

Reference made in the
District Court of Batticaloa.

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BATTICALOA LAWYERS' ASSOCIATION

We meet on this day to express our sorrow on the passing away of Mr. Mylvaganam last Thursday. It is very difficult to come across people of the category of Mr. Mylvaganam. I really got a shock when I heard of his sudden death as I was not aware of the radio news and I was also not in Batticaloa then.

I feel that it is my duty to express a few words on behalf of the members of this Bar. Sir! It is very necessary to refer to the life and works of Mr. Mylvaganam which is unique. He had full control of the work which he had performed very satisfactorily and by his sudden death a great loss has been caused to all his clients. He never got tired and whenever he was presenting a case, he absorbed himself so deeply and so intensely in the case that it was so easy for his clients to get a victory. When Mr. Mylvaganam appeared in this court, he always showed himself to be a man of dignity, a man of good heart and a Learned Lawyer. I have known him well. Whenever I appeared with him in cases, I came to know the characteristics of him which made him a great Lawyer. As a Lawyer he had performed good work for his people. He was always willing to give advise, and was a very obliging type of person. He had functioned, as a Chairman of the M. P. C. S., Director - People's Bank. Chairman - Co-operative Provincial Bank and Chairman of the Hospital Committee and had held various other honorary posts. He served in these capacities to the full satisfaction of all. It is our duty to express our sympathies to his devoted wife and children at the sudden passing away of Mr. Mylvaganam. May I request that a copy of this reference be forwarded to his bereaved widow and children.

