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### SUPPLEMENT:

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

No. 85 of 1908.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to make the following promotions in the Civil Service, with effect from January 19, 1908:—

- Mr. H. WHITE to Class I., Grade II.
- Mr. W. L. KINDERSLEY to Class II.
- Mr. E. B. DENHAM to Class III.
- Mr. T. REID to Class IV.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 2, 1908.

No. 86 of 1908.

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 February 27, 1908:—

Mr. M. M. WEDDERBURN—Class IV.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, February 29, 1908.

No. 87 of 1908.

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

Mr. J. A. AIYADURAI to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, for March 2, 1908, during the absence of Mr. J. SCOTT from the station or until further orders.

Mr. H. J. V. EKANAYAKE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, with effect from March 1, 1908, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 2, 1908.

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

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

Mr. THOMAS GRAHAM WILLETT to be Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from March 1, 1908. His office will be at the Colombo Kacheheri.

JOHN A. FERNANDO, Registrar of Imbulpe division of Kadawata korale, to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan) of Uduwakgam pattu division of Kadawata korale, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for one month, with effect from March 1, 1908, *vice* Registrar, A. M. SENARATNE, on leave. His office will be at Imbulpe.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 5, 1908.

**THE** following appointments under section 3 of Ordinance No. 23 of 1900 and section 7 of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, are hereby notified:—

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON JOHANNES JAYAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Magura division and as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Maha Patut South division of Pasdun Korale East, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from February 28, 1908, *vice* DON CAROLIS WEJETUNGE, interdicted from duty. His office will be at Mahawatta in Baduraliya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed Mr. BASTIYAMPILLAI ANTONIPPILLAI VANDERKONE to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Mannar Islands division, in the Mannar District of the

Northern Province, for eight days from February 25, 1908, during the absence of the Registrar, COOMARAVELU VALLIPURAM, on leave. His office will be at Udayarvalavu in Mannar Town.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr. B. G. C. KULASINGHE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya Town, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for fourteen days from February 22, 1908, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. A. CHAS. EVARTS, from the station. His office will be at the Outdoor Dispensary, Kalpitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed KACHECHU MARIKAR AVULIYA MIRA LEVVAI to act as Registrar of General Marriages and of Births and Deaths of Pomparippu pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for fourteen days from February 23, 1908, during the absence of the Registrar, K. MOHAMADO CASIM, on leave. His office will be at Karativu.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Mr. H. W. KANNANGARA, Mudaliyar, to act as Registrar of the town within the gravets of Colombo, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on March 2, 1908, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. N. W. MORGAPPAH. His office will be at the Registrar-General's Office.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed JOHN ABRAHAM DASANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Four Gravets No. 2 division and of General Marriages of Matara Town and Gravets division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for three days from February 6, 1908, during the absence of R. D. TILLEKERATNE, on leave. His office will be at Pokunewatta in Weliveriya.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, March 5, 1908.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified to all Heads of Government Departments that it is the desire of His Excellency the Governor that all Volunteers in the employment of Government should be granted leave of absence on full pay, which is to be counted as absence on duty and not as absence on leave, from July 16 to 25, 1908, to permit of their attendance at the Annual Camp of Instruction for the Ceylon Volunteers which it is proposed to hold during that period at Diyatalawa.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 5, 1908.

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

### Notification of Resolution of Governor in Executive Council under Section 10.

#### THE TOLL ORDINANCE, NO. 3 OF 1896.

IN pursuance of section 10 of "The Toll Ordinance, 1896," it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 10 of the said Ordinance, has by a resolution dated January 6, 1908, resolved that the tolls set forth in the schedule hereto, which were established by a resolution of the Legislative Council dated June 1, 1892, shall be abolished as from and after January 1, 1909.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 3, 1908.

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

#### SCHEDULE.

Tolls established in respect of the road from Kadugannawa to Gampola, in the District of Kandy of the Central Province:—

- (1) Toll at Kadugannawa at Dandudeniagedarawatta, within a quarter of a mile of the junction of the Paranapattiya road with the Colombo road.
- (2) Toll at Gampola between 8th and 9th mileposts on the road from Kadugannawa to Gampola.

THE following list of persons licensed to sell poisons, under Ordinance No. 11 of 1901, for 1908 is published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, February 27, 1908.

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

WESTERN PROVINCE.		Name of Licensee.	Residence.
Name of Licensee.	Residence.		
Abeyeratne, D. J.	.. Panadure	Mathieson, J. (Messrs. Car-	.. Fort, Colombo
Abdul Carim	.. Timbirigasyaya	gills)	.. do.
Bohringer, A.	.. Fort, Colombo	Do.	.. do.
Bastimiar, L. W.	.. Maradana, Colombo	Perera, K. W.	.. Kaduwela
Banajee, D. P.	.. Slave Island	Do.	.. do.
Fernando, R. S.	.. Potupitiya	Passe, W. A.	.. Grandpass
Fernando, M. G.	.. Moratuwella	Rustomjee, M.	.. Dam street, Colombo
Gunasekera, F. W.	.. Dehiwala	Do.	.. do.
Hansz, W. J.	.. Kandane	Silva, L. A.	.. Kollupitiya
Idroos Lebbe, T. S.	.. 2nd Gabo's lane, Colombo	Saram, G. H. de	.. do.
Koelmeyer, F. R.	.. 2nd Cross street, Pettah	Trollope, F. (Apothecaries' Co.)	.. Fort, Colombo
		Wijeyesekera, N. E. W.	.. Bankshall street

CENTRAL PROVINCE.		EASTERN PROVINCE.	
Name of Licensee.	Residence.	Name of Licensee.	Residence.
Brown & Co., Ltd.	Hatton	Elaganatar Kadiramatamby	Division No. 5, Trincomalee
Cash Medical Co.	Ward street, Kandy	Kathiramatamby Katiraveluppillai	do.
James Perera, G. A.	Kotmale road, Nawalapitiya	Murugasa Vannia Murugasapillai	Koddaimunai
Jordan & Co., W.	Belgravia, Lindula	Richard George Vanderhoeven	do.
Joseph, C. L.	Hill street, Nuwara Eliya	Vinasitamby Chinniah	Division No. 6, Trincomalee
Kreltshheim, D. G.	336, Trincomalee street, Kandy		
Miller & Co.	Trincomalee street, Kandy		
Moses, A. Dan	Matale		
Ratnayaka, D. D.	191, Trincomalee street, Kandy		
Smith, W. Downie	14, Uda Pussellawa road, Nuwara Eliya		
Tillekeratne, J.	Matale		
Walker & Greig	Glencairn, Dikoya		
Wikramatunga, D. L.	64, King street, Kandy		
NORTHERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.	
T. A. Adams, on behalf of Mr. Joseph Machado of Jaffna town	At the premises of the City Dispensary, situated in the premises called Jubilee House at Jaffna town	De Silva, R. S.	Kandy road, Kurunegala
Arumugam Muttutambipillai, on behalf of Messrs. Ward and Davy of Vannarponne East	In the dispensary situated in the premises called Navalur Kotam at Vannarponne East	Gunaratna, B. C. P.	Puttalam road, Kurunegala
S. Ponnusamy of Jaffna Town	At the premises in the Jaffna Apothecaries' Co., situate at the Main street, Jaffna	Jayman, C. Z.	Kandy road, Kurunegala
Vaitilingam Saddanathu, on behalf of Durai & Co. of Vannarponne East	At the premises in a shop at Vannarponne West belonging to T. Sivaperagasam	Martinez, V. H.	Colombo road, Kurunegala
Vaitilingam Sangarapillai of Vannarponne West	At the premises belonging to S. Kumarasamy Cheddiar, at Vannarponne West	Van Langenberg, R.	Puttalam road, Kurunegala
		Weeraratna, C.	Dambulla road, Kurunegala
SOUTHERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.	
Alwis, A. de	Kotuwegoda, Matara	Nil.	
Ephraums, A. R.	The Fort, Galle	PROVINCE OF UVA.	
Gooneratne, V. D.	Matara	Walker & Greig	Badulla town
Samarawira, H. W.	Weligama, Matara	PROVINCE OF SABARAGAMUWA.	
Seneviratne, S. D. S.	Galle	L. B. Daniel of Kalutara	House standing on the land called Kande-watta at Mahingoda, Kendangomuwa
Veddiyasagara, C. W.	Fort, Galle	T. H. Gomis of Anguruwella	House No. 10 on the land called Muttet-tulanda at Anguruwella in Kegalla
		A. F. Gunatileka of Ratnapura	Tiled house situated on the land belonging to the estate of Mr. J. C. Molamure, deceased
		Kellow & Co. of Yatiyantota	Shop at Yatiyantota
		Edward Jesurasingham	House standing on the land called Ganga-bodawatta at Yatiyantota
		J. M. Oliveux of Ratnapura	House situated in the town of Ratnapura on the road to Demuwata ferry

THE following copy of an order of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, restricting the importation into Ireland of horses, asses, and mules from other parts of the United Kingdom, and a copy of a further order of the Department extending the operation of the order to animals from other countries, are published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 3, 1908.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

## No. 75.

## Order of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland.

(DATED JANUARY 28, 1907.)

*Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules (Ireland) Order of 1907.*

THE Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Agriculture and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1899, the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

*Interpretation.*

1. (1) In this Order—

“ The Department ” means the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland.

“ Article ” means Article of this Order.

“ The Act of 1894 ” means the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Other terms have the same meaning as in the Act of 1894 and the Acts amending the same.

- (2) Horses, asses, and mules shall be animals for the purposes of the following sections of the Act of 1894 (namely) :—

Sections twenty-two and sixty-five ;

Sections forty-three and seventy-four ;

Section forty-four ;

and of all other sections of that Act containing provisions relative to or consequent on those sections, including such sections as provide for offences and legal proceedings ; and also of this Order.

*Restriction on Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules.*

2. Unless and until the Department otherwise order, it shall not be lawful to import into or land in Ireland, any horse, ass, or mule from Great Britain, from the Isle of Man, or from the Channel Islands except under the authority of a permit in that behalf previously obtained from the Department, and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed in such permit.

*Applications for Permits.*

3. Each application for a permit under this Order should be addressed to—

The Secretary,  
Department of Agriculture and  
Technical Instruction for Ireland  
(Veterinary Branch),  
Dublin.

and should be made at an adequate interval prior to the proposed date of importation of the animal or animals to which the application relates, so as to afford time for such inquiries as the Department may deem necessary before coming to their decision as to whether the permit applied for may be granted.

*Notice of Detention in case of Illegal Landing.*

4. (1) If, in any instance, a horse, ass, or mule is landed in contravention of this Order, the Department, or an Inspector of the Department, may give notice to the owner or person in charge of such horse, ass, or mule requiring the detention and isolation of the horse, ass, or mule in accordance with the provisions of such notice.

(2) If the owner or person in charge of the horse, ass, or mule, after receipt of such notice, fails to comply with any of the provisions therein contained, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

(3) A notice applying under this Article shall continue in force until it is withdrawn by a further notice given by the Department, or an Inspector of the Department.

*Exemption.*

5. Nothing in this Order applies to horses, asses, or mules under the care and supervision of the Army Veterinary Service.

*Offences.*

6. If a horse, ass, or mule is landed in contravention of this Order, the owner and the charterer and the master of the vessel from which it is landed, and the owner of the horse, ass, or mule, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the landing, and the person landing the same, and the consignee or other person receiving or keeping the horse, ass, or mule knowing it to have been landed in contravention as aforesaid, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

*Revocation of Previous Order.*

7. The Order described in the schedule to this Order is hereby, from and after the commencement of this Order, revoked.

*Commencement.*

8. This Order shall come into operation on February 21, 1907.

*Short Title.*

9. This Order may be cited as "The Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules (Ireland) Order of 1907."

In witness whereof the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland have hereunto set their Official Seal on January 28, 1907.

L.S.

T. P. GILL,  
Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

*Order Revoked.*

Date.	Title.
May 29, 1906	Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules (Ireland) Order of 1906.

## No. 88.

## Order of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland.

(DATED DECEMBER 17, 1907.)

*Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules (Ireland) Order of 1907, No. 11.*

THE Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Agriculture and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1899, the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

*Restriction on Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules from Foreign Countries.*

1. From and after December 31, 1907, the Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules (Ireland) Order of 1907 shall be read and have effect as if Article 2 thereof included the following additional clause:—

Unless and until the Department otherwise order, it shall not be lawful to import into or land in Ireland any horse, ass, or mule from any country outside Great Britain, the Isle of Man, and the Channel Islands, except under the authority of a permit in that behalf previously obtained from the Department, and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed in such permit.

*Short Title and Construction.*

2. This Order may be cited as the "Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules (Ireland) Order of 1907, No. 11," and shall be read as one with the Importation of Horses, Asses, and Mules (Ireland) Order of 1907.

In witness whereof the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland have hereunto set their Official Seal this December 17, 1907.

L.S.

T. P. GILL,  
Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has sanctioned the following revised rates of royalty to be levied on timber and minor forest produce in Crown forests in the Island of Ceylon, proposed by the Conservator of Forests of the said Island, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 16 of 1907.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, February 12, 1908.HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.*Rates of Royalty to be levied on Timber.*

Sinhalese Name.	Tamil Name.	Botanical Name.
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## CLASS I.

Rate per cubic foot, Rs. 2.

Buruta (Satinwood)

.. Mutirai

.. Chloroxylon swietenia

CLASS II.		
Sinhalese Name.	Tamil Name.	Botanical Name.
<i>Rate per cubic foot, Re. 1.</i>		
Halmilla (Trinco. wood)	.. Savandalai	.. <i>Berrya Ammonilla</i> ,
Kos (Jak)	.. Pila	.. <i>Artocarpus integrifolia</i>
Milla	.. Kaddamanakku	.. <i>Vitex altissima</i>
Na	.. Naka	.. <i>Mesua ferrea</i>
Nedun	.. —	.. <i>Pericopsis Mooniana</i>
Tekka (Teak)	.. Tekku	.. <i>Tectona grandis</i>
 CLASS III. <i>Rate per cubic foot, 75 cents.</i>		
Aralu	.. Kadukkai	.. <i>Terminalia chebula</i>
Palu	.. Palai	.. <i>Mimusops hexandra</i>
Siyambala (Tamarind)	.. Puli	.. <i>Tamarindus indica</i>
 CLASS IV. <i>Rate per cubic foot, 60 cents.</i>		
Hulanhik	.. Aglai or Kaloti	.. <i>Chickrassia tabularis</i>
Kumbuk	.. Marutu	.. <i>Terminalia glabra, W. et A.</i>
Madan Damba	.. Naval	.. <i>Eugenia jambolana</i>
Mi	.. Illupai	.. <i>Bassia longifolia, L.</i>
Sapu (village)	.. Sempakam, Makila or Vakula, or Konanky	.. <i>Michelia champaca, L</i>
Wewarana	.. Ranai, Yawaranai	.. <i>Persea semicarpifolia</i>
 CLASS V. <i>Rate per cubic foot, 50 cents.</i>		
Dun	.. Tumpalai	.. <i>D. Zeylanica, D. Gardneri</i>
Etuna	.. Chemuntiri	.. <i>Heritiera littoralis</i>
Gammalu	.. Venkai	.. <i>Pterocarpus marsupium</i>
Galsiyambala	.. Kaddu-puli	.. <i>Dialium ovoideum</i>
Kina (hill-country)	.. —	.. <i>Calophyllum Walkeri</i>
Kina (low-country)	.. —	.. <i>Calophyllum tomentosum</i>
Kohomba (Eng. Margosa)	.. Vempu	.. <i>Azadirachta indica</i>
Maha-andara	.. Vel-vel, Velam	.. <i>Acacia leucophloea</i>
Mihiriya (Kihiriya, Kiri-hembiliya)	.. —	.. <i>Palaquium grande</i>
Neralu (Piyari)	.. Perun, Piyari	.. <i>Elæodendron glaucum</i>
Pihimbiya	.. Athalangi	.. <i>Filicium decipiens</i>
Suriya (Eng. tulip tree)	.. Puvarasu	.. <i>Thespesia populnea</i>
Suriyamara	.. Ponnai murankai	.. <i>Albizzia odoratissima, Benth.</i>
Tal	.. Panai	.. <i>Borassus flabelliformis</i>
Tawenna	.. —	.. <i>Crypto carya membranacea</i>
Wa Aramana	.. Vakai	.. <i>Cassia siamea</i>
 CLASS VI. <i>Rate per cubic foot, 40 cents.</i>		
Dawu	.. Vekkalai	.. <i>Anogeissus latifolia</i>
Del, Bedi-del	.. —	.. <i>Artocarpus nobilis</i>
Ehala	.. Tirukkondal	.. <i>Cassia fistula, L.</i>
Hik	.. Odi	.. <i>Odina Wodier</i>
Kirikon (Molpetta)	.. Chadavakku	.. <i>Walsura piscidia</i>
Kolon	.. Manchal Kadampa	.. <i>Adina cordifolia</i>
Kon (Ceylon oak)	.. Kula, Puvu	.. <i>Schleichera trijuga</i>
Lunumidella	.. Malaivempu	.. <i>Melia dubia, Cav.</i>
Mendora	.. —	.. <i>Vatica Roxburghiana</i>
Na-mendora	.. —	.. <i>Sunaptea scabriuscula</i> or <i>Vateria scabriuscula</i>
Sapu, (wal) wild	.. —	.. <i>Michelia nilagirica</i>
Ubberiya	.. —	.. <i>Carallia calycina, Benth.</i>
 CLASS VII. <i>Rate per cubic foot, 30 cents.</i>		
Ahu	.. Manchawanna	.. <i>Morinda tinctoria</i>
Alubo	.. —	.. <i>Eugenia sylvestris</i>
Batu-damba, Kobo-mal	.. —	.. <i>Eugenia operculatu</i>
Beli (Eng. Bael fruit)	.. —	.. <i>Aegle marmelos</i>
Buhora	.. —	.. <i>Dipterocarpus hispidus</i>
Damba	.. —	.. <i>Eugenia Gardneri</i>
Dawata	.. —	.. <i>Carallia integrissima, D C.</i>

Sinhalese Name.	Tamil Name.	Botanical Name.
Dikwenna	Vidpani	Pityranthe verrucosa
Diya Na	—	Mesua Thwaitesii
Diyapara	—	Wormia triquetra
Galmora, Bulu mora	—	Pometia eximia
Godakirilla	Ayil, Velayil	Holoptelea integrifolia
Gona pana	Kokottai	Garcinia spicata
Kahata	Kachaddai	Careya arborea
Magul-karanda	Punku	Pongamia glabra
Mi-wenna	Uluvintai	Polyalthea korinti
Molpedda (kiriwala)	—	Isonandra lanceolata
Pandaru	Vatchikuran	Canthium didymum
Yakahalu	—	Doona trapezifolia

## CLASS VIII.

Rate per cubic foot, 25 cents.

Divul	Mayladik kuruntu	Feronia elephantum
Domba, Tel Domba	Punnai, dombakottai	Calophyllum, inophyllum
Dorana	—	Diptero-carpus glandulosus
Etamba, Walamba, (Eng. wild mango)	Kaddu-ma	Mangifera zeylanica
Gal-mendora	Attukaddupuli	Cynemotra raniflora
Godapara	—	Dillenia retusa
Gokatu	—	Garcinia morella
Guru-kina (Hinkina)	Cheruppunnai	Calophyllum Burmanni
Hal	—	Vateria acuminata
Hal-mendora	—	Vatica affinis
Hedawaka	—	Chaetocarpus custanocarpus
Helamba	—	Stephegyne tubulosa
Hora	—	Dipterocarpus zeylanicum
Kana-gona	—	Artocarpus lakoocha
Karawu	—	Phyllanthus indicus
Ketakela	Mul-venkai	Bridelia retusa
Kosdomba	—	—
Kudu-dawula	—	Litsea zeylanica
Madatiya	Anai kuntumari	Adenantha pavonina
Maha-debara	Illantai	Zizyphus Jujuba
Mara	Kona, Valkari	Albizzia Lebbek
Mini-damba	—	Eugenia microcarpus
Munamal	Makel, Mukalai, Vilva pattir	Mimusops Elengi
Muruta	—	Lagerstrœmia reginae
Panaka, Piyari	Cherupiyari	Pleurostylia Wightii
Patkela	—	Bridelia Moonii
Penela	Penalai	Sapindus emarginatus
Ptni-beraliya	—	Doona ovalifolia
Poruwa mara (Gona-mara, walmediriya)	—	Canthium Didymum
Ratoberaliya	—	Hopea jucunda
Tammana	Tampanai	Mischodon zeylanicus
Tembiliya	Kaya, venkalikaya	Eugenia bracteata
Urukonda, Urukanu	—	Lasianthera apicalis
Wal buruta (Eng. wild satinwood)	—	Canthium Rheedii, var.
Wana-mi	—	Bassia fulva
Welipenna, Welipiyana	—	Anisophyllea zeylanica
—	Udai-vel	Acacia churnea
—	Kalu dai	—

## CLASS IX.

Rate per cubic foot, 20 cents.

Aridda	—	Camposperma zeylanicum
Bakmi	Vammi	Sarcocephalus cordatus
Beraliya	—	Doona cordifolia
Beriya, Beeriya	—	Lumnitzera, racemosa
Bombu, Walbombu	—	Symplocos spicata



Sinhalese Name.	Tamil Name:	Botanical Name.
Bora-daminiya ..	Taviddai ..	Grewia polygama
Boralu ..	— ..	Vaccinium Leschenaultii
Bulu ..	Tanti ..	Terminalia belerica
Daminiya ..	Chaddachechi ..	Grewia tilicefolia
Dunumadala, Lunumadala	Padri ..	Stereospermum chelonoides
Elbedda ..	— ..	Meliosma simplicifolia
Embul-bakmi ..	Vellai kadampa ..	Anthocephalus cadamba
Gan-mi ..	— ..	Bassia neriifolia
Han-palanda ..	— ..	Terminalia parviflora
Hingul ..	— ..	Amoora Rohituka
Honda-beraliya ..	— ..	Doona macrophylla
Imbul, Pulun-imbul ..	— ..	Ereodondron anfractuosum
Kana-beraliya ..	— ..	—
Kankumbala, Etahirilla ..	— ..	Turpinia pomifera
Kapuru ..	— ..	Goniothalamus Walkeri
Kara ..	Karai ..	Canthium parviflorum
Katu kenda ..	— ..	Scoioia acuminata
Kirikon ..	Kanna-kompu ..	Aglai Roxburghiana
Kitul ..	Tippilipana ..	Caryota urens
Kokatiya ..	— ..	Garcinia terpniphylla
Kunumella, Habara ..	— ..	Diospyros ovalfolia
Maha-kuretiya ..	— ..	Eugenia lissophylla
Maha-ratambala ..	Karankutte, Painkuray ..	Ixora parvifolia
Mediya ..	— ..	Hunteria corymbosa
Mendora ..	— ..	Hopea cordifolia
Mora, Rasamora ..	Nurai ..	Nephelium longana
Padu-domba ..	— ..	—
Pamburu-kuruntu ..	— ..	Atalantia Missionis
Panukera ..	— ..	Eugenia Neesiana
Petan, Kahapetan ..	Tiruvatti ..	Bauhinia tomentosa
Pini baru ..	— ..	Eugenia Mooniana
Ratu-wa ..	Vakai ..	Cassia marginata
Rawan idala ..	— ..	Wendlandia Notoniana
Tarana ..	Karanai ..	Webera corymbosa
Tiniya ..	— ..	Doona congestifolia
Tumpat kurundu ..	— ..	Limonia alata
Vella ..	— ..	Diplospora Dalzellii
Wal-munamal ..	— ..	Gironniera reticulata
Walu Kina ..	Perun kuruntu ..	Atalantia monophylla
	— ..	Calophyllum bracteatum

## CLASS X.

Rate per cubic foot, 15 cents.

Akmediya ..	— ..	Gironniera subaequalis
Badulla ..	— ..	Semecarpus coreacea
Bombi, Bomi ..	Elumpurukki ..	Litsea chinensis
Bu-nuga ..	— ..	Ficus mysorensis
Bu-seru ..	— ..	Premna tomentosa
Domba kina ..	— ..	Calophyllum spectabile
Gal-veralu ..	— ..	Elaecarpus subvillosus
Kekala, Ipetta ..	— ..	Cyathocalyx zeylanicus
Kosbada, Landittan ..	— ..	Litsea tomentosa
Kuretiya, Hin kuretiya, Galpini baru ..	— ..	Memecylon rostratum
Maha-buluhora ..	— ..	Canarium Brunneum
Maha-midi ..	Pachu mullai ..	Premna latifolia
Maha-nuga ..	Al ..	Ficus Bengalensis
Makulu ..	Makai ..	Hydnocarpus Venenata
Malaboda ..	Palmanikam ..	Myristica laurifolia
— ..	Malai-parutti ..	Sterculia colorata
Maran Maranda ..	Marungi ..	Eugenia spicata
Mas-mora ..	— ..	Adenantha bicolor
Midi ..	Erumai mullai ..	Premna serratifolia
— ..	Mul makil ..	Sideroxylon tomentosum
Nava ..	— ..	Sterculia balanghas
Nevedda ..	Kaddu nochhe, Nir nochchi ..	Vitex leucoxydon
Nuga, Kosgona ..	— ..	Ficus altissima
Palatu ..	— ..	Hernandia peltata
Telambu ..	— ..	Sterculia foetida
Wal-mora ..	Kuma ..	Gleniea zeylanica
Wal-waraka ..	Kakkai pilai ..	Casearia esculenta
Wel-aralu ..	— ..	Ficus tomentosa

## CLASS XI.

Rate per cubic foot, 10 cents.

All trees not enumerated above.

NOTE.—No species of *Diospyros* will be sold under the authority of a permit.

## Rates of Royalty to be levied on Minor Forest Produce.

Posts.—	Rs.	c.	
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18 ft. to 24 ft. long and 12 in. to 18 in. mean girth	0	30	"
25 ft. to 30 ft. long and 12 in. to 18 in. mean girth	0	35	"
Fence sticks—			
7 ft. to 9 ft. long and 9 in. to 12 in. mean girth	2	0	per 100
Warichchies—			
12 ft. to 15 ft. long and 2 in. to 4 in. mean girth	5	0	per 1,000
Tammana series	7	50	per 100
Fuel	0	50	per cubic yard
Seeds—			
Kaddukai ( <i>Terminalia chebula</i> )	10	0	per ton
Kanchurankottai ( <i>Strychnos nux vomica</i> )	8	0	"
Kina ( <i>Calophyllum tomentosum</i> )	3	0	per bushel
Kokun ( <i>Kokoona zeylanica</i> )	50	0	"
Madol ( <i>Guttifera Echinocarpa</i> )	0	25	"
Tandikkai ( <i>Terminalia belerica</i> )	8	0	per ton
Resins—			
Dun ( <i>Doona zeylanica</i> )	0	25	per lb.
Hal ( <i>Vateria acuminata</i> )	0	25	"
Yakahalu ( <i>Doona cordifolia</i> )	0	25	"
Fruits—			
Kirilla ( <i>Conneratia acida</i> )	0	20	per 100
Wild cardamoms	0	10	per lb. green
Barks—			
Avarai or Ponnavaram bark ( <i>Cassia auriculata</i> )	20	0	per ton
Kandalpattai ( <i>Rhizophora mucronata</i> )-mangrove bark	10	0	"
Kokun ( <i>Kokoona zeylanica</i> )	560	0	"
Vempadampattai ( <i>Ventilago Madraspatana</i> ) vempadam bark	20	0	"
Other barks	5	0	"
Leaves—			
Adhatoda ( <i>Adhatoda vasicum</i> , &c.)	—	—	Rs. 2.50 per boat load or 30 cents per cart load
Avarai ( <i>Cassia auriculata</i> )	—	—	per pingo load
Bamboo ( <i>Batakola</i> )	0	5	per pingo load
Beru ( <i>Agrostistachys longifolia</i> )	0	1	"
Ferns	2	0	per 100 bundles 2 ft. in girth,
Keppitiya ( <i>Croton aromaticus</i> , &c.)	0	10	per pingo load
Kota dimbula ( <i>Ficus hispida</i> )	0	15	"
Marapasi (Orchilla weed)	0	75	per cwt.
Pannai ( <i>Clausena indica</i> )	2	0	per ton or boat load
Pavadolai ( <i>Pavetta indica</i> )	2	0	"
Punku ( <i>Pongamia glabra</i> )	2	0	"
Vagai ( <i>Cassia marginata</i> )	2	0	"
Mana and illuk grass	2	0	per 1,000 bundles of 2 ft girth
Bamboos (bata)	0	50	per 1,000
Bamboos (medium)	6	0	"
Bamboos (yellow or unali)	6	0	per 100
Canes (large)	15	0	per 1,000 of 15 feet length
Canes (medium)	10	0	"
Canes (small)	5	0	"

	Rs.	c.	
Jungle creepers .. .. .	0	10	per pingo load
Coral .. .. .	0	5	per bushel
Stone, gravel, clay, cabook .. .. .	0	25	per cart load
Bricks and tiles (made in Crown land) .. .. .	0	50	per 1,000
Limestone .. .. .	0	25	per ton or cart load
Sand .. .. .	0	10	.. .. .

**N**OTICE is hereby given that an examination for candidates wishing to enter the Third Class of the Clerical Branch of the Public Service will take place on Monday, April 27, 1908, and following days.

2. Applications for admission to the examination by persons not now in the Public Service must be addressed to the Director of Public Instruction, must bear a duly cancelled stamp of Rs. 10 with the words "Ceylon Stamp Duty" only, without the words "Judicial" or "Warehouse Warrant" printed thereon, and must be in the form (Schedule A) attached to this notice. Forms are to be obtained at any Post Office on application, or within four days' notice. A certificate of the registration of the candidate's birth showing him to be on April 27, 1908, between the ages of 18 and 21, and a certificate of good character signed by a responsible person,\* to the satisfaction of the Director of Public Instruction, must be attached to the form of application. If a certificate of birth for a previous examination was sent in, reference may be made to it by mentioning name and date of examination. Affidavits will in no circumstances be accepted. In the case of candidates who submit certificates of registration in the register of past birth, the certificates will only be accepted after consideration of the evidence by which the dates of birth were established. If the name appearing in the birth register differs, either by alteration or addition, from the name by which the candidate is known, the parent or guardian should, before obtaining a certificate, apply to the Registrar-General or his Assistant for such alteration in the manner set forth in section 7 of Ordinance No. 23 of 1900.

3. Clerks in Government service, from whatever funds they may be paid, who have completed three years' satisfactory service and are not members of the Customs, Postal, Survey, or Railway Departments, and those clerks employed by Provincial and District Road Committees whose appointments date prior to July 1, 1875, are eligible for examination irrespective of age and without fee. Their applications (in the same form, Schedule A) for admission to the examination should be forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction through the Heads of their Departments.

4. Applications are to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than 2 P.M. on Thursday, March 12, 1908; any applications received after that hour, by whatever cause delayed, will be absolutely rejected.

5. The Director of Public Instruction will return to the candidate his application, approved or disapproved as the case may be, after taking, if necessary, the orders of Government thereon. The approved application shall constitute the candidate's ticket of admission to the examination. Candidates presenting themselves for examination must produce to the officer appointed to supervise the examination at the station at which they present themselves their forms of application, approved by the Director of Public Instruction. A candidate not producing such form, whatever may be the reason for his not so doing, will be refused admittance to the examination.

6. The examination will be held at Colombo only, in the place and under the supervision of the officer specified in Schedule B. Heads of Departments are required to grant to officers of their Departments, whose applications to present themselves for examination have been returned to them approved by the Director of Public Instruction, leave to present themselves at the examination.

7. The examination will be competitive. The number of places assigned for competition will be thirty.

8. The successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination as to their physical fitness for service in any part of the Island.

9. The subjects for examination are those set out in Schedule C to this notice. The examination shall be held in two parts. The first part a qualifying examination in Handwriting, Spelling, and Arithmetic. Any candidate failing to obtain two-thirds of the marks allotted for Handwriting and half those allowed for Spelling and Arithmetic respectively shall be excluded from the remainder of the examination. Special attention will be paid to Handwriting, and candidates whose writing is untidy or illegible or

\* The Candidate's Teacher or Schoolmaster by preference, or a Member of the Public Service, a Justice of the Peace, Minister of Religion, Advocate, Proctor, or Notary, or, generally speaking, some person whose name is known and to whom reference can readily be made.

contains defects in the formation of letters will be rigorously excluded. The kind of writing preferred will be that generally shown as the "Civil Service" hand. The second part of the examination shall be in the remaining subjects in Schedule C. Should a candidate obtain less than one-third of the aggregate marks for the three subjects—Composition, General Paper, Précis Writing—or less than one-fourth marks in any other subject, or, if he be a Sinhalese or Tamil, less than one-half of the marks in his native language, such marks shall not be counted in his favour. In all the written papers marks will be deducted for bad writing and mistakes in spelling.

10. Clerks of the description given in section 3 above, who have served Government continuously for over six years, will be allowed to compete amongst themselves, and will be eligible, if they obtain a minimum of 66 per cent. in Writing and 33 per cent. in the other compulsory subjects, for seven of the appointments offered for competition. Three of the appointments will be reserved as prizes for deserving clerks of the same description, who have served Government continuously for ten years and upwards, to be selected irrespective of examination. No service under the age of sixteen years will be reckoned for this purpose.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, February 14, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### SCHEDULE A.

#### GOVERNMENT OF CEYLON.

##### *Clerical Examination.*

N.B.—This form to be filled up and sent so as to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than 2 P.M. on Thursday, March 12, 1908. It must be correctly and legibly filled up. Candidates who are already in the Public Service should forward the form through the Head of the Department in which they serve.

The examination will be held on April 27, 1908, and following days, at 10 A.M.

Full name of Candidate, and whether Sinhalese, Tamil,  
or Burgher .....

Day, Month, and Year of Birth supported by certificate  
of registration .....

Postal address to which this Application should be  
returned .....

Is the candidate already employed in the Service of  
Government? And if so, appointments held with  
dates since entering service .....

Present appointment, if any .....

Is the Candidate to be examined in Sinhalese, Tamil,  
Latin, or Mathematics? .....

Is the Candidate to be examined in Interpretation? .....

Is the Candidate to be examined in Shorthand? .....

Is the Candidate to be examined in Bookkeeping? .....

Here affix a stamp of Rs. 10, if not already in Government Service. Cancel the stamp by signing your name on it or initial it and dating it.

The above-named is admitted to the examination, and is assigned the Number ———.

Signature of Director of Public Instruction.

This form is to be given up on the first day of Examination to the Presiding Examiner, who will forward it to the Director of Public Instruction. No Candidate will be admitted to the Examination except on presentation of this certificate.

#### SCHEDULE B.

	Place at which Examination to be held.	Officer by whom Examination to be supervised.
Colombo	.. Training College	.. Director of Public Instruction

SCHEDULE C.					Marks.
English—					
Handwriting	..	..	..	..	150
Spelling	..	..	..	..	100
Composition	..	..	..	..	100
General Paper*	..	..	..	..	100
Précis Writing	..	..	..	..	100
Arithmetic (including Tots)	..	..	..	..	200
Shorthand (optional)	..	..	..	..	100
Bookkeeping (optional)	..	..	..	..	100
Native language (optional)—					
Written translation out of	..	..	..	..	50
Written translation into	..	..	..	..	50
Grammar	..	..	..	..	50
Reading and translation orally a written document	..	..	..	..	25
Interpretation	..	..	..	..	25
In place of the native language one of the two following subjects may be taken :—					
(a) Latin—					
Translation into English unprepared	..	..	..	..	100
Translation into Latin	..	..	..	..	50
Grammar	..	..	..	..	50
(b) Mathematics—					
Geometry†	..	..	..	..	100
Algebra†	..	..	..	..	100

\* The General Paper may include questions in English History, Geography, and Literature.

† The Geometry will include questions on Euclid, Books I., II., III., and IV., with deductions. The Algebra will include definitions, the theory of indices, greatest common measure and least common multiple, extraction of square root, simplification of fractions, solution of simple and quadratic equations, and of problems producing such equations, the elementary rules of ratio and proportion, arithmetical and geometrical progressions, permutations, and combinations.

IT is hereby notified that an examination under the Regulations of August 26, 1891, for gentlemen in the Civil Service will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, April 27, 1908, at 10.30 A.M., and following days, namely :—

Monday, April 27	.. Sinhalese	Thursday, April 30	.. Law
Tuesday, April 28	.. Law	Friday, May 1	.. Accounts
Wednesday, April 29	.. Law	Saturday, May 2	.. Tamil

The examination under the Minute of December 12, 1898, and the *viva voce* examination in the native languages for officers in the Public Works Department, the Irrigation Department, the Forest Department, and the Railway Department, will be held at the same time and place.

Only the Police Magistrates who are not members of the Bar or of the Civil Service and those candidates who have been specially nominated by the Governor will be admitted to the examination under the Minute of December 12, 1898.

The examination in the Criminal Procedure Code prescribed under the Minute of March 26, 1900, for officers in the Fourth Class of the Civil Service, will also be held on April 28, 1908, as well as at the Kandy Kachcheri.

*It is also hereby notified that candidates will be given the option of using Codes in the examinations in the Criminal Procedure Code and the Penal Code ; they must, however, state when sending in their names what their decision is, as the character of the papers set or those who use Codes and those who do not will be different.*

Candidates are required to send in their names not later than March 31, 1908.

Gentlemen in the Civil Service should state in their applications whether they are presenting themselves for the first or second examination, whether they intend taking up Sinhalese or Tamil, and whether they wish to have the option of using Codes.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, February 28, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

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A. G. CLAYTON,

Government Recordkeeper.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March, 1908.

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H. C. COTTE,

March, 1908.

Government Printer.

## THE CEYLON MEDICAL REGISTER, 1908.

In addition to the list published in the "Ceylon Medical Register, 1908," and in the *Ceylon Government Gazettes* dated January 31, 1908, and February 28, 1908, the following Medical Practitioners are qualified under Ordinance No. 2 of 1905 to practise Medicine and Surgery in Ceylon:—

Name.	Residence.	Date of Registration.	Qualifications, with Dates.
252. Perera, Paul Hillary	Matale	February 26, 1908	L.M.S. (Ceylon), 1907.
253. Gray, Henry	Rangalla	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
254. Daniels, William Oliver	No. 49, San Sebastian Hill, Colombo	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
255. John, Vedanayagam Ramapillai	Ruby Cottage, Mount Lavinia	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
256. Candiah, Sapatipillai	Uduppiddy, Jaffna	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
257. Sivaprakasapillai, Tambyan- pillai	Vannarponnai West, Jaffna	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
258. Raux, Julius Caesar	Olivia Cottage, Nugegoda	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
259. Sinnatamby, Sannugam	Kokuvil East, Jaffna	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
260. Lawrentsz, Cecil Sylvester George	Negombo	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
261. Oorloff, Cecil Henry	Gammaduwa	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
262. Gunasekera, Frederick William	Dehiwala	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
263. Fernando, Wannekuwatte- waduge Constantine	Moratuwa	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.
264. Sela, Owen	Galagedara	February 26, 1908	Certificate of the Council of the Ceylon Medical College, February 26, 1908.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS,  
Registrar.

The Ceylon Medical College,  
Colombo, February 26, 1908.



**The Ceylon Medical College.***Preliminary Examinations.*

THE Medical and Apothecary Preliminary Examinations of the Ceylon Medical College will be held in the College on Monday, March 16, 1908.

All candidates are requested to present their applications, certificates, fees, &c., to the Registrar on or before March 1, 1908.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS,  
Registrar.

December 23, 1907.

**The Ceylon Medical College.***Medical and Apothecary Examinations.*

THE Medical and Apothecary Examinations of the Ceylon Medical College will commence on Monday, March 16, 1908.

All candidates are requested to forward their written applications, certificates, fees, &c., to the Registrar on or before March 7, 1908.

ALBERT J. CHALMERS,  
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NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from H. Silaratna Terunnanse for a grant in aid of his Nelawa Boys' Vernacular School, which is situated in Hiriyaala hatpattu of the North-Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than March 24, 1908.

J. HARWARD,  
Director.

Department of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, March 3, 1908.

**Committee on Oriental Studies, Tamil Branch.**

THE following are the successful Candidates in the Preliminary Examination held at Jaffna in 1907 :—

**TAMIL EXAMINATION.**

Serial No.	Order of merit.	Name.
<i>First Class.</i>		
None		
<i>Second Class.</i>		
2	—	S. Velupillai
<i>Third Class.</i>		
1	1	N. Vatharaniam
3	2	W. Vatharaniam
5	3	S. Panchadchara Aiyar

**SANSKRIT EXAMINATION.**

Serial No.	Order of merit.	Name.
<i>First Class.</i>		
3	1	M. Vatharaniam
2	2	S. Velupillai
<i>Second Class.</i>		
5	—	S. Panchadehara Aiyar
<i>Third Class.</i>		
1	—	W. Vatharaniam

J. HARWARD,  
Director of Public Instruction.

A. VAN CUYLENBERG,  
Inspector of Schools,  
Chairman of Tamil Committee.

Office of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, February 27, 1908.

**Examination of Government Clerks.**

AN examination, in terms of the Minute of December 13, 1907, in the vernacular languages and in the system of Government accounts for clerks of Class III. of the Clerical Service will be held at the Government Training College on Monday, April 6, 1908, commencing at 10 A.M.

Candidates for admission should apply by letter to the Director of Public Instruction not later than March 15, 1908.

Office of Public Instruction. J. HARWARD,  
Colombo, February 1, 1908. Director.

THE following alteration to the Government Store Price List is published for general information :—

Store No.	Per	Rs.	c.
6,618	Cement, barrel	7	95

F. W. VANE,  
Controller, Government Stores.

Government Stores,  
Colombo, February 28, 1908.

HOUSE occupied by peon, Ceylon Medical College, consisting of 3 rooms approximately 13 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in. and kitchen 8 ft. x 8 ft.; walls of rooms are of cabook, kitchen wattle and daub, roof half-round tiles on coconut and hora rafters, doors and windows jak and hora, will be put up for sale at the premises at 8.30 A.M. on Saturday, March 21, 1908.

The purchaser at time of purchase will be required to deposit 25 per cent. of the amount of the purchase

money with the auctioneer and the balance before removing any materials.

The purchaser will be required to clear off all materials, rubbish, and tidy up the site within 25 days of sale.

W. POLE FLECHER,  
Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, February 29, 1908.

AN examination for admission into the Post and Telegraph Department will be held at the Ferguson Memorial Hall, Colombo, on September 21, 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 June 30, 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 August 10, 1908, on which date the entries for admission of candidates to the examination will be closed. The fee should be forwarded by *Mone 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 Examination 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:—

September 21	..	}	11 A.M. to 11.30 A.M.	..	Dictation
			11.30 A.M. to 12.30 P.M.	..	English Composition
			1.30 P.M. to 3.30 P.M.	..	Arithmetic
September 22	..	}	11 A.M. to 12.30 P.M.	..	Geography
			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.

*Note.*—The above examination is quite distinct from the examination to be held on April 13, 1908, as notified in the *Gazette* of October 11, 1907.

Postmaster-General's Office,  
Colombo, February 11, 1908.

W. MACREADY,  
for Postmaster-General.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Controller of Revenue and the Provincial Engineer of the Province of Uva for the construction of three miles of a cart road from Bandarawela to Welimada, in the Province of Uva, up to noon on March 21, 1908.

2. Tenders must be sealed and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for Bandarawela-Welimada Road."

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, Province of Uva, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained.

5. Tenders must be made out in three sections, one section for each mile.

6. 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.

7. Plans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained on application at, the Provincial Engineer's Office at Badulla and at the District Engineer's Office, Badulla.

8. 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. 1,100 for each section of road he signs for 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 Uva that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

9. The Government may accept part only of a tender, but does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

C. F. EMERSON,  
Provincial Engineer.

Public Works Department,  
Badulla, February 28, 1908.

**TENDERS** in duplicate, addressed to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, will be received up to 12 noon on Wednesday, March 11, 1908, from persons willing to contract for the supply of the under-mentioned coal for the use of the Ceylon Government Railway:—

10,000 tons of the best Indian coal for locomotives.

The coal to be delivered over ship's side alongside craft, steamer, floating depot, or pier in Colombo Harbour, and to be at the risk of the contractor until it is so delivered.

The deliveries to be approximately as follows:—

One third before April 4, 1908, one third by April 25, and one-third by May 9.

Plans showing the various holds and the quantity of coal in each, bills of lading, and invoices to be transmitted to the General Manager of the Railway, Colombo, Ceylon, immediately the vessels are ready for sea.

The coal is to be delivered free of all freight and charges and covered by insurance at Colombo.

The steamers to be discharged at the rate of 500 tons per working day.

Payment will be made separately for each shipment on the quantity named in the bill of lading, less an allowance of 2 per cent.

Security to the extent of Rs. 1,000 in cash or fixed deposit will be required to be furnished for the due fulfilment of the contract.

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

The Indian coal merchants or contractors should tender through their agents in Ceylon.

No coal will be tested unless it is of good Railway repute, and is in use on trunk lines in India.

A sample of every coal for which it is proposed to send in a tender must be submitted for testing purposes, irrespective of whether the coal has been tested in previous years or has previously been in use on the Ceylon Government Railway.

The samples must be delivered as early as possible, before the date of the closing of tenders, and must be from bulk and not hand picked.

No tender for coal will be considered unless a sample is delivered as laid down above, and unless the name of the coal quoted in the tender exactly corresponds with the name on the sample bags.

The sample coals for testing must be delivered at the Darley road gate of the railway premises in lots of 7 tons, free of cost, and loaded in bags and with the name of the coal labelled on each bag.

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

A deposit of Rs. 100 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. 100 will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

The schedule of tenders giving the name of the successful tenderer, but no other names, will be published in the *Government Gazette*.

Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender they will have to satisfy the Colonial Treasurer 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, February 28, 1908.

**SEALED** Tenders will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, March 31, for the rivetting up of three spans of 120 ft. span girders for the Ja-ela and Dandugama-oya bridges on the Negombo Extension. One price to be quoted per 100 rivets of  $\frac{7}{8}$  in. diameter, and one price quoted per 100 rivets of  $\frac{3}{4}$  in. diameter, to include all fixing in position and service bolting. Rivets and service bolts supplied by the Department free to the contractor. The tender does not include the actual erection of the girders to their final position on the abutments or any movement from the site of the rivetting up.

2. The rivetting and service bolting must be carried out in such a manner, and in such a position as directed by the Chief Construction Engineer or his representative, at or near the site of the above bridges.

3. All rivetting tools to be supplied by the contractor. Tackle ropes, &c., will be supplied free to the contractor by the Department.

4. Drawings can be seen at the office of the Chief Construction Engineer any day between 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturdays and Sundays excepted, and copies can be supplied to the contractor, if required, at Rs. 2 per sheet.

5. The tenders to be made on forms which will be supplied at the office of the Chief Construction Engineer, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required before any form of tender is issued; and should any person decline to enter into the contract after, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposits will be forfeited to the Crown, all other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The tenders must be submitted in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Chief Construction Engineer and the duplicate direct to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, both being required to be forwarded at the same time.

8. The work to be carried strictly in accordance with the specification for same.

9. Successful tenderers will be required to sign an agreement and give security for the proper carrying out of the work at Rs. 250.

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.

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

12. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the Chief

Construction Engineer 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.

M. COLE BOWEN,  
Chief Construction Engineer.

Railway Extension Office,  
Colombo, March 2, 1908.

## SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned private properties of long-sentenced and deceased prisoners, &c., of Anuradhapura Prison, will be sold by public auction at the Jail premises on Saturday, March 28, 1908, at 12 noon:—

Lot No.	Prison Register No.	Property.
1	M 10,020	One old white cloth and one old towel
2	M 10,032	One old red sarong and one old chintz cloth
3	M 10,074/ N 8,477	One old white coat, one old red sarong, one old white handkerchief, and one old leather belt.
4	N 8,617	One old sarong, one old chintz cloth, one old banian, and one old handkerchief
5	N 8,633	One old piece of cloth
6	N 8,664	One old sarong, one old white banian, and three metal buttons
7	N 8,671	One old white cloth, one old black coat, and two old short trousers
8	O 8,457	Three old chintz cloths, one old cloth, one old chintz banian, one old leather belt, one old umbrella, four iron keys, and one iron ring
9	O 8,458	One old white coat, one old sarong, one old chintz banian, one old marino banian, one old towel, one old cloth bag, one piece of white cloth, one old cloth belt, five common coat buttons, and one old umbrella
<i>Deceased Prisoners.</i>		
10	M 10,053	One old red handkerchief, two common handkerchiefs, and one red sarong
11	N 8,568	One old white cloth, one old coloured handkerchief, and one pair brass earrings
12	N 8,628	Two old pieces of cloth, one enamelled plate, one earthenware plate, one earthenware cup, and two brass rings
13	N 8,919	One old white cloth
14	N 8,945	One old sarong, one old white cloth, and one old handkerchief
15	N 8,948	One old white cloth and one old red handkerchief
16	M 9,974	One old cloth, one old merino banian, one old handkerchief, one old leather belt, five brass rings, and one brass armlet
<i>Unclaimed.</i>		
17	M 10,073	One old coat, one old white cloth, and one German silver waist-chain
18	—	One old vaity cloth, two pieces of old white cloth, and one old socks banian
19	—	One old torn white cloth and an old torn white shawl

The Prison,  
Anuradhapura, February 26, 1908.

J. S. DE SARAM,  
for Superintendent.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

### COLOMBO WEEKLY HEALTH REPORT.

THE weekly return of births and deaths in the Colombo town for the week ended February 29, 1908, is subjoined.

*Births.*—The total births were 89. The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum was 25·8,\* as against 28·7 in the preceding week and 26·8 in the corresponding week of last year.

*Deaths.*—The total deaths were 109. The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 35·2,† as against 42·9 in the previous week and 34·8 in the corresponding week of last year.

\* Calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1908, viz., 180,262.

† 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, 1908, 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.

*Causes of death.*—No person died from cholera, smallpox, or measles; 19 died from diarrhoea and dysentery; 7 from phthisis; 12 from bronchitis and pneumonia; 6 from different kinds of fever; and 10 from infantile convulsions.

*Infantile deaths.*—Of the 109 total deaths, 41 were of infants under 1 year of age, as against 17 in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, March, 3, 1908.

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. (See note † in Report.)			Selected cause of Death for the Week under Report.							Deaths of Infants under 1 Year.		Still 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	89	109	25·8	28·7	26·8	35·2	42·9	34·8	—	—	—	5	1	19	7	12	10	41	17	6	
Fort and Galle Face	2,285	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pettah	7,561	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
St. Sebastian	9,349	6	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
St. Paul's	20,260	8	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Kotahena	33,355	20	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
New Bazaar	17,470	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	1	—	—	—
Maradana	30,381	†17 ‡13	†31 ‡20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	7	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
Slave Island	16,927	9	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	3	1	—	5	—	—	—
Kollupitiya	18,281	7	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

† Maradana hospitals.

‡ Maradana, exclusive of hospitals.

Race.	Population at the Census of 1901.	Births.	Deaths.	Meteorology.	Week under Report.	Preceding Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.
All races	155,869	89	109				
Europeans	2,657	—	2	Mean temperature of air	80·4°	79·5°	80·2°
Burghers	11,861	11	6	Mean atmospheric pressure	29·904"	29·926	29·992"
Sinhalese	68,772	42	51				
Tamils	34,640	14	28				
Moors	28,898	16	14				
Malays	4,493	4	3				
Others	4,548	2	5				