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EDUCATION IN 1926.

A SCOTTISH PHILOSOPHER IS REPORTED to have said that in the world nothing is greater than man and that in man nothing is greater than mind. If that is so, there is no Department of Government in which the people ought to be more interested and which deserves greater support from the Government than the Education Department which is responsible for the training of the mind of the youth of the country.

In the matter of English Education the Report records general improvements in the quality of teaching as well as equipment and accommodation especially in Assisted English and Anglo-Vernacular schools. There was a great deal of slackness in providing accommodation in Government schools so much so that a considerable number of children was unable to attend Government English or Anglo-Vernacular schools during the year.

Elsewhere we publish the Report of Mr. H. S. Peters, Divisional Inspector of the Northern Division and it deserves the careful consideration of the school authorities in Jaffna. Mr. Perera notes that many of the school libraries in the North do not have a good collection of books and that there are not many reading rooms in the schools.

minds of the pupils and the teachers. Little effort is made to popularise general reading among the pupils. The school authorities have not yet realised the importance of having good school-libraries attached to the schools. Mr. Perera has done well in emphasising their importance. We hope that the school authorities in Jaffna will not hesitate to invest some money in improving their school libraries and reading-rooms.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

WEATHER.—The are frequent and heavy downpours.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR AT JAFFNA HINDU.—His Excellency the Governor paid a visit this morning at about 11.30 o'clock to the Jaffna Hindu College. The entrance and the front courtyard were decorated with flags and festoons. An address of welcome was read and His Excellency made a lengthy reply.

AN "AT HOME" AT RAMANATHAN COLLEGE.—The Hon. Sir P. Ramanathan, Chief Minister, Governor's Reception Committee, and Lady Ramanathan have issued invitations for an "At Home" to be held at College House, Chunnakam in honour of the visit of H. E. the Governor and Lady Stanley on Friday next (tomorrow) at 4 p. m.

KHADDI FUND COLLECTION IN CEYLON.—The total collections of the Khaddi Fund during his tour in Ceylon amounted to Rs. 104,972 4/4. Of this amount Colombo contributed Rs. 40,195 4/3, Galle Rs. 1,991 4/5, Kandy Rs. 7,206 2/9 and Jaffna Rs. 18,200 2/5.

PASSENGERS' INCONVENIENCE IN NORTHERN RAILWAY.—At the last meeting of the Railway Advisory Board held in Colombo the General Manager tabled a memorandum among others on the subject of providing special compartments for coolies on the Northern Line and inadequate third class lighting. Third class passengers are put to lot of inconvenience especially on the Down Colombo day train and the local up train from Irampadu when the railway coolies with spades, marmottes, baskets and what not, getting into all the available third class compartments.

The Jaffna Hindu College.

The Annual General Meeting and the Old Boys day celebrations of the above Association came off on Saturday the 8th instant at 3.30 p. m. at the Vivekananda Society Hall.

The business meeting began at about 4 p. m. with Mr. V. T. S. Sivagurunathan, one of the Vice Presidents in the chair. The election of office bearers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:—

OFFICE BEARERS. President: The Principal; Vice Presidents: Messrs. G. Gomarasamy, C. C. S. G. Sivaprasadam and V. T. S. Sivagurunathan; Secretary: Mr. S. Ramagopal; Asst. Secretary: Mr. M. V. Rangiah; Treasurer: Mr. M. Obellath; Asst. Treasurer: Mr. K. Viswanthamany; Committee: Messrs. V. Paramasivan, M. Veeramuttu, S. Subramaniam, M. C. Nadarajah, S. Rajeswarar, M. Thevambal, S. Amirthalingam, C. S. Mahadeva, R. N. Sivaprasadam, V. A. Kandiah and S. Subramaniam; Auditor: Mr. T. Thiyagarajah.

This was followed by a group photo of all those present. Refreshments were served lavishly and a band of musicians enlivened the occasion with selections of vocal and instrumental music.

FELICITATIONS. Then a public meeting was held with Mr. V. T. S. Sivagurunathan in the chair, and speeches were made by Messrs. H. U. Somasekaram B. A. (London), V. A. Kandiah B. Sc. (London), M. Veeramuttu and T. Thiyagarajah, all of whom dwelt on the duties of old boys towards their Alma Mater, the problem of unemployment and the remedy as far as it affects the Tamil, and also on the management of the College.

The celebrations terminated at about 8 p. m. with a vote of thanks to the authorities of the Vivekananda Society, the Chairman and to all the old boys who were present.

The Salvage of Democracy.

PAST AND PRESENT STATE:

(By Mr. C. Narayana Menon, M. A., Professor Victoria College, Chulipuram)

When James A. Garfield went against his own party in Congress his constituents called upon him for an explanation. They expected an apology, but this was his reply. "I have nothing whatever to retract, and I cannot change my honest conviction for the sake of a seat in Congress. I have great respect for the opinions of my constituents, but greater regard for my own conscience. If I can serve you as an independent representative acting upon my own judgment and convictions, I shall be glad to do so; but, if not, I do not want your nomination." It may be stated that his moral courage in displeasing the constituency was appreciated by the very same people who re-elected him with acclamation. He never sought election. When his friends once begged him to visit his constituency at the time of the elections he flatly refused. "I will never lift a finger for office," was his peremptory reply, "if the people want me, they will elect me." That was Democracy in its healthy state.

LEGISLATION AS A SAFEGUARD

It is a pity that India or Ceylon should have after this sort of Democracy. Mahatma Gandhi in his 'Indian Home Rule' has utterly exposed its evils. But he has not shown the enormity of the evil. If we imitate the West we shall simply combine the evils of both the West and the East. Party politics as practised in England, for example, is bad; but there is room for common sense to enter. Political change parties Parties also change their shape and bulk. But in India and Ceylon religion and birth appear to be the deciding factors in politics. That means that the tyranny minorities have to undergo will be endless and blind. How shall we remedy this? There is only one way. Law must recognise it as the gravest of all crimes if a candidate or his friends should make any appeal to communal prejudices. Caste, creed and colour should be ignored in politics.

CORRUPTION AND BRIBERY IN POLITICS

The first thing to be done, if Democracy is to be rescued, is to prevent corruption. Open bribery is comparatively harmless. There is a kind of incipient bribery the effect of which in public life is baneful. Suppose there is an appointment to be made and that the person in power has an eye on the Council. He generally appoints that applicant who has the greatest number of votes at his back and call whether he is a deserving candidate or not. Or, suppose that a person who desires to be in Council has control over roads. He keeps the roads in his selector's division in perfect order. Or suppose that a man is an M. L. C. or an influential officer in the Agent's office. He tries to procure a Mudaitiyar title or an honorary appointment to some powerful person. There are some who spend from their private pockets to repair temples or tanks with the ultimate intention of getting votes. In reality, they are deceiving the people and mocking God in the bargain. Yet people consider themselves obliged to vote for them. There are men who sell their votes for a joy ride to, and from the polling booth! It is not generally understood how utterly immoral all this is. There are three types of candidates whom no honest man should vote for. He who bunts for popularity is not to be trusted. A person who will adopt the opinions of the people to please them will be pliable in Council also. He who has been holding a position where he could oblige people by recommending them either for titles or for jobs is a candidate for whom we should hesitate to vote. Whether they are dishonest or not, success of such candidates will be an incentive to similar people to misuse their powers. But he who carries on a costly election campaign is only a synonym for rascals; if anything the more so. The more secret the methods, the more dangerous the candidate. In short the idea that votes can be influenced by anything should be explored. Candidates must come to know that the least attempt to canvass votes will mean certain failure.

PATRIOTISM AND NOTHING SHORT OF IT.

A far more important thing is to prevent people from standing for election with any

Our Colombo Letter.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Colombo, Nov. 29.

ALL CEYLON HINDU CONGRESS

It has often been urged that an All Ceylon Hindu Organisation would be of vital importance to the Hindus. But unfortunately, as the case is so always with us, this suggestion received little attention. The fact that very many associations, unions and other similar bodies vanish into obscurity no sooner than they are inaugurated, cannot however be denied, and for this lack of sustained enthusiasm on the part of some, and for the absence of any desire to work in the cause of Hinduism on the part of some others, it should not be reasoned that even the very few youngsters whose blood over runs hot and galvanizes them into activity, should remain indifferent to affairs that would, in the absence of any action, turn out serious and make us blush with shame and sorrow.

The absence of an all Ceylon Hindu organisation was felt very keenly only recently in the heart-rendering elections in the North. The Government agent of Jaffna would have pruned well and thought twice before he heeded certain allegations against the Hindu Priesthood of the North, the Manikgar who visited certain Hindu shrines in the company of the G. A., would have certainly prevailed on the ignorant G. A. not to enter the shrines with shoes on, and would have explained to him that the Hindus are a very orthodox lot and would take task those who tried to desecrate their shrines, had only such an organisation existed.

Ye, kind reader, do not let these words fall on deaf ears. The December vacation, when all Hindu gentlemen who are for the most part of the year away in the provincial towns and the metropolis for purposes of their own meet one another in their own land, would provide excellent opportunity for such an organisation to be inaugurated. The enthusiastic Editor of the Hindu Organ, who has always identified himself sincerely with the cause of Hinduism world, I hope, take up the matter and put enough weight and energy to the proposal and make it a living fact. The Nallic-Kandawamy Temple case would never have cropped up had such a powerful organisation as is in view existed.

PURITY AND KHADDAR.

Though the world famous name of Mahatma Gandhi was a familiar household word in Ceylon long before his recent visit, yet none seemed to have thought very feelingly of the holy mission with which the great saint has been connected. Non-cooperation, Khaddi movement, Swadeshi, Satyagraha, these words were freely used by many, but the rare significance of them was never understood. That the sage was clad in loincloth was mere flattery to the Ceylonese mind. But when the imposing figure dressed in a piece of purest cloth was seen in this fair Isle, then did the wavering minds of us all get awakened to the fact that the Khaddi movement signified something holy, pure and simple. Then did the feeling that this Divine-souled servant of humanity was working out the salvation of millions of poor, permeate the minds of his admirers.

Are we not to derive the full benefit of the visit of a saint? That every cent put into the begging bowl goes to the empty pockets of the starving millions of Mother India is now simply clear. Shall we not supplement our help, shall we not show that our sympathy towards the starving poor does not remain with the giving of a few rupees, by clothing ourselves with that cloth that is woven by the poor but pious brethren whom we had peculiarly helped? Shall we not take up to the spinning wheel, that marvellous instrument that is weaving slowly but steadily the web of Mother India's economic freedom?

The houses in Khaddar is the purity of it, it is simple and charming. It blossoms him that weaves and him that wears. It is the emblem of purity, of simplicity, of independence and of devotion to the Almighty. The Kings and Queens of old, the rulers and the titled all clothed themselves with this historic clothes. The sovereign dandies who stood as the emblem of chivalry spun and wore Khaddar. Are our fingers grown so soft? Have we entirely forgotten our past?

It would certainly be difficult to extricate ourselves from the grinding grip of Western materialism, to rid us of the very passion for glossiness and to discipline ourselves in the oriental fashion we have been taught to firmly believe in.

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other motive than the simple desire to serve the country. Some are attracted by glamour and some make the Council a stepping stone to Government service. Members of Council should be placed out of temptation's way. A law must be passed prohibiting the appointment to any post of, or the award of any title to, a Member of Council. Members should never have any voice in appointments. If they try to muddle with appointments or give recommendation letters, such members should forfeit their seats. Such stringent rules may prevent undesirable men from standing for the Council. At any rate Members will not be pestered with private requests, but will have time to work for the nation.

SERVING TWO MASTERS.

Thirdly, no man can serve two masters. Government servants and pensioners are unfit to be elected. Not that they will abuse their powers to angle for votes. A paid servant has no independence. Hundreds of leaders in India have resigned high offices and given up lucrative practices for serving the nation. If such leaders are not forthcoming it is not worth while sending them. We want men of character who will be humble, whole-hearted and paid workers.

A REFORMATORY FORECAST.

What I have written may seem absurd to those who cannot think of politics except in terms of to-day, but the day is coming when the ideal I now set forth will be the actual.

NOTICE.

In hereby given under sections 26 and 27 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1861: All persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the Office of European, Burgher, and Ceylonese member of the 1. District Road Committee, Jaffna 2. District Road Committee, Mannar, and 3. District Road Committee, Mullaitivu for the three years 1928, 1929 and 1930 are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Northern Province at least 10 days before the day of election. The election will be held on Monday the 20th December 1927 at 1 p.m. at the Jaffna Kachcheri for the Jaffna District Mannar Kachcheri for the Mannar District, and Mullaitivu Kachcheri for the Mullaitivu District C. RASANAYAGAM, for Secretary P. K. C., N. P. Provincial Road Committee's Office, Jaffna, 8th December 1927. G. 848

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6581. In the Matter of the Estate and effects of Varamuttu Sapapathippillai late of Karaitivu East Deceased, Kandappan Sappiramaniam of Karaitivu East Petitioner, Vs. 1. Sapapathippillai Swaminathan and 2. Raxamma daughter of Sapapathippillai 3. Salkachy widow of Sapapathippillai all of Karaitivu East Respondents. The 1st and 2nd Respondents are minors and appear by their Guardian ad litem the 3rd Respondent.

This matter of the Petition of the Petitioner praying that the 3rd Respondent be appointed Guardian ad litem over the 1st and 2nd Respondents for the purpose following and praying for grant of Letters of Administration to the estate of the deceased coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, on October 21, 1927, in the presence of Mr. A. Kanagasabai, Proctor, on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated September 8, 1927, having been read: It is ordered that the 3rd Respondent be and she is hereby appointed Guardian ad litem over the 1st and 2nd Respondents for representing them in the matter of the Administration of the deceased's estate and it is declared that the Petitioner is one of the creditors of the deceased and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the deceased issued to him unless the Respondents shall appear before this Court on November 22, 1927, and show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, October 27, 1927. Order Nisi extended till 13 12 27. O. 1870.

Order Nisi

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6563. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Mary Margaret wife of Thambippillai Vanniasingam of Chuthumalai Deceased, Thambippillai Vanniasingam of Chuthumalai Petitioner, Vs. 1. Vathastromany and 2. Lily Torace daughters of Thambippillai Vanniasingam both of Jaffna town 3. Jobuva Thambippillai of Chuthumalai 4. V. Domingupillai of Mannar and wife 5. Annamma of 5th Cross Street Jaffna 6. J. T. Anthonipillai of Pandianthalam, Jaffna 7. T. Joseph of Jaffna residing with the 4th Respondent at Mannar 8. T. Francis son of P. W. D., Engine Driver, Thalamannar, 9. T. Benedict now residing with Raspoth, Walker Sons Ltd., Colombo and 10. T. Bartholomew of 5th Cross Street Jaffna. Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioner, praying that the 3rd Respondent be appointed Guardian ad litem over the minors the 1st and 2nd Respondents and that Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate be issued to the Petitioner coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on October 7, 1927, in the presence of Mr. G. M. Perampallai Proctor, on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated October 7, 1927, having been read: It is ordered that the abovenamed 3rd Respondent be appointed Guardian ad litem over the minors 1st and 2nd Respondents for the purpose of protecting their interest and of representing them in this case and that the Petitioner be declared entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate as her lawful widow unless the Respondents shall appear before this Court on December 20, 1927, and show cause to the contrary. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, 18th October 1927. 31 11 27. O. 1868.

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Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6595. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Vichaladehappillai widow of Muttukumar of Chulipuram Deceased, Muttukkumar Aramugam of Chulipuram Petitioner, Vs. 1. Muttukkumar Sinniah of Do presently of Contractor, Seramban 2. Muttukkumar Thampou of Do presently, Dresser, Railways, Sental, Kuala Lumpur, F. M. S. Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioner praying for the grant of Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna, on October 17, 1927, in the presence of Mr. B. Candish Proctor, on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated October 11, 1927, having been read: It is ordered that the abovenamed Petitioner be and he is hereby entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased as her son and heir and that such Letters be issued to him accordingly unless the abovenamed Respondents or any others show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary on or before November 29, 1927. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, October 29, 1927. Extended till 24th January 1928. O. 1387.

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6610. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Ponnampalam Vattilingam of Mathagal Deceased, Vattilingam Ponnampalam of Mathagal Petitioner, Vs. 1. Muttupillai widow of Ponnampalam Vattilingam 2. Vattilingam Rajesundaram and 3. Vattilingam Rajaratnam all of Mathagal Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioner praying that Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased be issued to the Petitioner coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on November 7, 1927 in the presence of Mr. Madh. Veluppillai Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated August 9, 1927, having been read: It is ordered that the Petitioner be declared entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him as one of the heirs unless the Respondents or any other persons interested shall appear before this Court on December 18, 1927, and show cause to the contrary. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, November 15, 1927. O. 1869.

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6559. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Theyvaipillai widow of Kanagasabai of Copay South, Jaffna Deceased, Vethavanam Veluppillai of Copay South Petitioner, Vs. 1. Theyvaipillai widow of the Petitioner Vethavanam Veluppillai of Do. 2. Kanagasabai Mallivanam of Copay South, presently of Marawita Estate, Kockikade, Nengombo Respondents.

The Petition of the abovenamed Petitioner praying for grant of Letters of Administration to the estate abovenamed deceased coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire District Judge, Jaffna on September 20, 1927 in the presence of Mr. M. Ramesingam Proctor for Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated October 16, 1927 having been read: It is ordered that the abovenamed Petitioner be the son in law of the abovenamed deceased, being the husband of an heir of the deceased namely the 1st Respondent and is entitled to have Letters of Administration in respect of the estate of the abovenamed deceased issued to him accordingly, unless the Respondents or any others shall on or before November 8, 1927, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, October 11, 1927. Time extended 15th Dec, 1927. O. 1873.

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MANNAR. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 388. In the Matter of the Estate of Philippupillai Avarampillai late of Kokkupudayan Deceased, Avarampillai Pakkiasather of Kokkupudayan Petitioner, Vs. 1. Somanai widow of Avarampillai 2. Sivanimal daughter of Avarampillai 3. Avarampillai Aasaratham, all of Kokkupudayan Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of Avarampillai Pakkiasather of Kokkupudayan, praying for Letters of Administration to the Estate of the abovenamed deceased Philippupillai Avarampillai coming on for disposal before C. E. Jones Esquire, District Judge, on November 24, 1927, in the presence of Mr. S. Mudir, Annam Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated November 24, 1927, having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is one of the heirs of the said intestate and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him unless the Respondents or any other person shall on or before December 20, 1927, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary. It is further declared that the 1st Respondent be appointed Guardian ad litem of the 2nd and 3rd Respondents for the purpose of representing them in these proceedings unless the respondents abovenamed shall on or before the said date show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary. C. E. Jones, District Judge, November 24, 1927. O. 1874.

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6567. In the Matter of the Estate and effects of V. Kanthar Arumugam late of Kandy Deceased, Thagamuttu widow of V. Kanthar Arumugam of Karaitivu West Petitioner, Vs. 1. Arumugam Nadarajah 2. Maraspathy daughter of Arumugam 3. Sivapakkiam daughter of Arumugam 4. Parapathy daughter of Arumugam 5. Vinsaykar Kanthar all of Karaitivu West Respondents.

The 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Respondents are minors and appear by their Guardian ad litem the 5th Respondent. This matter of the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioner praying that the 5th Respondent be appointed Guardian ad litem over the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Respondents for the purpose following and praying for grant of Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna, on October 22, 1927, in the presence of Mr. A. Kanagasabai, Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated May 27, 1927 having been read: It is ordered that the 5th Respondent be and he is hereby appointed Guardian ad litem over the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Respondents for representing them in the matter of the administration of the estate of the deceased and it is declared that the Petitioner is the widow of the deceased and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the deceased issued to her unless the Respondents shall on December 1, 1927 show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, November 15, 1927. Order Nisi extended till 13 12 28. O. 1871.

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6294. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Achobipillai wife of Kanagasabai of Vannarponne West Deceased, Ponniah Kanagasabai of Vannarponne West Petitioner, Vs. 1. Tharalkannu daughter of Kanagasabai 2. Kanagasabai Thirnavukkarasu and 3. Naganuttu widow of Naganuttu of Vannarponne West. The 1st and 2nd Respondents are minors by their Guardian ad litem the 3rd Respondent Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of Ponniah Kanagasabai of Vannarponne West praying for Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased Achobipillai wife of Kanagasabai of Vannarponne West coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, on November 8, 1926 in the presence of Mr. K. Sivaprasanna, Proctor on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner, dated August 21, 1926 having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is the husband of the said intestate and is entitled to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him unless the Respondents or any other person shall, on or before November 1, 1927, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, October 4, 1927. Times for showing cause is extended to 13th December 1927. G. W. W. District Judge, O. 1872.

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Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6587. In the Matter of the Estate of the late Theivanni widow of Kanagasabai Alvapillai of Thunthai North Deceased, Velappan Sidamparappillai of Puloi East Petitioner, Vs. 1. Sinnappodiam Thampam of Thunthai North 2. Alvapillai Vallipuram of do Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of the abovenamed Petitioner praying for obtaining Letters of Administration to the estate of the abovenamed deceased Theivanni widow of Kanagasabai Alvapillai coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, on October 11, 1927, in the presence of Mr. S. Subramaniam Proctor, on the part of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the said Petitioner having been read: It is ordered that the 1st Respondent be appointed guardian ad litem over the 2nd Respondent for the purpose of representing him in the testamentary proceedings and that the Petitioner be and he is hereby declared entitled as a claimant of the said deceased to administer the estate of the said deceased and that Letters of Administration do issue to him accordingly unless the Respondents abovenamed or any other person shall on or before December 23, 1927, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary. G. W. Woodhouse, District Judge, November 18, 1926. O. 1875.

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