

## RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE AND THE INDIVIDUAL

### INTERFERENCE BY EITHER SHOULD BE REASONABLE

IT is on freedom of mind, freedom for a man to say what he thinks, that democracy is based.

The ideal relationship between the State and the individual, it may be postulated is one in which the individual has the fullest freedom to live his own life as he chooses, provided he so comports himself as to cause no injury or annoyance to his neighbour; and the State makes such provision for his welfare as he cannot easily make, or may not trouble to make for himself,

It is further an essential part of the ideal relationship that the State shall be controlled by the whole body of individuals that comprise it. Any democratic country chooses its masters. It may choose them for a fixed period as in the United States of America, or with the option of changing them before the end of the fixed period, as in Britain.

#### Limits of Interference

There is room for considerable difference of opinion about the limits to be set to the State's interference with the individual for the benefit of the individual. Taxation is a serious interference with the citizen's control over his own income. But taxes are obviously essential, and the individual recognised and accepts that he and his fellows remain in ultimate control, through the representative system, of the way the money the State needs is raised, and the way it is spent.

That raises difficult questions. Provision by the State for the basic necessities of the individual is accepted doctrine in most democratic countries today. But how far is State aid to be forced on individuals who may not

need it or may dislike paying for it?

Take old age pensions. Provision for the individual's old age is of the first importance and a great many individuals are not thrifty enough, or have not the means, to make that provision for themselves. Hence, in many democratic countries there is a compulsory levy, either open or disguised, on every citizen in order that the State may be able to pay either to every individual alike or to every individual who needs it, enough to keep him from want in his old age. So with national insurance against sickness or unemployment. In so far as the levy for these purposes is compulsory, it plainly involves some curtailment of individual liberty. For if a man is compelled to pay he loses the freedom not to pay.

#### Agreed Principles

In many such cases the question is where to set the limit to the application of an agreed principle. It is not in all cases totalitarian States that curtail freedom most. In Britain, for example, drunkenness has been held to be so great an evil that establishments where alcoholic liquor is sold are allowed to keep open only for certain fixed periods in the day. That may have been more reasonable in the past than it is today, when people are more temperate, but it no doubt saves the community from a good deal of unpleasantness, and the community, which could, if it united for that purpose, get it all changed, is quite content to leave things as they are.

A considerable restriction on individual liberty — on the right to buy a

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## PALMYRA PLANTING

In Commemoration of Gandhi Jayanthi on 2nd October, 1953

ON the 85th birthday anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, the All Ceylon Palmyra Association for the Preservation of the Palmyra Palm proposes to carry out the following program:-

1. Every householder is earnestly requested to plant at least 10 palmyra nuts in his or his neighbours lands
2. To consume food prepared out of Palmyra products and serving same to friends and relations
3. To replace sugar by Palmyra jaggery when taking tea, coffee or allied drinks.
4. To do propaganda for the planting, propagation and preservation of the Palmyra Palm
5. To conduct students in procession with suitable placards.

The Association calls for the assistance of all organisations such as, Community Centres, Rural Development Societies, Co-operative Societies, schools and school-children for the above suggestions to be given effect in their respective areas.

Dr. E. P. Canagasaby O. St. J., J. P.

#### AN APPRECIATION

(By C. W. D. A.)

To his large circle of friends, the death of Dr. E. P. Canagasaby came as a rude shock. Though 72 at the time of his death, he looked decades younger. Time wrote no wrinkle on his brow and age never gave him a stoop. His capacity for work never failed him. Dr. Canagasaby spent a good part of his life in Malaya, with a long spell of work in the territory of the Sultan of Kelantan. He had acted as Colonial Surgeon of Kelantan. During a great flood he did yeoman service to the people and the Sultan awarded him a Decoration. When he retired the Sultan again gave him another Decoration for meritorious work for the State.

Coming to Ceylon in 1937 he soon identified himself with the work of the St. John Ambulance Brigade. He helped in forming the first Nursing Division in Jaffna in 1939. When War broke out he was one of the pillars of the A. R. P. services. His house was a First Aid Post and he himself was a Staff Officer of the Casualty Service. He was awarded the

Civil Defence Medal. In 1946 he was made a Justice of the Peace.

As Corps Surgeon of the St. John Ambulance Brigade he was ready to go to any part of the Peninsula to deliver lectures, or conduct examinations. His car was at the disposal of the Brigade for work. When Lady Louis Mountbatten inspected the Brigade in 1945 she complimented Dr. Canagasaby on the splendid work he was doing. At Parade of the Brigade he cut a smart figure with a string of medals on his breast. His last service to the Brigade was just a few weeks before his death when he examined 58 candidates at St. Patrick's College. In recognition of his valuable services. His Majesty the Queen conferred on him the Dignity of Officer of the Venerable Order of St. John of Jerusalem. He is the second Tamil medical man to receive this Honour, the first one was Dr. S. F. Chellappah, the former Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.

His long stay in Malaya had broadened his outlook and gave him a catholic taste. In a cause deserved support. Dr. Canagasaby never hesitated to help generously. Though an Old Boy of the Jaffna Hindu College, he never failed to help St. Patrick's College. Forthright speech in and manner he

## Holding Office For Self-Glorification

Dr S R Ranganathan's Frank Criticism

In ancient days there was a compact communal life in villages, and everyone did his part as part of his duty to the community. The massing of populations in towns and cities and the flow of currency led to the break of the communal life, said Dr. S. R. Ranganathan, Professor of Library Science, Delhi University, in addressing a public meeting at the Costee Building, Manipay, under the auspices of the Manipay Parish Community Centre.

Gate Mudaliyar C. Thiagarajah presided.

Continuing, Dr. Ranganathan said that today people in cities do not know their neighbours. They led an isolated life because money was their only concern. Good neighbourliness and friendship could go a long way to cure many an evil of the present times. He said there was no use for service for purposes of glorifying the office holders. In Community Centres it would be good if they did away with the offices of Presidents and Secretaries. The work should be done by everyone as a team. In referring to the activities of the Manipay Parish Community Centre, Dr. Ranganathan said that it was rightly called the mother of Community Centres. It was so he found not only in the chronological sense but also in the lead it was giving in regard to the various activities that could be taken up by such Centres. He said that the pleasant way in which all age levels work together in that Centre was remarkable.

could be depended on to stick to his friends through thick and thin. I remember once asking him to help a friend's relative who was in trouble at Mannar. Next morning he motored down to Mannar and with his pleasant powers of persuasion saved the young man from facing a criminal prosecution. Even when he was showing signs of a stroke, his last words to me was "Don't be afraid, I shall be up in a few weeks and help you in your ambulance work." He entertained his friends lavishly and his genial spirit and camaraderie endeared to all. "To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die."



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# Hindu Organ

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1953

Treasure These Thoughts

*Victory breeds hatred and enmity, for the vanquished is ill at ease, fallen in distress. The tranquil, mindless of victory or defeat, are ever happy and radiate happiness all round*

## THE CITY OF YALPANAM

To draw the attention of the Government and the public to the need for making improvements to the Northern Capital may seem to be inappropriate at a time of economic pressure. But it would not be out of place here to remind the proper authorities that any structural extensions of the city should be so planned as not to prejudice the aesthetic appearance of the Esplanade that had been so very exquisitely designed by the administrators several centuries ago. The city of Yalpanam urgently needs improvements and extensions in keeping with modern demands and developments. The fact that after the city was first designed and built no planning of any kind had been proposed, supports our view that a plan for this important city should be designed at the earliest and that without doing any damage to the original design wherein the natural beauty of *Yalpana Nagarum* was explicitly expressed in the form of the Fort and the Esplanade.

The removal of the site of the City Post Office to a central locality and the housing of the Public Library in a commodious and stately building are two of the more urgent items of improvement that Yalpanam needs immediately, besides the reconstruction of the Railway Station providing island platforms. Another equally urgent requirement is the widening of the bottle-neck that connects the Grand Bazaar with the Vannarponnai Siva Temple.

We, therefore, make the suggestion to the Mayor and the other City Fathers

that even in adversity the natural exquisiteness of a city should be preserved and that any extension or improvement to the city should be so executed as not to disturb the existing aesthetic set-up of the Esplanade and the Fort. More over the Municipal Council should lose no time in removing the bottle-neck referred to by us earlier in this column and in providing convenient passage of motor transport to and from the city and establishing a bus stand with modern conveniences for passengers to wait for motor vehicles protected from sun and rain.

We also wish to remind the Municipal authorities, the public and the Central Government that the name of the Northern Capital should be *Yalpanam* in its original rendering in Tamil in preference to the corrupt foreign word 'Jaffna'. It is no sense of narrow nationalism or provincial pride that urges us to reiterate the suggestion that had been made in these columns time and again but the love of the old order in the new context of independence.

### WISHEFUL THINKING!

Wayside whisper, market-place gossip and wild rumour have become useful to the ambitious politician as part of his diplomatic agency in the manoeuvre for power and place. It is not here in this Island alone that one finds this peculiar phenomenon in political warfare. Across the waters, in the Republic of India, the desire on the part of interested parties to effect changes in the existing administration both at the centre and in the component states, not in the interest of the people but in the furtherance of the ambitious plans of selfish politicians, has been given expression to in very much the same manner as in this Island. The soap d'etat that is being attempted in other countries has open violence as the method of operation. But more dangerous than these armed efforts of political leaders is the whispering campaign that has been launched in Sri Lanka. The gravity of the danger is increased by the fact that the campaign is confined not to opposing parties alone but even to factions within the party which holds the reins of administration.

The flood of rumours that has swept the Island during the last few months discloses the existence of a vicious whispering cam-

# THE INSTITUTION OF LIBRARIES

## DR. S. R. RANGANATHAN ON ITS ART AND SCIENCE

DR. S. Ranganathan, M. A.; D. Litt.; Professor of Library Science visited Jaffna during the last two weeks and delivered lectures at educational institutions and social centres. At his first Conference with the Mayor of Jaffna and others interested in the question of establishing a library on modern lines, the Professor explained the economic aspect of maintaining libraries and suggested the establishment of a Central Library in such a way as to serve a definite area adequately.

### At the Sabha

Speaking at a public meeting held on Monday last Dr. Ranganathan deplored the tendency of societies that maintain libraries to pay unnecessary attention to newspapers and suggested that magazines, reviews and other similar publications which have a lasting value by virtue of their view-points should have priority over news-sheets and that books of standard production, cultural value & scientific importance should have top priority along with books on spiritual subjects and philosophical questions.

The learned Professor declared that the most

gain to bring about a change in the leadership of the Government Party. Otherwise the rumour that Mr. Dudley Senanayake is expected to resign from the Premiership at any moment would not gain currency particularly when no reason has been adduced in support of the action which the Premier is alleged to be contemplating.

We do not think that there can be any reason for Mr. Dudley Senanayake to unburden himself of the responsibility of office unless it be that his colleagues in the Cabinet have not given him their whole-hearted co-operation in the discharge of his duties. If this be the cause for misgivings in the mind of the Premier then it is not he who should alone lay down the responsibility of office but the Cabinet and the Government Party as well. Has the time arrived for such a step to be taken?

economic method of maintaining a library would be to get all resources pooled together and books on all branches of knowledge to be provided and not to allow copies of the same book to be obtained for all libraries in an area which can well maintain a Central Library and cater for the needs of the societies in that area by means of mobile vans.

Mudr. C. Muttutambay in welcoming Dr. Ranganathan said that the words that fall from the lips of such a distinguished educationist as the learned Professor have the expression of the fruits of a world-wide experience in the study of Library Science and would therefore be of instructive value to the social workers of the North and the several associations that maintain libraries.

Mr. A. Arulambalam Proctor expressed the thanks of the Saiva Paripalana Sabha for the several suggestions made by Dr. Ranganathan in the course of his instructive lecture.

## The Late Thiru V. Ka.

Thiru V. Kalyanasundara Mudaliyar, popularly known as Thiru V. Ka, passed away on September 17 at Madras.

Thiru V. Ka. was well-known for his socialistic tendencies which were in direct contrast with the Marxist conception of Socialism. As father of the Labour movement in South India, Thiru V. Ka. correctly interpreted Gandhism.

Apart from his political and social activities Thiru V. Ka. was a great religious worker and eminent Tamil Scholar and had written more than fifty books in elegant and fluent Tamil.

As a journalist Thiru V. Ka. emulated the Gandhian model and edited the 'Navasakthi'.

Thiru V. Ka. was a brilliant speaker and had captured the imagination of the large gatherings which he addressed in Sri Lanka about 25 years ago.

# Relationship between the State & the Individual

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glass of beer, wine and spirits at any time you like—is accepted because on the whole it benefits society. Totalitarian States do not trouble about this kind of restriction. On the other hand, while in any country bad farming must be corrected, if need be, by compulsion, in totalitarian countries the individual is driven into collective farms.

Above all things, the individual must resist every attempt of the State to fetter or discipline or regulate his mind. He must be free, so long as he refrains from grossly offensive forms of expression, to say what he likes, to read what he likes, to listen to other people saying what they like. The worst feature of totalitarian States is their denial of these freedoms. The Press is not merely muzzled; that would be bad enough; it is dragooned. It is told what it must say, and the paper that rebels is suppressed.

## National Savings—North Maintains Its Record

The Jaffna District is maintaining her records in National Savings according to Gate Mudaliyar C. Thiagarajah, District Organiser. During the recent Savings week inaugurated by Mr. J. R. Jayawardena and Mr. G. G. Ponnambalam, the district has overshot her target by Rs. 87,197.00, the total amount invested during the week being Rs. 237,197.00 as against a target fixed of Rs. 158,650.00. Of this total Jaffna Town Division takes credit for a sum of Rs. 87,762.50.

### PERSONAL

Dr. S. Ramanathan, L. M. S., M. R. C. S (Eng.), M. R. C. P. (Lond.), has been appointed Deputy Director of Medical Services with effect from October 1.

Mr. Murugesu Ramasamy Assistant Government Analyst, who went to London on a British Council Scholarship and obtained three additional qualifications—M. Sc. Diploma of the Imperial Institute and F. R. I. C. returned to the Island on September 17.

Mr. Ramasamy received his early education at Jaffna Hindu College. Matriculating before joining the University of Ceylon where he obtained his B. Sc. (Hons) degree.

**ORDER NISI**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA  
Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 1657

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Muttuccumaroo Kandiah of Moolai Deceased

Nagapooshany widow of Muttuccumaroo Kandiah of Moolai Petitioner

Vs

1. Kandiah Muttuccumaroo of Moolai 2. Maheswary daughter of Kandiah of do. 3. Kandiah Ratnasabapathy of do. 4. Easwary daughter of Kandiah of do. 5. Kandiah Ampalavanar of do. 6. Rajeswary daughter of Kandiah of do. 2nd to 6th Respondents are minors appearing by their G. A. L. the 1st Respondent Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before S. Rajaratnam Esqr District Judge Jaffna on the 27th day of August 1953 in the presence of Mr. V. Eliyathamby Proctor for Petitioner and the affidavits of the abovenamed petitioner Notary and witnesses to the Will dated 9-6-53 having been read:

It is ordered that the abovenamed 1st Respondent be appointed Guardian - ad - litem over the minors 2-6 Respondents for the purpose of this action and that the Last Will of the abovenamed deceased dated 9th day of June 1953 and attested by V. Eliyathamby Notary Public under No 2354 be declared proved and the said petitioner as the executrix named herein be entitled to Probate and Probate thereof be issued to her accordingly unless the said Respondents or any other person interested shall appear before this court on the 2nd day of October 1953 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the 1st Respondent do produce the said minors in Court on the said returnable date.

The 27th day of August 1953  
Sgd. S. Rajaratnam  
District Judge

Drawn by  
V. Eliyathamby  
Proctor for Petitioner  
(O 96, 18 & 25)

**ORDER NISI**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA  
Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 1592

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Nagalingam Arumugam of Araly West, Jaffna. Deceased.

1. Nagalingam Thambiah of Araly West.  
2. Naganathar Sampanthar of do. Petitioners.

Vs.

1. Arumugam Nadarajah of Central Electricity Board Raub, Pahang in Malaya.  
2. Pocranam widow of Nagalingam Arumugam of Raub in Malaya. Respondents.

This matter of the petition of the above-named petitioners coming on for disposal before Spencer Rajaratnam Esqr. District Judge, Jaffna on the 13th day of March 1953 in the presence of Mr. V. Nagalingam, Proctor for Peti-

**ORDER NISI**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
VAVUNIYA  
held at Mullaittivu.

Case No. 383 (Testamentary)

In the matter of the intestate estate of the late Pathanchelly wife of Vairavanather Kathiravepillai of Kanukkerni, Mullaittivu. Deceased.

Vyavanather Kathiravepillai of Kanukkerni, Petitioner.

Vs.

1. Kathiravepillai Vishnuganthan aged 10 years 2. Kathiravepillai Parimalagantha aged 7 years 3. Kathiravepillai Santhiragantha aged 5 years 4. Kulanthaiyar Sinner all of Kanukkerni, Mullaittivu, Respondents.

This matter of the petition of the abovenamed petitioner coming on for disposal before K. Jeyakody Esquire, Addl. District Judge, Mullaittivu on the 28th day of January, 1953 in the presence of Mr. C. M Tharmalingem, Proctor, on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 5th day of August, 1952 having been read.

It is hereby ordered that the 4th respondent abovenamed be appointed guardian-ad-litem over the 1st, 2nd and 3rd respondents abovenamed and that the petitioner be and is hereby declared entitled to administer the estate of the said deceased as the husband of the deceased and that letters of administration be issued to the petitioner accordingly unless the respondents abovenamed or any other persons interested shall on or before the 13th day of March 1953 show sufficient cause to the contrary.

This 28th day of  
January, 1953.

Sgd. K. Jeyakody.  
Addl. District Judge

Order Nisi extended till 16th October 1953 for publication.

Sgd. R. Paramakuru  
Addl. District Judge.  
1-9-53.  
(O. 92, 18 & 25).

tioners and the affidavit and petition of the petitioners and the affidavit of the witnesses and notary having been read; it is ordered that the will of the deceased dated the 2nd day of December 1952 be and the same is hereby declared proved unless the said respondents shall appear before this court on the 22nd day of June 1953 and show cause to the satisfaction of the court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the said petitioners are the executors named in the said Last Will and that they are entitled to have probate of the same issued to them unless the said respondents or others shall appear before this court on the said date and show cause to the satisfaction of the court to the contrary.

This 13th day of March 1953.

Sgd. S. Rajaratnam,  
District Judge.

Extended to 21-9-53.  
(O. 95, 18 & 25.)

**Astrological**

**WEEKLY FORECASTS**

'SRI PATHY'

FROM 27-9-53 TO 3-10-53

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

You will have to face much criticism in all your affairs this week. Your friends will not be loyal to you. Secret enemies will be on the outlook to hurt you but you will be able to escape them.

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

You will be successful in most of your attempts this week. Ruin to enemies shown. New ventures will bring in good bargains. Social success and fame also promised.

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

There will be some official troubles this week. Your merits will not be recognized. You will find it difficult to make both ends meet. Ill health to children also likely.

**CANCER** Punarpoosa 4, Poosa, Ayilya [Kataka Rasi]

New friendship will add to your expenditure this week. Brothers and sisters will prove very helpful. You will be quick to misunderstand others. Avoid quarrels week end.

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

You will be losing your temper in a hurry this week. Don't jump at hasty conclusions in important affairs. Financially you will enjoy a good time. Domestic upheavals likely week end.

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

Your financial tension might ease off a bit this week. You will succeed in your undertakings after initial difficulties. Health upsets likely. Beware of secret enemies week end.

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

Ill health in the family shown early part of week. Financial gains and success in new undertakings promised midweek. But there will be no mental peace. Scandal mongers likely to upset domestic harmony week end.

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

New ventures will be successful after initial difficulties. Friends will help you a good deal. Things that were postponed will be taken up by you. Expenses in litigation shown. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday must be spent with care.

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

Except for the last two days this week is a favourable one. You will find much improvements in your undertakings. Gains and favours from superiors shown. The last two days must be spent with care.

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

There will no mental peace this week. Troubles through secret enemies shown. Don't go out of the way to help friends let you get into difficulties. Misunderstandings with friends also shown.

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

Domestic upheavals likely this week. But all is well on the professional side. You will have to be careful in new ventures for some time. Pay personal attention to important matters.

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

A somewhat stormy week. But you will be able to triumph over your competitors. All is not well on the domestic side. Financial worries also likely.

**Post Of**

**Assistant Manager**

Applications are invited from persons with suitable executive and administrative experience, and preferably between the ages of 35 and 45 for the above post. Preference will be given to those who have knowledge of accounts. Cash security Rs.2000/- and Fidelity Policy Rs.5,000/- or Property Rs. 10 000/-. The salary scale attached to the post is as follows:—On probation 1st year Rs. 3,600/- — 2nd year Rs. 3,720/- On appointment as Assistant Manager; Rs. 3,900/- rising up to Rs. 5,700/- per annum by 10 increments of Rs. 180/- Dearness allowance 25% on salary.

Personal canvassing a disqualification. Applications must contain full particulars of past experience, age, three copies of recent testimonials and/or references and should be addressed to *The Secretary, The Jaffna Co-operative Stores Ltd., 150 Hospital Street, Jaffna on or before the 25th September 1953.*

(M. 163, 18 & 25)

**ORDER NISI**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA  
Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No 1656

In the matter of the intestate estate of the late Velupillai Kandiah of Payarikoodal, Karainagar, late of Khota Bharu in Malaya Deceased.

Velupillai Nallathambay of Payarikoodal, Karainagar Vs. Petitioner.

Minor 1 Kandiah Subramaniam 2 Saravanamuttu Arumugam both of Payarikoodal, Karainagar. Minor 3 Maheswari daughter of Velupillai Kandiah 4 Meenadchy widow of Sanmugam Nagamuttu both of Vetharadaippu, Karainagar Respondents.

This matter coming on for disposal before Spencer Rajaratnam, Esqr, District Judge, Jaffna on the 26th of August, 1953. in the presence of S. Kandiah Proctor for petitioner, and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 24th August 1953 having been read:

It is ordered that the second respondent be appoint-

**Educational**

Wanted immediately a teacher to teach Science and Mathematics in the Middle School. Please apply at once. Principal, Mahajana College, Tellippalai.  
M. 106, 18 & 25.)

ed Guardian-ad-litem over the 1st Respondent, that the 4th respondent be appointed guardian ad-litem over the 3rd respondent and that the petitioner is entitled to Letters of Administration to the estate of the deceased and the same be issued to him accordingly unless the respondents or any others show cause to the contrary on or before the 2nd day of October 1953. It is further ordered that the minors be produced on the same date.

This 26th day of  
August, 1953

Sgd. Spencer Rajaratnam  
District Judge  
Jaffna

Drawn by  
Sgd. S. Candiah  
Proctor for Petitioner.

(O. 93, 18 & 25)

## MEDICAL FEATURES

## DEATH AND IMMORTALITY

Need we die? We all believe that death is inevitable. Biologists tell us that we carry within us the seeds of our decay, and natural death is a necessary result of our mode of being.

Lethal chemical changes begin to work in our bodies from the day of birth, and possibly even in the embryo stage. The ultimate cause of death is probably poisoning from waste products.

Yet scientists have shown that life is inherently continuous.

The paramecium is an animal found in stagnant water. Its body consists of only one cell, and because it is so small it cannot be seen except under the microscope.

It is significant because it never dies. It lives on by the simple process of dividing itself into two new cells.

One biologist who has made a special study of paramecia has watched them reproduce themselves, by self-division, through 9,000 generations in 13 1/2 years—comparable with a quarter of a million years of human life!

Does this mean that the individual cell is potentially immortal? Perhaps we do not yet know.

Only a few years ago research workers threw away a tissue which had been kept alive and growing since before the first world war.

It was in 1912 that Dr. Alexis Carrol, of the Rockefeller Institute, took a piece of heart tissue of chick embryo, put it in a special apparatus and demonstrated that it would never die. That is why it was finally thrown away the experiment could have been carried on for centuries.

What we call natural death is apparently something that has come with evolution. The kind of immortality which the paramecium has, was lost millions of years ago when the animal kingdom began to exchange its single-celled existence for a more elaborate and efficient life as a multi-celled creature.

The complexity of man has proved to be his undoing. We die because one set of body cells lets the others down. Liver cells may fail and bring death to the whole organism even though the heart, lungs, and kidney cells are perfectly able to function for many more years.

We do not die all over all at once. Days after an individual has been declar-

ed legally dead, fragments of inner organs have been found fully alive. Each organ in the body dies at its own rate, and scientists are beginning to learn details of this fact with the thought of some day preventing certain types of death.

Just how fast disintegration takes place probably depends somewhat on temperature. A famous physiologist, Jacques Loeb, prolonged the life of fruit flies 90 per cent by lowering the breeding temperature by two-thirds. Loeb has estimated that if the temperature of the human body could be lowered to 49.5 degrees F., human life could be extended 1,900 years. Nature, however, maintains an internal temperature of 98.6 degrees for man, regardless of whether he be an Eskimo or an inhabitant of the Tropics.

New knowledge in the last five years about resuscitating persons whose heart stops on the operating table has enabled doctors to postpone death. It has stressed the difference between "clinical" death and "physiological" death.

Many scientists are convinced that, even if man cannot realise biological immortality, he can still postpone death long enough to get far more out of his potential life span than he does now. Some believe 115 years is attainable now, providing man can be protected against physical and emotional "insults" to the body.

Dr. Henry S. Simms, of Columbia University, has computed that if the human body could retain all during life, the ability to resist disease and repair breakdown that it possesses at the age of 10, man would have a life expectancy of 800 years and some individuals might survive 24,000 years.

Meanwhile, as this research into the nature of death that will give us understanding of the continuity of life goes on, we cannot ignore the fact that for the vast majority of people on the earth, the problem is not whether they will live for centuries but until tomorrow.

A U. S. Department of State report in 1950 stated that in countries such as Egypt and India, where the average expectation of life at birth is about 30 years, only 54 out of every 100 children reach the age of 15 and enter the period of maximum economic productivity. Of those who reach young adulthood all

ORDER NISI  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 1643

In the matter of the intestate estate of the late Katpakam wife of Kandiah Kumarasamy of Irupalai who died at Inuvil Hospital Deceased.

Kandiah Kumarasamy of Moolai Petitioner.  
Vs.

Minor 1 Kumarasamy Theepanatha Kumar of Irupalai  
2 Nagammah widow of Nagalingam of Irupalai Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before A. Sambandan Esquire, Acting District Judge, Jaffna on the 24th day of July 1953 in the presence of Mr. V. Eliyathamby Proctor for petitioner and the affidavit and petition of the petitioner having been read.

It is ordered that the above-named 2nd respondent be appointed guardian-ad-litem over the minor 1st respondent for the purpose of representing him in this proceedings and that Letters of Administration to the estate of the above-named deceased be issued to the Petitioner as the lawful husband of the said deceased unless the said respondents or any other person interested in the above estate shall appear before this court on the 31st day of August 1953 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the 2nd respondent do produce the said minors in Court on the said date.

This 24th day of July 1953

Sgd. S. Rajaratnam  
District Judge.

Extended and issue O. N. is returnable 28-9-53.

Sgd. S. R.  
D. J.  
(O. 97. 18 & 25)

but 15 die or are incapacitated long before completing the normal span of working life at the age of 60.

In countries in other areas, more industrially developed, 92 out of 100 children reach the age of 15, and 70 live a productive life-span to the age of 60.

It is important to reduce the death rate because it will mean an increase in the human resources available for production in proportion to population.

Given social and economic improvement, says the World Health Organisation, people will enjoy a fuller and a richer existence. They will have more abundantly and the study of the humble paramecium will help to confer "immortality" on man.

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 1649

In the matter of the estate of the late Subramaniam Vaithalingam of Meesalai Deceased.  
Sivayogamma widow of Subramaniam Vythialingam of Meesalai, Petitioner.

Vs.

1. Subramaniam Vythialingam Navaratnam of do.  
2. Subramaniam Vythialingam Vijayasingham of do.

Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before S. Rajaratnam Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on the 4th day of August 1953 in the presence of Mr. C. C. Somasegaram Proctor on the part of the petitioner and on reading the affidavit and petition of the petitioner.

It is ordered that the petitioner as the lawful widow of the abovesaid deceased be declared entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovesaid and that such Letters of Administration be issued to the petitioner accordingly, unless the above-named respondents or any others interested shall appear before this court on or before the 4th day of September 1953 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

This 4th August 1953.

Sgd. S. Rajaratnam  
District Judge.

Drawn by  
Sgd. C. C. Somasegaram  
Proctor for Petitioner.  
4-9-53

Order Nisi extended for 9-10-53.

Sgd. S. Rajaratnam  
District Judge  
(O. 99. 18 & 25)

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No: 1658.

In the matter of the intestate estate and effects of the late Saraswathi ammah wife of Sinniah Sinnathurai of Changanai East. Deceased.  
Sellar Thambirajah of Thoppu Atchuvely South Atchuvely Vs. Petitioner.

Minors (1. Thanaledchumy daughter of Sinnathurai  
2. Sarojini daughter of Sinnathurai  
3. Sinniah Sinnathurai, Excise Guard Excise Station, Jaffna. Respondents.

This matter coming on for disposal before Spencer Rajaratnam Esquire District Judge Jaffna on the 28th day of August 1953 in the presence of Mr. T. Gunaratnam Proctor on the part of petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 18th August 1953 having been read;

It is ordered that the above-named 3rd respondent be appointed as guardian ad litem over the minors the 1st and 2nd respondents for the purpose of this case and that the petitioner be declared entitled to have letters of administration over the estate of the said deceased and the same issued to him unless the respondents or others interested shall on or before the 2nd day of October 1953 ap-

## ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  
JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 1645

In the matter of the Last Will and testament of the late Kanthappillai Karthigesu and Kanthappillai Eliathamby of Tellippalai East

Deceased Testators

Kanagasabai Suppiramaniam of Vasavilan presently of Kuala Lumpur, Federation of Malaya by his attorney Visvanathar Ratnam of Vasavilan Vs Petitioner

1. Arumugam Gunaratnam of Vasavilan, 2. Sangarappillai Padmanathan of Tellippalai West presently of Kalutara, 3. Sangarappillai Sivaguruntan of Tellippalai West, 4. Vadivambikai daughter of Sangarappillai of Tellippalai West, minor 5. Nagulambikai daughter of Sangarappillai of Tellippalai West, minor 6. Lankadevi daughter of Sangarappillai of Tellippalai West, minor 7. Ambikadevi daughter of Sangarappillai of Tellippalai West. The 5th 6th and 7th Respondents are minors appearing by their Guardian-ad-litem 8. Visvanathar Sangarappillai of Tellippalai West, 9. Kanagasabai Arulampalam of Tellippalai West, 10. Sellammah widow of Arumugam of Vasavilan Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before Spencer Rajaratnam Esquire District Judge, Jaffna on the 29th day of July 1953, in the presence of Mr. S. Ilayatambi Proctor on the part of the petitioner above-named and the affidavit of the above-named attorney of the petitioner dated 21st February 1953 and the affidavit of the Notary and the affidavit of one of the subscribing witnesses dated 21st February 1953 having been read:

It is ordered that the last will and Testament No. 372 made by the deceased above-named and attested by Mr. Thambirajah, Notary Public on the 21st day of November 1932 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 above-named is the executor named therein and that he is hereby declared entitled to have probate there of issued to him accordingly; unless the Respondents above named or any other person or persons shall on or before the 31st of August 1953 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

It is further ordered that the 8th Respondent above-named be and he is hereby appointed Guardian-ad-Litem over the 5th 6th and 7th Respondents minors. It is further ordered that the 8th Respondent do produce the said minors in Court on the said day.

This 4th day of August 1953.  
(Sgd.) S. Rajaratnam,  
District Judge.

31-8-53.

Order Nisi Extended for 28-9-53.

Sgd. S. Rajaratnam,  
D. J.  
(O. 101. 18 & 25)

appear before this court and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

And it is further ordered that the 3rd respondent do produce the said 1st and 2nd respondents in court on the said date.

This 28th day of August 1953,  
Sgd. S. Rajaratnam,  
District Judge,  
(O. 100. 18 & 25.)

### Left-Wing Victory At Colombo

Mr. T. Rudra, the nominee of the Left-Wing members of the Colombo Municipal Council defeated Mr. V. A. Sugathadasa, the Right-Wing nominee, by 16 votes to 14 at the Mayoral Election held on Monday last.

The proposal to have open voting had the support of 15 members as against 15. But the drawing of lots to decide the issue resulted in the election being held by secret ballot.

Mr. Rudra is a senior M. M. C. of Colombo and was once its Deputy Mayor. In the last Parliamentary Election, he stood as an independent candidate for the Vaddukoddai seat.

### Further Announcement

#### Carnival & Raffle

in aid of  
**MAHAJANA COLLEGE,  
TELLIPPALAI**  
commencing on  
**5TH APRIL 1954**  
Venue: Jaffna Town

**T. T. Jayaratnam**  
Principal

(M. 105, 18 & 24.)

### NOTICE

I, Arumugam Sivayokam of the Kachcheri, Jaffna, do hereby inform the Government of Ceylon and the general public that I shall henceforth be called and known as Arumugam Sivayokan and sign my name as

**A. Sivayokan**  
(M 171 25)

### WANTED

Wanted a trained teacher qualified to teach English in the Primary department. Please apply to Principal, Parameshvara College, before 30th September.  
(M. 110. 25.)

### ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF POINT PEDRO

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 494 T

In the matter of the intestate estate of the late Thullar Vallipuram Kandiah of Karaveddi West Deceased.

Theivanaippillai widow of Vallipuram Kandiah of Karaveddi West Petitioner.  
1 Kandiah Vanniasingham  
2 Thanewary daughter of Kandiah  
3 Kandiah Thanabalasingam  
4 Kandiah Poopalasingham  
5 Kandiah Jeyabalasingham  
6 Sinnathambiar Sidamparapillai all of Karaveddi West Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before T. Muttusamipillai Esquire, District Judge, Point Pedro on the 24th day of July 1953 in the presence of Mr. M. Esurapadham on the part of the Petitioner and the Petition and affidavit of the Petitioner dated 23rd day of July 1953, respectively having been read.

It is ordered that the 6th Respondent be, and he is hereby appointed Guardian-ad-litem over the minors 2-5 Respondents, that the Petitioner claims letters of administration and that the letters of administration be issued to the Petitioner accordingly, unless the respondents shall appear before this court on or before 27th day of August 1953 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

This 24th day of July 1953  
Sgd. T. Muthuesamipillai  
District Judge.

Drawn by  
Sgd. M. Esurapadham  
Proctor for Petitioner.  
Time to show cause extended to 1-10-53.  
Intd, A. W. W.  
D. J.  
(O. 97. 25 & 2)

### Letters to the Editor.

## A New Menace In The Guise Of Rural Volunteers

Sir,—I request you to be good enough to permit me through the columns of your valuable journal to draw the attention of the Jaffna public, in general and the Hindus in particular to a new menace that threatens our social life. This menace is all the more dangerous as it masquerades in the guise of Rural Volunteers.

I went to the Nallur Temple yesterday to worship at the Temple and do a Pirathakshnam in the usual orthodox style. My entry to the Kernimandapam was barred by three or four burly young men who said that I should use some other entrance. My telling them that I was going to do a Pirathakshnam and worship was of no avail. They unceremoniously pushed me out. I saw several respectable gentlemen being similarly pushed about.

Nallur Temple has been respected and honoured throughout Jaffna, as the Managers of this Temple, it should be said to the credit of the present manager and his predecessors in office, have never interfered with the freedom of worship at the temple. They have always acted impartially and fairly and treated all worshippers alike. Even in the present instance the so called rural volunteers apparently acted without the approval or authority of the manager in attempting to frame rules as to how the worshippers should move about in the temple premises.

What happens if another batch of people take it into their heads either to enforce another set of laws in regard to arrangements within the temple or merely meet the force used by these men with force and crash their way through the barricade of these so called volunteers. We would then see an ugly clash within the temple and no decent man would like to witness anything like the murder which occurred about 40 years ago in consequence of "Nattanmai" at the temple. It is time we realise the dangerous potentialities of this activity of the so called rural volunteers and have them called off once and for all.

Yours etc.,  
S. PATANJALI

Vannarpannai  
9th September 1953.

### 'Preservation Of Palmyrah' Movement

Sir,—October 2nd, the birth day of Mahatma Gandhi is celebrated on a grand scale by nations like India and Ceylon. This day is celebrated as "Charka Jayanthi"—"the birth of the wheel"—in India. During the life time of Mahatma Gandhi, it was agreed, according to his wish, to celebrate his birthday as "Charka Jayanthi."

Arrangements are being made by the All-Ceylon Gan-

dhiya Seva Sangam to celebrate Mahatma Gandhi birth day in Ceylon on 2nd October, 1953

The Sangam wishes to celebrate this most important day as the "Inauguration day of the Palmyrah Planting Movement in the Island"

The Palmyrah Palm has a unique place among the useful trees of the Island. This Palm is referred to as "Kalpagatharu"—a tree of divine nature which is capable of granting anything and everything required—since the time of the "Vedas" and this alone is an ample proof of the usefulness and importance of this Palm.

Many of our requirements could be adequately met by this tree. Therefore the necessity to plant this palm all over the Island is keenly felt now.

The Colombo Branch of the Gandhiya Seva Sangam is prepared to render every possible assistance towards this movement. Palmyrah seeds can be obtained from the Secretary of the Colombo Branch of the Sangam.

Yours etc.,

S. K. THAMBYPILLAI  
Secretary

Colombo Branch.

43/1, Rajamawatte,  
Ratmalana.

### ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF POINT PEDRO

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 491

In the matter of the Last Will and testament of the late Theivanaippillai wife of Visuvanathar of Thunnalai North Deceased

Visuvanathar Ponniah of Thunnalai South Petitioner

Vs.

1, Kathiravelar Visuvanathar, 2, Sinnathamby Sidamparappillai and 3, wife Parupathy, 4, Maheswary daughter of Sidamparappillai all of Thunnalai North Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before A. W. Nadaraja Esquire District Judge, Point Pedro on the 13th day of May 1953 in the presence of Mr T. Ponnambalam Proctor on the part of the petitioner and the petition and affidavit of the petitioner having been read:

It is ordered that the petitioner be declared entitled to take out probate as the Executor appointed by Last Will dated 2nd January 1949 attested by C. Arumugam Notary Public, that probate be issued to him accordingly and that the 2nd Respondent be appointed guardian-ad-litem over the minor the 4th respondent for the purpose of representing and defending her in the above Testamentary proceedings unless the Respondents or any other person shall appear before this Court

### Order Nisi

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF POINT PEDRO

Testamentary Jurisdiction  
No. 495.

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Murugapper Velupillai of Puloly South.

Deceased

Murugapper Kartbigesu of Puloly South.

Petitioner.

Vs

1. Periar Arumugam of do.  
2. wife Theivanai of do.  
3. Kathirgamu Sabapathypillai of do.  
4. wife Omaiyattai of do.  
5. Murugapper Thillai ampalam of do.  
6. Murugapper Somasuntharam of do.

Respondents.

This matter coming on for disposal before T. Muttusamipillai Esquire, District Judge, Point Pedro, on the 10th day of August 1953 in the presence of Mr. K. Subramaniam Proctor for Petitioner and the affidavit of the petitioner dated 3rd August 1953 and the affidavit of the Notary and witnesses dated 3rd August 1953 having been read:

It is ordered that the Last Will bearing No. 17741 made by the abovenamed deceased & attested by K. Subramaniam Notary Public on the 20th day of July 1952, the original of which has been produced and deposited in Court be and the same is hereby declared proved and that the Petitioner abovenamed is the Executor named therein and he is hereby declared entitled to have Probate thereof issued to him accordingly unless the Respondents abovenamed or any other person interested shall on or before the 17th day of September 1953 shew sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the Court to the contrary.

The 10th day of August 1953.

Sgd. A. W. NADARAJAH,  
District Judge.

Drawn by  
Sgd. K. Subramaniam  
Proctor for Petitioner.  
(O 88 4 & 11)

on or before the 25th day of June 1953 and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.  
This 13th day of May 1953

(Sgd) A. W. Nadaraja  
District Judge.

Drawn by  
T. Ponnambalam  
Proctor for Petitioner.

Time to show cause extended for 23rd July 1953

Sgd) T. Muttusamipillai  
(Acting) District Judge

Time to show cause extended for 27-8-53

Sgd. T. Muttusamipillai  
Acting District Judge

Time to show cause extended for 1-10-53

Sgd. A. W. Nadaraja  
District Judge

(O 105, 25 & 2)

JAFFNA

## HINDU LADIES' COLLEGE

### CARNIVAL

&

### RAFFLE

26th March to 18th April 1954

VENUE

**Hindu Ladies' College**  
JAFFNA.

Those interested please contact

**T. Murugesapillai,**  
**A. Arulampalam,**  
Joint Secretaries.

Hindu Ladies' College,  
Jaffna.

(M. 112 25 & 2)

Notice of Application

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA No. 1648 T. In the matter of the Intestate Estate of Ponnambalam Selvadurai of Mahiappiddy late of Kuala Lumpur Deceased and In the matter of the British Courts Probate (Re Sealing Ordinance) Chapter 84 Notice is hereby given that after the expiry of 14 days from the date hereof application will be made to the District Court of Jaffna under the British Courts Probates Re sealing Ordinance Chapter 84 for the sealing of the Letters of Administration in respect of the estate of the late Ponnambalam Selvadurai of Mahiappiddy late of Kuala Lumpur granted by the Supreme Court of Kuala Lumpur dated 27th December 1952 under Petition No. 309 of 1952. S. T. NADARAJAH, Proctor for Applicant. 31st August 1953 (O 98 18 & 25)

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 1650 T

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of the late Nagalingam Subramaniam of Inuvil Deceased

Rasammah widow of Nagalingam Subramaniam of Inuvil Petitioner Vs

- 1. Subramaniam Thana Lank Nehru
2. Subramaniam Vivekanandan
3. Subramaniam Vishnuthiran
4. Subramaniam Vishayapalan and
5. Mootatamby Rassa, all of Inuvil Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before Spencer Rajaratnam Esquire District Judge, Jaffna on the 5th day of August 1953 in the presence of Mr. E. M. Mathiapparanam Proctor for the petitioner and the affidavits of the petitioner and of the witnesses having been read It is ordered that the abovenamed 5th Respondent be appointed Guardian-ad-litem over the Minor 1st to 4th Respondents for the purpose of protecting their interests and of representing them in this case, that the Last Will and testament of the abovenamed deceased be declared proved and that probate thereof be issued to the petitioner as Executrix named therein unless the Respondents or any other persons appear before this Court on the 4th day of September 1953 and state objections to the contrary.

And it is further ordered that the minors be produced on the said date. This 5th day of August 1953 Sgd. S. Rajaratnam District Judge Drawn by E. M. Mathiapparanam Proctor for Petitioner. Time to show cause extended to 9-10-52 Mrs. S. R. B. J. (O 104 25 & 2)

Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

No. 8233

Kasinathar Seganathar Rajaratnam of Alaveddy Vs Plaintiff

- 1. Kasinathar Seganathar Alagaratnam of Kankesanturai presently of Neeraviady Vannarponnai 2. Murugar Arunalam Sincathamby and 3. wife Sellamuttu both of Kankesanturai, 4. Vallipuram Arumugam of do 5. Vairavy Vallipuram of Kankesanturai, 6. Thambimuttu Subramaniam of do 7. Vallipuram Veluppilai and wife, 8. Sithamparam both of Kankesanturai presently of Malaya by their Attorney. 9. Sabapathippillai Sellappah of Kankesanturai Defendants

It is hereby notified that action No 8233 has been instituted in the District Court of Jaffna under partition act No 16 of 1951 for the partition of the land called Koraddavaththai situated at Veemankamam in the Parish of Tellippalai

The defendants in the aforesaid action are summoned to appear in Court on the 18th day of March 1952 at 10 o'clock of the forenoon. This 22nd day of Jan 1952

By Order of Court Sgd K. A. Sebastian Secretary

Time extended for the defendants to appear on 15-9-53

By Order of Court Sgd. K. A. Sebastian Secretary

15-9-53 Time extended for the defendants to appear on 13-10-53

By Order of Court Sgd K. A. Sebastian Secretary (O. 102 25)

NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

No. 9398

- 1. Appasamy Mutiah & wife
2. Sellamma both of Kankesanturai Plaintiffs Vs

- 1. Akilandanayagi wife of K. Sothnagaratnam of Victoria Road Jaffna Town, 2. Murugar Sincathamby of Alaveddy North, 3. Murugar Ponniah of Alaveddy North, 4. Vinsayar Sincathamby and wife, 5. Poomany both of Kankesanturai, 6. Kanagasabai Sellathurai and wife, 7. Sathirakkandu of Kankesanturai, 8. Murugupillai Kandasamy and wife, 9. Rasamma of do, 10. Kanthan Thavasy and wife, 11. Annamma of do, 12. Vairavan Thilayan and wife, 13. Sinnamma of do, 14. Thillaiyan Milary of do, 15. Kandan Kidna of do, 16. Vally widow of Elivan Keddaiyar of do, 17. Velan Ponnai and wife, 18. Packiam of do, 19. Elivan Kandan of do, 20. Maragan Podisingan of Kankesanturai, 21. Vavinachchiamma wife of Kasinathar Thamban of Myliddy Defendants

It is hereby notified that action No. 9398 has been ins-

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF POINT PEDRO

Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 496

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of V. K. Murugupillai Subramaniam of Puloly West. Deceased.

Thangammah widow of Murugupillai Subramaniam of Puloly West Petitioner.

- 1 Sivagampillai daughter of Subramaniam; 2 Subramaniam Murugupillai 3 Saraswathy daughter of Subramaniam 4. Vijayaledchumy daughter of Subramaniam 5. Subramaniam Kathirgama-thamby 6. Subramaniam Tharmalingam 7. Rajeswary daughter of Subramaniam 8. Meenadchiammah daughter of Subramaniam all of Puloly West. Respondents

This matter coming on for disposal before A. W. Nadaraja Esquire District Judge, Point Pedro on the 28th day of August 1953 in the presence of Messrs Kandaiya & Mailvaganam P. octors on the part of the petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated 26th day of July 1953 and the affidavit of the Notary and witnesses dated 15th day of June 1953 having been read

It is hereby ordered that the 5th respondent be and he is hereby appointed guardian-ad-litem over the said 7th and 8th minor respondents and that the said Last Will is hereby declared proved and admitted to Probate and that Probate be issued to the Petitioner as Executrix of the said Last Will unless the respondents or any other persons shall show cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary on or before the 24th day of September 1953.

This 28th day of August 1953.

Sgd. A. W. Nadaraja District Judge.

Drawn by Kandaiya & Mailvaganam Proctors for petitioner. O. 94. 18 & 25).

tited in the District Court of Jaffna under Partition Act No 16 of 1951 for the partition of the land called Vandipalinkadu situated at the village of Pallai in the parish of Myliddy.

The defendants in the aforesaid action are summoned to appear in court on the 14th day of July 1953 at 10'0 clock of the forenoon.

This 30th day of June 1953

By order of Court Sgd. K. A. Sebastian C. C.

3-9-53 The time extended for 8 10-53 for the defendants to appear

By order of Court Sgd. K. A. Sebastian C. C.

(O 103 25)

ORDER NISI

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA

No. T, 16 2

In the matter of the intestate estate of Nagamany Vinasithamby of Kondavil, Jaffna Deceased.

Yogammah widow of Vinasithamby of Kondavil Vs. Petitioner

- 1 Ganeswary daughter of Vinasithamby of Kondavil
2 Vinasithamby Gnana-pandithan of do
3 Vinasithamby Kanaganayagam of do
4 Mankayathkarasi daughter of Vinasithamby of do
5 Maheswary daughter of Vinasithamby of do
6 Manonmany daughter of Vinasithamby of do minors appearing by G-A-L
7 Thamotheerampillai Chelliah of Kondavil Respondents.

This action coming on for disposal before Spencer Rajaratnam Esqr. District Judge, Jaffna on the 28th day of August 1953, the Petitioner abovenamed appearing by Mr. V. Navaratnarajah Proctor and the Petition and Affidavit of the petitioner dated 2nd February 1953 and 28th November 1952 respectively having been read: it is ordered that the abovenamed petitioner as widow of the deceased is entitled to have Letters of Administration issued to her accordingly unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested shall on or before the 28th day of September 1953 show sufficient cause to this Court to the contrary.

And it is further ordered that the 7th respondent Thamothe-

Auction Sale

DIST: COURT JAFFNA

Case No. 4062.

On Commission received in the above case under Partition decree, the following property will be Auctioned 1st among the parties, and, if there is no bid it shall be put up for sale by public auction, and sold to the highest bidder on 28th October 1953 at 5 p. m. at the spot.

Schedule.

Land situated at Tholpuram in the Parish of Chankanaivaligam West Division; Jaffna Dist: N. P. called, Uvanthodden in extent 2 Lms. V. C. & 3 Ks with its appurtenances including houses, well, bounded on the East by the land of Annammah wife of K. Ampalavanar; North and West by lane and on the South by the land of Annammah wife of K. Ampalavanar.

V. ARUMUGAM, Commissioner of Sale.

Sandilipay, 22-9-53 (M. 109. 25.)

rampillai Chelliah be appointed guardian ad-litem over the minors 1st to 6th respondents unless the respondents or any other person or persons interested shall on or before the 28th day of September 1953 show sufficient cause to this court to the contrary.

This 20th day of August 1953

Sgd/- S Rajaretnam, District Judge, (O, 106. 25 & 2)

THE JAFFNA MUTUAL BENEFIT FUND Ltd.

(Established 1918) BANKERS.

Authorised Capital Rs. 800,000.00 Amount of Calls made Rs. 134,367.00

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FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS APPLY TO: S. KANAGASABAI, Shroff.

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