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## 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 EDWARD McCALLUM, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty the King, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY McCALLUM.

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to bring the town of Lunugala, in the Province of Uva, a town mentioned in the schedule to "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, 1892," under the operation of the said Ordinance; and to define the limits of such town for the purposes of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 2 of the said Ordinance, do hereby, as and from the First January, One thousand Nine hundred and Eight, bring the town of Lunugala, in the Province of Uva, under the operation of the said Ordinance, and do define the limits of the said town for the purposes of the said Ordinance to be those set forth in the schedule hereto.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-third day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Seven.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

### SCHEDULE.

From the 25th milepost on the Badulla-Batticaloa road to the Kumbukkan-oya bridge near the 26th milepost on the same road, a width of two chains on either side from the centre of the Badulla-Batticaloa road.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 340 of 1907.

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

Mr. C. S. VAUGHAN to the office of Government Agent, North-Central Province; Fiscal for the North-Central Province; District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura; Superintendent of the Prison at Anuradhapura; Member of the Board of Health, North-Central Province; and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the North-Central Province with effect from October 31, 1907.

Mr. E. B. F. SUTER to act as Assistant at Kegalla to the Government Agent, Province of Sabaragamuwa; Superintendent of the Prison at Kegalla; Additional District Judge, Kegalla; Additional Superintendent of Police, Kegalla; and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Kegalla, with effect from November 5, 1907.

Mr. H. W. CODRINGTON to the office of Office Assistant at Colombo to the Government Agent, Western Province, with effect from November 5, 1907.

Mr. G. M. COOKSON to the office of Assistant at Trincomalee to the Government Agent, Eastern Province; District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Trincomalee; Superintendent of the Trincomalee Prison; and Additional Superintendent of Police, Trincomalee, with effect from October 26, 1907.

Mr. W. F. H. DE SARAM to act as District Judge, Additional Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Negombo, for November 1 and 2, 1907, during the absence of Mr. A. DE A. SENEVI-RATNE on leave or until further orders.

Mr. D. G. GOONEWARDENE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle; Municipal Magistrate, Galle; and Visitor of the Prison at Galle with effect from October 30, 1907, during the absence of Mr. H. E. BEVEN owing to illness or until further orders.

Mr. F. H. PRICE to be Additional Police Magistrate, Mullaittivu, for November 6, 1907, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. F. BARTLETT to be Additional Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Badulla-Haldummulla, in addition to his present duties, with effect from November 2, 1907.

Mr. DOMINGO DE SILVA to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, from November 7 to 10, 1907, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. J. E. DE SILVA on leave or until further orders.

Mr. G. F. FORREST to be Superintendent of Police, North-Western Province; a Justice of the Peace for the North-Western Province; and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Divisions of Kurunegala, Puttalam, and Chilaw, until further orders.

Mr. H. B. T. BOUCHER to be a Justice of the Peace for the Province of Uva and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Badulla-Haldummulla.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 1, 1907.

No. 341 of 1907.

**IT** is hereby notified that a Despatch has been received from THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES intimating that His Majesty's Exequatur has been issued to Mr. ANTONIO B. AGACIO, who has been appointed Consul-General of Chili at Calcutta, with Consular jurisdiction also over the British Colonies in Asia.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 1, 1907.

No. 342 of 1907.

**IT** is notified for information that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to accept the resignation of his appointment as Honorary Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Volunteer Force tendered by the Rev. Father J. M. MASSON, O.M.I.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

No. 343 of 1907.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased to make the following honorary appointment in the Ceylon Volunteer Force:—

The Rev. Father E. BOUVIER, O.M.I., to be Honorary Roman Catholic Chaplain, *vice* MASSON, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

No. 344 of 1907.

**HEADS** of Departments and Banks are authorized to accept the signature of Mr. G. P. GREENE as General Manager of the Railway from October 22, 1907, and until further notice.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 28, 1907.

## No. 345 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mudaliyar J. C. AMERASEKERA to be an Additional Member of the District Road Committee, Chilaw, *vice* Mr. A. DE ROWEL, deceased.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 26, 1907.

## No. 346 of 1907.

WITH reference to Notification No. 300 of September 16, 1907, published in the *Gazette* of September 20, 1907, it is hereby notified that the appointment of Mr. MALWATTEGEY SAMUEL PIERIS WEERASINGHE as an Inquirer for Salpiti korale, Colombo District, is cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

## No. 347 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the following towns for the year 1908, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892 :—

*Rattota.*

1. Mr. D. A. JAYAWARDANA, late Vidane Arachchi.
2. Mr. DON DAVIT APPUHAMY, Vidane Arachchi.
3. Mr. RANGHAM, Arachchi of Pallegama.

*Dambulla.*

1. Mr. PUNCHI BANDA, Korala of Wagapanaha Pallesiya pattu.
2. Mr. N. SUPPIAH.
3. Mr. MEDAGEDERA HERATHAMY.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 24, 1907.

## No. 348 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Moratuwa for the year 1908, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 and section 31 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898 :—

1. Mr. ISAAC RODRIGO, Vidane Arachchi of Moratuwa.
2. Mr. DANIEL FERNANDO, Police Vidane of Idama and Uyana.
3. Mr. BENJAMIN PERERA of Moratuwa.
4. Mr. PONNEHENNEDIGE PEDRU DIAS of Moratuwella.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

## No. 349 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the following towns for the year 1908, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892 :—

*Kattankudy.*

1. Mr. J. P. H. MARAKAR.
2. Mr. M. S. ISMAIL.
3. Mr. S. R. BARNES.

*Eravur.*

1. Mr. M. KUNCHILAYAPPODY.
2. Mr. M. UMARUSAIVU.
3. Mr. V. C. M. AYATURAL.

*Kalmunai.*

1. Mr. V. V. MUNDAPODY.
2. Mr. S. ELIYATAMPY.
3. Mr. A. B. KUMARAKULASINGHE.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 29, 1907.

## No. 350 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned Vidane Arachchies of the Hambantota District to be Inspectors of Wells and Pits, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 27 of 1884, for the following divisions :—

*West Giruwa Pattu.*

1. Don Cornelis Abedira, Tangalla.
2. Don Abraham Dissanayaka, Nakulugamuwa.
3. Wannu Arachchige Don Davit de Silva, Galagampalata.
4. Wannu Gamage Don Dines, Kahawatta Upper.
5. Don Samel Wickramaratna, Kahawatta Lower.
6. Don Karolis Gunasekara Wellappulli, Walasmulla Upper.
7. Don Dionis Gunasekara Wellappulli, Walasmulla Lower.
8. Don Juhanis Wijesiri Abegunatilleka, Kirama.
9. Don Abraham Waniga Chintamani Mohotti Appuhami, Katuwana.
10. Don Cornelis Munasin Dissanayaka, Parana-gampalata.
11. Kulasin Arachchige Dingi Appuhami, Julampitiya.
12. Don Davit Rajapaksa, Marakada Upper.
13. Don Andreas Pratapasin Ratnayaka, Kotawagampalata.
14. Don Migel Wijesinha, Wakamulugampalata.
15. Vidanapatiranage Don Diyonis, Ranna North.
16. Puwakdandawe Guruge Don Abraham de Silva, Ranna South.

*East Giruwa Pattu.*

17. Don Andris Abewickrama, Modaragam-palata.  
 18. Don Louis Alahapperuma, Kanuketiya Lower.  
 19. Don Andris Senarat Ratnaika, Kanuketiya Upper.  
 20. Don Theodoris Wiraman, Paranagam-palata.  
 21. Don Carolis Jayasundara Dissanayaka, Wewgampalata.

*Magam Pattu.*

22. Isi Lebhe Marikar Usuph, Four Gravets, Hambantota.  
 23. John Wirasingha, Western Walakada.

24. Don Danoris Ginaratna, Beddewewa, Walakada.  
 25. Don Samel Nallaperuma Dissanayaka, Northern Walakada.  
 26. Don Pedris Siriwardana, Mattala Walakada.  
 27. B. Don Carolis de Silva, Tihawa Walakada.  
 28. Weligamage Babun Appu, Ranakeliya Walakada.  
 29. Kolambage Don Amaris, Meda Walakada.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
 Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Colombo, October 24, 1907.

### APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

MR. LOKU BANDAR HALANGODA, Ratemahatmaya, to be Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Matale East, No. 1 Division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, with effect from November 1, 1907, *vice* Mr. H. D. KEPPITIPOLA, transferred. His office will be at Dimbulwalayewatta in Weragama.

ABRAHAM DE SILVA JAYASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Godapitiya division and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for two months with effect from November 1, 1907, *vice* P. DE S. JAYASINHA, on leave. His office will be at Godewatta in Tibbotuwawa.

MR. T. K. CARRON, Proctor, Negombo, to act as Additional Registrar of Lands, Colombo, holding office at Negombo, for two days from November 1, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. R. I. PARANAVITANA, on leave.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
 Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Colombo, October 28, 1907.

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, has appointed DON SAMUEL WIJESUNDERE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of the Kosgama division in Udugaha pattu of Hewagama korale and of Marriages (General) of the said Udugaha pattu, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for four days from October 24, 1907, during the absence of D. H. WIJESUNDERE, Registrar, on leave. His office will be at Rukgahawatta in Kosgama. Station: Tanayamewatta in Avisawella.

The Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed Dr. S. A. VAIRAKIAM, House Surgeon, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of the Anuradhapura Town division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for two days from October 26, 1907, during the absence of Dr. C. B. LOURENSZ on other duty. His office will be at the Anuradhapura Civil Hospital.

The Provincial Registrar, Ratnapura, has appointed DON JAMES ALEXANDER SAMARAWEEERA, Arachchi of Hidellana, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ketaliyanpalla division, Kuruwiti korale, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for twenty days from October 26, 1907, *vice* Registrar, J. M. MUDIYANSE, deceased. His office will be at Ambagahawatta in Hidellana.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed WIJESURIYA RATNAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tittaweligandaha korale division and as Registrar of General Marriages of Hiriyala hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for three days from October 28, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, P. S. M. APPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at Pahala Tihawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Nuwara Eliya, has appointed MEEAMBE JAYASUNDARA MUDIYANSE-LEYEGEDARA UKKU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maturata division and of Marriages (General) of Uda Hewaheta division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, for fourteen days from October 17, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, D. S. ABEYAGUNASEKERE, on leave. His office will be at Padiyapelella.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed NEINA MUKAMMATU MARAIKKAYAR MUKAMMATU MEERASAIPU MARAIKKAYAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Musali South division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for

thirty days from November 1, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, M. N. MOIDEEN SAIPU, on leave. His office will be at Vitanaivalavu in Tampaddamutalikaddu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed WICKRAMA ARACHCHIGE DON DANIEL GUNAWARDANE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pahalagauhaya division and as Registrar of General Marriages of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for one week and three days from October 26, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, DON KORNELIS GUNAWARDANE, on leave. His office will be at Malgahawatta at Thotakanatta.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON CORNELIS ABEWICKREMA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Marakada Ihala Walakada division and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for five days from October 24, 1907, during the absence of L. M. DON ANDIRIS on leave. His office will be at Hingamachchigewatta in Mandaduwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed HALPEWATTEGE DAVIT PEIRIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tihawa division and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for seven days from October 22, 1907, during the absence of D. JAYASINHA on leave. His office will be at Polgahawatta in Tihawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed SANTIAGO PEDURU LOUIS FERNANDO to act as Registrar of General Marriages and of Births and Deaths of Akkarai Pattu South division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from October 28, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, S. ABRAHAM FERNANDO, on leave. His office will be at Muttipalukulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed MERINEA JOSEPH MENDIS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam Pattu North division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from October 25, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, M. ADRIUS MENDIS, on leave. His office will be at Arachchivillu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed KACHCHU MARIKAR AULIA MIRA LEVVAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of General Marriages of Pomparippu pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from October 19, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, K. M. MOHAMADO CASIM, on leave. His office will be at Karaittivu.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Dr. J. VANDERWERT to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 3 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on August 4, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. H. G. LOOS, on leave. His office will be at No. 11, Darley road, Maradana.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Dr. R. H. PHILLIPS to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 5 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on October 28 and 29, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. S. A. SITAMPALAM, on leave. His office will be at No. 259, Alutmawata road, Colombo.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DANIEL MIGUEL PERERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Weligama division and of General Marriages of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for Monday, October 21, 1907, during the absence of S. M. PERERA on leave. His office will be at Palugahawatta in Weligama.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON SIYADORIS WIJESEKARA HANTI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Beralapanatara divisions and of General Marriages of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for six days from October 23, 1907, during the absence of D. C. M. GUNAWARDANA on leave. His office will be at Walawwewatta in Dampahala.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 31, 1907.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of Chilaw has, in terms of section 30 of the Local Boards' Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898, as amended by section 2 (2) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1905, made and assessed for the year 1908 a rate of 5 per cent. on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the limits of the Local Board of Chilaw, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid section.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** will hold a Levée at the Queen's House, Colombo, on Saturday, November 9, 1907, at 12 noon, in honour of the Birthday of **HIS MAJESTY THE KING**.

All officers and gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to bring with them two cards with their names legibly written thereon: one card to be delivered on entering the Queen's House and the other to the Aide-de-Camp on duty at the time of presentation.

Gentlemen who are included in the following list will be accorded the privilege of private entrée, and should attend, if they desire to avail themselves of this privilege, at 11.30 A.M. No further special invitation will be issued.

Gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in Levée dress.

Gentlemen not wearing uniform will appear in frock coats or evening dress.

Prior to the General Levée **HIS EXCELLENCY** will hold an Investiture of Native Rank.

November 1, 1907.

J. CURLING, Captain, R.A.,  
Aide-de-Camp.

*List referred to.*

The Chief Justice.  
The Senior Naval Officer and the Officer Commanding the Troops.  
The Puisne Judges.  
The Members of the Executive and Legislative Councils.  
The Government Agents. )  
The Director of Public Works.  
The Principal Collector of Customs.  
The Postmaster-General.  
The Registrar-General.  
The Inspector-General of Prisons.  
The Surveyor-General.  
The Director of Irrigation.  
The Director of Public Instruction.  
The Solicitor-General.  
The Principal Civil Medical Officer.  
The Inspector-General of Police.  
The General Manager of the Railway.  
The Conservator of Forests.  
The Mayor of Colombo.  
The Colonial Auditor.  
The Staff Officers of the General Officer Commanding.  
Officers in Command of H. M. Ships on the East Indies Station.  
The Officer Commanding Royal Garrison Artillery.  
The Commanding Royal Engineer.  
The Officer Commanding Royal Army Medical Corps.  
The Chief Ordnance Officer.  
The District Paymaster, Ceylon.  
The Officer in Command of the Infantry Regiment.  
The Officer in Command, Ceylon and Mauritius Battalion, Royal Garrison Artillery.  
The Officer Commanding Army Service Corps.  
The Commandant, Ceylon Volunteers.  
The Staff Officer, Ceylon Volunteers.  
The Bishop of Colombo.  
The Delegate Apostolic.  
The Archbishop and Bishops of the Roman Catholic Church.  
The Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary.  
The Controller of Government Stores.  
The District Judges of Colombo, Kandy, Galle, and Kurunegala.  
The Chairman, Chamber of Commerce.  
The Chairman, Planters' Association of Ceylon.  
The Hon. Mr. J. N. Campbell.  
Eknelligoda Dissawa.  
Sir W. W. Mitchell, C.M.G.  
Mr. J. H. de Saram, C.M.G.  
Mr. P. Ramanathan, C.M.G., K.C.  
The Diyawadana Nilame.  
Sir William Twynam, K.C.M.G.  
Mr. W. Saunders.  
Dunuwille Dissawe.  
Hulugalla Adigar.  
Mr. Solomon Seneviratne.  
Mr. E. R. Gooneratne.

## THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES' ORDINANCE, No. 24 OF 1889.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in exercise of the powers vested in him by sections 7 and 8 of the above-named Ordinance and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the rules set forth in Schedule I. hereto, which have been made, under the provisions of section 16 of the said Ordinance, by the Village Committee elected by the inhabitants of the subdivisions set forth in Schedule II. hereto, in substitution for rules No. 4 and No. 25 of the rules dated March 2, 1907, and the same are published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 28, 1907.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE I.

4. *Commutation of labour.*—Any person liable to work under rule 1 can commute his year's labour for a money payment of cents fifty, which cents fifty shall be paid by him on or before March 21 in every year. *For extraordinary works under rule 1 any person may be called on to work for an additional period not exceeding six days.*

25. *Village schools.*—Whenever Government sanctions the establishment of a school, the building for such school shall be built and repaired at the expense of the Village Committee Fund, or by communal labour, or by both.

## SCHEDULE II.

Name of Chief Headman's Division.	Name of Subdivision.
(1) Udunuwara	Gangapalata Medapalata Kandupalata
(2) Yatinuwara	Gangapalata Medapalata Kandupalata
(3) Tumpane	Udapalata Pallepalata Ganatapalata
(4) Harispattu	Kulugammanasiya pattu Medasiya pattu Galasiya pattu Pallegampaha Udagampaha
(5) Pata Dumbara	Pallegampaha Udagampaha Palispattu East Palispattu West Wendaruwe
(6) Uda Dumbara	Udispattu North Udispattu South Medasiya pattu Gampaha West Gampaha East Gandeka Kandapahala
(7) Pata Hewaheta	Gandahaye Hewawisse
(8) Udapalata	Ganga Ihala Ganga Pahala Kandukara Pahala Kandukara Ihala
(9) Uda Bulatgama	Pasbage Ambagamuwa

## Sixteenth Annual Report of the Ceylon Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association, 1906-1907.

ON June 30, 1907, there were on the books of the Association 789 members, as against 775 on June 30, 1906, showing an increase in membership of 14.

2. The total amount of contributions received from the members during the year was Rs. 8,493.52, as against Rs. 7,174.50 in the preceding year, an increase of Rs. 1,319.02.

3. A sum of Rs. 6,073.09 in the aggregate was refunded to members on withdrawal from the Association or on account of over-remittances, as against Rs. 3,172.46 refunded during the previous year.

4. During the year the Association was not called upon to make good any claims in respect of defaulting associates.

5. The following statements of accounts of the Association for the period under review are annexed:—

A.—Balance Sheet.

B.—Statement of Receipts and Expenditure.

C.—Statement showing all transactions affecting the Association during the year.

D.—Profit and Loss Account.

Colombo, October 24, 1907.

C. R. CUMBERLAND,  
Secretary.

## A.—Balance Sheet for the Year ended June 30, 1907.

LIABILITIES.	Amount.		ASSETS.	Amount.		Total.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Sundry associates, contributions ..	84,078	9	Cash in hand of Government (current account, Bank of Madras) ..	923	79		
Sundry associates, accrued interest not yet available for apportionment under rule XI. ..	2,787	95	Ceylon Savings Bank ..	942	25		
			National Bank of India ..	12,500	0		
			Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank ..	12,500	0		
			Chartered Bank of India, &c. ..	13,500	0		
			Investment, 4 per cent. Ceylon Inscribed Stock ..	31,500	0	40,366	4
			Investment, 3½ per cent. Indian Paper ..	15,000	0		
						46,500	0
						86,866	4
						86,866	4

## B.—Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the Year ended June 30, 1907.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.		EXPENDITURE.	Amount.	
	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.
Contributions from associates ..	8,493	52	Salary of clerk for the year ..	457	50
Dividends on Ceylon Government 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock ..	1,260	0	Cost of a set of new account books ..	35	50
Dividends on 3½ per cent. Indian Gov- ernment Paper ..	508	1	Cost of almirah for Association records ..	27	0
Interest on Ceylon Savings Bank Deposits ..	36	20			
Interest on Fixed Deposits in Banks ..	1,280	0			
Interest on Bank balance, Government current account, Bank of Madras ..	98	17			
	11,675	90			520 0

## C.—Statement showing the Transactions affecting the Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association for the Year ended June 30, 1907.

		Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.
Balance in Bank of Madras, Govern- ment current account ..	2,377	18	Contributions refunded ..	6,073	9		
Receipts as per statement B ..	11,675	90	Expenditure as per statement B ..	520	0		
			Savings Bank Deposit .. Rs. 36 20				
			Chartered Bank, Fixed Deposit .. Rs. 6,500 0			6,536	20
			Government current account, Bank of Madras ..			923	79
						14,053	8
						14,053	8

## D.—Profit and Loss Account, 1906-1907.

		Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.
Dividends apportioned to sundry asso- ciates as profits for the triennium ended June 30, 1906 ..	5,342	9	Balance on June 30, 1906 ..	5,467	66		
Salary of clerk for the year 1906-1907 ..	457	50	Dividends on investments in 4 per cent. Ceylon Inscribed Stock ..	1,260	0		
Cost of a set of new account books ..	35	50	Dividends on investments in 3½ per cent. Indian Government Paper ..	508	1		
Cost of an almirah for Association Records ..	27	0	Interest on Ceylon Savings Bank Deposits ..	36	20		
Balance of nett profit on June 30, 1907 ..	2,787	95	Interest on Fixed Deposits in Banks ..	1,280	0		
			Interest on Bank balance, Government current account, Bank of Madras ..	98	17		
						8,650	4
						8,650	4



## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

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A. R. SLATER,  
Government Recordkeeper.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November, 1907.

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## Examinations in Oriental Studies, 1907.

THE candidates whose names appear on the following list have passed the examinations held on July 15, 1907, and the following days. Those whose names do not appear have failed to pass :—

Index No.	Order of Merit.	Name.	Name of College, or by whom recommended.
PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION.			
DIVISION A.			
(Sections taken : Elu, Pali, Sanskrit.)			
1.—HONOURS CLASS.—None.			
2.—FIRST CLASS.			
29	—	Kotmale Siri Saddhammawansa Unnanse	Saugata Vidyalaya, Panadure.
3.—SECOND CLASS.			
35	1	Weliwitiye Sangichcha Unnanse	Vidyodaya Pirivena, Colombo.
7	2	Amban-elle Dhammananda Unnanse	Vidyalankara Pirivena, Peliyagoda.
DIVISION Aa.			
(Sections taken : Elu and Pali, or Elu and Sanscrit. E. P. denotes Elu and Pali ; E. S. denotes Elu and Sanskrit.)			
1.—HONOURS CLASS.—None.			
2.—FIRST CLASS.			
9	1	Matara Dhammawansa Unnanse, E. S.	Vidyananda Pirivena, Veyangoda.
30	2	Mullegama Silalankara Unnanse, E. S.	do.
25	3	W. Gabriel Perera, E. S.	Vidyodaya Pirivena, Colombo.
38	4	K. B. William Weheragoda, E. P.	do.
3.—SECOND CLASS.			
12	1	Haltota Girimananda Unnanse	Pravachanodaya Pirivena, Molligoda
40	2	Ransegoda Wimalasena Unnanse, E. P.	Sudharmawardhana Pirivena, Dondampahala
20	3	D. A. Pallewela, E. S.	Rev. M. Nanissara of Vidyodaya College
10	4	B. Dhammawansa Unnanse, E. P.	Mahamantinda Pirivena, Matara.
31	5	Ratmalane Sirinuwasana Unnanse, E. S.	Vidyalankara Pirivena, Peliyagoda.
INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION.			
DIVISION A.			
(Elu, Pali, Sanskrit.)			
1.—HONOURS CLASS.—None.			
2.—FIRST CLASS.—None.			
3.—SECOND CLASS.			
3	1	Yagirala Pannananda Unnanse	Vidyodaya College, Colombo
7	2	Akmimana Wimalajoti Unnanse	do.
DIVISION Aa.			
(E. P. S. denote respectively Elu, Pali, Sanskrit.)			
1.—HONOURS CLASS.—None.			
2.—FIRST CLASS.—None.			
3.—SECOND CLASS.			
6	—	A. D. W. Tillekeratna, E. S.	Vidyalankara Pirivena, Peliyagoda.

In the Preliminary Examination Kotmale Siri Saddhammawansa Unnanse has won the Amarasuriya prize, worth Rs. 45, as the candidate coming first in the examination. The following candidates take first place in sections :—

Sinhalese	..	Matara Dhammawansa Unnanse.
Pali	..	Kotmale Siri Saddhammawansa Unnanse.
Sanskrit	..	Mullegama Silalankara Unnanse.

In the Intermediate Examination Yagirala Pannananda Unnanse has won the Director's prize, worth Rs. 20, as the candidate coming first in the examination. The Wijesekera prize of Rs. 50 confined to laymen goes to A. D. W. Tillekeratna. Yagirala Pannananda Unnanse also takes the first place in all the sections.

Office of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, October 29, 1907.

J. HARWARD,  
Director of Public Instruction  
(Chairman of the Committee on Oriental Studies).

**A**N examination for admission into the Post and Telegraph Department will be held at the Government Training College, Colombo, on April 13, 1908, and the following day.

2. Only candidates nominated by the Postmaster-General will be allowed to compete.
3. Candidates must be over 18 and under 24 years of age on the first day of examination.
4. Every candidate must apply for nomination to the Postmaster-General in his own handwriting not later than January 31, 1908, and must with his application forward certificates of birth and character Affidavits will not be accepted in proof of age.
5. 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 10, 1908, 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.*

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

	Maximum.
Dictation. { Writing .. .. .	200
{ Spelling .. .. .	100
Arithmetic .. .. .	200
Geography .. .. .	200
English Composition .. .. .	100
Geometry, the subjects of the First Book of Euclid .. .. .	50
Algebra up to and including simple equations .. .. .	50
Sinhalese .. .. .	50
Tamil .. .. .	50

7. The examination will be held in two parts: the first part will be a qualifying examination in Handwriting, Spelling, and Arithmetic. Any candidate failing to obtain half the marks allotted for Handwriting, Spelling, and Arithmetic, respectively, will be excluded from the remainder of the examination. The second part of the examination will be in the remaining subjects mentioned in paragraph 6 of this notice. Attention is drawn to the addition of Sinhalese and Tamil to the subjects for examination. Candidates will be required to read and translate specimens of ordinary handwriting in these languages, and in selecting candidates consideration will be given to those who have obtained marks in the vernacular.

8. Candidates who have passed either the London Matriculation Examination or the Madras Matriculation or the Calcutta Entrance Examination in the First or Second Division, or the Senior or 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 and either Sinhalese or Tamil.

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

10. 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, 1908:—

	11 A.M. to 11.30 A.M. ..	Dictation
April 13	11.30 A.M. to 12.30 P.M. ..	English Composition
	1.30 P.M. to 3.30 P.M. ..	Arithmetic
	11 A.M. to 12.30 P.M. ..	Geography
April 14	1.30 P.M. to 3 P.M. ..	Algebra
	3 P.M. to 4.30 P.M. ..	Euclid

Candidates will be examined orally in Sinhalese and Tamil while the papers are in progress.

Postmaster-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 4, 1907.

W. MACREADY,  
for Postmaster-General.

**Cambridge Local Examinations.**

**T**HE following addition to the notice published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* of August 16, 1907, is authorized by the Cambridge Syndicate for local examinations:—

*Substitute for Text books and Subjects.*

"All applications on this subject must be forwarded through the Director of Public Instruction."

J. HARWARD,  
Department of Public Instruction, Director.  
Colombo, October 28, 1907.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. D. G. Jayasinghe of Henaratgoda for a grant in aid of his Naiwala Boys' Vernacular Primary School, which is situated in Dasiya pattu of the Alutkuru korale of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than November 14, 1907.

J. HARWARD,  
Department of Public Instruction, Director.  
Colombo, October 24, 1907.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. F. L. Woodward for change of site of his Mahinda College, Galle, which is situated within Galle Municipality limits of the Southern Province, to Elliot Road, Galle (about three-quarters of a mile from the Fort).

Observations will be received not later than November 14, 1907.

J. HARWARD,  
Director.

Department of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, October 24, 1907.

**T**HE Talatu-oya bridge on the Ampitiya road, Kandy District, will be closed to traffic on November 28, 29, and 30, 1907, to admit of repairs being effected.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, October 29, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the Congregation of the Church of Our Lady of Good Death at Hulftsdorp in Colombo will be held on Monday, December 2, 1907, at 5 P.M., at the Mission House attached to the said Church, for the purpose of electing Trustees under Ordinance No. 5 of 1864 for the ensuing year.

D. A. PASSE.  
R. E. FERNANDO.  
B. F. QUYN.  
A. VANDENBASCH.  
J. A. FERNANDO.

Colombo, October 22, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the Independent Catholic Cathedral of Our Lady of Good Death, Hulftsdorp, will

be held on Monday, December 2, 1907, at 7 A.M., at the Mission House attached to the said Cathedral of Our Lady of Good Death, for the purpose of electing Trustees for the said Cathedral and its temporalities for the year 1908, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 5 of 1864.

STEPHEN SILVA.  
CLEMENT B. PASSE.  
C. FERNANDO.  
K. D. INNOCENT.  
B. C. TAVARES DE MELLO.

Independent Catholic Cathedral  
of Our Lady of Good Death,  
Hulftsdorp, October 21, 1907.

### NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the Central Province for the supply of the under-mentioned materials during 1908 for the use of the Public Works Department in the Kandy, Katugastota, Matale, Pussellawa, Nuwara Eliya, Dimbula, and Dikoya Districts, in the Central Province, up to noon on Saturday, November 30, 1907:—

Bags, gunny, second-hand, each.

\*Baskets, rattan, 18 in. diameter top, 6 in. diameter bottom, 9 in. deep, of whole cane throughout each.

\*Bricks, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.

Cadjans, 6 ft. long (double), per 1,000.

Charcoal, per cwt.

Coir string, per lb.

Indigo, blue, per lb.

\*Lime, boiled, per bushel.

\*Lime, slaked, per bushel.

Oil, castor, per gallon.

Oil, coconut, per gallon.

Oil, kerosine, per gallon.

\*Tiles, half-round, 15 in. long, per 1,000.

Raw rice, per bushel.

Samples of materials marked (\*) should be forwarded to the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, properly labelled, on or before the time and date fixed for tender.

Each tender to give separately his rates for materials delivered in each of the above-mentioned seven districts.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for supply of Materials."

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, 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, Kandy, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

5. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona 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. Further information may be obtained on application at the Provincial Engineer's Office at Kandy.

7. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for the due and faithful performance of the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the Central 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 to accept any portion of a tender.

WALTER PRICE,

Provincial Engineer, Central Province.

Public Works Department,  
Kandy, October 25, 1907.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the North-Western Province for the supply of the under-mentioned materials during the year 1908 for the use of the Public Works Department within the towns and within the Districts of Kurunegala, Puttalam, Chilaw, and Dandagama, in the North-Western Province, up to noon on November 30, 1907.

2. Tenders may tender for all or any of the articles in the following list:—

\* Bags, gunny, old.

\* Baskets.

\* Bricks.

Cadjans.

Charcoal.

Coir, string.

Indigo blue.

Lime, boiled and slaked.

Oil, castor.

Oil, coconut.

Oil, kerosine.

\* Tiles, half-round.

Raw rice.

3. Each tender to give separate rates for materials delivered at each town and district.

4. Samples of articles marked (\*) to be deposited with the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, labelled with the name of the tenderer on or before November 30, 1907.

5. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for Supply of Materials, North-Western Province, 1908."

6. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

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

8. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, or deposit the required cash security when called upon to do so, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages.

9. Any further information may be obtained, on application at the Provincial Engineer's Office at Kurunegala.

10. Before a contract is entered into the sum of Rs. 150 will have to be deposited by the contractor as security for the due and faithful performance of the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the North-Western Province that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

11. 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.

12. 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.

A. ROTHWELL,  
Acting Provincial Engineer,  
North-Western Province.

Public Works Department,  
Kurunegala, October 22, 1907.

**T**ENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the North-Western Province for transporting materials, &c., for the Public Works Department from any one station to any other station within the four districts of Kurunegala, Puttalam, Chilaw, and Dandagama during the year 1907, viz. :—

To and from Kurunegala on all main roads in the Kurunegala District.

To and from Kurunegala Railway Station and Public Works Department Yard.

To and from Puttalam on all main roads in the Puttalam District.

To and from Chilaw on all main roads in the Chilaw District.

To and from Dandagama on all main roads in the Dandagama District—

in the North-Western Province, up to noon on November 30, 1907.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for Transport Service, North-Western Province, 1907."

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, 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, North-Western Province, and no tender will be considered

unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

5. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract or deposit the required cash security when called upon to do so, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages.

6. Any further information obtained on application at the Provincial Engineer's Office.

7. Tenderers may tender for all or any of the under-mentioned districts and services, and should state the rate per cwt. per mile.

8. Before a contract is entered into the sum of Rs. 150 will have to be deposited by the contractor as security for the due and faithful performance of the contract within 10 days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the North-Western Province that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

9. 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.

10. 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.

A. ROTHWELL,  
Acting Provincial Engineer,  
North-Western Province.

Public Works Department,  
Kurunegala, October 22, 1907.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the Coaling of Engines at Colombo Running Shed," will be received up to noon on November 19, 1907, from persons willing to contract for the above service from January 1, 1908.

Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the General Manager of the Railway and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, 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. 30 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. 30 will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

The security required will be Rs. 500 by fixed deposit in one of the banks, and any further information required can be obtained on 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 Government will be required to bear the expense of having the security bonds prepared for the due performance of the contract, which bonds 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 documents.

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 30, 1907.

**S**EALFED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tenders for supplying meals and liquor to 1st and 2nd class passengers in the refreshment room and also refreshments to 3rd class passengers on the platform at Anuradhapura Railway Station" for a period of three years from January 1, 1908, will be received up to noon on November 12, 1907, from persons willing to tender for same.

2. 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 in the authorized form.

3. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the General Manager of the Railway, and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

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

5. The security required will be Rs. 100 in cash.

6. 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.

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

8. The liquors and aerated waters sold are to be of the best quality, and subject to the approval of the General Manager. Ice is to be supplied free with aerated waters.

9. The sales are to take place only at train times, and then only to *bona fide* 1st and 2nd class passengers in the refreshment room and 3rd class passengers on the platform. Under no circumstances are liquors to be sold to 3rd class passengers.

10. The price charged for liquors, aerated waters, tea, coffee, and other refreshments are to be moderate and to the satisfaction of the General Manager.

11. The successful tenderer will have to provide all the linen, plate, glass, cutlery, cooking utensils, &c., necessary for the cooking and serving of meals and refreshments in a satisfactory manner, the General Manager only providing such fittings as cooking accommodation, shelves, counters, tables, and chairs.

12. Clean table cloths and napkins are to be supplied for all meals served.

13. Sufficient servants are to be supplied by the successful tenderer to enable meals to be served with the utmost promptness during the period the trains are timed to remain at the station. The servants are to be dressed in clean white clothes.

14. The sale of liquors at the station refreshment room shall be allowed to the successful tenderer without being called upon to take out liquor license, provided he adheres strictly to the conditions above stated.

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

16. Any further information required can be obtained on application at the office of the General Manager.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.  
General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

**S**EALFED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Conveyance of Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 20, 1907, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1908 from the Provincial Surgeon's Office, Ratnapura, to the hospital and (or) dispensaries at the following stations:—

Name of Station.	Distance from nearest Railway Station.	Miles.
Ellagawa	..	19
Kalawana	..	18
Pelmadulla	..	15
Rakwana	..	28
Balangoda	..	28
Godakawela	..	33
Kolonna	..	42
Embilipitiya	..	54
Madawalatenna	..	34

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 Controller of Revenue, 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, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

4. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer 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 after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

5. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

6. 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.

7. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Ratnapura.

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.

ALLAN PERRY,  
Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for provisioning Hospitals," will be received up to 12 noon on Monday, November 18, 1907, from persons willing to contract for supplies for the use of the under-mentioned Government Civil Hospital, commencing from January 1, 1908, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender, to December 31, 1908:—

	Security in Cash. Rs.
Civil Hospital, Kandy, including Mahaiyawa Hospital and Smallpox Hospital . . .	1,000

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 Controller of Revenue, 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 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 respectable witnesses.*

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 tenderer will be required to give cash security as given opposite the name of the station and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the 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 alterations 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.

ALLAN PERRY,  
Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, October 29, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for washing Soiled Linen of the Paying Section, General Hospital, Colombo," to be washed and delivered clean regularly on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays between 12 noon and 1 p.m. during the year 1908, will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, November 20, 1907.

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 Controller of Revenue, 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, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on these forms.

4. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 50; and should any tenderer 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 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.

5. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 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 Surgeon in charge, General Hospital, Colombo.

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.

ALLAN PERRY,  
Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, October 30, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for \_\_\_\_\_," will be received up to noon on Friday, November 15, 1907, from persons willing to contract for supplying with good drinking water for one year commencing from January 1, 1908:—

*Western Province.*—Negombo jail. Water to be supplied from an approved well from Tammita.

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 Controller of Revenue, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

3. A deposit of Rs. 10, which must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, will be required, and no tender will be considered unless the receipt of 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 with the Superintendent of the Jail or Inspector-General of Prisons 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.

4. Quantity of water required and further particulars may be obtained upon application from the Superintendent of the above-mentioned jail.



5. 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.

6. 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 tenderer's own lawyers.

7. 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.

8. 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.

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

10. 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.

Prisons Office,  
Colombo, October 28, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for Services, Central Timber Depot," will be received up to noon on Monday, November 25, 1907, from persons willing to contract for the under-mentioned services from January 1, 1908, to December 31, 1908:—

(1) To take delivery of ebony at each of the following places, to transport it by cart to the Central Depot, to weigh it, and to stack it in such places and in such manner as the Assistant Conservator, Central Timber Depot, may direct:—

- (a) Main Goods Station, Colombo.
- (b) Landing Jetty, Colombo Harbour.
- (c) Mutwal Ferry.

(2) To take delivery of timber other than ebony at each of the following places, to transport it by cart to the Central Depot, and to stack it in such places and in such manner as the Assistant Conservator may direct, after measurement by him:—

- (a) Main Goods Station, Colombo.
- (b) Landing Jetty, Colombo Harbour.
- (c) Mutwal Ferry.

(3) To shift and re-stack timber in the depot.

(4) To weigh and re-stack timber in the depot.

(5) To take delivery of ebony or other timber at the Central Depot and to transport it by cart and to deliver it at each of the following places:—

- (a) Government Factory.
- (b) Harbour Works.
- (c) Elsewhere within the Colombo Municipality.

Rates should be tendered for ebony at per ton of 20 cwt., and for other timber at per cubic foot.

The Central Timber Depot shall be understood to be all or any of the yards in Slave Island, Colombo, constituting it.

Any person willing to tender for all or any of the above services should deposit in the Treasury or the Colombo Kachcheri the sum of Rs. 50 and submit the receipt to the Assistant Conservator, Colombo Division, who will thereupon issue to him the form on which the tender must be made.

The original tender should be sent to the Assistant Conservator and a duplicate of it direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, 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.

All alterations in any tender should be initialled by the person signing it.

The sum of Rs. 250 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, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Further information may be obtained on application to the Assistant Conservator, Colombo Division.

E. L. BOYD MOSS,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Colombo, October 29, 1907.

**TENDERS** will be received by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, up to November 18, 1907, from persons willing to carry out the under-mentioned work:—

To purchase and remove all the timber and firewood standing on the Negombo North and South Base Line road reservation, about  $5\frac{1}{2}$  miles in length, in Alutkuru korale, Western Province, within three months from date of contract.

The tender must be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division.

Further information may be obtained on application to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division.

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

E. L. BOYD MOSS,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Colombo, October 24, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders (in duplicate), marked on envelopes "Tenders for the purchase of right to collect Wild Cinnamon," will be received up to noon on Saturday, December 3, 1907, from persons desirous of buying the right to collect wild cinnamon in Central Province, south of Mahaweli-ganga, and road from Kandy to Kadugannawa, for one year commencing from January 1, 1908.

2. Any person willing to tender for the above right should remit to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division, the sum of Rs. 20, 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.

3. The original tender must be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division, and the duplicate of it direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being despatched at the same time.

4. Should the person tendering decline to pay the amount tendered, the deposit will be forfeited to the Crown.

5. 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.

6. A sum not less than half the amount tendered will have to be deposited when the tender is accepted, and the balance within one month.

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

8. Further information may be obtained on application to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division.

H. C. TOLLER,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Nuwara Eliya Division.

Nuwara Eliya, October 21, 1907.

**S**EALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for the purchase of right to collect Shed Horns," will be received up to noon on December 3, 1907, from persons desirous of buying the right to collect shed horns in the Province of Uva, excluding Wellawaya and Buttala divisions, comprising 1,570 square miles, up to December 31, 1908.

2. Any person willing to tender for the above right should remit to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division, the sum of Rs. 20, 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.

3. The original tender must be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division, and the duplicate of it direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being despatched at the same time.

4. Should the person tendering decline to pay the amount tendered, the deposit will be forfeited to the Crown.

5. 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.

6. A sum of not less than half the amount tendered will have to be deposited when the tender is accepted, and the balance within one month.

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

8. Further information may be obtained on application to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division.

H. C. TOLLER,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Nuwara Eliya Division.

Nuwara Eliya, October 21, 1907.

**S**EALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for the purchase of Timber," will be received up to noon on Saturday, November 30, 1907, by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa Division, Batticaloa, from persons willing to purchase the under-mentioned timber:—

The top pieces and branches of 75 satinwood, 25 palai, and 27 ranai trees felled in 1906 at Gomarasan-kadawala forest, and the top pieces and branches of 75 satinwood and 25 ranai trees felled at Gomarasan-kadawala, Painkattimurippu, and Poothukadu forests during the current year.

Any person wishing to tender for the purchase of the above said timber should deposit either in the Batticaloa or Trincomalee Kachcheri the sum of Rs. 20 and submit the receipt to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, or to the Forest Ranger, Northern Range, Trincomalee, who will thereupon issue to him the form on which the tender must be made. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished in the recognized form thus obtained.

The original tender must be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, and the duplicate of it to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being despatched at the same time.

A rate per cubic foot should be quoted, written both in words and figures, and the full amount of the purchase money should be paid before the issue of removal permit.

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

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, Batticaloa, or to the Forest Ranger, Northern Range, Trincomalee.

G. D. TEMPLER,  
Acting Conservator of Forests,  
Forest Office, Batticaloa Division.  
Batticaloa, October 19, 1907.

**S**EALED Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for the purchase of Ebony," will be received up to 2 P.M. on Thursday, December 5, 1907, by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa Division, Batticaloa, from persons willing to purchase the under-mentioned timber:—

One hundred and seventy-one logs and pieces of ebony lying in the depot at Batticaloa, estimated to weigh about 12 tons.

Any person wishing to tender for the above should deposit in the Batticaloa Kachcheri the sum of Rs. 20, and submit the receipt to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa Division, who will thereupon issue to him the forms 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, Batticaloa, and the duplicate of it to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being despatched at the same time.

A lump sum should be quoted for the whole lot, written both in words and figures, and the full amount of the purchase money should be paid as soon as the tender is accepted.

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

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, Batticaloa Division.

G. D. TEMPLER,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Batticaloa Division.  
Assistant Conservator's Office,  
Batticaloa, October 11, 1907.

**T**ENDERS marked on the envelopes "Tender for weighing, removing, and loading into boats and carts salt issued to purchasers from the Kalpitiya Stores," from January 1, 1908, to December 31, 1908, will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 1 o'clock of November 18, 1907.

Tenderers are requested to observe the following conditions:—

(a) The rate shall be fixed for 1,000 cwt. to be weighed, removed, and loaded into boats, &c.

(b) Tenderers should be prepared to weigh, remove, and load as much as 1,200 cwt. daily.

(c) A deposit of Rs. 30 shall be made with the tender in the Puttalam Kachcheri on or before November 18, 1907, to be forfeited if the tenderer fails to enter into a contract within a reasonable time.

(d) Duplicate of tender to be forwarded by post to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue at the same time that the tenderer forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent.

(e) Tenderers to name an address in Puttalam for delivery of any notices.

For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

A. C. ALLNUTT,  
Assistant Government Agent.  
Puttalam Kachcheri,  
October 28, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for repairing the Salt Inspector's Bungalow, houses of the Supervisor, First Class Constable, Second Class Constable, and six Patrols' huts at Karaitivu," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, till Friday, November 8, 1907, at 1 P.M., for repairing the Salt Inspector's Bungalow, houses of the Supervisor, First Class Constable, Second Class Constable, and six Patrols' huts at Karaitivu.

Specification for thorough repairs of the Salt Inspector's Bungalow and outhouses:—

All decayed material to be removed and replaced by sound fresh material. The plastering of the buildings to be repaired where necessary, and the buildings to be whitewashed and tarred at base. The floor to be raised where necessary, and stamped and levelled and cowdunged. A new shutter for the kitchen door to be placed and a new lock fixed. A new commode to be placed in the water-closet, the walls of which to be newly cadjanned.

Specification for thoroughly repairing the house, dining bungalow, kitchen, and godown of the Supervisor's house, and for building a new water-closet to replace the one in ruins:—

All decayed material to be removed and replaced by sound fresh material. The plastering of the buildings to be repaired where necessary, and the buildings to be whitewashed and tarred at base. The floor to be raised where necessary, and levelled and stamped and cowdunged. Verandah of house to be pegged with sirais and tied with varichchies, and a half fence to be raised with cadjans. Door and windows to be painted, openings in the shutters to be closed with putty. New shutters of doors and windows of kitchen and godown to be placed and painted. Wing walls of kitchen and godown to be protected with cadjan tats. Cadjan tats to be hung around the dining bungalow, and the doors made firm and painted. A new water-closet to be built 8 ft. by 7 ft., walls to be of clay and plastered and whitewashed. Cesspit to be dug and an empty cement barrel to be introduced. A fence to be tied in front of cadjans with tat door. The fence round the buildings to be of tarmana sirais and cadjanned.

Specification for repairing First Class Constable's house and outhouses:—

All decayed material to be removed and replaced by sound fresh material. Plastering to be repaired where necessary, and buildings to be whitewashed and tarred at base. Floor to be raised where necessary, and levelled, stamped, and cowdunged. Doors and windows to be painted. One lock and one padlock to be supplied. Compound to be fenced with sirais and lined with cadjans.

Specification for repairing the Second Class Constable's house and outhouses:—

All decayed material to be removed and replaced by fresh sound material. Plastering of the buildings to be repaired where necessary, and buildings to be whitewashed and tarred at base. Floor to be raised where necessary, and stamped, levelled, and cowdunged. Floor of verandah to be raised and similarly dealt with, and sides to be pegged with sirais. Kitchen walls to be built of clay. New water-closet to be built of cadjans.

Specification for repairing six Patrols' huts:—

All decayed material to be removed and replaced by sound fresh material. Plastering of walls to be repaired where necessary, and the buildings of clay to be whitewashed and tarred at base. Floor to be raised where necessary, and levelled, stamped, and cowdunged. Three locks and three padlocks with chains to be supplied. Compounds to be fenced. One window shutter to be placed in a kottu.

Tenderers are to observe the following conditions:—

1. Money deposit of Rs. 10 to be made in the Kachcheri before November 8, 1907, to be forfeited if the tenderer, on his tender being accepted, fails to enter into contract within reasonable time to be determined by the Assistant Government Agent.
2. Tenderers to name an address in Puttalam for delivery of notice to them.
3. A duplicate of the tender should be forwarded to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, at the same time that he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.
4. For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector.

A. C. ALLNUTT,  
Assistant Government Agent.

Puttalam Kachcheri,  
October 21, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the Supply of Tin Cases," will be received by the Surveyor-General in his office, Colombo, up to 12 noon on Thursday, December 5, 1907, from persons willing to contract for the above service for a period of twelve months from January 1, 1908.

2. Tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being sent to the Surveyor-General and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue at the same time.
3. Forms of tender can be obtained on personal application to the Surveyor-General. No tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the prescribed form.
4. Each original tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 5, which will be forfeited should the successful tenderer fail to enter into the necessary bond. All other deposits will be returned.
5. The person whose tender is accepted by the Government will be required to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 20 and to bear the expense of having the security bond prepared for the due fulfilment of his contract, which bond will be subject to the approval of the Attorney-General, but may be drawn by the tenderer's own lawyer, the name and stamp of whom must be affixed to the document.
6. A rate per dozen tin cases of each of two kinds must be quoted, written both in words and figures. Two sample tin cases must accompany the original tender.
7. Any alterations made in the tender must bear the initials of the tenderer.
8. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders.
9. Any further information may be obtained on application to the Surveyor-General.
10. Samples of tin cases can be seen at the Survey Headquarter Office, Colombo.

R. S. TEMPLETON,  
for P. D. WARREN,  
Surveyor-General's Office, Surveyor-General.  
Colombo, October 24, 1907.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Lease of Markets," will be received up to noon on Wednesday, November 13, 1907, at the Kandy Kachcheri, by the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province, from persons wishing to contract for the lease of the fish and vegetable markets at Gampola from January 1, 1908, for a term of one year on the present conditions.

Conditions of lease can be ascertained at the above office.

By order,

Q. GUNASEKERA,  
Local Board Office, Secretary.  
Gampola, October 30, 1907.

### SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, November 5, 1907, at 3 P.M., the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Kandy Kacheheri :—

- 3 bath towels
- 8 face towels
- 1 square carpet
- 2 door mats
- 1 piece China matting
- 3 cups and saucers (large)
- 1 cup and saucer (small)
- 4 large plates (dinner set)
- 3 soup plates
- 4 soup plates (spray)
- 4 cups and saucers (afternoon tea service)
- 1 slop bowl
- 2 small knives
- 4 sauce pans
- 1 garden rake (fork)

M. M. WEDDERBURN,  
for J. P. LEWIS,  
Government Agent.

Kandy Kacheheri,  
October 28, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by auction at the Irrigation Department Store, Vavuniya, Northern

Province, on Saturday, December 14, 1907, at 10 A.M. :—

- 3 barrels, tar, empty.
- 1 cask, wooden.

J. A. VAREY,  
for Director of Irrigation.  
Irrigation Department,  
Colombo, October 28, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable article will be sold by public auction at the Irrigation Department Store, Tissamaharama, Southern Province, on Thursday, December 5, 1907, at 1.30 P.M. :—

- 1 office table.

J. A. VAREY,  
for Director of Irrigation.  
Irrigation Department,  
Colombo, October 28, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following confiscated property will be sold by public auction on Saturday, November 16, 1907, at 2 P.M., at the Police Court, Kalutara :—

- 56 bags of plumbago said to contain about 2½ tons.

JOHN E. D'SILVA,  
Police Court,  
Kalutara, October 28, 1907.

### VITAL STATISTICS.

#### COLOMBO WEEKLY HEALTH REPORT.

THE weekly return of births and deaths in the Colombo town for the week ended October 26, 1907, is subjoined.

*Births.*—The total births were 98. The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum was 28·9,\* as against 26·8 in the preceding week and 28·5 in the corresponding week of last year.

*Deaths.*—The total deaths were 104. The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 34·1,† as against 39·7 in the previous week and 37·6 in the corresponding week of last year.

*Causes of death.*—No person died from cholera, smallpox, or measles; 13 died from diarrhoea and dysentery; 17 from phthisis; 17 from bronchitis and pneumonia; 5 from different kinds of fever; and 9 from infantile convulsions.

*Infantile deaths.*—Of the 104 total deaths, 26 were of infants under 1 year of age, as against 32 in the corresponding week of the previous year.

\* Calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1907, viz., 176,724.

† The rates given for this and the preceding week are the corrected rates, i.e., the rates calculated for the population of the town estimated on July 1, 1907, on the basis that its age- and sex-constitution is the same as for the Island. The rate shown for the corresponding week of last year is the crude rate.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, October 29, 1907.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

Colombo Town.

Ward.	Population at the Census, 1901.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.			Death-rate per Mille per Annum.*			Selected Causes of Death for the Week under Report.								Deaths of Infants under 1 Year.		St. Births.			
				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.		
Colombo Town	155,869	98	104	28·9	26·8	28·5	34·1	39·7	37·6	—	—	—	—	4	1	13	17	17	9	26	32	11	
Fort and Galle Face ...	2,285	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pettah ...	7,561	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Sebastian..	9,349	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
St. Paul's ..	20,260	14	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	2	—	—	—	—
Kotahena ..	33,355	23	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	3	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Bazaar ...	17,470	8	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
Maradana ..	30,381	†14	†32	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	7	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Slave Island ...	16,927	†11	†13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	3	2	—	—	—	—	—
Kollupitiya ...	18,281	7	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—

\* See note † on page 876.

† 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	98	104				
Europeans	2,657	—	—	Mean temperature of air	81·2°	81·0°	79·1°
Burghers	11,861	6	8	Mean atmospheric pressure	29·930"	29·956"	29·911"
Sinhalese	68,772	48	49				
Tamils	34,640	17	23				
Moors	28,898	19	20				
Malays	4,493	5	2				
Others	4,548	3	2				