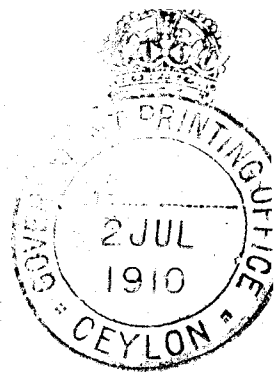


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MINUTE BY THE GOVERNOR.

WITH reference to the Minute dated May 31, 1910, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to order that the designation of the appointment of Assistant Government Agent referred to therein should be "Assistant Government Agent, Colombo and Negombo Districts."

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 28, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

IN the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, 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, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS the following by-laws made by the Municipal Council of Colombo, under the provisions of section 122 of the Municipal Councils' Ordinance, No. 7 of 1887, as amended by Ordinance No. 8 of 1901, were under section 124 (1) of the first-named Ordinance, as amended by Ordinance No. 8 of 1901, confirmed by the Governor, with the sanction of the Executive Council, and published in two successive issues of the *Government Gazette*, namely, on February 11 and 18, 1910, and laid before the Legislative Council:

And whereas the said by-laws were not objected to by the said Legislative Council within forty days after their having been so laid before the said Council :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power in Us vested by sub-section (2) of section 124 of the first-named Ordinance, do hereby proclaim the said by-laws.

Given at Anuradhapura, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Ten.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. The annual tax prescribed by section 128 of "The Municipal Councils' Ordinance, 1887," shall be paid before February 1 in each year in respect of all carts and hackeries kept or used within the Municipality and in respect of the animals employed in drawing them, whether these vehicles and animals have or have not been licensed under "The Vehicles Ordinance, 1901."

2. On payment of the annual tax the proper officer of the Municipal Council will issue a metal plate marked with the letter "C," and with figures denoting the year for which the license is issued, and the corresponding number in the register of vehicles kept by the Municipal Council. The proper officer of the Municipal Council before issuing a plate for a cart or hackery may, if he thinks fit, require the owner to paint in a conspicuous place on the cart or hackery the year and the registered number of the vehicle.

3. The owner or person in charge of any cart or hackery in respect of which a license has issued shall keep, in addition to any plate which he is required to exhibit by "The Vehicles Ordinance, 1901," the plate issued under these by-laws affixed in a conspicuous place on the body of the cart or hackery.

4. Where the plate prescribed by these by-laws is not duly affixed in accordance with these by-laws to any cart or hackery kept or used within the Municipality, the owner and the person in charge of such vehicle shall each be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 10.

5. Any Municipal Inspector or Police Officer may detain any cart or hackery kept or used within the Municipality, to which the prescribed plate is not duly affixed in accordance with these by-laws, and in such case shall forthwith bring the owner or person in charge of the vehicle before the Municipal or Police Magistrate.

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And whereas the said by-law was not objected to by the said Legislative Council within forty days after its having been so laid before the said Council :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power in Us vested by sub-section (2) of section 124 of the first-named Ordinance, do hereby proclaim the said by-law.

Given at Anuradhapura, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Ten.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

(Substituted for By-law No. 6 of Chapter XIV.)

In taking samples of milk the Medical Officer of Health or Assistant Medical Officer of Health, Veterinary Surgeon, or Municipal Inspector shall take three samples, and shall at once seal them in presence of the registered dairyman or other person from whom they are taken, and shall deliver one to such registered dairyman or other person, send the second to a qualified Analyst, and the third to the Municipal Office. A certificate signed by such qualified Analyst, if it states that the sample is adulterated, shall be evidence that the milk from which the sample was taken was adulterated. Should any evidence to the contrary be offered, a similar certificate from the Government Analyst shall be conclusive on the question of adulteration.

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And whereas the said by-law was not objected to by the said Legislative Council within forty days after its having been so laid before the said Council :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power in Us vested by sub-section (2) of section 124 of the first-named Ordinance, do hereby proclaim the said by-law.

Given at Anuradhapura, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Ten.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD. SAVE THE KING.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

(3, Chapter XIII.)

It shall not be lawful for any stall-holder to take into or keep in any stall any box, table, chair, or other article whatsoever not provided by the Council, or to fix up any pole or shelf in any stall without the permission of the Chairman.

IN the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, 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, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS by section 1 of "The Guides' Ordinance, 1906," it is enacted that the said Ordinance shall apply to the towns mentioned in Schedule A thereto, but the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, may by Proclamation extend it to any other town or place; and that every such Proclamation shall define the limits of such town or place, as the case may be, for the purposes of the said Ordinance :

And whereas it is expedient that the said Ordinance should be extended to the Topawewa tulana in Meda pattu, in the District of Tamankaduwa, North-Central Province, within the limits specified in the schedule hereto :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby, as from and after the date hereof, extend the said Ordinance to Topawewa tulana as aforesaid, and We define the limits of the said tulana for the purposes of the said Ordinance to be those set out in the schedule hereto.

Given, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Ten.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Topawewa tulana in Meda pattu in the District of Tamankaduwa, North-Central Province, within a radius of $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the 26th milestone on the principal road from Habarana to Topawewa.

IN the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, 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, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS the District School Committee of Nuwara Eliya have, in pursuance of section 19 of the Rural Schools Ordinance, No. 8 of 1907, made the by-law set forth in the schedule hereto for the School District of Nuwara Eliya, in the Central Province :

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by sub-section (2) of section 20 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby confirm the by-law set forth in the said schedule.

And We do hereby proclaim and declare that it shall come into operation from the date hereof.

Given at Anuradhapura, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Ten.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

When a school already exists or shall be established with a separate teacher for girls, the attendance of girls between ages 6 and 12 from villages within the prescribed radius at that school shall be compulsory, unless the parents of such girls have made other adequate and suitable provisions for their education, or unless there is a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Passed at a meeting of the Nuwara Eliya District School Committee held on December 13, 1909.

In the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, 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, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

WHEREAS the rules set forth in the schedule hereto, made by the Irrigation Committee of Gangaboda pattu, in the Galle District, Southern Province, in pursuance of section 8 of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 16 of 1906, for the enforcement of ancient customs regarding the irrigation and cultivation of paddy lands, were duly transmitted by the Government Agent of the Southern Province to His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of section 20 of the said Ordinance, for approval or disallowance thereof :

And whereas the said rules have been approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 20 of the said Ordinance, do hereby give notice of Our approval of the said rules set forth in the schedule hereto.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Ten.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Appointment and Duty of Headmen.

1. Each Vidane Arachchi shall *ex-officio* be the principal local irrigation headman in his division.

2. The Vidane Arachchies shall, under the direction of the Korale Mudaliyar, have entire supervision of all works of irrigation and paddy cultivation within their limits, assist in collecting people, and superintending works, and shall enforce all rules and customs and bring breaches of the same before the Village Council. These officers shall be liable for any neglect of duty proved to the satisfaction of the Village Council as for a breach of the rules.

3. The number of Vel-Vidanes to be appointed for each Vidane Arachchi's division shall be determined by the Village Committee from time to time. They shall be chosen by the proprietors concerned as provided for by clause 14 of the Ordinance.

4. When the nature of works proposed concern more than one Vidane Arachchi's division, the Government Agent may appoint special supervisors if the Committee so desire.

Huwandiram.

5. All lands under cultivation shall be liable to pay $\frac{1}{8}$ part of the produce as huwandiram, to be divided amongst the several officers appointed under this Ordinance as apportioned by the Committee and approved by the Government Agent.

6. The Government Agent shall have power to disallow the share of the huwandiram due to any headman who has been guilty of inattention or of allowing the irrigation works of his division to fall into bad order.

7. All huwandiram so disallowed shall be treated as a penalty recovered under the Ordinance, and be dealt with as provided for by clause 29.

8. It shall be lawful for the Committee to direct that the collection of the huwandiram be rented out and proceeds divided as already provided for.

9. Persons refusing or neglecting to give the share of huwandiram from their lands shall be liable to prosecution before the Committee and to fines equal to double the value of the huwandiram, half the fine to be credited to Fine Fund and the other half to the huwandiram due.

General Works.

10. Every year the work of repairing dams and clearing water-courses shall be done in December and September for yala and maha respectively, and the Vel-Vidanes shall inspect and report progress once a week to the Mudaliyar through the Vidane Arachchi. If any minor repairs are found necessary, they shall be executed by the cultivators of the land at which such repair is needed. But in the event of a serious accident happening to any of the dams or water-courses causing damage requiring immediate repair, the Vel-Vidanes and the Vidane Arachchies shall immediately, by beat of tom-tom or otherwise as shall appear most effectual, collect all the owners of the fields of the division or their deputies, and all the cultivators and all parties interested shall be in attendance at the spot, either by day or by night as may be necessary, and they shall forthwith perform the needful work, and as soon as practicable the Vidane Arachchi or, in his absence, the Vel-Vidane shall furnish a detailed report of the circumstances to the Korale Mudaliyar to be transmitted to the Government Agent.

11. The owners and cultivators of all lands shall clear, repair, and keep in good order the water-courses adjoining their respective fields, and all jointly shall repair the general canals throughout their length and breadth, contributing labour in proportion to the extent of fields they own or cultivate.

12. The dams and amunas across canals and tracts of fields on which more than one subdivision in the division depends for irrigation shall be put up and kept in repair by the joint labour of all the owners and cultivators of lands in the several divisions dependent upon them, and those dams on which only particular subdivisions may depend shall be put up by the joint labour of the owners and cultivators of that subdivision; this labour shall be rendered at the call of the Vidane Arachchi.

New Works.

13. On the application of ten or more of the cultivators of a tract of fields, the Village Council is empowered to authorize the Vidane Arachchies to cause the opening of such new canals, water-courses, and tanks, and erection of new dams, sluices, or gates as the Council may consider necessary for the irrigation and retention or drainage of water, and all the cultivators of the tract are required to do their portion of the work or pay the rate of contribution fixed in money within the time that might be fixed by the Council.

Canals and Amunas.

14. No person shall, for any purpose whatever, obstruct, encroach on, or lessen the width of any water-course or canal.

15. No gap in any permanent dam shall be allowed to be cut, but pipes shall be inserted in all necessary places by the Vel-Vidanes, the cost of insertion and upkeep of such pipes to be borne by the owners of all lands depending on the outlet jointly at a rate proportioned to the extent of their lands.

16. The chief water-courses shall at all times be kept clear and in good order by the proprietors or cultivators of the lands deriving benefit therefrom.

17. The owners and cultivators of lands shall clear and repair the minor water-courses, &c., adjoining their respective lands.

18. No new amunas or dams to direct water from an ancient dam or amuna shall be constructed without the consent of all parties interested in the water from the amunas, and no person shall break down an upper amuna to make up for a deficiency or failure in the water at an amuna below it except as provided for by rules 20 and 21.

Irrigation and Distribution of Water.

19. The Vidane Arachchies of the respective division, with the concurrence of the Mudaliyar of the korale, shall regulate the time of irrigating lands one month previous to the commencement of agricultural operations for each harvest.

20. The distribution of water to the lands in the respective divisions shall be regulated by the Vidane Arachchi, and no cultivator or owner under any pretence whatever is to block up the canal or water passage or open a sluice or a dam without the approval of the Vidane Arachchi; and in case of any such obstruction, the Vidane Arachchi is to remove the same himself in the presence of witnesses.

21. If owing to drought or any unexpected accident to a dam the quantity of water available be found insufficient for the season, the Village Council shall make a division to the several subdivisions by allowing the full volume of water to each subdivision for a given time, and such decision shall be final, subject to appeal to the Mudaliyar.

Preparation for Cultivation.

22. The cultivation in each tract shall be commenced on a given day to be fixed by the Vidane Arachchi, with the concurrence of the Mudaliyar of the korale, and all the owners or cultivators shall make up their ridges, water-courses, &c., at the same time, and leave proper gaps for the conveyance of water to fields on the lower level.

23. If any person shall wilfully prevent water flowing to the field below his own, the Vel-Vidane shall proceed to the spot with witnesses and open the gaps (wakkadas) himself.

24. The time allowed for ploughing or tilling to each cultivator is calculated according to the extent of his land, and if a cultivator neglects to plough or till in proper time he loses his turn of water.

25. When the fields of any tract have been prepared for sowing, the water shall first be let into the fields in the highest level, the others to be irrigated in succession down to the lowest. In like manner, when the respective turns for watering the crops arrive, the water shall be taken to the fields in the same rotation, the quantity to be regulated by the Vel-Vidane, &c. Provided that if any person shall wilfully prevent the water flowing to the fields beneath his own, either by negligence in the preparation of his own lands or through malice, the headman shall proceed to the spot with witnesses and open the wakkadas, &c., himself.

26. Where water is carried in ancient channels through a tract of paddy fields in transit for the purpose of irrigating a tract below it, no person shall divert the water from such water-course to the fields through which it passes, or obstruct, or otherwise injure the same.

27. In case a field or fields in the lower end of the tract are found necessary to be cultivated earlier than the rest owing to possible influx of brackish or high water, the owner or owners of such field or fields should make pitawanas to let out the water flowing when fields in the higher elevation are cultivated.

28. No person shall in any way alter or injure any ridge (inniyara) or boundary between fields in the same tract, and on information to that effect the Vidane Arachchi shall as soon as possible proceed to the spot with witnesses and restore every such alteration to its original state.

29. The limitary dams (or inniyaras) shall be erected and kept up at the joint expense of the proprietors of the paddy fields separated by them.

30. The ridges shall be kept clear of weeds by the proprietors of the adjacent lands.

31. As cultivation is much impeded by the irregular nature of ridges, it shall be lawful for the Village Council to order a rectification of any such impediment, if the same can be done without affecting the interests of the respective land-holders, each party, if so disposed, naming an arbitrator, and the Council another, to fix the new boundary.

32. The cultivator shall on the occurrence of the first rains after the crops have been reaped repair all the dams and ridges, close the wakkadas, and keep them in good order until the next season for cultivation arrives, and it shall be the duty of the proper headmen to see this done.

Fences, Watch Huts, Sowing, and Reaping.

33. Where custom requires the putting up of fences either for maha or for yala, the fences round the whole tract shall be measured off according to the extent held and apportioned to each cultivator, without any regard to whether the fence adjoin his field or not.

34. Watch huts shall be built in fields or tracts and watchers kept whenever required by the Vidane Arachchi, with the approval of the Korale Mudaliyar.

35. The majority shall decide as to the description of paddy to be sown, and even those not abiding by this decision must conform to the various rules regarding fencing, watching, &c., which apply to the majority, although their crop should arrive at maturity either before or after that of the others, but the majority shall not be bound in like manner for the benefit of the minority.

36. Should a portion of any tract ripen before the rest, the cultivator of that portion shall be allowed by the Vidane Arachchi to reap and store the same, but he shall still continue to contribute his usual amount of assistance towards the protection of the tract until the Vidane Arachchi announces that the whole tract has been reaped and stored.

Paths and Roads.

37. Where any principal path crosses a tract of fields, a ridge of at least 4 feet in breadth must be left for it.

38. Where it is crossed by water-courses, proper "kumbusas" must be provided by the parties requiring the water.

39. No minor road shall be fenced across without the leave of the Government Agent.

Cattle.

40. No person is to tether any cattle in or by any field having growing crops on or in any field or patch of ground left uncultivated or unsown in a tract of fields under crop.

41. People having cattle in villages in which it is not the custom to fence paddy fields under cultivation should either tether their cattle remote from fields having crops, or should remove them from the village as soon as notice for doing so shall have been given by the Vidane Arachchi by beat of tom-tom, and shall not turn them out loose or bring them back to the village till permission is again given by the Vidane Arachchi to do so.

Miscellaneous.

42. Owners of paddy lands living out of the division shall give the Vidane Arachchi in writing six weeks before the commencement of work for each harvest the names of cultivators of their fields.

43. No proprietor or other person is at liberty to do any act in his own interest having a tendency to injure the interests of the other proprietors.

44. All obligations under these rules shall be calculated according to the area held by each proprietor.

45. Any person cultivating the land of a proprietor shall be liable to fulfil all the obligations which according to custom that proprietor has to perform.

46. No paddy shall be allowed to remain on the threshing-floor for more than twenty days from the day of reaping of the crop.

47. All matters connected with the irrigation and cultivation of fields not affecting the title to land shall be decided by the Village Council.

48. Should any proprietor neglect or refuse to cultivate his paddy field or any share in it, the Village Council may allow such to be cultivated by any other proprietor or cultivator, who shall not be liable to pay any ground share should the crop fail. Such person shall be liable to all obligations under these rules in respect of such field or share of field.

49. The threshing-floor shall be cleared and fenced with strong stakes by the joint labour of those stacking crops there, and they shall take their turns in watching the stacks.

50. No paddy shall be removed from the threshing-floor at the termination of the harvest until the huwandiram share and the shares of wages due to persons engaged in the cultivation have been paid.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 271 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint Mr. J. KYLE to be Chief Resident Engineer of the Colombo Harbour Works, with effect from April 13, 1910, *vice* the late Mr. J. H. BOSTOCK.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 28, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 272 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Managers of the Association of Public Officers of the Crown in Ceylon for purposes of Mutual Guarantee for the year ending June 30, 1911, under Rule I. of the regulations approved by the Governor in Executive Council under section 2, sub-section (b), of the Ordinance No. 14 of 1890, *viz.* :—

The Hon. Mr. W. H. JACKSON.
Mr. A. R. SLATER.
Mr. L. M. MAARTENSZ.
Mr. EDWARD DE KRETZER, I.S.O.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 28, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 273 of 1910.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in exercise of the powers vested in him by sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, No. 1 of 1898, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to cancel and annul, as from and after June 9, 1910, the appointment of Mr. B. W. BAWA, dated May 19, 1910, as a Director of the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 274 of 1910.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in exercise of the powers vested in him by sub-section (3) of section 6 of the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund Ordinance, No. 1 of 1898, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint Mr. JAMES VAN LANGENBERG, being a public officer, to be a Director of the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund, as from and after June 9, 1910, in place of Mr. B. W. BAWA, whose appointment as a Director has been cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 275 of 1910.

WITH reference to Notification No. 216 of 1910, published in the *Gazette* of June 2, 1910, it is hereby notified that the appointment of Mr. G. F. DE LIVERA as Office Assistant, Colombo Kachcheri, dates from May 12, 1910, not the 23rd *idem*.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 28, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 276 of 1910.

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

Mr. R. J. TYLER to be Extra Assistant at Hambantota to the Government Agent, Southern Province; Additional Assistant Collector of Customs and Additional Master Attendant, Hambantota; and Additional Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Hambantota, from July 7 to 22, 1910, inclusive, or until further orders, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. L. S. WOOLF to be Additional Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Badulla-Haldummulla from July 7 to 22, 1910, inclusive, in addition to his present duties.

Mr. C. J. A. MARSHALL to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Avisawella, for July 2 and 3, 1910, during the absence of Mr. V. P. REDLICH from the station or until further orders.

Mr. C. KULANDAIVEL to be Additional Police Magistrate, Chavakachcheri, for June 27, 1910.

Mr. C. C. DURRANT to be a Justice of the Peace for the district of Haputale and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Badulla-Haldummulla.

Mr. C. C. DURRANT to be a Visitor to the Haputale Hospital, in place of Mr. A. L. KIRK, who has left the district.

Mr. O. T. NETTLETON, District Engineer, Dimbula, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Nawalapitiya, *vice* Mr. E. W. CADE, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 30, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 277 of 1910.

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

To be Second Lieutenant, Ceylon Mounted Rifles.

Mr. WILLIAM GRAHAM DICKINSON, *vice* Lieutenant MASSY, deceased.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 28, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 278 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. T. S. BASERON to be an Analyst under section 33A (3) (a) of Ordinance No. 12 of 1891 (section 2 of Ordinance No. 21 of 1906) for the Mannar District.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 279 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 44 (1) of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. N. T. PONNAMBALAM, Chief Clerk of the Police Court, Kurunegala, to sign summons and processes issued from that Court.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 28, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 280 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 6 (d) of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to nominate Mr. W. A. DE SILVA to be a Member of the

District School Committee for the School District of Colombo, *vice* Mr. D. B. JAYATILAKA, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 25, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 281 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint DON SIMON SENERAT RATNAYAKE KIRI BANDA, Korala, Diyapotagam pattu, to be an Inquirer for Kolonna korale, Ratnapura District.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 282 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Batticaloa for the year 1911, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 :—

Mr. A. MUTTUKRISHNA.

Mr. R. CANAGASABEY.

Mr. S. A. ALLAGACOEN.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 283 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Trincomalee for the year 1911, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 :—

Mr. V. C. CHINNAIYA, Mudaliyar.

Mr. K. VELUPILLAI.

Mr. N. VISUVALINGAM.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 284 of 1910.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. VALLIPURANATHER GANAPATIPILLAI of Tunnalai, Point Pedro, to be a Notary Public throughout Vadamardchi West division of the Jaffna District, with residence and office at Valluveddi, and to practise as such in the Tamil language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, June 30, 1910. Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. I. D. G. SAMARANAYAKA of Chilaw hospital to be Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chilaw town division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, with effect from June 24, 1910, *vice* Mr. D. D. ZOYSA, dismissed. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Chilaw.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 27, 1910.

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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 Provincial Registrar, Central Province, has appointed HERATGEDERA MUDALIHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages General of Pata Dumbara No. 4 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for seven days from June 20, 1910, during the absence of G. H. M. APPUHAMY, on leave. His office will be at Gammedgederawatta in Alutgama.

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed CHINNAPPILLAI CHETTIRAPPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koralai Pattu South and of Marriages of Koralai pattu, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from July 1, 1910, during the absence of M. CHINNAPPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Kiran with stations at Murukkondanchenai and Chantveli.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed WICKRAMANAYAKA PATIRANNEHELAGE GEORGE APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kinyana and Karanda pattu korales division and as Registrar of General Marriages of Katugampola hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for four weeks and two days from June 22, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, S. M. KIRI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Murukandiya.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed SAMARAKON MUDIYANSELAGE AUŠADAHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Rekopattu korale division and of General Marriages of Dambadeni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for two days from June 22, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, K. N. M. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinagederawatta in Kanumale.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed Mr. ABEYRATNE BANDA TALGODAPITIYA to act as Registrar of General Marriages of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for three days from June 22, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. K. B. DISANAYAKA, on sick leave. His office will be at the Kurunegala Kacheheri.

The Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed EKANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Negampaha kerala division and of Marriages (General) in the Kalagam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for two weeks from July 1, 1910, during the absence of H. M. JAYATURALA, Registrar, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed SAMMANDAPPERUMA MOHOTI APPUHAMILAGE DON PAWLIS, Police Vidane of Radawana, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Radawana division and of Marriages of Gangaboda pattu of Siyane Korale East division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for two days from June 22, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar,

DON POROLIS SENARATNA, on leave. His office will be at Kahatagahawatta in Paddawala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed WAHALATANTRIGE DON ABRAHAM PERERA, Police Vidane of Pagoda, to act as Registrar of Marriages of Pallé pattu of Šalpiti korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for four days from June 25, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, MOHANDIRANGE JOHN RODRIGO, on leave. His office will be at Pelengahawatta in Welikada.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo District, has appointed Dr. E. R. LOOS, Assistant Sanitary Officer, Colombo Municipality, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of division No. 3 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on June 26, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. H. G. LOOS, on leave. His office will be at No. 11, Darley road, Maradana.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo District, has appointed Dr. L. A. VALLADARES to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of division No. 2 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for four days from July 4, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. J. H. S. GOONEWARDENE, on leave. His office will be at 45b, Union place.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed WIJEYAKON WASALA BANDARANAYAKE MUDIYANSERALLAHAMILLAGE TENNE WALAWWE ABEYRATNA BANDA TENNE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kohonsiya pattu and of Marriages (General) of Matale South, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for eighteen days from June 10, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, M. B. A. NIYARAPOLA, on leave. His office will be at Udupihille, Nikawelwalawwe.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed DAMBAWALA KULATUNGA MUDIYANSELAGE UKKU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Gampahasiya pattu and of Marriages (General) of Matale South, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for ten days from June 17, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, K. B. KULATUNGA, on leave. His office will be at Kamburegedarawatta in Dombawala, station Mudiyanselegawatta in Madawala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed PALLEGAMA DUGGANNA WALAWWE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Wagapanaha Pallesiya pattu and of Marriages (General) of Matale North, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for five days from June 18, 1910, during the absence of the Registrar, P. D. BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Dugganna Walawwe-watta in Pallegama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed Mr. JACCOPIILLAI KRISTOGU to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Mantai division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for seven days from June 28, 1910, during the absence of Registrar, MARKU EMMANUEL, on leave. His office will be at Vitanaivalavu in Vidattattivu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed Mr. MANUEL MIKKEL to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Manaddan-West division of Nanaddan division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for five days from June 29, 1910, during the absence of Registrar, PETTURUPILLAI LAWRENCEPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Vitanaivalavu in Periyakadaikkadu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed Mr. KARTHIKESU TAMPU to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Vavuniya town division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for two weeks from June 20, 1910, during the absence of Dr. R. C. SEENICUTTY, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Vavuniya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed NAMBUKARAWASAN KOTUDURA-ACHCHIGE DON JOHANIS DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pelana division and of General Marriages of Weligam korale, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for two days from June 21, 1910, during the absence of D. S. SAMARASINHE, on leave. His office will be at Gamagewatta *alias* Orutotewatta and Pelabandarawatta in Pelana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed PILANA LOKUGE BARONCHI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uduwaka division and of General Marriages of Morawak korale, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from June 25, 1910, during the absence of P. L. ISAN APPU, on leave. His office will be at Bandarawatta in Deniyaya and Tennepitawatta in Viharahena.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed PATIRANAGE DON CORNELIS DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Akuressa division and of General Marriages of Weligam korale, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for sixteen days from June 25, 1910, during the absence of P. DON LEWIS DE SILVA, on leave. His office will be at Kapihangodawatta, in Akuressa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr. DON GEORGE GUNASEKARE to act as Registrar of General Marriages of Puttalam pattu and gravets, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for two days from June 24, 1910, during the absence of Mr. S. A. W.

ROSA, from station. His office will be at the Puttalam Kacheheri.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed SAVERI MUTTU MANUAL PULLE of Mampuri to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Akkarai Pattu North, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for twelve days from July 1, 1910, during the absence of Registrar, M. BASTIANPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office, Mampuri.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed Dr. J. A. E. COREA of Chilaw to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chilaw town division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for twelve days from June 19, 1910, during the absence of Dr. E. N. JAN, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Chilaw.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed WELIPITIYE RAELAGE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandua pattu and of General Marriages of Paranakuru korale, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for one week and five days from June 13, 1910, during the absence of Registrar, MOHOTTI APPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Telijjagoda.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 29, 1910.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

WITH reference to the Proclamation dated December 13, 1909, published in the *Gazette* of the 17th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that, although copper 5-cent pieces will not be legal tender after June 30, 1910, such coins will be exchanged for the new nickel coin at the General Treasury and at all Kachcheries up to December 31, 1910.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 27, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Pension Minute dated December 9, 1908, it is hereby notified for general information that the holders of the officers specified in the subjoined list are also entitled to pension:—

SECRETARIAT.

Secretariat Assistant—in lieu of Shorthand Writer.

PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION.

Government Agent, Western Province, Colombo.

Office Assistant, Colombo Kacheheri.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1910.

IN terms of section 24 of the Minute of December 9, 1908, 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.
W. McLEOD	.. "A" Class Under Guard	.. For service in connection with the Construction Department

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in future warrants to practise as Notaries in the English language will be granted to all Proctors of the Supreme Court who satisfy the Registrar-General that they are of good character and have passed the prescribed examination in conveyancing.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby, given in terms of No. 39 of the Land Sale Regulations dated November 7, 1905, that an application has been received from the Hon. Mr. W. H. Figg for the sale to him, without competition, of an allotment of land at Torrington place, in the Cinnamon Gardens, Ward No. 9, within the Municipality of Colombo, described as lot 830 in preliminary plan No. 14,347, containing in extent 3 roods 21 perches, and bounded as follows:—On the north by land leased to the Colombo Cricket Club, on the east by road reservation, on the south by Crown land, and on the west by the grounds of Torrington Lodge. It is proposed to sell it to Mr. Figg at Rs. 8,000 per acre, its full market value, unless within six weeks from the date hereof valid reasons to the contrary are adduced. The land applied for forms a natural adjunct to the premises of Torrington Lodge.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 27, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has by virtue of the powers by section 5, sub-section (1) (c), of "The Stamp Ordinance, 1909," on him conferred, authorized the following Joint Stock Company, incorporated under "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinances, 1861 to 1907," to compound for the payment of stamp duty on share certificates specified in Schedule B to the said Stamp Ordinance, on the conditions set out in section 5 aforesaid, sub-sections (1) (c) (i.), (ii.), and (iv.).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 1, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

COMPANY REFERRED TO.

The Estates Company of Uva, Limited.
Messrs. Whittall & Co., Agents and Secretaries.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has by virtue of the powers by section 5, sub-section (1) (c), of "The Stamp Ordinance, 1909," on him conferred, authorized the following Joint Stock Company, incorporated under "The Joint Stock Companies' Ordinances, 1861 to 1907," to compound for the payment of stamp duty on share certificates specified in Schedule B to the said Stamp Ordinance, on the conditions set out in section 5 aforesaid, sub-sections (1) (c) (i.), (ii.), and (iv.).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 27, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

COMPANY REFERRED TO.

The Clyde Tea Estates Company, Limited.
Messrs. Lewis Brown & Co., Agents and Secretaries.

THE following rules framed by the several Village Committees in Kalutara and Panadure totamunes and Pasdun Korale West, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, under the provisions of section 16 of "The Village Communities' Ordinance, 1889," and approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 28, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

RULES REFERRED TO.

1. Fishing by rod and line in lakes and streams and rivers is permitted throughout the year.
2. Fishing by kraals in such waters is prohibited during February, March, and April.
3. The use of ma-del, ko-del, kundaliya, nul-del, and such other nets as which destroy ova or make a clean sweep of the fry in rivers, streams, or lakes is prohibited.
4. No kraals for fishing will be allowed within a distance of 50 yards of each other.
5. An open space or waterway of not less than 16 yards in width shall be left between the ends of kraals constructed along either bank of the lake, river, or stream.

THE CEMETERIES AND BURIALS ORDINANCE, No. 9 OF 1899.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated July 29, 1909, and published in the *Government Gazette* on July 30, 1909, His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 6 (1) of the above-named Ordinance, established as a general cemetery for the town of Chilaw, in the Chilaw District, North-Western Province, the land set forth in the schedule hereto:

And whereas by an Order dated July 29, 1909, and published in the *Government Gazette* dated July 30, 1909, His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers vested in him by sub-section (2) of section 6 of the above-named Ordinance, ordered that all burials and cremations in every or any other cemetery or burial ground within the limits of the said town of Chilaw should be wholly discontinued:

And whereas the said land has been found to be unsuitable for the purposes of a general cemetery, and no burials have in fact taken place therein:

It is hereby notified that the said Proclamation and the said Order, respectively, dated July 29, 1909, are hereby cancelled.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, July 28, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An allotment of land situated in Welihena village, in Anaivilundan Pattu South, in the Chilaw District, in the North-Western Province, appearing as lot No. 11,641 in preliminary plan 2,554, in extent 5 acres 3 roods and 5 perches; bounded on the north by lot No. 11,640, south by lot No. 11,642, and east by lots Nos. 136,759, 205,302, and 229,878, and on the west by Seashore road.

THE following regulations made by the Local Board, Batticaloa, under the provisions of section 9 of "The Rabies Ordinance, 1893," and approved by the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council, are hereby published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 28, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,
H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary

REGULATIONS FRAMED UNDER SECTION 9 OF THE RABIES ORDINANCE,
No. 7 OF 1893.

1. Every owner of a dog shall, after publication has been made by the local authority that an outbreak of rabies is apprehended at any place within his jurisdiction, cause such dog to be muzzled or led by a chain when in any public road or place within such limits and for such period as shall be notified in such publication. The muzzle shall be so constructed as to render it impossible for the dog while wearing the same to bite any person or animal, but not so as to prevent the dog from breathing freely or lapping water.

2. A dog shall not be considered effectually controlled unless muzzled as above, or led by some competent person by means of a collar and chain, both of which shall be securely fastened to the dog's neck.

3. Any dog found in any public road or place unprovided with a muzzle, or not under control by means of a collar and chain, may be seized by any Police Officer or any person duly appointed for the purpose by the local authority and removed to the nearest dog shelter or slaughter-house, there to be dealt with in the following manner:—

(a) If the dog is affected with or suspected of rabies, it shall be forthwith slaughtered.

(b) If the dog is not affected with or suspected of rabies, it shall be detained in the dog shelter or slaughter-house. Provided that where the owner or person having charge of a dog so detained is known, the local authority or some person duly authorized by him shall forthwith cause notice to be given to such owner or person of the fact of the dog having been so seized and detained, and the dog shall, without prejudice to the recovery of any penalty for the breach of these regulations, be given up to such owner or person on payment of the reasonable expenses of detention.

(c) If the dog so seized and detained shall not have been claimed by such owner or person within three days after the seizure, or where such owner or person is known within two days after the aforesaid notice has been given, the local authority shall cause the dog to be slaughtered or otherwise disposed of in such manner as the local authority deems expedient.

4. The owner or person in charge for the time being of any dog which shall have been seized and detained under these regulations shall be liable to pay to the local authority the following charge:—

For detention for each day 25 cents, and such charge shall be recoverable if the dog is not affected with or suspected of rabies by the sale thereof, unless such charge shall have been paid before sale by the owner or person in charge of the dog, otherwise the charge shall be recoverable by civil process.

THE following rules and orders made by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under Ordinance No. 13 of 1896, entitled "An Ordinance relating to Pilgrimages," for the conduct of the Kataragama pilgrimage and festival, where special precautions have been and are necessary, are published for general information in lieu of the rules promulgated annually for several years.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 24, 1910.

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

RULES.

1. For sanitary reasons the duration of the Kataragama festival and of the stay of pilgrims at Kataragama shall be and it is hereby limited to 16 days, namely, from July 7 to 22, 1910, inclusive. Pilgrims arriving before the day first named or staying beyond the period here prescribed shall be guilty of an offence.
2. It shall be lawful for the Police authorities or any Police Magistrate at any place on the line of march to prohibit from proceeding all persons who, by reason of disease, infirmity, weakness, advanced age, youth, want of supplies, or other sufficient cause, are considered unfit to undertake the journey, or who appear likely to fall ill and endanger the health of others; and to require such persons to find security to ensure their obedience to the orders so given. In default of such security being found, it shall be lawful for the said Police authorities or Police Magistrate to detain such persons in custody for a period not exceeding three days.
3. In the event of an epidemic breaking out at Kataragama during the festival, it shall be lawful for the officers appointed to enforce the observance of orders to declare the festival at an end, and to direct pilgrims at once to leave the village and proceed to their homes, and to prescribe the roads they have to travel.
4. The officers appointed to enforce the observance of orders shall have power on the line of march to and from Kataragama and at Kataragama—
 - (a) To appoint particular places to be exclusively used by the pilgrims for washing and bathing, for drawing water and drinking, and for natural offices.
 - (b) To appoint places for the occupation of each class of pilgrims.
 - (c) To prescribe routes for the journey of any body of pilgrims.
 - (d) To regulate the distribution of all food given to pilgrims.
 - (e) To fix separate places of abode for pilgrims who fall ill, to prohibit communication with them, and to detain them if unfit to travel.
- Any person disobeying an order given by the appointed officers shall be guilty of an offence.
5. The Police are empowered and required to seize and destroy all food condemned as unwholesome on the march or in camp by the Medical Officer, or, if there be none, by the Chief Officer of Police; and any person resisting or obstructing the Police in the discharge of this or of any other duty prescribed by these rules shall be deemed guilty of an offence.
6. Any person bringing any cattle or cart bulls within three miles of the camp shall be deemed guilty of an offence.
7. Any person selling meat in camp in any other place than that assigned for the purpose by the officer in charge of the camp, and any other person selling food condemned as unwholesome by the Medical Officer, or in his absence by the Chief Officer of Police, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.
8. Any person who shall, during the occupation of the camp, use any other place for offices of nature than that provided for the purpose by Government, or failing to cover the deposit with earth or sand, and any person who shall during the same period bathe in or enter the river above the spot appointed by the officer in charge of the camp, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.
9. Any person suffering from an infectious or a contagious disease, and not reporting the same to the Medical Officer, or in his absence to the Chief Officer of Police, and any person abetting or assisting in the concealment of such disease, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.
10. All persons shall take up the quarters assigned to them by the Chief Officer of Police at the halting places and in the camp, and any pilgrim declining or neglecting to do so shall be deemed guilty of an offence.
11. The number of pilgrims for the pilgrimage of the year 1910 is restricted to 3,000.
12. No person shall proceed on the pilgrimage in the year 1910 without having first obtained ticket from the Government Agent of the Western Province for the Colombo band, or from the Government Agent of the Central Province for the Kandy band, or from the Government Agent of the Southern Province for the Galle band, or from the Government Agent of the North-Western Province for the Kurunegala band, or from the Government Agent of the Eastern Province for the Batticaloa band, or from the Government Agent of the Northern Province for the Jaffna band, or from the Government Agent of the Province of Uva for the Badulla band.
13. Every person proceeding on the pilgrimage shall show his ticket when required to do so by any officer of Police, or by any officer appointed to enforce the observance of orders under the Ordinance aforesaid.
14. The transfer of a ticket by the person named in it and the use of it by any other person are forbidden.

THE CEYLON RAILWAY ORDINANCE, NO. 9 OF 1902.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 5 of the above-mentioned Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the following alterations to clause 27 of the rules relating to the conveyance of traffic by passenger trains published by Notification dated October 11, 1907, with effect from the date hereof:—

27. *Private Telegraphic Messages for the Public.*—The following are the conditions and rates at which the travelling public may send or receive private telegrams through the Railway Telegraph Department:—

- (a) Railway Telegraph Offices, at places where there is no Postal Telegraph Office within a reasonable distance of the Railway Station, are, subject to certain restrictions, open for the acceptance and delivery of ordinary inland telegrams from the general public. The names of such offices, the hours they are open for telegraph business, and the restrictions as regards the services they undertake are notified in the "Post Office Guide." Telegrams accepted at such offices may be addressed—
- (1) To any Postal Telegraph Office; and
 - (2) To any Railway Telegraph Office similarly open to the general public.
- (b) Messages addressed to a passenger in a train who can only be reached by railway telegraph will be accepted at any Railway Telegraph Office.
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By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 28, 1910.

THE LOCAL BOARD ORDINANCE, NO. 13 OF 1898.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 57 of the above-named Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to confirm the following by-law made by the Local Board of Hatton-Dikoya in pursuance of section 56 (21) of the said Ordinance.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1910.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

Every householder or occupier of any house or premises within the Local Board limits of Hatton-Dikoya having a dry-earth closet in such house or premises shall pay to the Board the sum of Re. 1.50 per mensem for every bucket in such closet or closets in such house or premises, and the conservancy of such house or premises shall be undertaken by the Board.

THE following by-laws made by the Board of Health, Western Province, under section 5 of Ordinance No. 15 of 1862, and confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, are published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 29, 1910.

By-laws re Offensive Trades.

1. All waste material in any tannery, manufactory, or place of business shall be collected in properly covered non-absorbent receptacles, which shall be cleared out daily.
2. All refuse and dirt in such premises shall be removed without delay, and the drains well flushed.
3. Every such tannery, manufactory, or place of business and the management and conduct of the business shall be at all times open to inspection and subject to examination by the Government Agent or by any person or persons acting under the authority of the said Government Agent.

4. All material used in such places and manufactories shall be properly stored as directed by the Government Agent.

Note.—The most practicable means of rendering innocuous any noxious vapours or offensive smell emitted during any process or manufacture are as follows :—

Either by (a) discharge into the external air in such a manner and at such a height as to admit of diffusion of the vapour without noxious or injurious effect; (b) direct passage through a fire; (c) passage into a suitable condensing apparatus; (d) passage through such apparatus and then through a fire.

One or other of the above or such other measures as shall be ordered by the Government Agent shall be adopted for neutralizing or rendering innocuous such effluvia.

General Rules applying to Tanneries.

1. The floor of all tanneries shall be of some material impervious to liquid with a proper slope leading to a drain, which shall be properly constructed of smooth cement, and have a proper fall leading to a trap or catch pit, which should be cleaned out at least twice a day.

2. All walls shall be lined to a height of at least 6 feet from the floor with similar material.

3. All floors, walls, and drains shall be swept, washed, scraped, or otherwise cleansed daily. All tools and implements used shall be thoroughly cleansed daily.

4. The cart in which raw hides are conveyed shall be zinc lined, or the hides may be conveyed in a zinc-lined box.

5. Every tank when once emptied shall be thoroughly scraped and washed.

6. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every such tannery or manufactory or place of business.

By-laws re Eating-houses and Tea or Coffee Boutiques.

1. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique shall always be kept clean.

2. The walls of all eating-houses and tea or coffee boutiques shall be plastered and limewashed, and the rooms well ventilated and lighted.

3. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of an eating-house or tea or coffee boutique shall be removed twice daily.

4. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique.

5. The sugar used in such places shall be kept in glass-stoppered wide-mouthed bottles.

6. All cakes, sweetmeats, &c., exposed for sale shall be kept in properly constructed glass cases free from flies. No food stuff shall be exposed to the contamination of flies. The glass cases used shall be kept scrupulously clean.

7. No waste tea, coffee, or milk, and remnants of food and cooking waste shall be thrown on the ground, but shall be collected in a proper receptacle and removed daily.

8. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every such eating-house and tea or coffee boutique.

By-laws re Bakeries.

1. Every bakery shall be well ventilated and well lighted, and the walls thereof shall be plastered and whitewashed at least four times a year, the floor cemented and sufficient drainage provided. There shall be a ceiling provided to the room in which dough is kneaded.

2. No bakery shall be within 30 feet of any cesspit, latrine, or sewer, nor in a position where bad odours wafted therefrom shall reach it.

3. No room used as a bakery shall be used as a dwelling-place or for any other purpose whatsoever.

4. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to a bakery shall be kept clean.

5. The flour, water, and other materials used in the manufacture of bread shall be good and wholesome. The flour shall be kept on a raised shelf or platform at least 3 feet above the ground.

6. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of a bakery shall be removed at least once a day, and the drains well flushed.

7. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in a bakery. The person or persons engaged in kneading the dough or flour shall wear white aprons covering the chest and body.

8. Every bakery and the management and conduct of the business shall be at all times open and subject to inspection and examination by the Government Agent or by any person acting under his authority.

9. Every bakery shall be licensed under the hand of the Government Agent, the license to remain in force till December 31 of the year in which the license

is granted. The Government Agent shall have power to revoke any such license for a breach of any of these by-laws. All existing bakeries must take out a similar license within one month of the publication of these by-laws.

10. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every bakery.

By-laws re Butchers' Stalls.

1. Every butcher's stall shall be well ventilated and well lighted, the walls thereof shall be plastered and whitewashed at least four times a year, and the floor cemented and sufficient drainage provided.

2. Every room in which meat is kept shall be scrupulously clean.

3. Every table used in a butcher's stall shall be zinc covered. Such tables and the chopping block and all implements shall be kept scrupulously clean. They shall be washed with water and scrubbed with a hard clean brush immediately after use. All hooks for hanging meat shall be polished and free from rust.

4. Refuse and unsaleable material, offal, &c., if not immediately removed, shall be kept in a zinc-lined box with a perforated zinc cover, the perforation to be of such size as to prevent flies entering.

5. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of a butcher's stall shall be removed at least once a day and the drains well flushed.

6. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in a butcher's stall.

7. Every butcher shall provide himself with a movable receptacle of metal for waste material.

8. Every butcher's stall and the management and conduct of the business shall be at all times open and subject to inspection and examination by the Government Agent or by any persons acting under his authority.

9. Every butcher's stall shall be licensed under the hand of the Government Agent, the license to remain in force till December 31 of the year in which the license is granted. The Government Agent shall have power to revoke any such license for a breach of any of these by-laws. All existing butchers' stalls must take out a similar license within one month of the publication of these by-laws.

10. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every butcher's stall.

By-laws re Fish Stalls.

1. Every permanent fish stall shall be well ventilated and lighted, and the walls thereof shall be plastered and whitewashed at least four times a year. The floor shall be of smooth cement, having a proper fall leading to a masonry drain built in cement and cement rendered, which shall empty itself into a bucket. The drain and bucket shall be washed with disinfectant at least twice a day, and the bucket shall not be allowed to overflow. The stall shall always be kept clean and free from stains of blood and dirt.

2. Instead of the drain referred to in the last preceding rule, a fishmonger may use a large zinc sheet so bent as to have a fall towards its centre, and so arranged that the washing from this sheet of zinc shall fall into the bucket.

3. Every table used in a fish stall shall be zinc covered. Such tables and the chopping block and all implements shall be kept scrupulously clean. They shall be washed with water and scrubbed with a hard clean brush immediately after use. All hooks for hanging fish shall be polished and free from rust.

4. Fish baskets shall be washed daily and kept exposed to sun and air on a shelf and not be kept inside the fish shop.

5. Every fish stall holder shall provide himself with a movable receptacle of metal for waste material.

6. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of a fish stall shall be removed at least once a day and the drains well flushed.

7. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in a fish stall.

8. Every fish stall and the management and conduct of the business shall be at all times open and subject to the inspection and examination by the Government Agent or by any persons acting under his authority.

9. Every fish stall shall be licensed under the hand of the Government Agent, the license to remain in force till December 31 of the year in which the license is granted. The Government Agent shall have power to revoke any such license for a breach of any of these by-laws. All existing fish stalls must take out a similar license within one month of the publication of these by-laws.

10. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every fish stall.

By-laws re Keeping of Animals.

No horse, mule, ass, cattle, sheep, goat, or pig shall be housed in a dwelling house, or in the verandah of a dwelling house, or in any shed or maduwa which is part of or attached to a dwelling house.

General By-laws.

The Government Agent or any officer acting under his authority may at all times order—

(a) That all or any part of any house, dwelling, church, place of assembly, or other building be forthwith internally or externally limewashed or provided with sufficient ventilation or disinfected or otherwise cleaned.

(b) That privies shall be constructed where it is desirable that they should exist.

(c) That cesspits or offensive drains shall be filled up by the owners of the land on which they are situated and that others be opened.

(d) That compounds shall be cleansed and rubbish in them shall be burnt.

(e) That fences on private premises shall be kept down to a maximum height of 6 feet, and that all overhanging branches and foliage shall be removed, and every owner or occupier of such premises so ordered shall forthwith comply with such directions.

(f) That hollow places in compounds or close to dwelling houses shall be filled up or drained, so that water may not stagnate in them.

THE following by-laws framed under section 5 of "The Dog Registration Ordinance, 1901," for the Local Board town of Minuwangoda, are published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, June 25, 1910.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. An annual registration fee of Re. 1 shall be charged for each dog kept within the limits of the Local Board of Minuwangoda. For the purpose of this rule the year shall be computed from January 1 to December 31.
2. The occupier of any house or premises within the town shall before January 31 in each year furnish to the headman of the division or to the person appointed by the Chairman of the Local Board to collect the registration fee, who is referred to as the Collector in these by-laws, particulars (in the annexed Form A) of each dog kept within such house or premises.
3. On payment of the prescribed fee to the Collector or to the Secretary of the Local Board the owner will be furnished with a certificate of registration in Form B and a collar, which shall be worn by the dog at all times, stamped with the letters "L. B. M." and the year for which the certificate is issued. If the owner prefers to have his own dog collar stamped, he may send it to the office of the Local Board for the purpose.
4. The Collector or Secretary may refuse to issue a certificate of registration for any dog which, in his opinion, is so diseased as to be a source of infection to other dogs, or is so old, sick, or maimed as to be unfit to live, or he may issue such certificate subject to conditions. Any owner dissatisfied with such refusal may appeal to the Chairman of the Local Board, who may confirm, modify, or cancel it.
5. Certificates of registration shall have the following conditions attached to them:—
This certificate is liable to be cancelled by the Chairman of the Local Board—
 - (a) Should the dog become so maimed or diseased as to be in the opinion of the Chairman unfit to live.
 - (b) Should the Chairman be satisfied that the dog is habitually ill-treated or neglected by its owner.
 - (c) Should the dog be permitted by its owner to associate with dogs belonging to others at a time when it is suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.
6. The owner of every dog for which a certificate has been refused or cancelled because the conditions attached to the certificate have not been complied with shall, on being noticed to do so, produce the dog at the Local Board Office at the time stated in the notice and deliver it over to one of the officers of the Local Board office at the time stated in the notice. Such dogs shall be dealt with as the Chairman shall determine.
7. The owner of every dog which is acquired after January 31 shall report the same to the Collector or to the Secretary of the Local Board within one month of acquisition and also pay the required registration fee.
8. The owner of every dog born after January 31 shall report to the Collector or the Secretary of the Local Board when the animal is three months old, and also pay the registration fee.

Form A.—Return required by By-laws relating to Dogs.

House No. : _____
 Village or Street No. : _____
 Householder's Name : _____

Number of Dogs kept.	Description.						Owner's Name.
	Breed.	Sex.	Colour.	Neck Measurement.	Peculiarities.	Remarks	

N.B.—Payment should be made before March 31.

The above-named householder is hereby required to fill up and return the above schedule within one week. Any person neglecting to do so will become liable to a fine of Rs. 20.

By order of Chairman,

 Secretary.

Local Board Office,
 Minuwangoda, _____, 191—.

Form B.—Certificate of Registration of Dogs.

Street or Village : _____ Registration No. : _____

This is to certify that, _____ residing in house _____, has this day registered in this office a dog of the description given below, for which a registration fee of Re. 1 has been paid.

Description of Dog.

Breed : _____
 Sex : _____
 Colour : _____
 Neck measurement : _____
 Peculiarities : _____

This certificate is in force until March 31, 191—.

 Secretary.

The Local Board Office,
 Minuwangoda, _____, 191—.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. W. E. Hitchcock for a grant in aid of his Mirusuvik Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Tenmarachchi district of the Northern Province.

Observations will be received not later than July 20, 1910.

Department of Public Instruction, R. B. STRICKLAND,
 Colombo, June 20, 1910. Acting Director.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. D. B. Beekmeyer for a grant in aid of his Ampitiya Boys' English School, which is situated in Lower Hewaheta of the Kandy District of the Central Province.

Observations will be received not later than July 28, 1910.

Department of Public Instruction, R. B. STRICKLAND,
 Colombo, July 1, 1910. Acting Director.

Statement of Arrivals and Departures of Immigrant Coolies during the Month of May, 1910.

Ports.	Arrivals.		Departures.		Total for 5 Months.	
	Arrivals.	Departures.	Arrivals.	Departures.	Arrivals.	Departures.
Colombo	.. 11,272	.. 6,674	34,232	.. 32,623
Negombo	.. —	.. —	—	.. —
Mannar	.. —	.. —	—	.. —
Pesalai	.. —	.. —	—	.. —
Vankalaj	.. —	.. —	—	.. —
Total	.. 11,272	.. 6,674	34,232	.. 32,623

F. J. SMITH,
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Customs Monthly Returns (single copy) ..	1 0		
Do. (12 months' subscription) ..	10 0		
Customs Tariff ..	0 15		
Index to Customs Tariff ..	0 25		
By-laws of the Municipal Council, Colombo ..	0 35		
Customs Regulations ..	0 25		
Rules of the Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association ..	0 10		

The Ceylon Medical College.

APOTHECARIES' ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

THE Apothecaries' Entrance Examination of the Ceylon Medical College will be held in the College on Monday, July 18, 1910.

All candidates are requested to present their written applications, certificates, bank receipts for fees, &c., to the Registrar on or before July 1, 1910.

Ceylon Medical College,
Colombo, May 16, 1910.

A. J. CHALMERS,
Registrar.

The Ceylon Medical College.

MEDICAL AND APOTHECARY EXAMINATIONS.

THE Medical and Apothecary Examinations of the Ceylon Medical College will commence on Monday, July 18, 1910.

All candidates are requested to present their applications, certificates, bank receipts for fees, &c., to the Registrar on or before July 12, 1910.

Ceylon Medical College,
Colombo, May 16, 1910.

A. J. CHALMERS,
Registrar.

Summary of District School Committee Accounts, Kalutara District.

RECEIPTS.

Date. 1909.	Particulars of Receipt.	Amount. Rs. c.	Date. 1909.	Particulars of Receipt.	Amount. Rs. c.
	Balance brought forward ..	6,013 95			
	Receipts during January, 1909	—			
	Total ..	6,013 95			
Feb. 9	Balance brought forward ..	5,935 95			
	Received from Director of Public Instruction being amount due for District School Committee under section (1) of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907 ..	6,562 0			
" 11	Contribution from Village Committees, Kalutara, for 1909.	2,550 0			
	School Fines :—				
" 25	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	4 0	May 5	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	1 0
" 25	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	7 75	" 6	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	4 25
" 26	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	1 0	" 25	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	10 50
	Total ..	15,120 70		Total ..	12,736 77
	Balance brought forward ..	14,647 5		Balance brought forward ..	12,685 92
Mar. 3	School Fines :—			School Fines :—	
	Refund of school fines from Village Committee funds ..	55 0	June 1	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	18 50
" 4	Chairman Village Committees, Kalutara ..	7 75	" 7	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	8 37
" 5	President Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	6 0	" 7	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	4 0
" 11	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	3 0	" 8	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	13 0
" 13	Do. ..	0 25	" 25	Do. ..	29 0
" 18	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	7 0		Total ..	12,758 79
" 18	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	1 0		Balance brought forward ..	12,127 26
" 20	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	20 0		School Fines :—	
" 22	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	1 55	Aug. 4	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	15 12
" 25	Do. ..	0 50	" 6	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	8 0
" 27	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	18 50	" 17	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	1 0
	Total ..	14,767 60	" 23	Do. ..	4 0
	Balance brought forward ..	13,594 60	" 24	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	17 0
April 1	School Fines :—		" 28	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	5 0
" 5	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	0 50		Total ..	10,791 19
" 5	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	25 50		Balance brought forward ..	9,598 39
" 6	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	12 0		School Fines :—	
" 8	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	67 75	Sept. 3	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	12 25
" 15	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	5 0	" 7	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	125 0
" 15	Chairman, Village Committees, Kalutara ..	1 0	" 7	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	4 0
" 15	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	4 50	" 8	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	13 50
" 23	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	13 50	" 21	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	6 0
	Total ..	13,724 35		Total ..	9,759 14
	Balance brought forward ..	12,710 2		Balance brought forward ..	9,463 15
May 3	School Fines :—			School Fines :—	
" 3	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	1 0	Oct. 4	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	5 0
" 3	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	10 0	" 6	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	7 75
			" 7	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	7 0

Date. 1909.	Particulars of Receipt.	Amount. Rs. c.	Date. 1909.	Particulars of Receipt.	Amount. Rs. c.
	School Fines :—			Balance brought forward ..	7,522 36
Oct. 14 ..	Chairman, Village Com- mittees, Kalutara ..	2 0	Dec. 2 ..	Superintendent School Com- mittee, Colombo, cart hire re wire for Tudugala ..	4 0
.. 19 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	41 50	.. 3 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	1 50
.. 25 ..	Chairman, Village Com- mittees, Kalutara ..	2 0	.. 3 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	37 0
.. 30 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	53 0	.. 6 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	21 25
	Total ..	9,581 40	.. 17 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	13 0
	Balance brought forward ..	9,011 98	.. 17 ..	Do. ..	22 0
	School Fines :—		.. 20 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	18 0
Nov. 1 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	4 0	.. 29 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	20 0
.. 3 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Rayigam Korale ..	10 0	.. 29 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	46 50
.. 6 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	28 50			
.. 16 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale East ..	7 50			
.. 24 ..	President, Village Tribunal, Pitigal Korale West ..	3 50			
.. 29 ..	Chairman, Village Com- mittees, Kalutara ..	1 0			
	Total ..	9,066 48		Total ..	7,705 61

PAYMENTS.

Date. 1909.	Particulars of Payment.	Amount. Rs. c.	Date. 1909.	Particulars of Payment.	Amount. Rs. c.
Jan. 9 ..	Being advertisement charges for publishing notices for the construction of school bun- galows :—viz., Tantirimulla Boys' Vernacular School, Wadduwa Girls' Vernacular School, and Uduwa Boys' Vernacular School ..	18 0	Mar. 17 ..	Amount due for repairing the Wadduwa Girls' Vernacular School ..	41 25
	Balance on January 31, 1909 ..	5,995 95	.. 18 ..	Cart hire for bringing a case of portraits ..	0 25
	Total ..	6,013 95	.. 27 ..	Part payment of work done to Uduwa Boys' Vernacular School ..	100 0
Feb. 4 ..	Being pay of clerk for January, 1909 ..	30 0	.. 30 ..	Pay of clerk for March, 1909 ..	30 0
.. 19 ..	Being value of 1,000 printed forms D. P. I. C13 and 2,000 D. P. I. C10 ..	13 65	.. 30 ..	Cart hire for bringing a case of stationery ..	0 25
.. 25 ..	Part payment of work done to Kudawaskaduwa Girls' Vernacular School ..	400 0		Balance on March 31, 1909 ..	1,173 0
.. 26 ..	Being pay of clerk for February, 1909 ..	30 0		Total ..	14,767 60
	Balance on February 28, 1909 ..	14,647 5	April 1 ..	Repairing the table at Galtude Girls' Vernacular School ..	6 45
	Total ..	15,120 70	.. 2 ..	Amount due for repairing the Galpata Girls' Vernacular School ..	31 25
Mar. 4 ..	Putting up a wire fence for Linyawa Mixed School ..	30 0	.. 2 ..	Amount due for erecting a wire fence to Galpata Girls' Verna- cular School ..	25 80
.. 5 ..	Putting up a kitchen and water closet for Govinna Mixed School ..	45 0	.. 6 ..	Being value of stationery ..	25 83
.. 9 ..	Balance due on Kudawaskaduwa Girls' Vernacular School ..	80 0	.. 8 ..	Being compensation paid to Helena Pieris for the pur- chase of the hut to build the Tantirimulla Boys' Verna- cular School ..	30 0
.. 9 ..	Amount due for the work done to Wadduwa Girls' Verna- cular School ..	485 0	.. 8 ..	Repairing the Kumbuke Girls' Vernacular School ..	16 0
.. 9 ..	Part payment of work done to Wadduwa Boys' Vernacular School ..	320 0	.. 8 ..	Repairing the Kumbuke Boys' Vernacular School ..	32 50
.. 17 ..	Amount due for repairing the Kudawaskaduwa Girls' Vernacular School ..	41 25	.. 8 ..	Repairing the Kessedenawa Girls' Vernacular School ..	17 75
			.. 16 ..	Being value of an Empire Type- writer ..	225 0
			.. 23 ..	Repairing the Weedagama Girls' Vernacular School ..	8 0
			.. 26 ..	Part payment of work done to Tantirimulla Boys' Verna- cular School ..	500 0
			.. 28 ..	Pay of clerk for April, 1909 ..	30 0

Date. 1909.	Particulars of Payment.	Amount. Rs. c.	Date. 1909.	Particulars of Payment.	Amount. Rs. c.
April 30	.. Repairing the Weediya-goda Boys' Vernacular School ..	30 50	July 29	.. Pay of clerk for July, 1909 ..	30 0
" 30	.. Repairing the Weediya-goda Girls' Vernacular School ..	35 25	" 29	.. Rail freight, &c., for 4 old rails for Handapangoda Boys' Vernacular School ..	9 90
			" 29	.. Amount due for repairing the Tudugala Boys' Vernacular School ..	19 0
		1,014 33			
	Balance on April 30, 1909 ..	12,710 2		Balance on July 31, 1909 ..	1,484 19
					10,741 7
	Total ..	13,724 35		Total ..	12,225 26
May 25	.. Repairing the Gonaduwa Boys' Vernacular School ..	20 50	Aug. 5	.. Repairing the Halwala Mixed School ..	150 0
" 28	.. Rail fare, &c., in forwarding the stationery ..	0 35	" 7	.. Part payment of work done to Migama Boys' Vernacular School ..	150 0
" 28	.. Pay of clerk for May, 1909 ..	30 0	" 10	.. Repairing the Bopitiya Boys' Vernacular School ..	11 0
		50 85	" 13	.. Repairing the Walallawita Boys' Vernacular School ..	18 0
	Balance on May 31, 1909 ..	12,685 92	" 16	.. Repairing the Horawala Boys' Vernacular School ..	34 0
			" 19	.. Value of printed forms ..	27 30
	Total ..	12,736 77	" 20	.. Repairing the Kevitiyagala Mixed School ..	260 0
June 1	.. Repairing the Hewessa School ..	42 0	" 23	.. Compensation for 8 coconut trees ..	93 0
" 10	.. Repairing the Munhena Girls' Vernacular School ..	36 25	" 27	.. Part payment of work done to Botale Boys' Vernacular School ..	400 0
" 12	.. Repairing the Malewanbadde Girls' Vernacular School ..	23 50	" 28	.. Pay of clerk for August, 1909 ..	30 0
" 12	.. Repairing the Malewanbadde Boys' Vernacular School ..	15 50	" 30	.. Repairing the Nanthuduwa Boys' Vernacular School ..	19 50
" 16	.. Cost of typewriting materials ..	5 76			1,192 80
" 18	.. Repairing the Potuwila Boys' Vernacular School ..	35 75		Balance on August 31, 1909 ..	9,598 39
" 18	.. Repairing the Potuwila Girls' Vernacular School ..	19 25			
" 21	.. Repairing the Liniyawa School ..	65 0		Total ..	10,791 19
" 22	.. Part payment of work done to Tantirimulla Boys' Vernacular School ..	200 0	Sept. 2	.. Amount due for repairing the Bellena Boys' Vernacular School ..	65 0
" 24	.. Repairing the Madurawala Girls' Vernacular School ..	20 52	" 3	.. Amount due for repairing the Galtude Girls' Vernacular School ..	20 0
" 26	.. Repairing the Talahitiya Boys' Vernacular School ..	49 0	" 8	.. Amount due for repairing the Iddagoda Boys' Vernacular School ..	9 50
" 26	.. Repairing the Padagoda Boys' Vernacular School ..	42 0	" 8	.. Cart hire for bringing 6 coils of barbed wire ..	0 25
" 28	.. Repairing the Agalawatta School ..	47 0	" 15	.. Amount due for repairing the Matugama Mixed Vernacular School ..	34 50
" 30	.. Kitchen for Lathpandura Boys' Vernacular School ..	30 0	" 16	.. Value of typewriting materials ..	9 57
		631 53	" 20	.. Repairing the Nakandalagoda Boys' Vernacular School ..	18 0
	Balance on June 30, 1909 ..	12,127 26	" 23	.. Repairing the Talpitiya Girls' Vernacular School ..	17 42
			" 27	.. Cutting down two coconut trees ..	2 0
	Total ..	12,758 79	" 28	.. Repairing the Lathpandura Boys' Vernacular School ..	27 0
July 1	.. Pay of clerk for June, 1909 ..	30 0	" 28	.. Pay of clerk for September, 1909 ..	30 0
" 5	.. Repairing the Meegahatenne School ..	45 0	" 28	.. Repairing the Govinna Mixed Vernacular School ..	31 25
" 9	.. Repairing the Beruwala Anglo-Vernacular School ..	45 50	" 28	.. Repairing the Warakagoda School ..	31 50
" 15	.. Repairing the Welikala Boys' Vernacular School ..	13 50			295 99
" 15	.. Cadjans supplied to Weedagama Girls' Vernacular School ..	3 50		Balance on September 30, 1909 ..	9,463 15
" 17	.. Repairing the Kulupana Girls' Vernacular School ..	32 70			
" 20	.. Value of printed forms ..	2 34		Total ..	9,759 14
" 20	.. Value of 4 old rails 21 ft. long ..	54 0			
" 21	.. Value of 250 agreement forms ..	2 25			
" 24	.. Repairing the Walatara Mixed Vernacular School ..	41 0			
" 26	.. Building the Tantirimulla Boys' Vernacular School ..	1,055 0			
" 29	.. Repairing the Madurawala Boys' Vernacular School ..	100 50			

Date. 1909.	Particulars of Payment.	Amount. Rs. c.	Date. 1909.	Particulars of Payment.	Amount. Rs. c.
Oct. 6	.. Kitchen and water-closet to Mahabellena Girls' Vernacular School ..	99 60	Nov. 27	.. Repairing the Uduwa Girls' Vernacular School ..	49 50
.. 6	.. Value of printed forms ..	31 42	.. 27	.. Kitchen, water-closet, and wire fence to Uduwa Boys' Vernacular School ..	190 0
.. 8	.. Repairing the Miwanapalana Girls' Vernacular School ..	18 45	.. 27	.. Pay of clerk for November, 1909 ..	30 0
.. 8	.. Repairing the Miwanapalana Boys' Vernacular School ..	19 95	.. 29	.. Amount due for putting up the Uduwa Boys' Vernacular School ..	432 75
.. 8	.. Putting up a room to Miwanapalana Girls' Vernacular School ..	24 0		Balance on November 30, 1909	1,544 12
.. 8	.. Repairing the Galtude Girls' Vernacular School ..	50 0		Total ..	7,522 36
.. 27	.. Part payment of work done to Botale Boys' Vernacular School ..	33 0			9,066 48
.. 27	.. Repairing the Kindelpitiya Girls' Vernacular School ..	200 0	Dec. 6	.. Repairing the Handapangoda Girls' Vernacular School and 14 tats to Handapangoda Boys' Vernacular School ..	52 37
.. 28	.. Pay of clerk for October, 1909 ..	17 50	.. 6	.. Repairing the Ittapana Boys' Vernacular School ..	13 0
.. 30	.. Repairing the Panapitiya Mixed Vernacular School ..	30 0	.. 7	.. Removing furniture for Agalawatta, Badureliya, and Matugama ..	33 50
		45 50	.. 9	.. Value of 1,500 copies of printed forms ..	5 0
		569 42	.. 20	.. Pay of clerk for December, 1909 ..	30 0
	Balance on October 31, 1909 ..	9,011 98	.. 22	.. Part payment of work done to Palayangoda Girls' Vernacular School ..	400 0
	Total ..	9,581 40	.. 22	.. Repairing the Handapangoda Boys' Vernacular School ..	62 31
Nov. 2	.. Repairing the Alubomulla Boys' Vernacular School ..	65 0	.. 29	.. Part payment of work done to Botale Boys' Vernacular School ..	250 0
.. 4	.. Repairing and erecting a wire fence, &c., of the Paragastota Boys' Vernacular School ..	63 75	.. 30	.. Repairing the Ilambe Boys' Vernacular School ..	175 40
.. 5	.. Repairing the Wewita Boys' Vernacular School ..	50 0	.. 30	.. Value of 500 copies of printed forms ..	5 0
.. 8	.. Repairing the Bellapitiya Boys' Vernacular School ..	42 50	.. 31	.. Repairing the Migama Boys' Vernacular School ..	150 0
.. 12	.. Repairing the Handapangoda Boys' Vernacular School ..	8 50	.. 31	.. Amount seized on writ No. 1,299 Court of Requests, Kalutara ..	42 24
.. 15	.. Part payment of work done to Morapitiya and Atale Boys' Vernacular School ..	450 0	.. 31	.. Wall round the well at Nanthuduwa School ..	12 0
.. 18	.. Cart hire for removing barbed wire to Tudugala Boys' Vernacular School ..	4 0		Balance on December 31, 1909	1,230 83
.. 20	.. Putting up a wire fence at Galpata Boys' Vernacular School ..	72 0		Total ..	6,474 78
.. 26	.. Repairing the Galpata Boys' Vernacular School ..	21 37			7,705 61
.. 26	.. Repairing the Medagama Girls' Vernacular School ..	42 0			
.. 26	.. Wire fence to Tudugala Boys' Vernacular School ..	22 75			

Kalutara Kachcheri,
June 1, 1910.

G. F. PLANT,
Chairman, District School Committee.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting salt from Nilaveli salt stores to Trincomalee salt stores from August 1, 1910, to June 30, 1911.

1. The tenderers must state the rate of hire per cwt., including the cost of weighing and storing and the rate of wastage to be allowed.

2. The tenderer whose tender is accepted may be required to transport not less than 350 cwt. daily.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for transporting Salt" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, not later than midday of Thursday, July 7, 1910.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at the Trincomalee Kachcheri, and receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Government Agent or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the Trincomalee Kachcheri.

8. A duplicate copy of the tender should be forwarded by the tenderer by post to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, at the same time he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee.

9. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

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

Trincomalee Kachcheri, F. BARTLETT,
June 11, 1910. Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for building the bridge over Yakdessekumbure-oya at Dodanwala, Yatinuwara.

2. The tenders must be addressed to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Yakdessekumbure-oya in Yatinuwara" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Government Agent's Office, Kandy, not later than midday on July 30, 1910.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Kachcheri or be sent through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which will be supplied from the Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 5 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or agreement.

7. Plans and specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Kandy Kachcheri.

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

Kandy Kachcheri, G. S. WOODMAN,
June 21, 1910. for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for building the bridge over Edandekumbure-oya in Yatinuwara.

2. The tenders must be addressed to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Edandekumbure-oya in Yatinuwara" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Government Agent's Office, Kandy, not later than midday on July 30, 1910.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Kachcheri or be sent through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which will be supplied from the Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 5 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other

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Kandy Kachcheri, G. S. WOODMAN,
June 21, 1910. for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for building the bridge over Aladeniye-oya in Harispattu.

2. The tenders must be addressed to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Aladeniye-oya in Harispattu" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Government Agent's Office, Kandy, not later than midday on July 30, 1910.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Kachcheri or be sent through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which will be supplied from the Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 5 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or agreement.

7. Plans and specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Kandy Kachcheri.

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

Kandy Kachcheri, G. S. WOODMAN,
June 21, 1910. for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for building the bridge over Rawan-oya at Udugoda, Pata Dumbara.

2. The tenders must be addressed to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Rawan-oya Bridge at Udugoda, Pata Dumbara" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Government Agent's Office, Kandy, not later than midday on July, 30, 1910.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Kachcheri or be sent through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which will be supplied from the Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 5 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or agreement.

7. Plans and specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Kandy Kachcheri.

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

Kandy Kachcheri, G. S. WOODMAN,
June 21, 1910. for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for building the bridge over Malwaraka-oya in Harispattu.

2. The tenders must be addressed to the Government Agent, Central Province, Kandy.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Malwaraka-oya in Harispattu" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Government Agent's Office, Kandy, not later than midday on July 30, 1910.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Kachcheri or be sent through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which will be supplied from the Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 5 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or agreement.

7. Plans and specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Kandy Kachcheri.

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

Kandy Kachcheri,
June 21, 1910.

G. S. WOODMAN,
for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks from January 1 to June 30, 1911.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Bricks" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on July 5, 1910.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 300. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

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

June 14, 1910.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for landing and delivering Government stores from January 1, 1911, to June 30, 1913.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for landing and delivering Government Stores" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on July 19, 1910.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 300 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 10,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5.

9. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

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.

June 30, 1910.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS will be received by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, up to midday on Thursday, July 14, 1910, from persons desirous of purchasing 202 broad gauge and 269 narrow gauge rejected sleepers lying at the Vavuniya Depot, 719 broad gauge and 200 narrow gauge rejected sleepers lying at Kilinochchi, and 526 broad gauge and 454 narrow gauge rejected sleepers lying at Iranaimadu.

Persons desirous of purchasing the material should deposit in a Kachcheri the sum of Rs. 20, and forward the receipt therefor to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, who will on receiving the receipt issue the proper form of tender in duplicate. No other form of tender will be recognized.

The tender in original should be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, and the duplicate direct to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, both being despatched at the same time.

The Conservator of Forests reserves the right to reject any or all tenders, and to accept any portion of a tender.

A security of 50 per cent. must be deposited on the acceptance of an offer, and the balance to complete the whole purchase amount should be paid to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, before a permit to remove is issued.

Should the successful tenderer fail to deposit the amount of his offer within a fortnight of his being called upon to do so, his deposit of Rs. 20 for a tender form will be forfeited, and he will be required to pay the difference between his offer and the next highest offer to the tenderer of which the wood will be sold.

It must be clearly understood that the sleepers are rejected as unsuitable for railway purposes, and intending purchasers are advised to inspect the timber before tendering.

Time for removal will be allowed at the rate of one month per thousand sleepers purchased commencing from date of removal permit, and at the expiry of the whole time allowed

Government will resume its claim to anything left on or near lands in use for Forest Department purposes.

Separate tenders must be sent in for sleepers lying in separate places, and a rate per broad gauge and separately a rate per narrow gauge sleeper must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

FRED. J. S. TURNER.

Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Jaffna, June 7, 1910. Jaffna Division.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the period commencing from the date of acceptance of tender and terminating on June 30, 1911, for the under-mentioned services:—

(1) The conveyance of soiled linen from certain hospitals and other institutions in Colombo to the Welikada Jail and back; (2) the supply of a bull and driver for the cart conveying the dead from the hospitals and other institutions in Colombo and the Ceylon Medical College to the General Cemetery; (3) for the supply of a bull and driver for the cart kept at the Lady Havelock Hospital for the conveyance of lepers from any place in Colombo to the Leper Asylum at Hendala; and (4) for the supply of bull, driver, and cart for the conveyance of patients from the General Hospital, Colombo, to the Maradana Railway Station.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Principal Civil Medical Officer, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for certain Miscellaneous Services in Colombo" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer not later than midday on July 2, 1910.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

7. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security to the extent of Rs. 100, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

8. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

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

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

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

Colombo, June 7, 1910.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supply of best kallundai rice for the use of the Public Works Department in the North-Western Province at stations named below from the date of acceptance of tender to December 31, 1910:—

Chilaw District.

Within the town of Chilaw.

Within the Departmental District of Chilaw.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for supply of Rice, Public Works Department, Chilaw District, North-Western Province, during 1910," in the left hand top corner of the

envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on July 12, 1910.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets or bottles at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, not later than midday on July 12, 1910.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala.

10. 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, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, June 14, 1910. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying best kallundai and best country rice for the use of the Irrigation Department from January 1, 1911, to December 31, 1911. Tenders may be submitted for supplying rice at one or more of the works enumerated below:—

Name of Work.	Place of Delivery.
1. Karachei, Northern Province	Iranamadu and Mankulam
2. Giant's Tank, Northern Province	Murungan
3. Kirinde-oya Works, Southern Province	Wirawila
4. Unnichchai, Eastern Province	Unnichchai
5. Rugam, Eastern Province	Rugam
6. Vakaneri, Eastern Province	Vakaneri
7. Kondavaddavan, Eastern Province	Amparai
8. Allai, Eastern Province	Puthur
9. Kalawewa Yoda-ela and Nuwarawewa, North-Central Province	Anuradhapura, Talawa, Eppawela, Kumbukanda, Ippolagama, and Kalawewa
10. Nachchaduwa, North-Central Province	Galkulam
11. Minneri, North-Central Province	Minneri

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for supply of Rice to the Irrigation Department" in the left top corner of

the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, August 9, 1910.

5. The tenders are to be made in duplicate, upon forms which will be supplied upon application either at the Office of the Director of Irrigation, Trincomalee, or at any Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Director of Irrigation or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Samples of the rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed bottles at the Office of the Director of Irrigation, Trincomalee, not later than August 1, 1910, labelled with the name of the tenderer, a description of the rice, and the name of the works to which the supply of rice is tendered for.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the Office of the Director of Irrigation, Trincomalee.

10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

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

R. F. MORRIS,
for Acting Director of Irrigation.

Office of the Director of Irrigation,
Trincomalee, June 20, 1910.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Telegraph Store, Telephone Exchange, Fort, on Saturday, July 9, 1910, at 2 P.M. :—

9 zinc buckets
1 oil can
1 watering can
1 lamp, searching
3 brief bags
39 waterproof capes
2 waterproof coats
13 cords for Ericsson's telephones
3 wall plugs for telephones
4 portable batteries
2 commutators for 4 lines
1 commutator for 8 lines
2 Siemen's inker embossers
150 covers for sounders
15 battery boxes
2 motor generators
2 operators' telephone sets
6 receivers with trumpets
182 switch contact springs
13 tablet telephones
3 telephones, Hunnings-cone desk
14 telephones, Hunnings-cone wall
11 telephones, Gower Bell, wall
2 telephones, Bell Blake desk
1 Bucknill's balance
15 baseboard sets
1 bell, magneto
1 compass, prismatic
1 galvanometer, Astatic
2 galvanometers, G.P.O.

1 galvanometer, Sine & Tangent
4 galvanoscopes
27 S. C. keys
8 lightning dischargers for 1 line
1 lightning discharger for 2 lines
3 lightning dischargers for 4 lines
2 lightning dischargers for 6 lines
1 lightning discharger for 8 lines
1 rheostat
1 separator
2 shunt electro magnets
16 sounders, Siemen's
19 sounders, local
2 sounders, polarized
3 block switches
1 testing set, portable
451 galvanized iron arms for 6 insulators
8 Hong Kong wall telephones
4 Indian wall telephones
10 Hong Kong desk telephones
413 pole steps for iron posts
262 pole steps for rail posts
282 brackets, Abyssinian
17 saddle brackets
159 circular backs for wooden posts
552 Abyssinian insulators

D. MONTAGU,
Superintendent of Telegraphs.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Dandugama, on August 8, 1910, at 2 P.M. :—

11 empty tar barrels | 18 cans, iron, and drums

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. for Director of Public Works.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to the Public Works Department will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Yard, Batticaloa, on Saturday, August 6, 1910, at 2 P.M. :—

7 empty tar barrels | 18 cans, tin
137 cans, iron

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

Public Works Office,
Colombo, June 29, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Yard, Avisawella, on August 6, 1910, at 10 A.M. :—

12 empty tar barrels | 2 cans, iron
5 cans, tin | 5 drums, iron

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, June 27, 1910. for Director of Public Works.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following confiscated and superfluous articles will be sold by public auction at the Police Court of Kayts on Wednesday, July 27, 1910, commencing at 11 A.M. :—

Case No.	Case No.
14,004 1 fishing net	7,704 1 sickle
7,582 1 mat	7,711 1 padlock
14,195 3 sticks	7,715 1 style knife
7,598 1 stick	7,717 a verty and shawl
14,271 1 plank	14,733 1 stick
14,276 1 broken razor and a pair of scissors	14,746 8 pieces of poles and 1 oar
7,614 2 chaddies	14,766 12 pieces of sticks
14,348 1 stick and mamoty	14,822 handle of a pickaxe
7,630 3 coconuts	14,821 1 stick
7,636 1 white handkerchief	14,830 3 sticks
14,403 1 mamoty	7,759 5 coconuts
14,412 1 stick	7,494 1 mortar
14,417 1 thread-making tool	7,576 dyed verty cloth
14,436 1 stick	— An ola bag and 3 books
14,475 1 piece of brass wire	— 5 packing cases
7,679 1 grass cutter	— 12 empty ink bottles
14,599 pair of brass bangles	

Police Court,
Kayts, June 24, 1910.

R. W. ALLEGACON,
Police Magistrate.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended June 25, 1910.

Births.—The total births registered were 75 (1 European, 10 Burghers, 47 Sinhalese, 6 Tamils, 8 Moors, 2 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1910, viz., 185,704) was 21·1, as against 27·8 in the preceding week, 30·1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25·1 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 105 (1 European, 2 Burghers, 54 Sinhalese, 28 Tamils, 16 Moors, 2 Malays, and 2 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 29·5, as against 33·1 in the previous week, 37·8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 33·7 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 105 total deaths, 15 were of infants under one year of age, as against 34 in the preceding week, 33 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 27 the average for last year.

Still Births.—The number of still births registered during the week was 5.

Selected Causes of Death.—Sixteen deaths were registered from *Pneumonia* (against 18 in the previous week and 15 the weekly average for last year), of which 4 were in Maradana hospitals, 3 each in Pettah, New Bazaar, and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 in St. Paul's, and 1 in San Sebastian. Two deaths were registered from *Bronchitis*.

2. Eleven deaths were registered from *Phthisis* (against 12 in the previous week and 15 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 each were in Kotahena and Maradana hospitals, 2 in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), and 1 each in St. Paul's, New Bazaar, and Slave Island.

3. Eleven deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 6 from *Diarrhoea* (including 1 infant), 6 from *Enteritis* (1 infant), 5 *Debility* (1 infant), 5 *Old Age*, 5 *Bright's Disease*, 3 *Nephritis*, and 27 from *Other Causes*.

4. Eight deaths were registered from *Enteric Fever* (against 9 in the previous week and 6 the weekly average for last year), of which 2 each were in St. Paul's, New Bazaar, and Maradana hospitals, and 1 each in Kotahena and Slave Island. There were 31 cases reported during the week, against 29 in the previous week.

5. Four cases of *Measles* were reported, against 3 in the previous week; and 9 of *Chickenpox*, against 19 in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 80·4°, against 82·1° in the preceding week and 81·4° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·856 in., against 29·863 in. in the preceding week and 29·894 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2·41 in., against 4·02 in. in the preceding week and 1·53 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, June 28, 1910.

N. W. MORGAPPAN,
for Registrar-General.