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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE LIEUTENANT-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 EVERARD FERDINAND IM THURN, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

EVERARD IM THURN.

WHEREAS by section 17 of the "Police Ordinance, 1865," it is among other things enacted that whenever the Government Agent shall forward an application of the nature described in sections 15 and 16 of the said Ordinance to Government, together with his report as to the necessity for locating a police force in any district, and as to the number of men to compose such force and the amount in money required for its upkeep, it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, to establish a police force in such district from such time as shall be therein named, and to introduce therein such of the clauses of the said Ordinance as the Governor and Council shall consider expedient:

And whereas the Government Agent of the Central Province did forward to Government an application of the nature described in sections 15 and 16 of the said Ordinance, together with his report as to the necessity for locating a police force in the District of Matale west in the Central Province, and as to the number of men to compose such force, and the amount in money required for its upkeep, as required by the said section 17 of the said Ordinance.

Now know Ye that We, the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, do hereby establish a police force in the said District of Matale west in the Central Province, as from and after the Seventeenth day of October, 1902, and We do hereby introduce the following clauses of "The Police Ordinance, 1865," in the said District, viz., all the clauses of Ordinance No. 16 of 1865, except 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 49, 80, and the following up to 97 inclusive, and the said district shall for the purposes of the said "Police Ordinance, 1865," consist of and comprise all lands and high roads included within the external boundaries of the estates specified in the schedule hereto.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Thirteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Name of Estate.	SCHEDULE.		Approximate Acreage.
(1) Alloowiharie	210
(2) Dickeria	196
(3) Kaludawella	135

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EVERARD IM THURN.

WHEREAS by section 14 (1) of Ordinance No. 15 of 1896 it is enacted that when it appears to the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, from time to time, that by reason of the existence or apprehension of crime and outrage in any district it is desirable to quarter police in such district, or, should a police force have been already established there, to increase the same, he may by Proclamation, which shall be published in the *Government Gazette*, declare that for the reason aforesaid such district requires police or additional police, and may order police to be quartered in such district or additional police to be employed there:

And whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, that by reason of the existence of crime and outrage in the district defined in the schedule hereunto annexed, it is desirable to quarter police in the said district:

Now know Ye that We, the said Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby declare that by reason of the existence of crime and outrage therein the said district in the Northern Province requires police, and do hereby order that a police force consisting of one Sergeant and six Constables be quartered in the said district in the said Northern Province as from and after the Twentieth day of October, 1902, for a period of three months.

And We do further hereby define the limits of the said district to be those set out in the schedule hereunto annexed.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Fourteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

The district of Neervali in Valikaman east in the Peninsula of Jaffna, in the Northern Province; bounded on the north by the village of SIRRUPIDDI in the parish of Puttur, on the south by the villages of KOPAY north, on the east by the salt lagoon, and on the west by the villages of Achchelu and Kopay north.

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EVERARD IM THURN.

WHEREAS by the 19th section of "The Forest Ordinance, 1885," as amended by the 6th section of Ordinance No. 1 of 1892, it is enacted that whenever the following events have occurred, viz. :—

- (a) The period fixed under section 7 of the said "Forest Ordinance, 1885," for preferring claims has elapsed, and all claims (if any) made within such period have been disposed of by the Forest Settlement Officer; and
- (b) If such claims have been made, the period fixed for appealing from the orders passed on such claims has elapsed, and all appeals (if any) presented within such period have been disposed of by the Supreme Court; and
- (c) All lands (if any) to be included in the proposed forest which may be acquired under section 13 of the said last-mentioned Ordinance have become vested in the Crown—

the Governor shall, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, specify the limits of the forest which it is intended to reserve, and declare the same to be reserved from a date fixed by such Proclamation :

And whereas all things necessary for declaring the forest hereunder mentioned to be a reserved forest have been fulfilled, and all times hereinbefore recited have elapsed, and it is expedient to specify the limits of such forest :

Now know all Men that We, the Lieutenant-Governor, do by this Our Proclamation proclaim the forest, the limits of which are set forth in the schedule hereto subjoined, to be a reserved forest as from and after the Eighth day of November, 1902.

And We do hereby further specify the limits of the said reserved forest to be those set forth in the said schedule, reserving nevertheless to the public—

- A.—(1) The right to use the high road from Deniyaya to Hayes estate ;
- (2) The right to use the footpath leading from the above high road to Ketawala village in the Matara District of the Southern Province, at about the 59½ milepost, and which goes about parallel to the eastern boundary of land described in title plan No. 63,860 :

and reserving further to the public the right to use the waters of the following streams for domestic and agricultural purposes :—

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|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| B.—(1) Palabaddalahene-ela | (7) Ketualumukalane-ela |
| (2) Palabaddalahene-ela | (8) Al-oya |
| (3) Liyangaha-ela | (9) Bumbarawelhene-ela |
| (4) Maussawedola | (10) Mandadola |
| (5) Peragashenadola | (11) Yoda-adiyedola |
| (6) Mukalanhene-ela | |

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Tenth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

1. Land described in title plan No. 63,860 (exclusive of lot 2,865 in extent 1 rood 22 perches, and lot 2,866 in extent 1 acre and 16 perches in preliminary plan No. 1,052), containing in extent 176 acres 2 roods 2 perches, situated at Ullinduwwa of the Kolonna korale in the District of Ratnapura, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, in the Island of Ceylon; bounded on the north and north-east by Al-oya, on the east by land described in plan 63,865, south by land said to belong to the Crown and Province boundary, and on the west by land described in plan 63,864.

2. Land described in title plan No. 63,861, containing in extent 86 acres and 3 roods, situated at Ullinduwwa of the Kolonna korale in the District of Ratnapura, in the Province of Sabaragamuwa, in the Island of Ceylon; bounded on the north by Peragashenadola and village boundary and Crown land and land described in plan 67,211, on the east by land described in plan 63,865, on the south, south-east, and south-west by Al-oya, and on the north-west by Peragashenadola.

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Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Sixteenth day of October, in the year our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Two.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Name of Estate.	SCHEDULE.	Approximate Acreage.
(1) Wariapola	...	600
(2) Sudugama	...	468½
(3) Bandarapola	...	224

APPOINTMENTS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. C. J. A. MARSHALL to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Avisawella, for October 20 and 21, 1902, during the absence of Mr. M. S. PINTO from the station, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 14, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate Mr. ROBERT DAVIDSON, under section 10 of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1887, to be a Councillor of the Municipal Council of Colombo, *vice* Mr. GILES F. WALKER, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 17, 1902.

DE SARAM, Senior, on behalf of Mr. RICHARD H. MORGAN, Registrar of the Diocese of Colombo, during his illness, or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 17, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following persons to assess properties within the limits of the Local Board, Ratnapura, for 1903, under section 30 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, Ordinance No. 16 of 1865, and Ordinance No. 7 of 1865 :—

1. Mr. M. A. D. MARTINUS, Kacheheri Muhandiram, Ratnapura. ✓
2. Mr. P. SULTAN MARIKAR, Stamp Vendor, Ratnapura. ✓
3. Mr. B. L. ABEYRATNE, Clerk, Kacheheri, Ratnapura. ✓

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 16, 1902.

HEADS of Departments are hereby authorized to accept the signature of Mr. F. J.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following persons to be Inquirers under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," for the respective divisions named:—

Buttala.

1. Mr. W. R. BIBILE, Ratemahatmaya.

Wiyaluwa.

Mr. W. R. D. MARAPONE, Ratemahatmaya.

Bintenne.

Mr. L. B. RIDIMALIYADDE, Ratemahatmaya.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 11, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following persons to be Assessors for the respective towns named for the year 1903, under the Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

Point Pedro.

1. Mr. ALVAPPILLAI CADIRAMAR.

2. Mr. VALANTHAR SUPPAR.

3. Mr. SUPPAR MURUGASAR.

Valvedditurai.

1. Mr. ATHIMOOLAM RAMALINGAM.

2. Mr. VENKADASALAM THIRUMANIPPILLAI.
3. Mr. CHANMUGAM CHELLATHURAI.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

IT is notified that the appointment of Mr. P. C. WIJERATNA as Inquirer for the Judicial Division of Galle, appearing in the Notification dated April 27, 1899, published in the *Gazette* No. 5,616 of April 28, 1899, is hereby cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 17, 1902.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. EUGENE SEBASTIAN FERNANDO AMARASEKARA JAYAWARDANA, of Unnaruwa, Minuwangoda, to be a Notary Public throughout the District of Chilaw, residing and holding office at Chilaw town, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. A. ONDAATJE, Proctor, District Court, Kegalla, to act as Registrar of Lands, Kegalla, for four days from the 15th instant, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. J. F. PEREIRA, on leave.

Mr. J. V. RATNAYAKA to act as Additional Registrar of Lands for the District of Colombo from the 13th instant, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. D. S. JAYATILAKA, on leave.

Mr. A. L. SAVUNDRANAYAGAM, Proctor, District Court, Mannar, to act as Registrar of Lands, Mannar, for ten days from October 11, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, Mudaliyar C. COOMARIAH, on leave.

Mr. T. ELANKAYAR, Head Clerk of the Mullaitivu Kacheheri, to act as Registrar of Lands, Mullaitivu, for two weeks from October 13, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. C. KANDAYAH, on leave.

GANIHI MUDIYANSELAGE PINCHI APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gandolaha pattuwa division, and as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Beligal korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for eight weeks and five days from October 15, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, L. B. PANABOKKE, on leave. His office to be at Hitinawatta in Kumbukgama.

V. MURUGESAPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pungudutivu division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, with effect from October 12, 1902, and until further notice, *vice* P. CHINNIYAH. His office to be at Manatkadu in Pungudutivu.

By His Excellency's command,

R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 17, 1902.

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

The Provincial Registrar, Jaffna, has appointed V. MURUGESAPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths

of Pankudutivu division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from September 12 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, P. CHINNIYAH, on leave. His office will be at Manatkadu in Pankudutivu.

The Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed Mr. ROBERT E. PERERA to act as Registrar of General Marriages of Yatikinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for three days from October 16, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, E. F. DIAS, on leave. His office will be at the Badulla Kacheheri.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON CHARLES GUNASEKARA WELLAPPULI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Upper Walasmulla division, and Registrar of Marriages of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for four weeks and two days from October 22, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CAROLIS GUNASEKARA WELLAPPULI, on leave. His office will be at Galabendihena in Walasmulla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed D. C. LORENZU HEWA to act as Registrar of General Marriages of Kotmale division (excluding the portion included in the town of Nuwara Eliya), in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for seven days from October 9, 1902, during the absence of the Registrar, H. H. MATHES DE SILVA, on leave. His office will be at Talawakele.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, October 14, 1902.

IT is hereby notified that TIKIRI BANDA, Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Udapalata (Kandukara pahala) division No. 4, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, will, with effect from November 1, 1902, hold his office at Angammana in Kandukara pahala korale instead of at Kobbewela.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, October 16, 1902.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE following accounts of the Public Service Mutual Provident Association for the year ended June 30, 1902, are published for general information, in terms of sub-section (2) of section 16 of Ordinance No. 5 of 1891.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 8, 1902.

By His Excellency's command,
R. W. IEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Dr. Balance Sheet of the Public Service Mutual Provident Association for the Year ended *Cr.*
June 30, 1902.

LIABILITIES.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.	ASSETS.	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Amount to credit of members ...	280,274 60		Loans and advances outstanding ...	—	81,725 56
Dividends for the year 1901-1902 ...	12,612 36		Loans outstanding on the security of landed property ...	—	127,560 0
		292,886 96	Purchase value of Rs. 64,640 Ceylon Government 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock ...	—	66,667 88
Amount set apart to cover premium on Inscribed Stock ...	—	346 98	Fixed deposits, Mercantile Bank ...	5,000 0	
Reserve fund on account loans on house property ...	—	3,816 8	Fixed deposits, Chartered Bank ...	6,000 0	
Amount of donations due to representatives of deceased members ...	—	4,876 70	Fixed deposits, Savings Bank ...	603 93	11,503 93
Fees due to appraisers ...	—	90 0	Amount outstanding on account of donations ...	—	5,936 0
Fees due to lawyers ...	—	31 50	Accrued interest on June 30, 1902 :		
Miscellaneous deposits to be refunded	—	30 34	On Loans on house property ...	3,540 21	
Profit and loss account—balance transferred to new account ...	—	47 32	Government 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock ...	749 54	
			Fixed deposits, Chartered Bank ...	243 37	
			Fixed deposits, Mercantile Bank ...	199 73	4,732 85
			Balance in current account, Bank of Madras ...	3,340 57	
			Cash and cheques in hand since credited ...	659 9	3,999 66
		Rs. 302,125 88			Rs. 302,125 88

Examined and found correct :
SAM. DE HEER,
Auditor.

Colombo, August 13, 1902.

A. W. METZELING,
Treasurer.

Dr. Profit and Loss Account, 1901-1902. *Cr.*

	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
Remuneration to Auditor ...	200 0		By Balance on June 30, 1901 ...	—	186 26
Remuneration to Treasurer ...	400 0		Interest recovered during the year ...	13,809 97	
Printing ...	98 32		Less amount appropriated in 1900-1901 ...	4,236 82	9,573 15
Stationery and books ...	72 91		Accrued interest on June 30, 1902 :		
Salaries of clerks ...	1,250 0		On Loans on house property ...	3,540 21	
Wages of messenger ...	140 0		Government 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock ...	749 54	
Advertisements ...	51 45		Fixed deposit, Chartered Bank ...	243 37	
Postage ...	125 38		Fixed deposit, Mercantile Bank ...	199 73	4,732 85
Petty expenses ...	36 69		Fines and forfeitures ...	—	1,459 3
Cheque books ...	50 0	2,424 75			
Reserve fund on loans on house property, 1/6th of interest recovered	—	826 30			
Amount set apart to cover premium of Inscribed Stock, 1/50th of premium ...	—	40 56			
		3,291 61			
Balance of net profit on June 30, 1902:					
For allotment at 4½ per cent. ...	12,612 36				
For transfer to new account ...	47 32	12,659 68			
		Rs. 15,951 29			Rs. 15,951 29

Examined and found correct :
SAM. DE HEER,
Auditor.

Colombo, August 13, 1902.

A. W. METZELING,
Treasurer.

Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Public Service Mutual Provident Association for the Year ended June 30, 1902.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.		Total.		DISBURSEMENTS.	Amount.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Balance on June 30, 1901 ...	—		1,488	73	By contributions refunded ...	—		15,138	37
To contributions recovered for the year 1901-1902 ...	—		24,985	4	Donations paid ...	—		14,014	30
Interest recovered on 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock ...	2,585	60			Loans and advances to members ...	—		58,662	41
Interest on fixed deposits ...	1,648	62			Loans on house property ...	—		48,000	0
Interest on house property loans ...	4,957	83			Appraisers' fees paid ...	—		287	8
Interest on loans and advances ...	4,423	47			Lawyers' fees paid ...	—		178	50
Interest on current account, Bank of Madras ...	65	25			Miscellaneous deposits refunded ...	—		209	82
Interest, Savings Bank deposit ...	129	20			Charges, &c.				
Appraisers' fees recovered ...	313	75			Remuneration to Auditor ...	200	0		
Lawyers' fees recovered ...	171	0			Remuneration to Treasurer ...	400	0		
			484	75	Remuneration to clerks ...	1,250	0		
Fixed deposits withdrawn ...	—		31,026	48	Wages of messenger ...	140	0		
Loans and advances repaid ...	—		52,130	87	Stationery and books ...	72	91		
Loans on house property repaid ...	—		6,350	0	Printing ...	98	32		
Recoveries on account of donations ...	—		11,118	35	Advertising ...	51	45		
Miscellaneous deposits ...	—		190	87	Postage ...	125	38		
Fines and forfeitures ...	—		1,459	3	Cost of cheque books ...	50	0		
					Petty expenses ...	36	69		
					Fixed deposits in Savings Bank ...	—		2,424	75
					Balance in current account, Bank of Madras ...	3,340	57	129	20
					Cash and cheques in hand, since credited ...	659	9		
								3,998	88
								Rs. 143,044	9

Examined and found correct :
SAM. DE HEER,
Auditor.

Colombo, August 13, 1902.

A. W. METZELING,
Treasurer.

OFFERS for the following Arrack Rents on the terms specified in the notice of June 5, 1902, and on the usual conditions, copies of which may be obtained at any Kacheheri, will be received by the Hon. the Government Agent, Western Province, or the Government Agents concerned, until the 25th instant :—

1. *Western Province.*—The District of Kalutara. For a period of one or two years from January 1, 1903.
2. *Central Province.*—The Revenue District of Kandy. For a period of one or two years from January 1, 1903.
3. *Central Province.*—The Revenue District of Nuwara Eliya. For a period of one or two years from January 1, 1903.
4. *Central Province.*—The Revenue District of Matale. For a period of one or two years from January 1, 1903.
5. *Province of Uva.*—For a period of one or two years from January 1, 1903.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 7, 1902.

R. W. LEVERS,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sale of lands as per notice No. 1,618, N.W. P., appearing in the *Government Gazette* No. 5,875 of September 5, 1902, fixed for October 31, 1902, at 1 o'clock P.M., at the Puttalam Kachcheri, is postponed for Saturday, November 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, at the said Kachcheri.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo October 17, 1902.

R. W. LEVERS,*
Acting Colonial Secretary.

විෂි 1902 ක්ව මන්වෙලිල මස 31 වෙති දිනට පුන්තලමේ කලිලේරියේ දවල් 12 වැනි 1902 ක්ව සැප්තැම්බර් මස 5 වෙති දින නොමැර 5,875 ගැසට්ට්ටුයේ ලේන නොමැර 1,618 දරණ නොමැරියේ ගැසට්ටු නිලමකර තිබුන ඉවම් වෙක් දේසිය විෂි 1902 ක්ව නොවැලිල මස 15 වෙති සෙනසුරු දවල් 12 ඉහත කලිලේරියේ විකිනිම නිලමකර ඇත.

ගරුතර උතුමානන්වනන්සේගේ ආඥාවලස,
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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Rev. J. B. Poulain to change the site of the Kalmunai Vernacular Mixed School (C) to Manittalai, 2 miles south-east.

Observations will be received not later than October 28, 1902.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director.

Office of Public Instruction,
Colombo, October 7, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Rev. E. Sergent for a grant in aid of his Maholawe Vernacular Mixed School, situated in the Meda pattuwa of the North-Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than November 5, 1902.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director.

Office of Public Instruction,
Colombo, October 11, 1902.

THE following is the result of the London University Matriculation Examination held in Colombo in June, 1902:—

Second Division

Siriwardena, Grinlinton R., Private Study.

S. M. BURROWS,
Director of Public Instruction.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo, October 15, 1902.

THE cart ferry boat at Anguruwatota will be closed to cart traffic from November 11 to 21, 1902 (both days inclusive), for repairs.

H. B. CHRISTIE,
Provincial Engineer.

Provincial Engineer's Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

AN examination for admission into the Postal-Telegraph and Clerical branches of the General Post Office will be held at the School of Agriculture, Colombo, on April 17, 1903, and the following day.

2. Only candidates nominated by the Postmaster-General will be allowed to compete.

3. Candidates must be 18 and under 24 years of age.

4. Every candidate must apply for nomination to the Postmaster-General in his own hand-writing not later than January 31, 1903, and must with his application forward certificates of birth and character. Affidavits will not be accepted in proof of age.

5. Candidates must state in their applications for nominations which branch of the General Post Office they desire to enter.

6. Those who obtain nominations for admission to the examination must forward a fee of Rs. 10 so as to reach the Postmaster-General before March 15, 1903, on which date the entries for admission of candidates to the examination will be closed. The fee should be forwarded by *Money Order* or *Crossed Cheque* in favour of the Postmaster-General. *No cash will be accepted.*

7. The subjects of examination will be as follows:—

				Maximum.
English Dictation	Handwriting ...	...	...	100
		Spelling ...	...	100
General Intelligence	...	...	...	100
Arithmetic	...	...	...	100
General Geography	...	...	...	100
English Composition	...	...	...	100
Euclid, Books I. and II.	...	...	...	100
Algebra, to Simple Equations	...	...	...	100

8. The examination shall be held in two parts; the first part shall be a qualifying examination in Hand-writing, Spelling, and Arithmetic. Any candidate failing to obtain half the marks allotted for Hand-writing, Spelling, and Arithmetic, respectively, shall be excluded from the remainder of the examination. The second part of the examination shall be in the remaining subjects mentioned in paragraph 7 of this notice.

9. Candidates who have passed the London Matriculation Examination, or the Madras Matriculation and the Calcutta Entrance Examinations in the First or Second Division, or the Senior and Junior Cambridge Local Examinations in (1) English, (2) Euclid and Algebra, in addition to the compulsory subjects, will only be required to pass in Dictation.

10. The examination will be held in accordance with the following Time Table.

11. Copies of this notice may be obtained on application from the Postmaster-General, or the Director of Public Instruction.

Time Table.

Examination of Candidates for admission to the Postal Department, 1903:—

Friday, April 17	...	}	11 A.M. to 11-30 A.M.	...	Dictation
			11-30 A.M. to 12-30 P.M.	...	English Composition
			1 P.M. to 2-30 P.M.	...	Geography
			2-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M.	...	Arithmetic
Saturday, April 18	...	}	11 A.M. to 12-30 P.M.	...	Algebra
			1 P.M. to 2-30 P.M.	...	Euclid
			2-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M.	...	General Intelligence.

Postmaster-General's Office,
Colombo, September 18, 1902.

W. MACREADY,
for Postmaster-General.

STATEMENT of the Account of the Commissioners of Currency for the Month ended September 30, 1902, required by section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884 :—

CIRCULATION.		Value.	
Currency notes in circulation on September 30, 1902		Rs.	c.
		12,239,940	0
RESERVE.		In Gold.	In Silver.
		Rs.	c.
By gold £274,166 in sovereigns at Rs. 15 a sovereign	...	4,112,490	0
By silver in the vault (7 cents copper)	...	—	—
By investments made by the Crown Agents according to the annexed statements (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), and (i)	...	—	2,176,309 77
By investments made in Indian Government paper, according to the annexed statement (j)	...	—	—
		4,112,490	0
		2,176,309	77
		5,951,140	25
Total		12,239,940	2

R. W. LEVERS, Acting Colonial Secretary,
 J. H. DE SARAM, Acting Treasurer,
 C. A. MURRAY, Acting Auditor-General;

} Currency Commissioners,

Value of the Securities calculated at the latest known Market Prices of August, 1902.

Cost.	Stock Held.	Description.	Latest known Market Prices of Aug. 1902.	Brokerage	Nett Price.	Value.	Nett Value.
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(a) 599,283 0	3,290 4 7	Cape 4 per cent. Consolidated Stock	108	107½	3,545 4 4		
	5,500 0 0	Canada Dominion 5 per cent. Debentures	102	101½	5,596 5 0		
	6,200 0 0	Do. do. do.	105	104½	6,494 10 0		
	8,267 18 7	Do. 3 do. Stock	103	102½	8,495 5 11		
	2,918 11 10	South Australia 4 do. do.	106½	106½	3,101 0 0		
	1,019 1 8	Queensland 3½ do. do.	102	101½	1,036 18 3		
	4,313 7 5	New South Wales 3½ do. do.	103	102½	4,431 19 9		
	3,601 7 11	Do. 3½ do. Inscribed Stock	103	102½	3,700 8 7		
	100 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	113	112½	112 15 0		
	100 0 0	Do. 4 do. Debentures	101	100½	100 15 0		
(b) 292,708 50	8,600 0 0	Do. 5 do. do.	101	100½	8,664 10 0		
	8,000 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	101	100½	8,060 0 0		
	1,603 6 3	Victoria 3 do. Stock	95	94½	1,519 2 10		
	6,914 16 10	Do. 3 do. do.	95	94½	6,551 16 3		
	6,400 0 0	Canada Dominion 4 do. Debentures	105	104½	6,704 0 0		
	5,000 0 0	Do. 4 do. do.	105	104½	5,237 10 0		
	5,000 0 0	South Australia 4 do. do.	105	104½	5,237 10 0		
	4,600 0 0	New Zealand 4 do. Stock	113	112½	5,186 10 0		
	5,000 0 0	Victoria 4½ do. Debentures	101	100½	5,037 10 0		
	(c) 299,994 0	5,653 12 2	Do. 4 do. Inscribed Stock	102	101½	5,752 10 10	
11,732 17 2		Do. 3½ do. do.	102	101½	11,938 3 7		
13,277 0 5		South Australia 3½ do. do.	104	103½	13,774 18 1		
9,344 14 4		New South Wales 3½ do. do.	103	102½	9,601 13 10		
10,694 19 6		Cape 3½ do. do.	103	102½	10,989 1 7		
10,000 0 0		Canada Dominion 3 do. do.	103	102½	10,275 0 0		
10,124 12 3		New Zealand 3½ do. do.	107	106½	10,808 0 5		
3,145 9 1		Do. 3½ do. do.	107	106½	3,357 15 4		
2,053 17 9		New South Wales 3½ do. do.	103	102½	2,110 7 3		
5,167 18 8		Consols 2½ do.	94½	94½	4,877 4 9		
(d) 88,000 0	3,629 15 0	Local Loans 3 do. Stock	101½	101½	3,675 2 5		
	5,629 16 10	Queensland 3½ do. do.	102	101½	5,728 7 2		
	10,705 8 9	South Australia 3½ do. do.	104	103½	11,106 17 9		
	13,641 9 0	Local Loans 3 do. do.	101½	101½	13,811 19 3		
	5,242 8 5	South Australia 3 do. do.	94	93½	4,914 15 3		
	5,174 11 11	New Zealand 3 do. do.	96½	96½	4,980 10 11		
	5,174 11 11	Natal 3 do. do.	97	96½	5,006 8 5		
	8,322 9 0	Victoria 3 do. do.	95	94½	7,885 10 5		
	5,089 4 2	Queensland 3 do. do.	93	92½	4,720 4 10		
	5,446 7 4	Consols ...	91½	91½	5,140 0 2		
3,507,486 2	235,679 18 7		Market Price of Sept. 30, 1902.			239,268 32	
940,000 0		Amount realized by sale of portion of above securities				at exchange 1s. 4d. per rupee	
2,567,486 2						Rs. c. 3,589,022 38	
						940,000 0	
(j) 3,383,654 23	Rs. c. 3,405,000 0	Indian Securities	98 5/16	98 1/16		2,649,022 38	
						3,339,028 12	
		Present value of Securities				= 5,988,050 50	
		Original cost of Securities				= 5,951,140 25	
5,951,140 25		Difference in favour of present value (or about 2/3 per cent. of Investments)				36,910 25	

Depreciation Fund Investments.

Cost.	Stock Held.	Description.	Latest known Market Prices of Aug. 1902.	Brokerage	Nett Price.	Value.	Nett Value.
Rs. c.	£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.
13,390 55	837 16 9	Cape Consolidated Stock ...	108	1	107½	902 15 4	
13,107 1	837 2 1	New South Wales ½ per cent. Inscribed Stock ...	113	1	112½	943 16 8	
27,797 12	1,637 0 0	Do. 4 do. Stock ...	113	1	112½	1,845 14 3	
35,336 50	2,259 13 7	Do. 3½ do. do. ...	103	1	102½	2,321 16 4	
12,737 15	957 1 2	Canada Dominion 3 do. do. ...	103	1	102½	983 7 6	
32,206 36	1,878 3 1	Do. 3 do. do. ...	103	1	102½	1,929 16 0	
12,246 0	914 8 6	Victoria 3½ do. do. ...	102	1	101½	930 8 5	
27,944 78	1,892 5 4	Do. 3½ do. do. ...	102	1	101½	1,925 7 6	
13,776 75	966 15 3	South Australia 3½ do. do. ...	104	1	103½	1,003 0 3	
28,676 96	1,763 0 1	New Zealand 3½ do. do. ...	107	1	106½	1,882 0 0	
32,605 7	1,747 18 2	Queensland 3½ do. do. ...	102	1	101½	1,778 9 10	
27,897 23	1,951 3 0	Natal 3 do. do. ...	97	1	96½	1,887 14 9	
	17,642 7 0						18,334 6 10 at exchange 1s. 4d. per rupee Rs. c. 275,015 13
59,998 62	Rs. c. 60,000 0	Indian Securities					
36,582 48	37,000 0	Do.					
48,000 0	48,000 0	Do.					
56,373 68	54,000 0	Do.					
52,659 73	49,500 0	Do.					
86,399 51	84,800 0	Do.					
64,430 0	68,000 0	Do.					
	401,300 0	Do.					
			Market Price of Sept. 30, 1902.				
			98 ^s / ₁₅	1	98 ^s / ₁₅		393,524 81
							Present value of Securities = 668,539 94
682,165 50.							Original cost of Securities = 682,165 50
							Difference in favour of present value (or about — per cent. of Investments) = —
							Amount uninvested ... 63,405 45

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEALÉD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Dieting Training College Masters and Students," will be received at the office of the Director of Public Instruction up to noon on Tuesday, October 28, 1902, from persons willing to contract for dieting the masters and students of the Colombo Training College from January 1 to December 31, 1903.

Tenders should be made in duplicate, the original being forwarded by the tenderer to the Director of Public Instruction, while the duplicate should be forwarded on the same day direct to the Auditor-General.

The tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Director of Public Instruction, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required before any form of tender is issued, and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of such bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office of the Director of Public Instruction.

The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Samples of rice must be deposited at the office of the Director of Public Instruction in sealed packets or bottles, labelled with the tenderer's name, before the date on which the tenders are to be opened.

The necessary cooking utensils should be provided by the contractor.

Persons whose tenders have been accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having security bonds prepared for the due performance of their contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, whose fees should be paid by the contractor, but such bonds may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers.

On bonds which have been drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers the name and stamp of the proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed, in order to facilitate the work of the Crown Counsel.

Every alteration in the tender should bear the initials of the tenderer. All alterations in tenders not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

S. M. BURROWS,

Director of Public Instruction.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Colombo September 23, 1902.

SEALÉD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for ————" will be received up to noon on Tuesday, November 11, 1902, from persons willing to contract for supplying with good drinking water for one year commencing from January 1, 1903:—

Southern Province.—Galle and Matara Police.

2. Labuduwa water is to be supplied as regards Galle.

3. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

4. A deposit of Rs. 10 for each of the above stations, which must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, will be required, and no tender will be considered unless the receipt for each deposit is attached thereto; and should any person fail (within a fortnight after he has been written to or notified to the address given by him of the acceptance of his tender), or decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

5. Quantity of water required and further particulars may be obtained upon application from the Government Agent in charge of Police, Southern Province.

6. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

7. The person whose tender is accepted by Government will be required to bear the expenses of having the security bonds prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bonds will be subject to the approval of the Hon. the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers.

8. When bonds have been drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of the proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document.

9. Every alteration should bear the initials of the tenderers, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

10. The tenderer should state the rate per month at which he is prepared to supply water.

11. Every tenderer should write his address on his tender, giving the name of the street and the number of the house he lives in.

A. W. DE WILTON, Major,

Inspector-General of Police, Ceylon.

Inspector-General's Office, Ceylon Police,
Colombo, October 7, 1902.

Forest Department, Hill Reserves.

SEALÉD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for supply of Firewood," will be received up to noon on Monday, November 3, 1902, from persons willing to contract to carry out the under-mentioned work during 1903:—

To fell and deliver 750 cubic yards firewood per mensem on line between Galboda and Nawalapitiya. Firewood to be cut from lands called Kintail, Veraloes, and Mapakanda

The firewood to be cut and stacked at such places and in such quantities as the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hill Reserves, may direct, and must be cut in lengths of 3 ft. and not less than 3 in. in diameter.

Any person willing to contract for the above work should deposit a sum of Rs. 20 in the Nuwara Eliya Kachcheri and submit the receipt to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hill Reserves, who will thereupon issue the form on which the tender must be made. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

The original tender must be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hill Reserves, and the duplicate of it direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being despatched at the same time.

Should the person tendering decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown.

The rate per cubic yard must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

Tenders should state rates for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd class firewood.

All alterations in any tender should be initialled by the person signing it. All tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

The sum of Rs. 100 will have to be deposited as security for the due fulfilment of the contract before it is signed.

The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders.

Further information may be obtained on application to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hill Reserves.

H. F. C. FYERS,

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Hill Reserves.

Nuwara Eliya,
October 3, 1902.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the privilege of selling Fruits, &c., on the Platforms to Third Class Passengers" at Nugegoda, Padukka, and Kosgama, from January 1 to December 31, 1903, will be received up to 12 noon on Monday, November 3, 1902, from persons willing to tender for the same.

Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the General Manager of the Railways and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

The tenders are to be made on forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the General Manager, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

A deposit of Rs. 10 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or should he fail to furnish the required security, such deposit of Rs. 10 will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

The security required will be a month's rent in cash, and any further information required can be obtained on personal application at the office of the General Manager.

The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and is further not bound to accept the lowest tender.

The person whose tender is accepted by the Government will be required to bear the expenses of having the security bonds prepared for the due performance of the contract, which bond will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderers' own lawyers, the name or stamp of whom should be affixed to the document.

Every alteration should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence, if called for.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Auditor-General and the Provincial Engineer of the Northern Province for the supply of road metal (broken stone to pass every way through a 2-inch ring) at Mullaivivu, Mannar, Pesalai, and Elephant Pass, in the Northern Province, during the year 1903, up to noon on November 24, 1902:—

The quantities of metal to be supplied are—

- At Mullaivivu, 120 cubes.
- At Mannar, 270 cubes.
- At Pesalai, 380 cubes.
- At Elephant Pass, 510 cubes.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "Tender for supply of Road Metal in the Northern Province."

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

4. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the office of the Provincial Engineer, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

5. Parties applying for forms of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kacheheri and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit a *bonâ fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages.

6. Any further information may be obtained on application at the Provincial Engineer's office at Jaffna.

7. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract in accordance with the specification and general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 500 for the due and faithful performance of the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the Northern Province that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

8. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

9. Any alterations made in the tender should bear the initials of the tenderers, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

O. DE KRETZER,
for Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department,
Jaffna, October 8, 1902.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Calves for Vaccination," will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 5, 1902, from persons willing to contract for the supply of six calves, more or less, as may be required every month from January 1, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender, to December 31, 1903.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The calves must be delivered at the animal vaccination depôt, Borella. They should be under one year old, perfectly weaned, stout, and healthy, and without any eruption on the skin. Any calf not answering to the above description will be rejected.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at this office, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

A deposit of Rs. 15 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon the signature of a contract.

Cash security to the extent of Rs. 50 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

For further particulars apply to the Colonial Surgeon or to the Chief Inspector of Vaccination, Colombo.

C. MAS. T. GRIFFIN,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes, "Tender for supplying Calves for Vaccination," will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 5, 1902, from persons willing to contract for the supply of six calves, more or less, as may be required every month from January 1, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender, to December 31, 1903.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The calves must be delivered at the animal vaccination depôt, Jaffna. They should be under one year old, perfectly weaned, stout, and healthy, and without any eruption on the skin. Any calf not answering to the above description will be rejected.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at this office, or to the Colonial Surgeon, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

A deposit of Rs. 15 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to

enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon the signature of a contract.

Cash security to the extent of Rs. 50 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

For further particulars apply to the Colonial Surgeon, Jaffna.

CHAS. T. GRIFFIN,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Calves for Vaccination," will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 5, 1902, from persons willing to contract for the supply of six calves, more or less, as may be required every month from January 1, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender, to December 31, 1903.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The calves must be delivered at the animal vaccination depôt, Galle. They should be under one year old, perfectly weaned, stout, and healthy, and without any eruption on the skin. Any calf not answering to the above description will be rejected.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at this office, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

A deposit of Rs. 15 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon the signature of a contract.

Cash security to the extent of Rs. 50 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

For further particulars apply to the Colonial Surgeon, Galle.

CHAS. T. GRIFFIN,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Calves for Vaccination," will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 5, 1902, from persons willing to contract for the supply of six calves, more or less, as may be required every month from January 1, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender, to December 31, 1903.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The calves must be delivered at the animal vaccination depôt, Batticaloa. They should be under one year old, perfectly weaned, stout, and healthy, and without any eruption on the skin. Any calf not answering to the above description will be rejected.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at this office, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

A deposit of Rs. 15 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon the signature of a contract.

Cash security to the extent of Rs. 50 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

For further particulars apply to the Colonial Surgeon, Batticaloa.

CHAS. T. GRIFFIN,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Fresh Cow Milk to the under-mentioned Government District and Civil Hospitals during the year 1903," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, October 29, 1902, commencing from January 1, 1903, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender to December 31, 1903:—

	Security in Cash.
	Rs.
District Hospital, Neboda	... 50
Civil Hospital, Kegalla	... 50

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals or to the Medical Officer in charge of the hospital, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form, and the tender and the schedules attached thereto, each signed in the presence of two respective witnesses.

4. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue. In stations where there are no Kachcheries the deposit must be made to the Medical Officer in charge of the hospital.

5. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give cash security, as stated opposite the station, for the due performance of the contract within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of the tender.

6. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alterations should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender will be treated as informal and rejected.

7. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

8. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

CHARLES T. GRIFFIN,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Calves for Vaccination," will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 5, 1902, from persons willing to contract for the supply of six calves, more or less, as may be required every month from January 1, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender, to December 31, 1903.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The calves must be delivered at the animal vaccination depôt, Kandy. They should be under one year old; perfectly weaned, stout, and healthy, and without any eruption on the skin. Any calf not answering to the above description will be rejected.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at this office, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

A deposit of Rs. 15 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon the signature of a contract.

Cash security to the extent of Rs. 50 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract.

For further particulars apply to the Colonial Surgeon, Kandy.

CHAS. T. GRIFFIN,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer,
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

SEALÉD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for provisioning Hospitals," will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, November 5, 1902, from persons willing to contract for supplies for the use of the under-mentioned Government Hospitals, commencing from January 1, 1903, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender to December 31, 1903:—

	Security in Cash Rs.
Civil Hospital, Kurunegala ...	500
Do. Manota ...	100
Civil Hospital, Katugastota ...	150
Field Hospital, Nikaweratiya, including Infectious Wards ...	150
Field Hospital, Maha-oya ...	150
Police Hospital, Colombo ...	250

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, or to the Medical Officer in charge of the respective hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form, and the tender and the schedules attached thereto, each signed in the presence of two respectable witnesses. Each tender should be for provisioning one hospital only.

4. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of half the amount of security for hospitals where Rs. 400 or under are required, and Rs. 500 for hospitals where security Rs. 500 or over is required; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue. In stations where there are no Kachcheries the deposit must be made to the Medical Officer in charge of the hospital.

5. Provisions should be of the best quality, approvable by the Medical Officer of the hospital.

6. When required, samples must be deposited.

7. The successful tenderers will be required to give cash security as given opposite the name of each station, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of each contract within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of the tenders. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the cash security, which will be deposited in the Colombo Kachcheri to credit of the Hon. the Treasurer. Those

contractors who are required to furnish security to the extent of Rs. 500 and over may have their securities lodged in fixed deposits, if they so desire, in any one of the local banks which they must elect, the deposit being in the name of the Hon. the Treasurer. It is left to the option of the successful tenderer to substitute at any time thereafter for cash deposited by him approved title deeds and to enter into a fresh security bond at his expense.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials; otherwise the tender will be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

11. Tenderers for Civil Hospitals, in quoting rates for Native and European low diets in the tender form, should specify separate rates for the diets with milk and without milk.

CHAS. T. GRIFFIN,
Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer
and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 13, 1902.

Colombo Harbour Works.

TENDERS for coal, firewood, collecting and filling sea sand into trucks at Galle Buck, and unloading, stacking, and again loading into lighters sand ballast during 1903.

Sealed tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for _____ to the Colombo Harbour Works during 1903," will be received by the Resident Engineer at his office up to 12 o'clock noon on November 15, 1902.

A deposit of Rs. 50, to be made at the Harbour Works Office, is required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited. All other deposits will be returned on signature of contract.

No tender will be considered unless it is on a form to be obtained at this office, and unless accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract.

The amount of security to be given, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained on application to the Resident Engineer, Colombo Harbour Works.

Security must be furnished before December 31, 1902. All alterations or erasures should bear the initials of the tenderer, otherwise the tenders will be treated as informal and rejected.

The Resident Engineer reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders.

J. H. BOSTOCK,
Resident Engineer.
Harbour Works Office,
Colombo, October 14, 1902.

SEALÉD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for _____," will be received up to noon on Wednesday, October 29, 1902, from persons willing to contract for victualling the under-mentioned jail for one year commencing from January 1, 1903:—

Southern Province.—Galle.

2. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Inspector-General of Prisons and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Auditor-General, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Galle Jail and the Inspector-General of Prisons, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

4. A deposit of Rs. 100 must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri before any form of tender is issued.

5. And should any person fail (within a fortnight after he has been written to or notified to the address given by him of the acceptance of his tender) or decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

6. When required, samples must be deposited. Sufficient securities will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The amount of the bond and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office specified.

8. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

9. The person whose tender is accepted by Government will be required to bear the expense of having the

security bond prepared for the due performance of his contract, which bond will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderer's own lawyers.

10. When bonds have been drawn by the tenderer's own lawyers, the name or stamp of the proctor who drafted the bond should be affixed to the document.

11. Every alteration should bear the initials of the tenderers, and all tenders containing alterations not bearing the tenderers' initials will be treated as informal and rejected.

12. Every tenderer should write his address on his tender, giving the name of the street and the number of the house he lives in.

A. W. DE WILTON, Major,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

Prison's Office,
Colombo, October 14, 1902.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE following unserviceable articles belonging to the Pavilion, Kandy, will be sold by public auction at the Pavilion, at 1 P.M. on Saturday, the 25th instant:—

Large long carpet	Vegetable strainers
Jakwood wall settees	Sieves
Large jakwood beds	Frying pans
Large coir rug	Coffee pots
Small coir rug	Bath tubs
Iron hot case (plate warmer)	Mould
Screen (white)	Enamel basin
Teakwood standing supper table, square	Plate
Jakwood dressing-table	Satinwood towel horse
Jakwood towel racks	Footstool
Old round table	Lady's easy chair, jakwood
Iron bed	Ladies' maple chairs
Jakwood washing stands	Common trays
Dirty clothes basket, old	Dust pans
Satinwood chair, broken	Funnels
Jakwood arm-chairs	Tin cases
Jakwood chairs without arms	Boiler, cast iron
Lot old buckets	Water butt
Jakwood child's cot	Pastry board
Tin kettles	Earthen flower vase
Kerosine stoves	Filters
Saucepans	China milk basin
Empty tins	Paper rack
Old brushes	Flower pot stand, wood
Brass rods	Jakwood side tables
Rattan matting	Carpet brooms
Coir matting	Enamel cup
China matting	Coffee roasters
Pool marker	Foot warmer
Kitchen table, very old	Old blankets
Piece dining-table, old	Table covers
Jakwood dining-table (piece)	Cretonne covers
Clothes horses	Old punkah
Lot wall paper	P. W. D. E. seats
Stair carpets	Lot of old iron
White screens	Packing cases
Grass-mowing machines	Barrels
Jakwood sofa table	Kitchen stove
Jakwood sofa	Portico lantern
Almirah	Old hanging lanterns
Tats	Cloth shades for lamps
Looking-glass	Cocoanut oil lamps
Enamel basin	Kerosine oil lamps
Camp chairs	Brass kerosine oil lamps
Long folding lounge	Candlesticks, travelling
Step ladder	Bedroom candlestick
Lot water cans	Bedroom wall lamps
Paddy box	Brass cocoanut oil lanterns
Kettle	Hurricane lanterns
Eight gallon tubs	Holder for hanging lamps
	Tops for lamps

Brass holders for candle shade
Oil feeder
Oil cans
Funnels

Milk jug
Basin (toilet set)
Vases for flowers, large
Tea pots
Lamps

F. W. VANE,
Controller of Government Stores,
Colombo, October 14, 1902.

THE following unserviceable articles belonging to the Queen's Cottage, Nuwara Eliya, will be sold by public auction at the premises, at 12 noon on Monday, the 3rd proximo:—

Ladies' jakwood chairs	Hip bath
Ladies' madunwood chair	Hedge cutters
Ladies' satinwood chairs	Scythes
Carpet folding-chair	Sheep shears
Jakwood arm-chairs	Garden trowels
Rattan chairs	Grass cutters
Rattan English chair and cushion	Axes
Rattan cloth basket	Wedges
Tin lamp stove	Road hedge cutter
Zinc basin and jugs	Iron water turnkey
Copper boiler and cover	Lot carbolic tins
Iron boiler and cover	Jakwood chairs (ladies')
Wire dish cover	Jakwood arm-chair
Coffee pots (tins)	Zinc basin
Irontray	Wire dish covers
Tin hot water cans	Extra boiler cast
Saucepans	Saucepans
Gridiron	Pair cast iron dogs
Vegetable strainer	Wedge steel
Coffee roaster	Jar, earthenware
Pair iron dog fender	Paint tins
Fire iron	Drums
Mouse traps	Slop pails
Stew pans	Sofas
Earthenware teapots	Clothes basket
Lot passage oil cloths	Trays
Lot passage carpets	Screens
Lot sofa and chair covers	Hurricane lanterns
Lot chairs and sofa clothing pieces	Oil holder for moon lamps
Lot muslin window blind	Table lamp
Pair green serge window curtain	Wall lamp stands
Lot window blind	Hanging lamp
Lot wall clothing	Tables
Ebony footstool	Lot padlocks
Servants' blankets	Rubber hose pipes
Blue serge window curtain	Wooden shields
	Pair white curtains
	Table cloth

F. W. VANE,
Controller of Government Stores,
Colombo, October 15, 1902.

Results of METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS in Ceylon during the Month of June, 1902.

Table with columns for STATIONS, RAINFALL (Total No. of Inches, Greatest Quantity in any 24 hours, No. of Days on which Registered), BAROMETER REDUCED TO 32° (Mean Reading, Highest Reading, Lowest Reading), and TEMPERATURE OF THE AIR AND OF EVAPORATION (Mean Daily Maximum Temperature in Shade, Mean Daily Minimum Temperature in Shade, etc.). Includes station names like Colombo, Ratnapura, Puttalam, etc., and their respective meteorological data.

* At principal stations from the means of 9.30 A.M., 3.30 P.M., and the minimum readings.

Surveyor-General's Office. Colombo, October 6, 1902.

F. W. GRINLINTON, Surveyor-General.