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CEYLON POLICE GAZETTE.

ISSUED ON TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

Part I.—Departmental Orders.

1.—All Departmental Orders will in future be published in Part I. of the Ceylon Police Gazette, which should be filed separately from Part II., which will consist of the old "Hue and Cry."

2.—The Inspector-General's Circular Guard File is abolished.

11.—Shooting Competition.

THE Inspector-General of Police will give a cup for a simultaneous shooting competition to be held on Thursday, October 4, 1906.

Conditions.

Teams of eight Native Police Sergeants or Native Police Constables from each Province (Colombo North-Colombo South, Colombo Central, and Depot being counted Provinces), to fire five rounds at 100 yards standing, 5 rounds at 200 yards kneeling or sitting, 5 rounds at 300 yards—any military position.

Target.—Police Regulation (100 and 200 yards, 6 feet by 4 feet, bull's-eye 1 foot diameter, centre 2 feet, outer remainder of target. 300 yards, 6 feet by 6 feet, bull's-eye 2 feet diameter, centre 4 feet, outer remainder of target. Bull's-eye counts 4 points, centre 3 outer 2). The dimensions of the target, bull's-eye, centre, &c., should be inspected and passed by a responsible officer before being used.

Marking to be under the supervision of two gazetted officers of the rank of Superintendent of Police, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Additional Superintendent of Police, or Additional Assistant Superintendent of Police, or Government Agent (Police). One of these officers must be in the butt. Where possible, after each shot the hole in the target should be covered by pasting paper. The registers in the butt and the firing point should be checked by the officers in charge at the conclusion of firing at each range.

Ranges .- Home Ranges.

Entries to be made to the Inspector-General of Police to close on 30th September, 1906. Score to be telegraphed as soon as firing is completed, and the registers posted immediately after to the Inspector-General of Police.

No sighters allowed.

Ammunition and Carbines.—Only Police carbines and ammunition to be used Prizes of Rs. 5 will be given to each member of the winning team, and a photograph of the men to be taken and sent to Maradana to be lung up in the Library A special prize of Rs. 10 will be given to the best shot.

C. C. LONGDEN, Inspector-General of Police.

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