



Ceylon Government Gazette

Published by Authority.

No. 6,178—FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1907.

PART I.—General: Minutes, Proclamations, Appointments, and General Government Notifications.
PART II.—Legal and Judicial.

PART III.—Provincial Administration.
PART IV.—Land Settlement.
PART V.—Mercantile, Marine, Municipal, Local, &c.

Separate paging is given to each Part in order that it may be filed separately.

Part I.—Minutes, Proclamations, Appointments, &c.

	PAGE		PAGE
Minutes by the Governor	—	Miscellaneous Departmental Notices	261
Proclamations by the Governor	255	Notices calling for Tenders	—
Appointments by the Governor	256	Contracts for Supplies of Stores	—
Appointments, &c., of Registrars	257	Sales of Unserviceable Articles	264
Government Notifications	258	Registrar-General's Vital Statistics	—
Revenue and Expenditure Returns	—	Meteorological Returns	Suppl.
Notices by the Currency Commissioners	—	Books registered under Ordinance No. 1 of 1885	—

PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

IN the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY ARTHUR BLAKE, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY A. BLAKE.

WHEREAS by section 28 of "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," it is amongst other things enacted that Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden by one of the Judges thereof, or by a Commissioner of Assize duly appointed under the provisions of the said Ordinance, for each of the Circuits into which the Island is divided for hearing, trying, and determining all prosecutions which shall be commenced against any person for or in respect of any crime or offence or alleged crime or offence—

For the Southern Circuit, twice at least at Galle and such other places in such Circuit as the Governor, after previous consultation with the Judges, shall appoint; such Sessions commencing at Galle on April 25 and September 15 in every year:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient to order that a Criminal Session of the Supreme Court should be holden on the day hereinafter mentioned, at Matara, a place included within the said Southern Circuit:

Now therefore know Ye that We, the said Governor, for sufficient reasons to Us appearing, and after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, do order and appoint that a Criminal Session of the Supreme Court shall be holden at Matara, in the said Southern Circuit, on or about Wednesday, the Fifteenth day of May, One thousand Nine hundred and Seven.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Third day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Seven.

By His Excellency's command,

G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

8481
DEC 1999
NATIONAL LIBRARY AND
DOCUMENTATION CENTRE

In the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY ARTHUR BLAKE, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY A. BLAKE.

WHEREAS by section 28 of "The Courts Ordinance, 1889," it is amongst other things enacted that Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court shall be holden by one of the Judges thereof, or by a Commissioner of Assize duly appointed under the provisions of the said Ordinance, for each of the Circuits into which the Island is divided for the hearing, trying, and determining all prosecutions which shall be commenced against any person for or in respect of any crime or offence or alleged crime or offence—

For the Southern Circuit, twice at least at Galle and such other places in such Circuit as the Governor, after previous consultation with the Judges, shall appoint; such Sessions commencing at Galle on April 25 and September 15 in every year:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient to order that a Criminal Session of the Supreme Court should be holden on the day hereinafter mentioned, at Tangalla, a place included within the said Southern Circuit:

Now therefore know Ye that We, the said Governor, for sufficient reasons to Us appearing, and after previous consultation with the Judges of the Supreme Court, do order and appoint that a Criminal Session of the Supreme Court shall be holden at Tangalla, in the said Southern Circuit, on or about Tuesday, the Twenty-eighth day of May, One thousand Nine hundred and Seven.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Third day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Seven.

By His Excellency's command,

G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 116 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. H. L. CRAWFORD, C.M.G., to act as Treasurer, Commissioner of Stamps, Chief Commissioner of the Loan Board, and as a Director of the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund, with effect from the 5th April, 1907, during the absence on leave of the Hon. Mr. H. C. NICOLLE.

Mr. E. B. ALEXANDER, Superintendent of Police, Southern Province, to be Acting Inspector-General of Police, with effect from the 29th instant, during the absence on leave of Mr. C. C. LONGDEN or until further orders, and while so acting to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Island.

Mr. A. C. GODFREY to act as Superintendent of Police, Southern Province, with effect from the 29th instant, and while so acting to be a Justice of the

Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Province.

Mr. J. ELSTONE to act as Assistant Superintendent of Police, Northern Province, with effect from the 29th instant, and while so acting to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Province.

Mr. ALLAN DRIEBERG to act as Commissioner of Requests, Colombo; Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo; and Additional District Judge, Colombo, from the 8th to the 21st April, 1907, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. J. S. DRIEBERG on leave or until further orders.

Mr. F. W. DE SILVA to act, in addition to his own duties, as Commissioner of Requests, Matara, and Visitor of the Prison at Matara, from the 8th to the 14th April, 1907, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. P. B. GODAMUNE on leave or until further orders.

Mr. C. H. B. ALTENDORFF to act as Police Magistrate, Matara, from the 30th March to the 2nd April, 1907, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. P. B. GODAMUNE from the station.

Mr. F. J. DE VOS to act as Additional Police Magistrate and Additional Municipal Magistrate, Galle, on the 30th and 31st March, 1907, during the absence of Mr. F. W. DE SILVA from the station.

Mr. G. F. R. BROWNING to be Additional Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, for the 6th April, 1907, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. L. S. WOOLF to act, in addition to his own duties, as Assistant Collector and Landing Surveyor, Customs, Jaffna, and Assistant Master Attendant of the port of Jaffna, with effect from the 27th March, 1907, during the employment of Mr. J. H. LEAK on other duty or until further orders.

Mr. L. S. WOOLF to be Additional Assistant Superintendent of Prisons, Northern Province, with effect from the 27th March, 1907, until further orders, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. J. A. G. RODRIGO to act as Superintendent of the Government Dairy and Model Farm from the 19th March, 1907, during the absence of Mr. G. W. STURGESS on leave.

Mr. R. A. POWELL to be an Official Member of the Local Board, Ratnapura, *vice* Mr. C. F. EMERSON.

Mr. G. THORNTON PETT to be a Visitor to the Neboda Hospital, in place of Mr. H. A. TIPPLE, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,
G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 5, 1907.

No. 117 of 1907.

IT is notified for information that Captain HENRY THOMAS SIMPSON WARD's resignation of his

Commission in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps has been accepted by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

By His Excellency's command,

G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 3, 1907.

No. 118 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps:—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant ERSKINE KNIGHT SMITH, *vice* WARD, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 3, 1907.

No. 119 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. CASINATAR KONAMALAI to be an Inquirer for the division of Manmunai Pattu North, Batticaloa District.

By His Excellency's command,

G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 28, 1907.

No. 120 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. KURAGAMA APPU-HAMILLAGE CHARLES LAWSON PERERA EKANAYAKE of Nugegoda to be a Notary Public throughout Bintenna division of the Badulla District, with residence and office at Alutnuwara, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,

G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 28, 1907.

APPOINTMENTS. &c. OF REGISTRARS.

THE following appointments under sections 2 and 3 of the Ordinances Nos. 19 and 23 of 1900, respectively, are hereby notified:—

The Provincial Registrar, Western Province, Colombo, has appointed Mr. VICTOR EMMANUEL ABAYAKON to act as Registrar of Marriages of Colombo town within the Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from the 27th March, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. F. W. M. KARUNARATNE, Mudaliyar, on other duty. His office will be at the Colombo Kachcheri.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON BASTIAN SENANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Talpitibadda division and as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Panadure totamuna division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for ten days from the 29th

March, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, DON JUWANIS DE SILVA NANAYAKKARA, on leave. His office will be at Kosgahawatta in Mahawila.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed DELKANDURE DANAPALA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA of Getahetta to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Marambe division of Kuruwiti korale, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for twenty days from the 1st April, 1907, *vice* W. M. KIRI BANDA, resigned. His office will be at Koswatta *alias* Walawwewatta in Getahetta.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
for Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 4, 1907.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that the Board of Health of the Central Province has, in terms of section 7 of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," made and assessed a rate of 4 per cent. per annum for the year 1907 on the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description and all lands and tenements whatsoever within the town of Teldeniya, in the Kandy District, Central Province, save such as are by the said section of the said Ordinance exempted from the payment of such rate.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 27, 1907.

By His Excellency's command,
G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 7 of the Village Communities' Ordinance, No. 24 of 1889, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following rules made, under the provisions of section 16 of the said Ordinance, by the Committee elected by the inhabitants of the subdivision of Perunkalippattu, in the District of Mannar, Northern Province, and the same are published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 3, 1907.

By His Excellency's command,
G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

VILLAGE COMMITTEE RULES.

I.—GENERAL.

1. The Committee shall meet upon such days as the Chairman shall fix for the transaction of business.
2. All general orders issued by the Committee shall be subject to the approval of the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar.
3. All notices required to be published under the Village Communities' Ordinance shall be published by beat of tom-tom for a period of not less than eight days prior to the date referred to in such notice, and written notices may be affixed in conspicuous places in the villages.
4. The Chairman and the Committee of the subdivision shall frame a list for the subdivision of all works required, distinguishing at their discretion between—
 - (a) Those in which the whole subdivision is interested; and
 - (b) Those in which part or parts only of the subdivision are interested—
 and this list shall be settled, altered, or amended at their discretion; and the decision of the Committee, as set forth in such list, shall be final on the question as to whether the whole subdivision or what part or parts of the subdivision is or are interested.
5. Every male inhabitant of the subdivision between the ages of sixteen and sixty shall be liable to contribute towards communal works.
6. The Committee of the subdivision shall decide the nature and extent of the work to be performed under the preceding rules, the time when such work shall be performed, and the number of days' labour that each person liable to contribute shall contribute towards it.
7. If any person is unwilling to work, he can commute his labour by payment of 50 cents for each day.
8. Priests of all religions, immigrant coolies from India, beggars, and persons unable to work residing within the subdivision shall be exempted from performing work under these rules, as shall also those exempted from payment of road tax, provided that this latter exemption shall not apply to youths between the ages of 16 and 18 and adults between the ages of 55 and 60.

9. Every person liable to contribute labour under these rules for any of the purposes mentioned herein shall contribute such labour, or pay its commuted value when duly noticed by the headman of his village to do so.

II.—COMMUNAL WORKS.

10. Should the Committee decide on the necessity for any public well, market, village tribunal, court-house, watering-place, kalai, or burial ground, it shall be constructed by the joint labour of all the male inhabitants of the village between the ages of 16 and 60. The Assistant Government Agent, Mannar, shall however be competent to cause such works to be executed from the balance of fine money, if any be available.

11. If the Committee shall decide on the establishment of a school on application made by not less than twenty-five parents or guardians of male or female children, the school house shall be built and repaired at the expense of the villagers residing within a radius of three miles from the site of the school house.

12. All children between the ages of 7 and 13, or in the case of Moor boys attending a Koran school between the ages of 9 and 13, living within a radius of three miles of such schools as those referred to in rule 11 shall be sent to such schools by their parents or guardians.

13. All wells, turavus, &c., shall be surrounded by a fence or wall at least three feet in height to be erected by the owners, or if for public use, by such persons as the Committee shall decide. All abandoned wells, &c., shall be filled up by or at the cost of the owners. The ground surrounding the wells shall be kept clean and free of water by filling up and sloping with earth. The sweeps of public wells shall be kept in repair by the village, of private wells by the owners.

14. All adult male inhabitants of a village and all proprietors, whether male or female, of fields in the village shall keep the paths leading from their village to the neighbouring villages clear of obstruction, bushes, &c., to a width of not less than six feet, half way between their village and their neighbouring villages.

III.—CULTIVATION.

15. Each proprietor shall erect a proper watch hut in his share of a field, and shall watch his share until all the paddy in the field is reaped.

16. Each proprietor shall assist in fencing the field in proportion to his share in the field; the fence shall be made sufficiently strong to keep out cattle, and all cultivators shall put up their fences before beginning to cultivate; and each proprietor shall see that his portion of the fence is kept in proper order throughout the kalapokam season until the crop is finally reaped, whether he cultivates his share or not, unless his share be cultivated by some other proprietor.

17. All the shareholders of each threshing-floor shall put up a strong stake fence round it and keep up the fence till all the paddy is threshed. Each proprietor shall watch the threshing-floor, though his own paddy shall have been threshed, for at least fourteen days after his paddy has been threshed.

18. If a proprietor absent himself at the sowing season, or neglect to cultivate his share, it may be cultivated by the other proprietors or by one of them, as the majority may decide, free of rent for that season, and all the duties required of the owner, except annual tank labour, must be performed by the person cultivating for that season. In the event of the share of an absentee not being cultivated by the other shareholders, the proprietor himself shall perform all the duties required of a proprietor, whether he cultivates the land or not.

19. No proprietor shall employ any substitute or "varakkudi" who is in the service of another proprietor as "varakkudi" without the consent of such other proprietor.

20. No shareholder shall be bound to cultivate for the "idaippokam" or "sirupokam," and all the duties regarding the watching and fencing of the "idaippokam" or "sirupokam" shall be performed by those proprietors alone who have undertaken to cultivate for these harvests; and any shareholder sowing for the "idaippokam" or "sirupokam" shall perform all such duties until the whole of the "idaippokam" or "sirupokam" is reaped, whether his own share succeed or not.

21. The upkeep of water-courses and channels inside the fields shall be maintained by the proprietors of the shares through which they lead, whether such shares be cultivated or not.

22. It shall not be lawful for any one to cultivate any portion of a tank bed, unless he be the owner of a field irrigated by such tank, and shall have obtained a permit in that behalf from the Assistant Government Agent, Mannar.

IV.—CATTLE.

23. All buffaloes shall be driven to a distance from the field during the cultivation season, and shall have wooden bells attached to their necks, and all known fence breakers or dangerous animals shall be yoked with others.

24. Proprietors of buffaloes, black cattle, goats, and sheep shall not suffer their cattle, goats, or sheep to trespass on the cultivation of any neighbouring village, nor shall they fold their cattle or drive them to pasture near the cultivation of or within the limits of any neighbouring village.

25. All persons licensed by the Government Agent to pasture cattle from Jaffna and other places near cultivated fields shall be subject to these rules, and liable to the same penalties as the cultivators for breach of them.

26. No cattle shall be removed from any village in the subdivision where there is cattle disease to or through any other village of the subdivision.

27. Every proprietor or herdsman in the subdivision shall be bound to separate every sick head of cattle belonging to him from the common herd and put it in a secluded place to be determined by the headman, and to disinfect such place by fire or otherwise as the Committee may direct. In case of any head of cattle dying a natural death or by sickness the proprietor or herdsman shall bury or completely burn the carcass without loss of time, and should the proprietor or herdsman be absent from the village at the time such head of cattle died, the headman shall forthwith proceed to bury or completely burn the carcass at the expense of the proprietor. If the proprietor is not known, the expense shall be met from the Communal Funds.

28. Every proprietor of cattle or herdsman who has a case of murrain or other contagious cattle disease amongst his cattle shall report the same to the headman without delay, and such headman shall see to the due observance of the rules and shall report the same to the Committee.

29. Bulls intended to be reserved for breeding purposes shall be submitted for the approval of the Committee, and if approved, a certificate of approval shall be given by the Chairman to the owner. It is to be understood that only the best and finest animal will be approved.

30. All male black cattle, not being certified bulls, shall be properly castrated within the period to be determined by the Committee, and it shall be competent for the Chairman to order the immediate performance of the operation.

31. Castration shall be performed by persons having a certificate from the Government Agent as competent to perform the operation, but this is not to interfere with the right of owners to castrate their own cattle.

V.—INDIVIDUAL.

32. No person shall do any injury to, or permit to be fouled with rubbish, &c., waste or other land set apart for the common pasturage of cattle or for any other common purposes.

33. All householders shall keep their houses clean and their compounds clear of weeds and rubbish. Fences must be kept down to a man's height.

34. Boundaries of all private lands within the subdivision shall be marked by fences, ditches, or by burying stones according to the custom of the subdivision. Such boundaries shall be put up at the joint expense of the owners of both sides thereof.

35. No person shall alter, deface, or wilfully injure any such boundary.

36. No person shall foul a well, spring, or tank of water used for drinking purposes.

37. No person affected with a contagious disease shall bathe at a public well or ferry or tank.

38. The proprietors of paddy lands shall see that all the public paths leading through the paddy lands in the subdivision are not less than three feet in breadth. No person shall cut such path with intent of narrowing or defacing it.

39. No person shall deface a village path that has been in existence for ten years, or cause any damage to such a path.

40. No person shall use indecent or abusive language likely to cause annoyance to the neighbours or provoke a breach of the peace.

41. It shall not be lawful for any one to engage in gambling or cock fighting, or allow other persons to do so in his house or premises.

42. No person shall commit a nuisance on any path or public place.

43. Dead bodies shall not be buried or burnt, except in the usual places or in such places as may hereafter be assigned for the purpose. It shall be the duty of the village headman to keep the Committee informed of such places of burying or burning, and the Committee shall issue directions for the due fencing and clearing of such grounds.

VI.—PENALTY.

44. Any breach of the above rules renders the offender liable to a fine.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

PUBLICATIONS FOR SALE at the Government
Record Office, Colombo:—

Legal.

A NEW AND REVISED EDITION OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF CEYLON,
containing theProclamations, Regulations, Ordinances, and Charters
in force in Ceylon on the 12th day of October, 1900.

Rs. c.

Vol. II.—Ordinances 1 of 1880 to 24 of 1889,
bound in leather .. 7 50Vol. III.—Ordinances 3 of 1890 to 8 of 1900,
bound in leather .. 7 50

(Vol. I. is out of print.)

Analytical Index, bound in boards .. 7 50
Do. unbound .. 7 0

Volume IV.

Part 2.—Ordinances 13 of 1901 to 13 of 1902 .. 0 70

Part 3.—Ordinances 14 of 1902 to 5 of 1903 .. 0 25

Part 4.—Ordinances 6 of 1903 to 13 of 1904 .. 0 40

Part 5.—Ordinances 14 of 1904 to 21 of 1905 .. 0 45

Part 6.—Ordinances 22 of 1905 to 28 of 1906.. 0 80

(Part I. of Vol. IV. is out of print.)

LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS (OLD EDITION).

Ordinances 5 of 1894 to 3 of 1895 .. 0 75

Ordinances 4 of 1895 to 4 of 1896 .. 1 0

Ordinances 18 of 1898 to 3 of 1899 .. 0 25

Ordinances 4 of 1899 to 8 of 1900 .. 1 0

Special Editions of the following, with tables of
Sections and Indices, in paper covers, are
obtainable:—

The Penal Code (2 of 1883) .. 2 0

Do. in Sinhalese or Tamil, each .. 1 0

The Courts Ordinance (1 of 1889) .. 0 50

The Criminal Procedure Code (15 of 1898) .. 3 0

The Evidence Ordinance (14 of 1895) .. 0 60

Separate copies of Ordinances (in English where
available, and, where translations have been
published, in Sinhalese and Tamil) may be
obtained at 5 cents for every 8 pages or
portion thereof.

Municipal Councils' Ordinance (7 of 1887) .. 0 50

Tiruwilangam's Digest of Cases, 1820-95,
Parts 1 to 7 .. 7 50Tiruwilangam's Digest of Cases, 1820-95,
Parts 8 to 14 .. 7 50

Balasingham's Digest, 1895 to 1903, in 13 Parts .. 21 0

Laws of Ceylon, Vol. I. .. 10 0

Do. Vol. II. .. 15 0

Colonial and Departmental Papers.

Copies of Government Minutes, Notifications,
Regulations, &c., for every 8 pages octavo or
4 pages quarto .. 0 5Epitome of Government Minutes, Circulars,
and Notifications, 1872-87 .. 1 0

Do. 1888-95 .. 0 50

Epitome of Proclamations, Notifications, &c.,
promulgated during 1894 .. 1 0

Do. do. 1895.. .. 0 40

Do. do. 1896.. .. 0 75

Do. do. 1897.. .. 0 50

Do. do. 1898.. .. 0 70

Rs. c.

Epitome of Proclamations, Notifications, &c.,
promulgated during 1899.. .. 0 70

Do. do. 1900.. .. 0 80

Do. do. 1901.. .. 0 65

Do. do. 1902 to 1905, each .. 1 0

Colonial Office List (annual).. .. 10 50

Ceylon Civil List (annual) .. 1 0

Ceylon Blue Book (annual) .. 10 0

Administration Reports (annual), bound
volumes up to 1903, each .. 10 0

For 1904 and 1905, each set of two vols. .. 15 0

Administration Reports: single reports, each 4
pages .. 0 5

Sessional Papers, bound volumes .. 10 0

Do. single papers, each 4 pages .. 0 5

Index to Sessional Papers, 1855 to 1894 .. 0 35

Do. do. 1895 to 1904 .. 0 35

Reports of the Temple Lands Commissioners,
1857 to 1858 .. 0 50Papers relating to Buddhist Temporalities,
1876 .. 1 0

Census of Ceylon, 1901, in 4 Volumes, each Vol. .. 10 0

Governors' Addresses, Vol. III., 1877-1890 .. 10 0

Do. Vol. IV., 1890-1903 .. 10 0

Review of the Administration of Ceylon from
1896 to 1903, by Governor Sir West Ridgeway .. 2 0Register of Books printed in Ceylon and regis-
tered under Ordinance No. 1 of 1885:—

Part I., 1885-88 .. 1 20

Part II., 1888-92 .. 1 40

Part III., 1892-94 .. 1 50

Part IV., 1894-97 .. 1 50

Part V., 1898-1901 .. 2 0

Part VI., 1902-1905 .. 2 0

Ceylon Post Office Guide (annual) .. 0 50

Dutch Memoir, Pielat, 1734 .. 0 25

Final Report, St. Louis .. 1 0

Gazetteers, Maps, &c.

Gazetteer of the Western Province .. 0 50

District Manuals:—

Mannar, by the late W. J. S. Boake, C.C.S. .. 1 0

Uva, by H. White, C.C.S. .. 2 50

Nuwara Eliya, by C. J. R. Le Mesurier, C.C.S. .. 5 0

Vanni Districts, by J. P. Lewis, C.C.S. .. 5 0

North-Central Province, by R. W. Ievers,
C.C.S. .. 2 50

Mannar Gazetteer .. 2 50

District Maps:—

Mannar, Matara, Kurunegala, Chilaw, and
Puttalam, each .. 1 50Kandy, Matale, Nuwara Eliya, Jaffna, Galle,
Ratnapura, and North-Central Province,
each .. 2 0Batticaloa, Kegalla, Uva, and Hambantota,
each .. 2 50

Archæology, &c.

Dr. Müller's Report on Inscriptions of Ceylon:—

Text .. 5 0

Plates .. 5 0

Architectural Remains of Anuradhapura (with
Plates), by J. G. Smither, F.R.I.B.A.:—

In boards .. 40 0

In cloth .. 60 0

	Rs. c.
Return of Architectural and Archæological Remains and other Antiquities in Ceylon ..	1 20
Reports on the Archæological Survey of Ceylon :—	
Kegalla District ..	6 0
Anuradhapura (I.) ..	0 50
Do. (II.) ..	1 0
Do. (III.) ..	1 65
Do. (IV.) ..	1 0
Do. (VI.) ..	2 0
Do. (VII.) ..	4 0
Annual Reports on the Archæological Survey of Ceylon, 1890-1900, each ..	0 50
Summary of operations, with Maps and Plans ..	2 50
Epigraphia Zeylanica, Vol. I., Part I. ..	4 0
Natural History, &c.	
Report on Brown Scale (or Bug) on Coffee ..	1 0
The Green-Scale Bug in connection with the Cultivation of Coffee.—Observations by Mr. E. Ernest Green (illustrated) ..	1 0
The Flora of Ceylon, by Dr. Trimen: Parts III., IV., and V. (with Plates), each Part ..	20 0
The Kitul Palm and its Uses, by T. B. Pohath-Kehelpannala ..	0 15
Coconut Cultivation (in Sinhalese) ..	0 50
Lepidoptera of Ceylon, in 13 Parts (with coloured Plates) .. each Part	14 50
Report on the Ceylon Pearl Fisheries ..	1 35
Practical Physiological Chemistry ..	2 0
Report on the Mineralogical Survey, 1904-5 ..	0 25
Oriental Literature.	
The Mahawansa :—	
Sinhalese Translation, Part II. ..	5 0
Wijesinha's English Translation of Part II. with Turnour's Translation of Part I. ..	7 50
The Mahawansa Tika, with Mahawansa Pali ..	7 50
Saddharmalankaraya (Sinhalese) ..	2 0
Extract from the "Pujawaliya" (English) ..	1 0
Do. do. (Sinhalese) ..	0 75
Nitinighanduwa (English) ..	1 0
Do. (Sinhalese) ..	1 0
Kawsilumina (Sinhalese) ..	1 50
Abhidhanappadipika, a Dictionary of the Pali Language ..	3 0
Catalogue of Pali, Sinhalese, and Sanskrit Manuscripts in Temple Libraries ..	0 50
Catalogue of Pali, Sinhalese, and Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Colombo Museum Library ..	1 0
Catalogue of the Colombo Museum Library: Printed Books ..	1 0
Supplement No. 1 ..	0 75
Supplement No. 2 ..	0 75
Alwis's Descriptive Catalogue of Sanskrit, Pali, and Sinhalese Works ..	5 0
The Rajawaliya; or, a Historical Narrative of Sinhalese Kings (in English and in Sinhalese) each ..	0 75
The Tesawalamai ..	0 50
Dravidian Comparative Grammar ..	13 0
Glossary of Native Words occurring in Official Documents (second edition) ..	0 50
Do. (third edition) ..	0 30
Do. (revised edition, 1904) ..	0 30
Pybus's Mission to Kandy ..	0 50
Papers on the Custom of Polyandry as practised in Ceylon ..	0 15
Old Sinhalese Embroidery, a short account of ..	0 40
Rules, Tables, Tariffs, &c.	
Regulations under the Trade Marks Ordinance ..	0 15
Petroleum Rules ..	0 10
Customs Monthly Returns (single copy) ..	1 0
Do. (12 months' subscription) ..	10 0
Customs Tariff ..	0 10

	Rs. c.
Index to Customs Tariff ..	0 25
Customs Regulations ..	0 25
Rules of the Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association ..	0 10
Tables for calculating Pensions under the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund ..	0 50
Exchange Compensation Tables ..	0 50
Headman's Act Book (English) ..	1 0
Do. (Sinhalese) ..	1 0
Do. (Tamil) ..	1 0
Salary Computer ..	1 0
Railway Pocket Time and Fare Tables ..	0 10
Railway Fare and Rate Tables ..	0 50
Do. Supplementary List ..	0 10

Application for any publication in the above List should be made to the *Government Recordkeeper*, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, and should be accompanied by payment in advance.

Payment should be made by Post Office Order, Government Draft, or Cheque on a Colombo Bank. *Stamps will not be accepted in payment.*

A. G. CLAYTON,
Government Recordkeeper.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 20, 1907.

THE CEYLON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

Published every Friday.

Rs. 3 per quarter.—Single copy, 25 c.

Subscriptions booked in advance by the Government Printer to end of a quarter only.

Charges for approved Advertisements (payable in Advance to the Government Printer).

	Rs. c.
For small notices not exceeding 20 lines of single column, averaging 9 words to a line ..	2 50
21 lines to 40 lines ..	4 0
41 lines to 50 lines ..	5 0
51 lines to 60 lines ..	6 0
61 lines to 70 lines ..	7 0
One column ..	7 50
One page ..	15 0

For second and third consecutive insertions, two-thirds and one-half, respectively, of the above rates. Cheques on outstation Banks must include usual Bank commission.

Postage stamps are not accepted in payment for advertisements.

Advertisements should reach the Government Printer *before noon on Thursday*.

THE NEW LAW REPORTS.

Subscription, Rs. 10 per volume of twelve Parts and Digest, payable in advance to the Government Printer.

Volumes I. to VIII. available; Volume IX. being printed.

THE SUPREME COURT CIRCULAR.

(Discontinued December, 1891.) Rs. c.

Volume I., unbound ..	3 25
Volumes II., III., IV., V., VIII., and IX., unbound, each ..	6 50
(Vols. VI. and VII. are out of print.)	

FOR ALL OTHER GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS

application should be made to the Government Recordkeeper, Secretariat, Colombo.

February 20, 1907. H. C. COTTLE,
Government Printer.

COLOMBO WEEKLY HEALTH REPORT.

THE weekly return of births and deaths in the Colombo town for the week ended March 30, 1907, is subjoined (A).

Births.—The total births were 75. The birth-rate per 1,000 was 22·1,* as against 28·6 in the preceding week and 25·0 in the corresponding week of last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths were 115. The death-rate per 1,000 was 33·9,* as against 31·0 in the previous week and 35·8 in the corresponding week of last year.

Causes of death.—No person died from cholera, smallpox, or measles; 12 died from diarrhoea and dysentery; 35 from phthisis, bronchitis, and pneumonia; 9 from different kinds of fever; and 12 from infantile convulsions.

Infantile deaths.—Of the 115 total deaths, 27 were of infants under 1 year of age, as against 19 in the corresponding week of the previous year.

2. The numbers of births and deaths registered in nineteen other principal towns are shown in list B.

* Calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1907.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 4, 1907.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
for Registrar-General.

A.—Colombo Town.

Ward.	Population at the Census, 1901.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.			Death-rate per Mille per Annum.			Selected Cause of Death for the Week under Report.					Deaths of Infants under 1 Year.					
				Week under Report.	Preceding Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.	Week under Report.	Preceding Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.	Cholera.	Smallpox.	Measles.	Enteric Fever.	Other Fevers.	Diarrhoea and Dysentery.	Phthisis, Bronchitis, and Pneumonia.	Infantile Convulsions.	Week under Report.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.	Still Births.
Colombo Town	155,869	75	115	22·1	28·6	25·0	33·9	31·0	35·8	—	—	—	6	3	12	35	12	27	19	8
Fort and Galle																				
Face ...	2,285	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pettah ...	7,561	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Sebastian ...	9,349	5	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Paul's ...	20,260	6	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	2	—	—	—
Kotahena ...	33,355	9	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	4	3	—	—	—
New Bazaar ...	17,470	4	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	3	2	—	—	—
Maradana ...	30,381	*15 †19	*33 †18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	6	6	—	—	—	—
Slave Island ...	16,927	6	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	5	—	—	—	—
Kollupitiya ...	18,281	10	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—

* Maradana hospitals.

† Maradana, exclusive of hospitals.

Race.	Population at the Census of 1901.	Births.	Deaths.	Meteorology.	Week under Report.	Preceding Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.
All races	155,869	75	115				
Europeans	2,657	4	3	Mean temperature of air	83·5°	82·3°	83·9°
Burghers	11,861	11	7	Mean atmospheric pressure	29·983"	29·985"	29·942"
Sinhalese	68,772	40	54				
Tamils	34,646	6	26				
Moors	28,898	9	19				
Malays	4,493	5	3				
Others	4,548	—	3				

	Population at the Census, 1901.	Births registered.	Deaths registered.
A.—Colombo	155,869	75	115
B.—Other Towns.			
1. Negombo	19,819	7	13
2. Kalutara	11,500	9	10
3. Kandy	26,511	15	19
4. Gampola	3,791	2	3
5. Nawalapitiya	3,454	4	12
6. Matale	4,951	3	9
7. Nuwara Eliya	5,072	3	4
8. Jaffna	33,879	18	22
9. Galle	37,165	21	36
10. Matara	11,848	13	1
11. Batticaloa	9,969	4	4
12. Trincomalee	11,887	8	7
13. Kurunegala	6,483	2	14
14. Puttalam	5,115	3	7
15. Chilaw	4,168	—	3
16. Anuradhapura	3,672	6	7
17. Badulla	5,924	5	11
18. Ratnapura	4,084	—	13
19. Kegalla	2,340	—	5

The Ceylon Medical College.

THIRD PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION, PART II.,
MARCH, 1907.

First Class (in Order) of Merit.

None.

Second Class (Alphabetically).

- 6 Gomez, A. A.
2 Raux, J. B. A.

The above-named candidates have satisfied all the requirements of the examinations for the License in Medicine, Surgery, and Midwifery.

No Medals are awarded.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS,
Registrar.
March 30, 1907.

The Ceylon Medical College.

SECOND APOTHECARIES' EXAMINATION,
MARCH, 1907.

First Class (in Order of Merit).

- 7 Toussaint, S. L.

Second Class (Alphabetically).

- 1 Eliezer, J. R.
3 Ganaiah, S. J.
8 Wickremesinghe, D. E. A.

The above have satisfied all the requirements of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College for the Certificate of Apothecary.

No award of Medals.

March 30, 1907.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS,
Registrar.

The Ceylon Medical College.

A COURSE of Post Graduate Lectures will be held in the Ceylon Medical College from the 15th to 27th instant, inclusive. Any medical gentleman not in the service of Government wishing to join the course may do so on payment of Rs. 15 to the Registrar, Medical College.

J. H. EBELL,
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office,
Colombo, April 4, 1907.

Now ready, Price Re. 1.

REPORT on the Dutch Records in the Government Archives at Colombo.

Government Record Office,
Colombo, April 4, 1907.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that on April 26, 1907, at 3 P.M., at the Police Court of Ratnapura, will be sold by public auction the under-mentioned articles—productions in Police Court cases—which are either unclaimed or confiscated:—

- 7 gemming baskets
6 mamoties
2 crowbars
2 keys
1 seal
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. of plumbago more or less
1 tin box
1 pair bangles

- 1 boring iron
1 cap
1 white coat
2 cloths
1 umbrella
1 ramrod
Small heap of thorianite.

A. N. GALBRAITH,
Police Magistrate.
Police Court,
Ratnapura, March 22, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned materials lying near the old Police Barracks, Pussellawa, will be sold by public auction at the site by the District Engineer, Pussellawa, on Saturday, May 4, 1907, at 2 P.M. :—

- 36 feet of valance boarding
- 66 rafters of 5 ft., 6 ft., and 7 ft. lengths
- 14 rafters of 3 to 3½ ft. lengths
- 20 rafters of 4 to 4½ ft. lengths
- 13 rafters of 7½ to 8 ft. lengths
- 5 principal, 10 ft. by 6 in. by 2 in.
- 6 boards, 6 ft. by 8 in. by 2 in.
- 7 doors and frames
- 4 windows with frames
- 1 H iron, 23 ft. long

A. H. F. CLARKE,
Acting Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department,
Kandy, March 28, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned clothing of prisoners sentenced to imprisonment for over 12 months will be sold by public auction at the Jail Gate on April 27, 1907, at 8 A.M. :—

- 6 red sarongs
- 4 white cloths
- 1 German silver armlet

- 1 old leather belt
- 6 red handkerchiefs
- 1 German silver ring
- 1 old red camba cloth
- 5 pieces of small dirty cloths
- 1 torn white shawl
- 1 old dyed cloth
- 1 white towel
- 1 pair white short trousers (saruwala)
- 1 Turkey cap
- 1 white umbrella

H. E. BEVEN,
for Superintendent.

Batticaloa Prison,
March 25, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned articles will be sold by public auction on Wednesday, April 24, 1907, at 10 A.M., at Northern Depot, Puttalam:—

- 3 trucks and trolleys of the salt weighing machine

R. N. THAINE,
Assistant Government Agent.

Puttalam Kaohcheri,
March 27, 1907.

