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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 MACCALLUM.

WHEREAS by section 3 of "The Joint Stock Companies' (Amendment) Ordinance, 1907," it is enacted that the said Ordinance shall come into force on the date of its Proclamation in the Gazette:

And whereas it is expedient that the said Ordinance shall come into force on the date hereinafter mentioned:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, do by this Our Proclamation appoint that the said "The Joint Stock Companies' (Amendment) Ordinance, 1907," shall come into force as from and after the date hereof.

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

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 329 of 1907.

IT is hereby notified that in terms of the Minute of June 27, 1906, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following Officer to officiate in the Class named with effect from September 28, 1907 :—

Class I., Grade I.

The Hon. Mr. L. W. BOOTH.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, October 21, 1907. Colonial Secretary.

No. 330 of 1907.

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

Mr. F. H. PRICE to act as Government Agent, Northern Province; Fiscal, Collector of Customs, and Receiver of Wrecks for the Northern Province; Master Attendant for the several Ports in the Northern Province; Superintendent of the Jaffna Prison; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Northern Province; and Member of the Board of Health, Northern Province, with effect from October 21, 1907.

Mr. W. L. KINDERSLEY to be Additional District Judge, Matara, for October 26, 1907, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. D. G. GOONEWARDENE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle, and Municipal Magistrate, Galle, for October 26, 1907, during the absence of Mr. H. E. BEVEN on leave or until further orders.

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadure, for October 28, 1907, during the absence of Mr. T. W. ROBERTS from the station or until further orders.

Mr. T. C. CHANGARAPILLAI to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, and Visitor of the Jaffna Prison from October 28 to November 2, 1907, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. W. G. VALLIPURAM on leave or until further orders.

Mr. H. W. CODRINGTON to be Additional Police Magistrate, Kegalla, for October 30, 1907, in addition to his own duties.

His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, October 25, 1907. Colonial Secretary.

No. 331 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint WIKRAMASINHA ARACHCHIGE DON HENDRIK APPUHAMI, Arachchi of Metagama, to be an Inquirer for Udapone korale of the division of Kotmale, Nuwara Eliya District.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, October 21, 1907. Colonial Secretary.

No. 332 of 1907.

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

1. Mr. WILLIAM CHARLES DE ALWIS;
2. MUNA VENA SAMSADEEN, Vidane Arachchi;
3. Mr. KURAKULASURIYA JOHN FRANCIS FERNANDO, all of Negombo.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 18, 1907.

No. 333 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Ratnapura for the year 1908, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 and section 30 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898 :—

1. Mr. J. M. MUDIYANSE;
2. Mr. P. S. MARKAR;
3. Mr. P. S. KATUGAHA.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 23, 1907.

No. 334 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Kegalla for the year 1908, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 and section 30 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898 :—

1. Mr. D. A. SUMANASEKARA;
2. Mr. K. T. S. GURUSINGHA;
3. UKKU BANDA, Gan-Arachchi of Mirihella.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 23, 1907.

No. 335 of 1907.

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

1. Mr. A. B. YATAWARA.
2. Mr. M. H. MARIKAR.
3. Mr. BENJAMIN RODRIGO.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, October 19, 1907.

No. 336 of 1907.

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

1. Mr. PHILIP A. KODIPILLY.
2. Mr. ISI LEBBE MARIKKAR USUPH.
3. Mr. MAHAMADU LEBBE MARIKKAR PACKIR SAIBU.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, October 18, 1907. Colonial Secretary.

No. 337 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Ambalangoda for the year 1908, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 and section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

1. ISAAC DE SILVA JAYAWARDANE SENANAYAKA, Vidane Muhandiram.
2. SRIYEKANKANI MATHES DE ALWIS, Vidane Arachchi.
3. Mr. LIYANA ACHOHI SAMARIS DE SILVA.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, October 22, 1907. Colonial Secretary.

No. 338 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Chilaw for the year 1908, under the provisions of section 30 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898:—

1. Mr. H. S. AMERASEKERA.
2. Mr. W. J. MENDIS.
3. Mr. T. M. CARRIM.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 18, 1907.

No. 339 of 1907.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. VETTIVELUPPILLAI SATHASIVAMPILLAI of Saravanai, Jaffna, to be a Notary Public throughout the Trincomalee District, with residence and office in Trincomalee Town, and to practise as such in the Tamil language.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 18, 1907.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

RAN BANDA WICKREMASINGHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kirimetiya pattuwa division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for one month with effect from October 18, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, J. R. H. B. NAVAGATTEGAMA, on leave. His office will be at Navagattagama.

NETTIPOLAGAMA LANSAKARA ATAPATTU MUDIYANSELAGE APPUAMI to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kuda Galboda korale division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, with effect from November 1, 1907, vice the Registrar, H. M. MUDIYANSE, resigned. His office will be at Ithalawalauwewatta in Galgamuwa.

KINNARABOWE RAJAKARUNA ANAWALANGU MUDIYANSELAGE JAYAWARDANA PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medagam pattu division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for three months with effect from November 1, 1907, vice Registrar, K. J. S. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Kinnarabowa and station at Walauwewatta in Nannapurawa.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 23, 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, Anuradhapura, has appointed DISSANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kiralawa korale division and of General Marriages of Kalagampalata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for eleven days from October 20, 1907, during the absence of D. M. KAPURUHAMI on leave. His office will be at Migahagedara at Marasinha Hammillewa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed Mr. SAMUEL MUTTAYAH MOSES to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalutara town division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from October 18, 1907, vice Mr. EDMUND ABEYSUNDARA JAYASEKARA, transferred. His office will be at Kalutara Hospital.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed Mr. EDMOND PERERA KARUNARATNA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kalutara Totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for Monday, October 21, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. EDGAR WILLIAM SIRIMANNE, on leave. His office will be at the Kalutara Kachcheri.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed KASTURUSINHAMUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA of Kabagamuwa to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandupita Pattuwa South division and as Registrar of General Marriages of Beligal korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for thirty days from October 17, 1907, during the absence of the Registrar, A. UKKU BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Kabagamuwa.

Registrar General's Office, P. ARUNACHALAM,
Colombo, October 24, 1907. Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 9 of the Ordinance No. 4 of 1886, to appoint Tuesday, November 5, 1907, to be a Bank Holiday on account of the Dipawali Festival.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 25, 1907.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

IN terms of section 22 of the Minute of January 24, 1903, it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officer, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of his temporary employment for pension purposes:—

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
Dr. L. de La Harpe.	Medical Officer, Grade III.	Assistant Port Surgeon for Immigration, Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 22, 1907.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Board of Health, North-Western Province, has, in terms of section 7 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, as amended by section 2 (3) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1905, made and assessed for the year 1908 a rate of four per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the limits of the town of Madampe, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid section.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 21, 1907.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement, Kurunegala, 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, over and above the sum necessary for the maintenance of the police for the said town, a rate of two 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 Kurunegala, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid section.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 19, 1907.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

THE following by-laws framed under section 5 of "The Dog Registration Ordinance, 1901," for the villages of Ambepussa, Nelundeniya, Mawanella, and Hingula on the Colombo-Kandy road, and Ruanwella, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, are published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 18, 1907.

By His Excellency's command,
HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

BY LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. A registration fee of twenty-five cents per annum shall be paid upon each dog kept within the said villages.
2. Such registration fee shall be due on and after May 1, 1908, and shall be paid in advance before June 1 in each year.
3. To facilitate the recovery of such registration fee, the occupier of every house within the said villages shall, on or before June 1 in each year, furnish to an officer authorized by the Assistant Government Agent, Kegalla, to demand the same a list in the form in schedule annexed of the dog or dogs kept in such house, and the names of the owners thereof.
4. On payment of the registration fee on any dog the Assistant Government Agent shall, unless the owner provides his own collar to be stamped, furnish the owner with a stamped collar to be worn by such dog on payment of a fee of 25 cents.
5. Every inhabitant within the said villages becoming possessed of any dog or dogs after the furnishing of the list referred to in by-law 3 shall furnish the officer appointed by the Assistant Government Agent mentioned in the said by-law with an additional list of such dog or dogs within one month after acquiring the same, and the owner of such dog or dogs shall become liable to the registration fee for the current year within fifteen days after the list required by this by-law becomes due.
6. It shall be lawful for the officer appointed by the Assistant Government Agent to require the production of any dog for which registration is applied for, and to decline to issue a certificate of registration until it is produced.

7. It shall be lawful for the Assistant Government Agent to refuse to issue a certificate of registration or to cancel a certificate already issued for any dog, which in his opinion is so maimed or diseased as to be unfit to live, or which is habitually ill-treated or continually neglected by its owner.

8. The owner of every dog for which a certificate has been refused or cancelled shall, on being noticed to do so, produce the dog at the house of the officer appointed by the Assistant Government Agent at a time to be stated in the notice and deliver it to the said officer, and every such dog may be destroyed or otherwise disposed of as the Assistant Government Agent shall think fit.

9. It shall be lawful for the officer appointed by the Assistant Government Agent to seize all stray dogs and deal with them in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 10 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1901.

Schedule referred to.

List of Dogs.

Street	House No.	Occupier's Name		
No.	Description.			Name of Owner.
	Breed.	Sex.	Colour.	

THE following copy of an Act passed in the last session of Parliament, to facilitate the admission in evidence of statutes passed by the Legislatures of British Possessions, is published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, October 21, 1907.

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

CHAPTER 16.

An Act to facilitate the Admission in Evidence of Statutes passed by the Legislatures of British Possessions and Protectorates, including Cyprus.

[August 21, 1907.]

A.D. 1907.

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Proof of statutes of
British Possessions.

1. (1) Copies of Acts, Ordinances, and Statutes passed (whether before or after the passing of this Act) by the Legislature of any British Possession, and of orders, regulations, and other instruments issued or made, whether before or after the passing of this Act, under the authority of any such Act, Ordinance, or Statute, if purporting to be printed by the Government Printer, shall be received in evidence by all courts of justice in the United Kingdom without any proof being given that the copies were so printed.

(2) If any person prints any copy or pretended copy of any such Act, Ordinance, Statute, order, regulation, or instrument which falsely purports to have been printed by the Government Printer, or tenders in evidence any such copy or pretended copy which falsely purports to have been so printed, knowing that it was not so printed, he shall, on conviction, be liable to be sentenced to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for a period not exceeding twelve months.

(3) In this Act—

The expression "Government Printer" means, as respects any British Possession, the printer purporting to be the printer authorized to print the Acts, Ordinances, or Statutes of the Legislature of that Possession, or otherwise to be the Government Printer of that Possession:

The expression "British Possession" means any part of His Majesty's dominions, exclusive of the United Kingdom, and, where parts of those dominions are under both a central and a local Legislature, shall include both all parts under the central Legislature and each part under a local Legislature.

28 & 29 Vict. c. 63.

(4) Nothing in this Act shall affect the Colonial Laws Validity Act, 1865.

(5) His Majesty may, by Order in Council, extend this Act to Cyprus and any British Protectorate, and where so extended this Act shall apply as if Cyprus or the Protectorate were a British Possession, and with such other necessary adaptations as may be made by the Order.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Evidence (Colonial Statutes) Act, 1907.

THE following regulations made by the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, in exercise of the powers vested in them by section 13 of "The Medical Registration Ordinance, 1905," and approved by HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT, with the advice of the Executive Council, are hereby, in pursuance of section 13 of the said Ordinance, published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, August 15, 1907.

G. M. FOWLER,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Regulations for the Registration of Medical Practitioners.

The following diplomas and certificates will be entertained by the Council of the Ceylon Medical College in applications by persons to obtain certificates under section 13 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1905 :—

- (a) License in Medicine and Surgery (Ceylon).
- (b) Any medical qualification which is capable of being registered under the Medical Acts of Great Britain and Ireland, provided that this qualification has been obtained from one of the examining bodies of Great Britain or Ireland.
- (c) The Medical Degrees and the License in Medicine and Surgery of—
 - (1) Madras University.
 - (2) Calcutta University.
 - (3) Bombay University.
 - (4) Allahabad University.
 - (5) Punjab University.
- (d) The Medical Degrees of the Universities of the British Colonies.
- (e) In the case of persons who do not hold a Diploma or License to practise Medicine and Surgery, applications must be supported (1) by certificates from two practitioners already registered under the Ordinance and qualified for registration by possession of a Degree or Diploma which is accepted as a qualification for registration to the effect that the applicant possesses the requisite knowledge and skill for efficient practise as a Medical Practitioner ; (2) by an affidavit that the applicant has practised Medicine and Surgery in Ceylon for not less than ten years. Applications by such persons will only be entertained if made on or before the 31st December, 1907, and certificates under section 13 of the Medical Registration Ordinance will only be granted in cases where the Council is satisfied that it is desirable in the interests of the public the same should be given.

A BSTRACT of the Account of the Commissioners of Currency on 10th October, 1907, as required by section 20 of Ordinance No. 32 of 1884 :—

		CIRCULATION.		Value.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
✓	Currency notes in circulation on 10th October, 1907	16,767,175	0
		RESERVE.			
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
	By gold £174,934, in sovereigns at Rs. 15 a sovereign	2,624,010	0		
	By silver in the vault	4,908,735	3		
	Total Specie Reserve	—————		7,532,745	3
	By investments made by the Crown Agents according to the annexed statement (a)	4,625,048	77		
	By investments made in Indian Government paper, according to the annexed statement (b)	4,609,381	22		
	Total Invested Reserve	—————		9,234,429	99
				Total—Rs. 16,767,175 2	

HUGH CLIFFORD, Colonial Secretary,
H. L. CRAWFORD, Acting Controller of Revenue,
H. W. BRODHURST, Acting Treasurer, } Currency Commissioners.

Value of the Securities calculated at the Market Prices of August, 1907.

Cost.		Face Value of Stock Held.	Description.		Original Rate at which purchased.	Market prices of Aug. 1907.	Nett Value deducting Brokerage.	Total.	
Rs.	c.	£ s. d.					£ s. d.		
		5,167 18 8	Consols	2½ per cent.	...	96½	82½	4,244 3 4	
		5,446 7 4	Do.	2½ do.	...	101	82½	4,472 16 7	
		385 14 0	Do.	2½ do.	...	90½	82½	316 15 3	
		3,629 15 0	Local Loans	3 do.	...	102½	94	3,402 17 10	
		13,641 9 0	Do.	3 do.	...	103½	94	12,788 17 4	
		728 16 0	Do.	3 do.	...	97½	94	683 5 0	
		5,500 0 0	Transvaal	3 do. Stock	...	96½	92½	5,073 15 0	
		66,109 4 6	Do.	3 do. do.	...	100½	92½	60,985 15 1	
		33,566 4 4	Do.	3 do. do.	...	99½	92½	30,964 16 10	
		23,232 14 6	Do.	3 do. do.	...	96½	92½	21,487 10 9	
		8,254 10 5	Do.	3 do. do.	...	96½	92½	7,614 16 0	
		17 6 7	Do.	3 do. do.	...	101½	92½	15 19 9	
		5,089 0 8	Cape	2½ do. do.	...	98	94½	4,796 8 4	
		905 0 6	Do.	3½ do. do.	...	99	94½	852 19 9	
		2,005 18 10	Do.	3½ do. do.	...	98	94½	1,890 12 0	
		1,765 9 3	Gold Coast Govt.	3 do. do.	...	90	83	1,460 18 5	
		234 10 9	Do.	3 do. do.	...	88	83	194 1 8	
		5,174 11 11	Natal	3 do. do.	...	96½	81	4,178 9 8	
		825 8 1	Do.	3 do. do.	...	90	81	666 10 4	
		9,000 0 0	New South Wales	3½ do. do. (1924)	...	96½	99	8,887 10 0	
		1,000 0 0	Do.	3½ do. do. (1924)	...	97½	99	987 10 0	
		4,600 11 11	New Zealand	4 do. do.	...	117½	106	4,865 2 6	
		399 8 1	Do.	4 do. do.	...	107½	106	434 7 3	
		854 10 11	Do.	3½ do. do.	...	94½	99	843 17 3	
		3,145 9 1	Do.	3½ do. do.	...	95	99	3,106 2 9	
		5,174 11 11	Do.	3 do. do.	...	96½	87	4,488 19 2	
		825 8 1	Do.	3 do. do.	...	90	87	716 0 9	
		5,629 16 10	Queensland	3½ do. do. (1945)	...	103½	101	5,672 1 3	
		370 3 2	Do.	3½ do. do. (1945)	...	95½	101	372 18 8	
		5,089 0 0	Do.	3 do. do.	...	98	85½	4,338 7 8	
		910 19 10	Do.	3 do. do.	...	87	85½	776 12 6	
		8,000 0 0	South Australia	3½ do. do.	...	94½	98½	7,860 0 0	
		10,000 0 0	Do.	3½ do. do.	...	107	98½	9,825 0 0	
		2,000 0 0	Do.	3½ do. do.	...	94½	98½	1,965 0 0	
		5,242 8 3	Do.	3 do. do. (1916 or after)	...	95½	85	4,442 18 10	
		759 11 9	Do.	3 do. Stock do.	...	87	85	643 15 0	
		5,653 12 2	Victoria	4 do. do. (1920)	...	109½	104	5,865 12 4	
		346 7 10	Do.	4 do. do. (1920)	...	104½	104	359 7 7	
		11,732 17 2	Do.	3½ do. do. (1921/5)	...	92½	98	11,468 17 4	
		267 2 10	Do.	3½ do. do. (1921/6)	...	95	98	261 2 8	
		103 6 3	Do.	3 do. do.	...	94½	86½	89 2 2	
		1,500 0 0	Do.	3 do. do.	...	93½	86½	1,293 15 0	
		6,914 16 10	Do.	3 do. do.	...	93½	86½	5,964 0 11	
		8,322 9 0	Do.	3 do. do.	...	95	86½	7,178 2 11	
		159 7 11	Do.	3 do. do.	...	86½	86½	137 9 7	
		6,200 0 0	Canada	4 do. Debentures	...	101	102	6,308 10 0	
		6,400 0 0	Do.	4 do. do.	...	100½	102	6,512 0 0	
		5,000 0 0	Do.	4 do. do.	...	106	102	5,087 10 0	
		100 0 0	New South Wales	4 do. do. 1915 (March & Sept.)	...	98	103	102 15 0	
		3,400 0 0	Do.	4 do. Debentures	...	104½	103	3,493 10 0	
		3,000 0 0	Do.	4 do. do. 1915 (Jan. & July)	...	104½	100½	3,007 10 0	
		5,000 0 0	South Australia	4 do. Debentures	...	101½	102	5,087 10 0	
		5,603 19 9	Straits Settlements	3½ do. Stock	...	96½	95	5,314 10 4	
4,625,048	77a	314451 0 1					293,848 18 4	4,390,582 96	s. d. at 1 4½ per rupee Rs. e.

Cost.		Face Value of Stock Held.		Description.	Original Rate at which purchased.	Market Price Sep. 30, 1907.	Nett Value deducting Brokerage.		Total.			
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.				Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.		
		4,625,048	77	Brought forward ...	—					4,390,582	96	
				200,000 0 Indian Securities ...	95							
				300,000 0 Do. ...	95½							
				50,000 0 Do. ...	96½							
				100,000 0 Do. ...	96½							
				25,000 0 Do. ...	96½							
				75,000 0 Do. ...	96½							
				200,000 0 Do. ...	96½							
				364,600 0 Do. ...	96½							
				31,800 0 Do. ...	97							
				25,000 0 Do. ...	97½							
				15,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				66,200 0 Do. ...	98							
				89,700 0 Do. ...	98							
				80,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				50,000 0 Do. ...	98							
6974394	13			375,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				100,000 0 Do. ...	99							
				300,000 0 Do. ...	100							
				88,700 0 Do. ...	100							
				200,000 0 Do. ...	100							
				444,000 0 Do. ...	101							
				50,000 0 Do. ...	105							
				175,000 0 Do. ...	108							
				600,000 0 Do. ...	108							
				400,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				200,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				50,000 0 Do. ...	97							
				50,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				185,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				200,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				499,000 0 Do. ...	98							
				265,000 0 Do. ...	97							
				579,000 0 Do. ...	97							
				613,000 0 Do. ...	96							
				7,046,000 0 Do. ...								
2,365,012	91			2,400,000 0 Do. ...								
		4,609,381	226	4,646,000 0 Do. ...		96½	4,489,197	50	4,489,197	50		
		9,234,429	99	Present Value of Securities ...							8,879,780	46
				Original Cost of Securities ...							9,234,429	99

* Indian Securities sold.

Depreciation Fund Investments.

Cost.		Face Value of Stock Held.		Description.	Original Rate at which purchased.	Market price of Aug. 1907.	Nett Value deducting Brokerage.		Total.
Rs.	c.	£	s. d.				£	s. d.	
47,090	97	3,300	0 0	Transvaal 3per cent. Stock	95 $\frac{3}{4}$	92 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,044	5 0	
26,195	41	1,700	0 0	Do. 3 do. do. ...	—	92 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,568	5 0	
12,737	15	957	1 2	Canada Dominion 3 do. do. ...	95 $\frac{3}{4}$	96 $\frac{1}{2}$	921	3 5	
32,206	36	1,878	3 1	Do. 3 do. do. ...	99 $\frac{3}{4}$	96 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,807	14 6	
13,390	55	837	16 9	Cape Consolidated 4 do. do. (1916/36)	109 $\frac{3}{8}$	102	852	9 11	
7,320	53	546	14 10	Gold Coast 3 do. Stock	91	83	452	8 7	
468	25	35	18 11	Do. 3 do. do. ...	86 $\frac{1}{2}$	83	29	15 0	
27,897	23	1,951	3 0	Natal 3 do. do. ...	95 $\frac{5}{8}$	81	1,575	11 2	
13,107	1	837	2 1	New South Wales 4 do. do. ...	110 $\frac{1}{4}$	106	885	4 7	
27,797	12	1,637	7 9	Do. 4 do. do. ...	114 $\frac{1}{4}$	106	1,731	10 8	
35,336	50	2,259	13 7	Do. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. do. (1924)	104	99	2,231	8 8	
23,676	96	1,763	0 1	New Zealand 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. Stock	96 $\frac{3}{4}$	99	1,740	19 4	
32,605	7	1,747	18 2	Queensland 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. do. (1930)	97 $\frac{7}{8}$	98	1,708	11 8	
27,893	91	2,000	0 0	Trinidad 3 do. Stock	93 $\frac{1}{2}$	85	1,695	0 0	
12,246	0	914	8 6	Victoria 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. do. (1923)	100 $\frac{1}{16}$	98	893	17 0	
27,944	78	1,892	5 4	Do. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. Stock (1923)	90 $\frac{1}{8}$	98	1,849	13 10	
13,776	75	983	4 0	Straits Settlements 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. Stock	96 $\frac{3}{8}$	95	937	5 4	
		1,711	6 5	Transvaal 3 do. do. ...	98	92 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,578	13 10	
		164	15 9	Canada 3 do. do. ...	97 $\frac{3}{4}$	96 $\frac{1}{2}$	153	12 3	
		162	3 3	Cape Cons. 4 do. do. 1916/36	104 $\frac{7}{8}$	102	164	19 11	
		417	6 3	Gold Coast 3 do. Stock	85 $\frac{1}{2}$	83	345	6 5	
		48	17 0	Natal 3 do. do. ...	88	81	39	9 0	
47,141	75	25	10 2	New South Wales 4 do. do. ...	106 $\frac{3}{8}$	106	26	19 5	
		40	6 5	Do. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. do. (1924)	97 $\frac{7}{8}$	99	39	16 4	
		236	19 11	New Zealand 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. Stock	98	99	234	0 8	
		252	1 10	Queensland 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. do. (1930)	96 $\frac{3}{4}$	98	246	8 5	
		193	6 2	Victoria 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ do. Stock (1923)	96 $\frac{1}{2}$	98	188	19 3	
433,832	30	28,500	10 5				26,948	9 2	at 1s. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per rupee. Rs. c. 402,654 1

Cost.		Face Value of Stock Held.		Description.	Original Rate at which purchased.	Market Price, Sept. 30, 1907.	Nett Value deducting Brokerage.		Total.
Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.				Rs.	c.	
		433,832	30	Brought forward ...	—				402,654 1
59,998	62	60,000	0 0	Indian Securities ...	99 $\frac{3}{4}$	Market Price of September 30, 1907.			
36,582	48	37,000	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{5}{8}$				
48,000	0	48,000	0 0	Do. ...	100				
56,373	68	54,000	0 0	Do. ...	104				
52,659	73	49,500	0 0	Do. ...	106 $\frac{1}{4}$				
86,399	51	84,800	0 0	Do. ...	101 $\frac{1}{4}$				
64,430	0	68,000	0 0	Do. ...	94 $\frac{3}{4}$				
54,253	16	55,000	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{3}{8}$				
51,712	37	52,600	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{1}{16}$				
18,599	99	18,700	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{1}{16}$				
2,824	17	2,800	0 0	Do. ...	99 $\frac{1}{4}$				
5,124	47	5,100	0 0	Do. ...	99				
5,099	42	5,100	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{1}{16}$				
15,757	16	15,900	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{3}{16}$				
7,643	94	7,600	0 0	Do. ...	99 $\frac{1}{16}$				
5,098	15	5,100	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{9}{16}$				
1,104	74	1,100	0 0	Do. ...	98 $\frac{1}{16}$				
4,907	85	5,000	0 0	Do. ...	97 $\frac{1}{16}$				
1,076	90	1,100	0 0	Do. ...	97 $\frac{1}{16}$				
4,130	31	4,200	0 0	Do. ...	97 $\frac{3}{16}$				
5,363	78	5,500	0 0	Do. ...	96 $\frac{1}{16}$				
9,632	27	9,800	0 0	Do. ...	97 $\frac{5}{16}$				
12,401	2	12,600	0 0	Do. ...	97 $\frac{5}{16}$				
18,283	50	18,500	0 0	Do. ...	97 $\frac{1}{16}$				
1,580	24	1,600	0 0	Do. ...	97 $\frac{1}{16}$				
4,259	34	4,300	0 0	Do. ...	97				
5,367	94	5,500	0 0	Do. ...	97				
638,664	74	638,400	0 0	Do. ...	96 $\frac{3}{8}$		616,854	0 0	=616,854 0
1,072,497	4			Present Value of Securities ...					1,019,508 1
				Original Cost of Securities ...					1,072,497 4

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

AN 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.

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

Matriculation Examination, June, 1907.

THE following have passed the London Matriculation Examination held in June, 1907 :—

Name.	SECOND DIVISION.	College.
De Zylva, St. Leger Hope	—	St. Thomas's College and the Government Training College.
Jayasuriya, S. M.	..	St. Joseph's College.
Mendis, T. G. F.	..	Government Training College.
Sadasiva, J. T.	..	Do.
Samerewikrema, W. A.	..	St. Joseph's College.
Warnakulasuriya, H.	—	Richmond College, Galle.

Office of Public Instruction,
Colombo, October 17, 1907.

J. HARWARD,
Director of Public Instruction.

The Ceylon Medical Register, 1907.

In addition to the Lists published in *Gazette* dated September 27 and October 4, 1907, the following Medical Practitioners are qualified under Ordinance No. 2 of 1905 to practise Medicine and Surgery in Ceylon:—

Name.	Residence.	Date of Registration.	Qualification, with Dates.
57. Vidyasagara Weda Aratchige Charles Wickramatunge ..	Fort, Galle ..	October 9, 1907 ..	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, October 9, 1907.
58. Wright, Alfred ..	Weligama ..	October 9, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1878.
59. Van Twest, George William ..	Nuwara Eliya ..	October 9, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1888; L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.) and L.F.P. & S. (Glas.), 1901.
60. Bawa, Harry Frank ..	Port Surgeon's Office ..	October 9, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1888; L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.), 1894; L.F.P. & S. (Glas.); F.R.C.S. (Edin.)
61. Beheim-Schwarzbach, Bruno ..	Grand Oriental, Colombo ..	October 9, 1907 ..	L.F.P. & S. (Glas.), 1880.
62. De Livera, Edwin ..	Kandy ..	October 9, 1907 ..	M.B.C.M. (Glas.), 1877.
63. Dias, George Anthony ..	Du Bois Cottage, Kotahena ..	October 9, 1907 ..	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, October 9, 1907.
64. De Boer, Alice, Miss ..	Ward Place, Colombo ..	October 9, 1907 ..	L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.); L.F.P. & S. (Glas.), 1899.
65. Curtis, Suppiah ..	Manipay, Jaffna ..	October 9, 1907 ..	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, October 9, 1907.
66. Herat, Albert Edward ..	Nuwara Eliya ..	October 9, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1904.
67. Mendis, John ..	Kolonnawa, Colombo ..	October 16, 1907 ..	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, October 16, 1907.
68. Wijesinghe, Peter Silva ..	Marawila ..	October 16, 1907 ..	L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.); L.F.P. & S. (Glas.), 1895.
69. Van Rooyen, Charles Ellard ..	Dikoya ..	October 16, 1907 ..	M.R.C.S. (Eng.); L.R.C.P. (Lond.), 1898.
70. Van Rooyen, Glenville St. Clair ..	Badulla ..	October 16, 1907 ..	L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.), 1883.
71. Chinniah, Arunachalam ..	Kalmunai ..	October 16, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1882.
72. Modder, Eugene ..	Kalutara ..	October 16, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1875; L.F.P. & S. (Glas.), 1885.
73. Schokman, Edward Nathaniel ..	Moratuwa ..	October 16, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1873.
74. Vander Hoven, Richard George ..	Batticaloa ..	October 16, 1907 ..	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, October 16, 1907.
75. Jayman, Camar Zaman ..	Kurunegala ..	October 16, 1907 ..	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, October 16, 1907.
76. Jayawardene, Charles ..	Elkaduwa ..	October 16, 1907 ..	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, October 16, 1907.
77. Oulton, Richard Henry George ..	"Lebanon," Nuwara Eliya ..	October 16, 1907 ..	L.R.C.P. & S. (Ireland), 1902.
78. De Silva, Arthur Marcellus ..	"Temple Villa," Maradana ..	October 16, 1907 ..	F.R.C.S. (Eng.), 1906; L.R.C.P. (Lond.), 1903.
79. Nell, Adreas ..	Victoria Memorial Eye Hospital ..	October 16, 1907 ..	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1887; M.R.C.S. (Eng.)
80. Kobbekaduwa, Tikiribanda ..	Trincomalee street, Kandy ..	October 16, 1907 ..	M.R.C.S. (Eng.), 1905; L.R.C.P. (Lond.), 1905.

Ceylon Medical College,
Colombo, October 21, 1907.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS,
Registrar.

A FALLEN tree at the Maligakanda Reservoir premises will be sold by public auction at 1 P.M. on November 2, 1907. The tree should be cut up and removed within a week of sale.

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, October 23, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Yard, Chilaw, on Wednesday, December 4, 1907, at 8 A.M. :—

- 12 doors with frames
- 4 glazed doors
- 4 glazed windows with frames
- 2 iron gates
- 2 ventilators over doors, iron
- 1 ventilator over door, wooden
- 3 ventilators over windows, wooden
- 6 windows with frames

A. LEWIS,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, October 22, 1907.

THE under-mentioned fruit will be sold by public auction at the Elie House Reservoir, Mutwal, at 10 A.M., on Saturday, November 2, 1907 :—

- 8,500 nutmegs
- 4 lb. mace (nearly)

A fallen tree on the premises will also be sold at the same time, to be cut up and removed within a week of sale.

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, October 23, 1907.

GOVERNMENT STORES.

Catalogue and Price List, 1907.

Store No.	Alteration to Section G.	Per	Rs.	c.
6618..	Cement	barrel	7	48

F. W. VANE,
Controller of Government Stores.
Government Stores,
Colombo, October 16, 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.

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.

Colombo, October 22, 1907. J. A. FERNANDO.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the Southern Province for the supply of piles, beams, and bridge planks of the following woods, viz., teak, na, palu, mililla, and tawanna, per cubic foot, to be delivered at the following places during 1908, viz. :—

- (1) In Galle District—at Galle ;
- (2) In Matara District—at Matara, Bandattara, Hakmana, Beliatta, Seenimodara, Dikwella, Akuressa, Hulandawa, and Morawaka ;
- (3) In Hambantota District—at Tangalla, Ranna, Ambalantota, Hambantota, and Tissamaharama—

in the Southern Province, up to noon on Monday, November 11, 1907.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "Tender for the Supply of Timber for the Public Works Department, Southern Province, 1908."

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, Southern 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 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. Any further information may be obtained on application at the Provincial Engineer's Office at Galle, Southern Province.

7. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to supply the timber in accordance with the orders and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 300 for the due and faithful performance of the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the Southern Province accepting his tender.

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

L. M. ACLAND,
Provincial Engineer, Southern Province.

Public Works Department,
Galle, October 15, 1907.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the Southern Province, for the supply of the under-mentioned materials during 1908, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts :—

Galle District.

Delivered within the Municipality of Galle.
Delivered anywhere else in the district.

Matara District.

Delivered within the Local Board limits of Matara.
Delivered anywhere else in the district.

Hambantota District.

Delivered in the town of Hambantota.
Delivered anywhere else in the district.

in the Southern Province, up to noon on Monday, November 11, 1907 :—

List of Materials.

- Bags, gunny, second-hand, each.
*Baskets, rattan, 16 in. diameter at top, 4 in. at bottom, 8 in. deep, of whole cane, per 100.
*Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
*Bricks, paving, 8 in. by 8 in. by 1½ in., per 1,000.
*Bricks, paving, 12 in. by 12 in. by 1½ in., per 1,000.
*Bricks, paving, 10 in. by 10 in. by 1½ in., per 1,000.
Cadjans, 6 ft. long, per 100.
Charcoal, per bushel.
*Coir yarn, thin, per lb.
*Coir rope, up to 6 in., per cwt.
Indigo blue.
*Lime, slaked, per bushel of 42 lb.
*Lime, boiled, per bushel of 92 lb.
Oil, castor, per gallon.
*Oil, coconut, per gallon.
*Oil, kerosine, per gallon.
Raw rice.
*Tiles, half round, 15 in. for ridges and hips, per 100.
*Tiles, half round, 14 in. for roof slopes, per 1,000.
*Tiles, ridge, 18 in. for ridges, per 100.

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

Each tender to give separate rates for materials delivered at each station.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "Tender for Supply of Materials in the Southern Province."

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, Southern 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 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 Galle.

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. 300 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the Southern 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.

L. M. ACLAND,

Provincial Engineer, Southern Province.

Public Works Department,
Galle, October 16, 1907.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the Southern Province for the conveyance of materials by cart during the year 1908 in the Southern Province up to noon on Monday, November 11, 1907, viz. :—

- (1) *In the Galle District.*—From Galle to any point on the principal roads, including the road from Galle to Viharahena in Matara, and *vice versa*, at ——— cents per cwt. per mile.
- (2) From Galle railway station to the Public Works Department store, Galle, and *vice versa*, at ——— cents per cwt. per trip.
- (3) *In Matara District.*—From Matara to any point on the principal roads and on the minor roads between Tihagoda and Akuressa, and *vice versa*, at ——— cents per cwt. per mile.
- (4) From the Matara railway station to the Public Works Department store, Matara, or *vice versa*, at ——— cents per cwt. per trip.
- (5) *In the Hambantota District.*—From Hambantota to any point on the principal roads, or *vice versa*, at ——— cents per cwt. per mile.
- (6) In the event of the contractors being called upon to transport outside the Local Board limits of Matara a quantity of material less than 15 cwt. in weight, unless such quantity is an ordinary cart load the quantity transported will be paid as for 15 cwt. in weight.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "Tender for the Conveyance of Materials by Cart in the Southern Province, 1908."

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, Southern 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 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. Any further information may be obtained on application at the Provincial Engineer's Office at Galle, Southern Province.

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. 300 for the due and faithful performance of the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of Southern Province that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

L. M. ACLAND,

Provincial Engineer, Southern Province.

Public Works Department,
Galle, October 15, 1907.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the Province of Sabaragamuwa for the supply of the under-mentioned materials during 1908 at the following districts:—

Places to be delivered.

Ratnapura District.—Ratnapura, Madampe, Pelmadulla, Balangoda, Bilihul-oya, Rakwana, Bulutota, Godakawela, Wellawa, Timbulketiya, and Embilipitiya.

Awisawella District.—Awisawella, Dehiowita, Yatiyantota, Kitulgala, Padupola, Karawanella, Polatagama, Kuruwita, Kurugammodara, and Parakaduwa.

Ambanpitiya District.—At any part of the district known as the Kegalla District within the limits of the Local Board at Kegalla, within the limits of the Kegalla District but outside the limits of the Local Board at Kegalla—

up to noon on Saturday, November 30, 1907:—

- Arecanut trees, 24 ft. long, each.
- Bamboos, 24 ft. long, each
- Baskets, rattan, each
- Coconut oil, per gallon
- Charcoal, per bushel
- Cadjan, per 100, not less than 6 ft. in length
- *Coir string, per cwt.
- Gunny bags, second-hand, each
- Indigo, per lb.
- Kerosine oil, per gallon
- Lime, boiled, per bushel
- Lime, slaked, per bushel
- Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000
- *Tiles, 15 in., half-round, per 1,000
- Blue stone, per lb.

Samples of articles marked thus (*) to be deposited with the Provincial Engineer in sealed packets labelled with the name of the tenderer on or before November 20, 1907.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "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, Ratnapura, 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 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. All information in respect of this notification may be obtained on application at the Provincial Engineer's Office at Ratnapura.

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

8. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract that he will supply the materials in accordance with the specification and general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 150 for the due and faithful performance of the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the Province of Sabaragamuwa that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

R. A. POWELL,

Acting Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department,
Ratnapura, October 15, 1907.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the Eastern Province for the supply of the under-mentioned materials during 1908 for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts:—

Batticaloa District.

1. Batticaloa Public Works Department yard.
2. Any station on the Coast road.
3. Any station on the Badulla-Batticaloa road.
4. Any station on the Kalkudah road.

Kalmunai District.

1. Kalmunai Public Works Department yard.
2. Any station on the Coast road.
3. Any station on the Arasadi-Malkompuddi road.
4. Any station on the Akkaraipattu-Sagamam road.
5. Any station on the Pottuvil-Muppane road.
6. Any station on the Chavalkadai-Chadayantalavi road.
7. Any station on the Karativu-Sammanturai road.

Trincomalee District.

1. Trincomalee Public-Works Department yard.
2. Any station on the Coast road.
3. Any station on the Trincomalee-Kandy road.
4. Any station on the Trincomalee-Anuradhapura road—

in the Eastern Province, up to noon on Monday, December 2, 1907.

Tenderers may tender for all or any of the articles in the following list:—

- *Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
- *Baskets, rattan, strong, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep, each.
- *Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
- Charcoal, per bushel.
- *Coir string, per cwt.
- Cadjans, not less than 7 ft. long by 1 ft. broad, per 100 (double).
- Gunny bags (old), each
- Indigo, per ball.
- Lime, boiled, per bushel.
- Lime, slaked and screened, per bushel.
- Oil, castor, per gallon.
- Oil, coconut, per gallon.
- Oil, kerosine, per gallon.
- Raw rice, per bushel.
- Tiles, 10 in., half-round, per 1,000

Samples of articles marked (*) to be deposited with the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, labelled with the name of the tenderer on or before December 2, 1907.

Each tender to give separate rates for materials delivered at each station.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelopes "Tender for Supply of Building Materials, &c., Eastern Province, 1908."

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, Eastern 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 at 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, 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 Batticaloa.

7. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 200 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer of the Eastern Province that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

8. All alterations or erasures in tender should bear the initials of the tenderer, otherwise the tenders will be treated as informal and rejected.

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

A. E. MAYES,
Acting Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department,
Batticaloa, October 18, 1907.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for provisioning Hospital," will be received up to 12 noon on Monday, November 4, 1907, from persons willing to contract for supplies for the use of the under-mentioned Government Field Hospital, commencing from January 1, 1908, or from date of acceptance thereafter of tender, to December 31, 1908:

	Security in Cash. Rs.
Field Hospital, Maha-oya	... 100

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 Provincial Surgeons, Eastern and Uva Provinces, 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 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.

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

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 16, 1907.

SEALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for provisioning Hospitals," will be received up to 12 noon on Monday, November 11, 1907, from persons willing to contract for supplies without milk 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, Badulla, including Infectious Hospital	.. 500

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 Kacheheri, 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 Kacheheries 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 Kacheheri 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 an portion of a tender.

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

Principal Civil Medical Office,
Colombo, October 22, 1907.

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate), marked on the envelopes "Tender for the Supply of Sleepers to Railway," will be received up to noon on Thursday,

November 7, 1907, from persons willing to carry out the under-mentioned works:—

To fell, saw, transport, and deliver—

(a) At Matara Railway Station 2,500 sleepers of 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. from Hinipella and Wihara forests.

(b) At Weligama Railway Station 2,500 sleepers of 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. from Gallala forest.

In all 5,000 broad gauge sleepers (more or less) should be delivered on or before June 30, 1908. Sleepers will be taken over in lots of not less than 500 each.

Tenderers should also quote a rate per sleeper of 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. to be sawn out of pieces left after the sawing of broad gauge sleepers.

The kind of wood to be used. The trees to be felled will be marked by the Forest Department.

Any person wishing to tender for the above work should deposit in the Matara, Galle, or Hambantota Kacheheri the sum of Rs. 20 and submit the receipt to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Matara, who will thereupon issue to him 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 tender must be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Matara, and the duplicate of it to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being despatched at the same time.

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

A rate per sleeper of each gauge delivered must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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.

Five per cent. of the amount payable to the contractor for the work 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 of accepting any portion of a tender.

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

F. BOOTH,
Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Galle Division.

Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Matara, October 5, 1907.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Dikoya, on Saturday, November 30, 1907, at 8 A.M. :—

5 cans, tin
19 kegs, iron and wooden
29 drums, iron
9 empty tar barrels

A. LEWIS,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, October 18, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Badulla, on November 23, 1907, at 12 noon :—

700 lb. steel
9 empty tar barrels
10 cans, iron
3 cans, tin
1 road roller

A. LEWIS,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, October 18, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Chilaw, on Wednesday, December 4, 1907, at 8 A.M.:—

- 2 casks, water, wooden, 40 gallons
- 1 cask, water, wooden, 45 gallons
- 1 cask, water, wooden, 50 gallons
- 2 casks, water, wooden, 60 gallons
- 6 drums, iron
- 18 empty tar barrels

A. LEWIS,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, October 22, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Anuradhapura, on Saturday, December 7, 1907, at 9 A.M.:—

- 16 empty tar barrels
- 12 cans, tin
- 20 cans, iron
- 28 kegs, iron

A. LEWIS,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, October 22, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Katugastota, on Monday, December 2, 1907, at 3.30 P.M.:—

- 2½ empty tar barrels
- 20 cans, tin
- 10 cans and drums, iron
- 1 truck
- 65 bridge planks of various sizes.

A. LEWIS,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, October 21, 1907.

THE following superfluous articles will be sold by public auction at the new Civil Medical Stores, Maradana, on Thursday, the 31st instant, at 2 P.M.:—

- 46 iron drums, 10-gallon size
- 6 iron drums, 50-gallon size
- 17 iron drums, 5-gallon size
- 1 lot tin cans
- 1 lot empty bottles of sorts
- 24 small stone jars
- 1 lot old iron screws
- 1 lot firewood

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

October 19, 1907.

VITAL STATISTICS.

COLOMBO WEEKLY HEALTH REPORT.

THE weekly return of births and deaths in the Colombo town for the week ended October 19, 1907, is subjoined.

Births.—The total births were 91. The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum was 26.8,* as against 28.6 in the preceding week and 26.2 in the corresponding week of last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths were 121. The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 39.7,† as against 36.1 in the previous week and 28.6 in the corresponding week of last year.

Causes of death.—No person died from cholera, smallpox, or measles; 16 died from diarrhoea and dysentery; 25 from phthisis; 16 from bronchitis and pneumonia; 6 from different kinds of fever; and 8 from infantile convulsions.

Infantile deaths.—Of the 121 total deaths, 30 were of infants under 1 year of age, as against 21 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 22, 1907.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
for Registrar-General.

Colombo Town.

Ward.	Population at the Census, 1901.	Births.		Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.			Death-rate per Mille per Annum*			Selected Cause of Death for the Week under Report.								Deaths of Infants under 1 Year.		Still Births.		
		Births.	Deaths.	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	91	121	26·8	28·6	26·2	39·7	36·1	28·6	—	—	—	4	2	16	25	16	8	30	21	6	
Fort and Galle																						
Face ...	2,285	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pettah ...	7,561	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Sebastian ..	9,349	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Paul's ...	20,260	8	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kotahena ...	33,355	16	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Bazaar ...	17,470	9	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maradana ...	30,381	†17	†39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	10	8	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
		†16	†17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Slave Island ...	16,927	13	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kollupitiya ...	18,281	6	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* See note † on page 855.

† Maradan 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	91	121				
Europeans	2,657	1	—	Mean temperature of air	81·0°	79·9°	80·7°
Burghers	11,861	11	6	Mean atmospheric pressure	29·956"	29·921"	29·919"
Sinhalese	68,772	44	55				
Famils	34,640	12	32				
Moors	28,898	18	14				
Malays	4,493	5	7				
Others	4,548	—	7				