijesekera Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna, on the 30th day of September 1967, in the presence of Mr. Kandiah Gunaratnam Proctor on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 30th day of September 1967 having been read.

It is ordered that the 1st Respondent abovenamed be and he is hereby appointed Guardian-ad-litem of the 5th to 8th minor respondents abovenamed for the purpose of these proceedings.

It is further ordered that the petitioner abovenamed be and she is hereby declared entitled as the widow of the deceased abovenamed to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said deceased issued to her accordingly unless the respondents abovenamed or any other person or persons interested shall on or before the 13th day of December 1967, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the petitioner do produce the said minors in Court on the said date.

This 30th day of September 1967

Sgd. N. A. de S. Wijesekera District Judge

Drawn by  
K. Gunaratnam  
Proctor for Plaintiff  
(O.207 24 & 1)

the petitioner abovenamed be and she is hereby declared entitled as the wife of the deceased to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the deceased issued to her accordingly unless the respondents abovenamed or any other person or persons interested shall on or before the 13th day of December 1967, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary, and the minors be produced on the said date (Sgd.) A. N. de S. Wijesekera District Judge

Drawn by  
Sgd. A. Thanabalasingam  
Proctor for Petitioner  
(O.181 1 & 8)

## NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF JAFFNA

No. P/1031

1 Naranar Vadivelu of Kandorodai

Vs. Plaintiff

1 Naranar Manicker of Palaly

2 Nageswary wife of Sangarapillai Vivekananthan of Kollankaladdy, Maviddapuram

3 Sangarapillai Vivekananthan of Kollankaladdy Maviddapuram

4 Appukkuddy Kathirgamanathan and wife

5 Maheswary both of Tellipallai North West

Defendants

It is hereby notified that action No. P/1031 has been instituted in the District Court of Jaffna under the Partition Act No. 18 of 1951 for the partition / or sale of the land / called "Pachobanthai" in extent 40 Lms V. C. according to certain deeds and 48 Lms V. C. according to some deeds situated at Myliddy in the Parish of Myliddy, Valigamam North, Jaffna District, Northern Province.

The Defendants in the aforesaid action are summoned to appear in Court on the 5th day of December 1967 at 10 O'clock of the forenoon.

By Order of Court  
(Sgd) K. N. Subramaniam  
Chief Clerk

This 22nd day of December 1966

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## NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF JAFFNA

No. P/1095

Murugesu Chinniah of Palai, Veemankamam

Vs. Plaintiff

1 L. Baptist Chusaidasan of do. presently of No 6, Jayawardene Avenue, Dehiwela.

2 Jeachiampillai Francis Xavier and wife

3 Mary Antonia of Veemankamam presently of No. 1, Kensington Gardens, Colombo.

Defendants

To the Defendants abovenamed.

It is hereby notified that action No. P/1095 has been instituted in the District Court of Jaffna under the partition act No. 16 of 1951 for the partition / sale of the land / lands called Kollan Thalaidyidi and Pulaiyan Seema in extent 15 1/2 lms v. c. and situated in Palai Tellipallai.

The defendants in the aforesaid action are summoned to appear in Court on the 19th day of December 1967 at 10 O'clock of the forenoon.

This 28th day of November 1967.

By order of Court  
Sgd. V. Kanapathipillai  
Secretary/Chief Clerk

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## NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF JAFFNA

No. P. 812

1 Naduvilar Ponniah of Myliddy

2 Moothar Naduvilar of Keerimalai and

3 wife Sinnachchy of Myliddy

Vs. Plaintiffs.

1 Seeniar Sathasivam

2 and wife Sinnathangam both of Myliddy

3 Kanapathy Sinnaddy of Myliddy

4 Sithambary Velaththai and wife

5 Kamadehy both of Myliddy

6 Sithambary Kanthappillai and wife

7 Seethai of Myliddy

8 Sinnaddy Eliathamby and wife

9 Saraswathy of Myliddy

10 Vanniuddy Sinnathamby and wife

11 Vallippillai of Myliddy

12 Kathirgamar Vallipuram & wife

13 Elluppillai both of Myliddy

14 Kandiah Sinnathambu and wife

15 Sinnachchippillai both of Maviddapuram

16 Palappu & wife

17 Sivakaman both of Ilavallai

Defendants

It is hereby notified that action No. P/812 has been instituted in the District Court of Jaffna under the partition act No. 16 of 1951 for the partition / sale of the land / lands called "Ponnampappanampulam" alias "Velalai" and situated Myliddy in extent 42 Lms V. C.

The defendants in the aforesaid action are summoned to appear in court on the 1st day of October 1964 at 10 O'clock of the forenoon.

Time extended for 7-12-1967

By order of Court  
N. Subramaniam (Sgd)  
for Secretary/Chief Clerk

This 21st day of July 1964,

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF JAFFNAInsolvency Jurisdiction  
No 5

In the matter of an Insolvency of A. S. Nadarajah of Pan-nai Road, Karampon East, Kayta presently of No. 23 Kankeanthurai Road, Jaffna.

Insolvent.

Upon reading the petition filed by Mr. S. Kanagaratnam Proctor for the Sequestration of the estate of the abovenamed Insolvent A. S. Nadarajah and the affidavit of the truth of the allegations made in the said petition and on the motion of Mr. S. Kanagaratnam Proctor.

It is ordered that the said A. S. Nadarajah be and he is hereby accordingly adjudged insolvent.

The said A. S. Nadarajah having been adjudged Insolvent it is ordered that the estate of the said A. S. Nadarajah Insolvency be placed under Sequestration in the hands of the Fiscal or the Northern Province, and that an order do issue to him forthwith, to lay an attachment on the property of said Insolvent (ordinance of 1853) It is ordered that duplicate or copy of the adjudication that the said A. S. Nadarajah has been adjudged Insolvent be forthwith directed to the said Fiscal for service on the person of the said A. S. Nadarajah or by leaving the same at his usual or last known place of abode or of business for the 7th day of November 1967.

This 6th day of August 1967,

Sgd. G. C. Niles  
District Judge

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APPLY TO:

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