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

No. 120 of 1911.

IT is hereby notified that consequent on the return to the Island from leave of absence of Mr. G. W. WOODHOUSE, the following officers will cease to officiate in the classes named, with effect from February 23, 1911 :—

*Class II.*

Mr. A. BEVEN.

*Class III.*

Mr. P. DE SA

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 22, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 121 of 1911.

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

Mr. SOLOMON FERNANDO to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadure, for March 22, 1911, during the absence of Mr. J. C. W. ROCK on leave or until further orders.

Mr. C. H. COLLINS to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, from March 24 to 26, 1911, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. J. D. BROWN on leave or until further orders, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. E. B. ALEXANDER to be Additional Commissioner of Requests, Puttalam, with effect from March 23, 1911, until further orders, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. A. V. VAN LANGENBERG to be Additional Police Magistrate, Gampola, for March 27, 1911.

Mr. C. J. A. MARSHALL to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, Negombo, and Avisawella, and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avisawella, from March 25 to April 7, 1911, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. PETER DE SARAM, on leave or until further orders.

Mr. B. AMARASEKERA to be Additional Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, for March 25, 1911.

Mr. A. F. JOSEPH to act, in addition to his own duties, as Government Analyst for fourteen days from March 24, 1911, during the absence on leave of Mr. K. C. BROWNING or until further orders.

Mr. W. SHAKSPEARE to be a Member of the Colombo Harbour Board, *vice* Mr. H. C. BIBBY, resigned.

Mr. ARTHUR J. DAWSON to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Kalutara and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Kalutara, *vice* Mr. F. J. WRIGHT, who has left the Island.

Mr. W. POYNTZ SPURWAY, of Edinburgh estate, Nanu-oya, to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Nuwara-Hatton Eliya.

Mr. JOHN BENJAMIN ADKINS to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 24, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 122 of 1911.

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

Mr. J. DEVANE, Cadet, to be attached to the Kandy Kachcheri, with effect from March 24, 1911, until further orders.

Mr. A. H. PINDER, Cadet, to be attached to the Puttalam Kachcheri, with effect from March 24, 1911, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 24, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mudaliyar F. W. M. KARUNARATNA, Relieving Officer, Registrar-General's Department, to act as Registrar of Lands, Kandy, from April 18 to August 26, 1911, inclusive, or until further orders, during the absence of Mudaliyar J. G. DE SILVA, on leave.

Mr. J. J. TISSAVIRASINGHE, Head Clerk, Land Registry, Batticaloa, to act as Registrar of Lands, Batticaloa, for four weeks from March 18, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. R. N. ARULAMBALAM, on leave.

DON ABRAHAM ABAYARATNA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kesbawa division and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu (Salpiti korale) division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from April 1, 1911, *vice* R. P. D. SIMON, deceased. His office will be at Kekunagahawatta at Makandana.

No. 123 of 1911.

HEADS of Departments are hereby authorized to accept the signature of Professor A. F. JOSEPH as Acting Registrar, Ceylon Medical College, with effect from March 29, 1911, during the absence of Dr. A. J. CHALMERS on leave or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 24, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 124 of 1911.

IT is hereby notified that a despatch has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies intimating that the King's Exequatur empowering Sir WILLIAM WILSON MITCHELL, Kt., C.M.G., to act as Bolivian Consul in Ceylon has received His Majesty's signature.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 20, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 125 of 1911.

IT is notified that the resignation of the Honorary Commission held by Captain CHRISTIAN VICTOR HONTER in the Cadet Battalion, Ceylon Light Infantry, has been accepted by His Excellency the Governor.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 23, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 126 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. JOSEPH RICHARD PIERIES GUNESSEKARA SENANAYAKA, Kachcheri Mudaliyar of Puttalam, to be an Inquirer for the Puttalam District.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 20, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 127 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased under the provisions of section 15 (i.) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, to appoint Mr. L. C. MAUDSLEY to be an Unofficial Member of the Local Board of Hatton-Dikoya, *vice* Mr. H. T. ARMITAGE, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 16, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

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

Mudaliyar F. W. M. KARUNARATNA, Relieving Officer, Registrar-General's Department, to act as Registrar of Lands, Kandy, from April 18 to August 26, 1911, inclusive, or until further orders, during the absence of Mudaliyar J. G. DE SILVA, on leave.

Mr. J. J. TISSAVIRASINGHE, Head Clerk, Land Registry, Batticaloa, to act as Registrar of Lands, Batticaloa, for four weeks from March 18, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. R. N. ARULAMBALAM, on leave.

DON ABRAHAM ABAYARATNA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kesbawa division and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu (Salpiti korale) division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from April 1, 1911, *vice* R. P. D. SIMON, deceased. His office will be at Kekunagahawatta at Makandana.

DON ISAAC WIJESSEKERA APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Warakagoda division and of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for two weeks and two days, with effect from March 31, 1911, *vice* D. J. WIJESSEKERA, retired. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Retiyala and Nahallawatta in Ihala Karannagoda.

HINGURE ARACHCHILLAGE SIRIWARDANAHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Atulugam Korale East division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for four weeks and two days with effect from March 23, 1911, *vice* Registrar, Y. LOKU APPUHAMY, deceased. His office will be at Gurugalagawahenewatta in Udabage.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colombo, March 21, 1911. 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 PANDĪTARATNA WASALA MUDIYANSELAGE MUTU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Uduuwara No. 2 division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for sixteen days from March 16, 1911, during the absence of L. B. ANGUNAWALA, Registrar, on leave. His office will be at Diddeniyegedara-watta in Angunawala.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, Jaffna, has appointed Mr. MANUELPILLAI MICHELPILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Vadamaradchi West division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from March 13, 1911, *vice* Registrar, P. KAYITAMPILLAI, suspended. His office will be at Kuruditoddam in Puloly East.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, Jaffna, has appointed Mr. SUPPIRAMANIYAR THURAIYAPPA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mayiliddy division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for four days from March 14, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, S. VISUVALINKAM, on leave. His office will be at Elukalai in Varuttalaivilan.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed DISANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE RAN BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ihalawisideke korale division and of General Marriages of Hiriya hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for four weeks and two days from March 16, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, D. M. UKKURALA, on leave. His office will be at Weralugahawatta in Wadupola.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed MUDALIGE DON CAROLIS, Vidane Arachchi of Mulleriyawa, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mulleriyawa division and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattuwa of Hewagam korale division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from March 20, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, AGONIS PERERA, on leave. His office will be at Telambugahawatta in Mulleriyawa, Himbutane.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed KALAFUGAMAGE ALLIS COORE, Police Vidane of Kandana, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths, Kandana, and of Marriages (General) of Ragam pattuwa of Alutkuru Korale South division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for twelve days from March 15, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, L. D. JAYAWARDENE, on leave. His office will be at Kosgahawatta in Kandana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON ISAAK WIJESEKERA APPUHAMI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu and of Births and Deaths of Warakagoda division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for a further period of two weeks and one day from March 16, 1911, *vice* Registrar, D. J. WIJESEKERA, retired. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Retiyala and Nahallawatta in Ihala Karannagoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed PEDRU LOUIS FERNANDO of Akkarai Pattu South to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) and of Births and Deaths of Akkarai Pattu South, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for twenty-two days from March 14, 1911, during the absence of the permanent Registrar, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed H. D. JOHN to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal Korale North and of Births and Deaths of Anavilundan and Munnessaram Pattus North of Deduruoya in Pitigal Korale North, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for seven days from March 11, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, H. D. JOSEPH, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed HINGURE ARACHCHILLAGE SIRIWARDANAHAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Atulugam Korale East and of Marriages (General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulatgama, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for one week and five days from March 11, 1911, *vice* Registrar Y. LOKU APPUHAMY, deceased. His office will be at Gurugalagawahenewatta in Udabage.

Registrar-General's Office, P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Colombo, March 20, 1911. Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Pension Minute dated December 9, 1908, it is hereby notified that the holder of the office specified below is entitled to pension:—

Executive Engineer, Colombo Lake Development Scheme (while the appointment is held by Mr. E. Human).

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 17, 1911.

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

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.
Mr. K. W. B. MACLEOD	Officer of Class I., Grade II., of the Civil Service	Chairman, Municipal Council, and Mayor of Colombo.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 24, 1911.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 34 of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899, and on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Government Agent, Western Province, made under the said section 34, has approved of the allotment of land set out in the schedule hereto being provided and used as a burial ground for the use of the Roman Catholics.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, March 16, 1911.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

*Boundaries.*

*North-East.*—By land of Ihammitage Selestina Perera.

*South-West.*—By high road.

*North-West.*—By the lands of Alawaturage Juse Fernando and M. Don Juse

Appu.

*Extent.*—3 roods and 13 perches.

*Name of Land.*—Pallyawatta.

*Situation.*—Kotugoda in Ragam pattu of the Alutkuru Korale South.

IT is hereby notified that an examination under the Regulations of February 25, 1909, for gentlemen in the Civil Service will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, April 24, 1911, at 10.30 A.M., and following days, namely:—

Monday, April 24	.. Sinhalese	Thursday, April 27	.. Law
Tuesday, April 25	.. Law	Friday, April 28	.. Accounts
Wednesday, April 26	.. Law	Saturday, April 29	.. Tamil

The examination in the Criminal Procedure Code prescribed under the Minute of March 26, 1900, for officers in the Fourth Class of the Civil Service, will also be held on April 25, 1911, as well as at the Kandy Kachcheri.

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

The examination for officers in the Police Department, and the *vivá voce* examination in the native languages for officers in the Public Works Department, the Irrigation Department, the Forest Department, and the Railway Department, will be held at the same time and place.

Candidates are required to send in their names not later than March 31, 1911.

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

The hours of examination will be from 10.30 A.M. to 1.30 P.M. and from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M., exclusive of the *vivá voce* examinations, which will be specially arranged for.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, February 24, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

### Examination for the Local Division of the Civil Service of Ceylon.

1. An Examination for admission to the Local Division of the Civil Service will be held in Colombo in or about October next. The prospects and conditions of the Service are set out in the Minutes governing the Local Division of the Civil Service published in the *Government Gazette* of February 17, 1911. The number of persons to be selected at this Examination will be two.

2. No person will be admitted to compete who has not received a nomination from His Excellency the Governor.

3. Applications for nominations should be sent to the Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary—the envelope to be marked “Local Division, Civil Service”—on or before April 30. No question as to the delay or loss in the post of any such application can be entertained.

4. Nominations will be limited to candidates who have passed the Senior Standard of the Cambridge Local Examination, the London Matriculation, or any other public examination which may be deemed to be of an equally high standard.

5. Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof—

(a) That he is a natural-born British subject born in Ceylon of parents permanently resident in the Island.

(b) That at least 19 years and not more than 23 years have elapsed since the date of his birth on January 1, 1911.

(c) That he is of good moral character.

## 6. Applicants should attach to their applications—

- (1) Birth certificate.
- (2) A certificate of character from the head of the school at which the applicant was educated.
- (3) A statement showing where he was educated, examinations passed, degrees taken, &c., present occupation, and how he has spent the time since he left school.
- (4) A medical certificate that the applicant is of sound constitution, possessed of good sight, and otherwise physically qualified for the Service.
- (5) Particulars of property possessed by the applicant, showing the situation and nature of the land or property. It should also be stated in the case of landed property whether it is ancestral or recently acquired.
- (6) Any athletic distinctions obtained by the applicant should be stated, also whether the applicant is a Volunteer, and whether he is able to ride.

7. All candidates after nomination will be required to undergo a medical examination by a Board before the examination by the Civil Service Commissioners. The fee for the medical examination will be Rs. 10·50. The fee for the examination will be Rs. 25.

8. The examinations will be conducted by the Civil Service Commissioners, and the following is a list of the subjects in which candidates will be examined :—

Obligatory Subjects.		Marks.
1.	English .. .. .	2,000
2.	Mathematics, Class I. .. .	1,500
3.	Latin .. .. .	1,500
4.	Bookkeeping and Accounting .. .	1,500
Voluntary Subjects.		
(a) {	5. Mathematics, Class II. .. .	1,500
	or 6. Geography and History .. .	1,500
(b) {	7. Chemistry .. .. .	1,500
	or 8. Physics .. .. .	1,500
(c) {	9. Sinhalese .. .. .	1,500
	or 10. Tamil .. .. .	1,500

Candidates may take up two, and not more than two, of the voluntary subjects, and not more than one from each of the groups (a), (b), and (c).

## Syllabus of Subjects.

*Note.*—No text books will be prescribed for any subject.

## ENGLISH.

*English Language and Composition.*—The subject will include—

- (a) A subject for an essay to be chosen by each candidate from several subjects set. Those proposed may include some having reference to Geography and History, and some involving an acquaintance with English authors, as well as more abstract subjects, the main object being to test power of expression, thought and arrangement, general reading, and knowledge. (All candidates will be expected to attempt the essay to which special importance is attached.)
- (b) Questions testing knowledge and command of English. These may include questions on précis writing, paraphrase, and analysis of sentences.
- (c) Questions testing general reading and knowledge of English books.

## MATHEMATICS, CLASS I.

*Arithmetic.*—The ordinary rules, with applications more specially to the mensuration of plane figures and solids. The metric system, and the use of decimals in approximate calculation; contracted methods. The use and theory of recurring decimals are not required, and candidates are at liberty to use algebraic symbols and formulas and tables of logarithms.

*Geometry.*—Plane geometry, theoretical and practical, not excluding simple problems in three dimensions. Proportion may be treated arithmetically; the special treatment of incommensurables is not required.

*Algebra.*—Including graphs of the simpler algebraic functions; quadratic equations; use of graphs in solving equations, and in illustrating and solving practical questions; rate of variation of a function and gradient or slope of a graph; graphic interpolation; indices and the simpler properties of surds.

*Trigonometry.*—Up to and including solution of plane triangles; graphs of trigonometrical functions.

Grasp of elementary principles and readiness in practical application will be looked for, but no great analytical skill will be demanded. Numerical results should be given to a few significant figures, and rough checks on the accuracy of the results should be applied. Neatness and accuracy of working are expected, and sufficient indication of the method of solution to make the work immediately intelligible. The examination will include laboratory work. Acquaintance is expected with the balance and steel-yard, and with the method of finding volume by weighing in air and in water. An idea of the range of the questions which will be set at the laboratory examination may be obtained from the laboratory questions set under Mathematics, Class I., at recent examinations for junior appointments in the Home Civil Service, and shown in reprints of the examination papers published by Messrs. Wyman & Sons, Fetter Lane, London, E.C.

## LATIN.

The paper will include (1) questions on grammar; (2) unprepared passages for translation into English, with questions; (3) one or more easy unprepared passages for translation into English, a vocabulary of unfamiliar words being given; (4) one or more unprepared passages of ordinary difficulty for translation into English; (5) easy sentences for translation into Latin; (6) one or more continuous passages for translation into Latin.

## BOOKKEEPING AND ACCOUNTING.

Knowledge of the general principles of Bookkeeping and Accounting. Bookkeeping by double entry.

## MATHEMATICS, CLASS II.

Includes Mathematics, Class I., together with Mechanics. The principles of the lever, the inclined plane, the composition of forces and virtual work, their experimental investigation and application to machines and other simple cases of equilibrium. Centre of gravity, couple or torque, velocity ratio, mechanical advantage or force—ratio, work, efficiency.

Application to liquids and gases. Density. Boyle's Law. Pump, siphon, barometer, manometer. Velocity, acceleration, momentum, force, impulse of a force, energy, power or rate of work. The examination in Mathematics, Class II., will include laboratory work. An idea of the range of the questions which will be set at the laboratory examination may be obtained from the laboratory questions set under Mathematics, Class II., at recent examinations for junior appointments in the Home Civil Service, and shown in reprints of the examination papers published by Messrs. Wyman & Sons, Fetter Lane, London, E.C.

## CHEMISTRY.

The following outline indicates the range of the examination :—

*Written.*

The methods which lead to the discovery of the composition of common materials occurring in nature.

The determination of molecular weights, equivalents, and of atomic weights. Valency and structural formulæ.

Classification of the elements, including the Periodic Scheme.

General characters of the chief types of compounds, including acids, bases, and salts, and a few prominent carbon compounds, especially as illustrating the relations of properties to composition and structure. No distinction will be admitted between Organic and Inorganic Chemistry.

History, production and properties of the more important and typical elements and their most familiar compounds.

The character of chemical changes, including combustion, thermal dissociation, and electrolysis; the conditions which determine and influence them, and the attendant phenomena.

The whole to be treated in an elementary manner.

Candidates will be required to show that they have seen and practised a great variety of experiments, and are familiar with the appearance of common laboratory materials.

II.—*Practical Examination.*

Candidates will be required to show that they are familiar with easy quantitative operations, gravimetric and volumetric, with the rudiments of qualitative analysis, and that they have prepared a number of elements or compounds by processes involving the manipulation of gases and the purification of substances by crystallization, distillation, &c. Candidates must bring to the practical examination the notebooks which contain the record of the experimental work they have performed. Specimens made by the candidate, duly attested by the teacher, if any, may also be submitted to the examiners.

## PHYSICS.

The following Syllabus indicates the general scope and character of the examination, without being exhaustive of all parts of the subject. Candidates are expected to show a general acquaintance with the apparatus by which the elementary principles of Physics are illustrated and applied :—

*General Properties of Solids, Liquids, and Gases.*—Relation between Volume and Pressure in Gases.

Diffusion in Liquids and Gases.

*Heat.*—Definition of Temperature. Construction and use of Instruments for the measurement of Temperature.

Expansion of Solids, Liquids, and Gases with rise of Temperature. Convection in Fluids.

Quantity of Heat. Specific Heat.

Change of State. Latent Heat. Vapour Pressure. Boiling Point.

Dew-point. Formation of Cloud, Fog, and Dew.

Conduction. Definition of Thermal Conductivity.

Radiation: its Emission, Propagation, Reflection, Refraction, and Absorption; its Relation to Light.

The Mechanical Equivalent of Heat and Modes of Determination. The Conservation of Energy.

*Sound.*—The Production and Propagation of Sound.

Nature of Wave-motion. Amplitudes. Wave-length. Frequency.

Experimental determination of the Velocity of Sound in Air. Echoes. Effect of change of Temperature on the Velocity.

Determination of Frequency by simple methods.

Experimental investigation of the modes of Vibration of Strings by means of the Sonometer.

Experimental investigation of the Vibrations of Air in Pipes by Resonance to Tuning Forks.

Organ Pipes. Position of Nodes and Antinodes.

*Optics.*—Propagation of Light. Measurement of Velocity. Laws of Reflection and Refraction. Photometry.

Reflection at Plane and Spherical Surfaces, and the formation of Images.

Refraction at Plane Surfaces and by Prisms. Minimum deviation. Chromatic dispersion.

The formation of Images by single Lenses. Long and Short Sight and their correction by Lenses.

The Combination of Two Lenses to form a simple Telescope or Microscope.

*Magnetism and Electricity.*—Properties of Magnets. Simple Phenomena of Magnetism and of Magnetic Induction (Influence).

The Magnetic Field. Lines of Force. The Law of Magnetic Force.

The Earth as a Magnet.

The Simpler Phenomena of Electrified Bodies. Conduction and Insulation. Electrification by friction and by Induction (Influence).

Distribution of Electrification on Conductors.

Electric Field. Strength of Field.

The Law of Electric Force.

Potential. Capacity. Energy of Charge.

Electric Discharge and Electric Current.

Primary and Secondary Batteries.

Magnetic Field of Current. Magnetic Measurement of Current. Galvanometers.

Work done by an Electric Current.

Electromotive Force. Difference of Potential. Resistance.  
 Ohm's Law: Volt; Ohm; Ampère; Watt; Joule.  
 Heating Effects of Currents.  
 Elementary Phenomena of Electrolysis. Faraday's Law.  
 Action on Current Circuits in a Magnetic Field.  
 Electro-magnetic Induction. Faraday's Law. Lenz's Law. Induction Coil.

*Practical Examination.*

The following scheme is not exhaustive, and is intended merely to show the general nature of the exercises at the practical examination. The examiners are not precluded from setting other exercises and practical problems illustrative of the principles set forth in the Syllabus:—

Length Measurements by Millimetre Rule.  
 Eye-estimation of tenths of a Division.  
 Use of Vernier, Linear, and Angular.  
 Determination of Areas and Volumes by Measurement of Linear Dimensions.  
 Use of the balance, weighing to one centigramme.  
 Determination of Volumes by Weighing in Water.  
 Specific Gravities of Solids, Powders, and Liquids.  
 Use of the Hydrometer.  
 Verification of Boyle's Law.  
 Reading the Barometric Height.  
 Determination of the Centre of Gravity of a Plate.  
 Use of Atwood's Machine.  
 Time of Swing of a Simple Pendulum and Verification of the Formula  $t \propto \sqrt{l}$ .  
 Determination of a Velocity of Sound in a Tube by Resonance with a Fork  
 Use of the Sonometer.  
 Use of Thermometers, and Determination of Fixed Points.  
 Simple Methods of determining Specific Heat and Latent Heat of Fusion.  
 Determination of Dew-point.  
 Use of Simple Photometers.  
 Focal Lengths of Concave Mirrors.  
 Focal Lengths of Convex Lenses.  
 Arrangement of two Lenses to make simple forms of Telescope, Microscope, and Magic Lantern  
 Arrangements of a Slit, Lens, and Prism to get a pure Spectrum.  
 Tracing the path of a Ray of Light through a block of glass and Deduction of Refractive Index.  
 Tracing the lines of force in the neighbourhood of a Magnet.  
 Mode of making a simple Electro-magnet.  
 Gold Leaf Electroscope and its use to find the sign of a given charge.  
 Mode of setting up common Voltaic Cells. Modes of joining up Cells.  
 Determination of the signs of the terminals of a Cell.  
 Use of simple Galvanometers.  
 Measurement of Resistance.  
 Simple experiments on Induced Currents.  
 Candidates must bring to the practical examination the notebooks containing the record of their laboratory work.

GEOGRAPHY AND HISTORY. (*Two Papers.*)

*Geography.*—Questions on descriptive and general geography.

*History.*—The general course of English History and the development of the British Empire, from the accession of Henry VII. to the present time, with a more detailed knowledge of the reign of Queen Victoria.

SINHALESE.

Translation of passages from Sinhalese into English and from English into Sinhalese. Questions on Grammar. A fair knowledge of Sinhalese literature will be expected. An oral examination will also be held locally, in which candidates will be tested as to their ability to interpret from Sinhalese into English and *vice versa*.

TAMIL.

Translation of passages from Tamil into English and from English into Tamil. Questions on Grammar. A fair knowledge of Tamil literature will be expected. An oral examination will also be held locally, in which candidates will be tested as to their ability to interpret from Tamil into English and *vice versa*.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Colombo, February 17, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
 Colonial Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that applications have been received for grants in aid of the following schools:—

- Rev. G. B. Ekanayaka .. Mattakkuliya Mixed Anglo-Vernacular School, which is situated within the Colombo Municipal limits.  
 Observations will be received not later than March 30, 1911.  
 B. Gunananda Unnanse .. Koswatta Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Pitigal korāle of the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province.  
 Observations will be received not later than April 20, 1911.

Department of Public Instruction,  
 Colombo, March 24, 1911.

J. HARWARD,  
 Director.

## GOVERNMENT TRAINING COLLEGE, COLOMBO.

## Entrance Examination for 1912 and 1913.

## ENGLISH CLASSES (MEN AND WOMEN).

**A**N Entrance Examination for admission to the English classes will be held at the Training College on November 1, 2, 3, 1911, commencing at 10.30 A.M. In order to gain admission to this examination, intending candidates must apply to the Principal of the Training College during the month of September for an admission form. These forms must be returned on or before October 16. Candidates will then be informed whether they have been selected to appear at the examination.

The students of these classes will be trained for teacherships in grant-in-aid and Government schools. The following studentships are offered for competition:—

- (a) Thirteen studentships of Rs. 300 per annum each, with free tuition and free railway passes for use during vacations.
- (b) Six studentships carrying free tuition with free board and residence when the College is in session, and free railway passes for use during vacations.

Besides the nineteen students who receive the above allowances, twelve additional students will, if eligible candidates present themselves, be appointed, who will receive no allowance, but will be allowed to take up the first-year course free of charge, at the end of which they will receive a third class certificate, if their record during the year and their performance at the first-year examination be satisfactory. Such students will be allowed to complete the course, and if their work shows exceptional progress, will be eligible for appointment to a studentship of Rs. 300 in their second-year course. Four of these twelve will, if eligible candidates present themselves, be students who will take a special course with a view to qualify for the certificate under (c) below.

It must be understood that all students are appointed on probation for the first three months, and will not be allowed to continue their course unless their work shows a reasonable degree of promise.

The Second Class certificate issued to students at the conclusion of their course at the Government Training College will in future be of three grades:—

- (a) A certificate which qualifies a teacher to be in charge of a secondary school.
- (b) A certificate which qualifies a teacher to be in charge of an elementary school.
- (c) A certificate which qualifies a teacher to be in charge of an infant school; this certificate will be recognized for the purpose of awarding the higher grant under clause 36 of the Code for Aided Schools.

The Entrance Examination will consist of two parts:—

## I.—Compulsory subjects:—

- (1) English Language: Grammar and Idiom.
- (2) English Composition.
- (3) Reading aloud an unprepared passage from a work of a standard English author.
- (4) Arithmetic.
- (5) History and Geography, general knowledge of English History, and general Geography of the World.

## II.—Optional subjects:—

Mathematics: Algebra to Quadratic Equations.

Geometry: the subject-matter of Euclid's Books I. to III. (experimentally and theoretically).

Languages: A.—Latin: Translation, Grammar, and Composition.

B.—Sinhalese: Ummagga Jataka and Guttilla. Grammar. Composition.

C.—Tamil: Panohatantra, Nayadatam (verse), and Ilakkanachchurukkam. Composition.

N.B.—Only one of A, B, or C can be taken.

No further information will be given concerning this syllabus.

## SINHALESE CLASS (MEN).

The students in this Department will be trained for masterships in Government Sinhalese schools.

Fifteen studentships will be open for competition to selected monitors in Government schools who pass their third-year examination at either of the two examinations immediately preceding the date of the Entrance Examination.

Selected students will receive free board and lodging at the College during the session, text books will be provided and free passes on the railway will be issued for use during the vacations. The period of training will extend over two years, and at the end of this period those who pass the Final Examination will receive certificates of the second or third class in accordance with the record of their work in the College and their performance at the Final Examination.

Certificates of the first class will be issued only to trained teachers in the service of the Department who hold second class certificates after an uninterrupted service of ten years as head teacher in a school of the class corresponding to the certificate, provided that their conduct and efficiency be approved by the Director. For scale of payments see clause 8 of the Departmental Code.

The following will be the subjects for the Entrance Examination:—

Sinhalese Literature: Ummagga Jataka and Guttilla. Grammar. Composition and Dictation.

Arithmetic.

Reading aloud from an unseen passage.

History of Ceylon.

General Geography of the World, Ceylon, and Asia in detail.

N.B.—No further particulars will be given concerning the subjects of this examination.

The Entrance Examination will be held at the Training College and at the Muhammadan School, Trincomalee street, Kandy, on November 1, 2, and 3, 1911, commencing at 10.30 A.M. In order to gain admission to this examination, intending candidates must apply to the Principal of the Training College during the month of September for an admission form. These forms must be returned on or before October 16. Candidates will then be informed whether they have been selected to appear at the examination.

E. EVANS,  
Principal, Government Training College.



## The English University Scholarship.

WINNERS of the University Scholarship who wish to study medicine will in future be allowed to choose between the two following alternatives:—

(a) To proceed to England at once to commence their medical studies, in which case they would receive a scholarship £600 spread over three years, and in addition, if certified as having shown marked promise and industry, a further sum of £200.

(b) To defer the scholarship until they have spent two years at the Ceylon Medical College, and then proceed to England, in which case they will draw £200 a year for their three years in England, and will then be eligible for a further £200, if they have shown marked promise and industry and desire to carry out a course of post-graduate study. Such a scholar may, if his parents' circumstances render it necessary, be exempted by His Excellency the Governor from paying the fees of the Ceylon Medical College, provided that the sessional reports as to his behaviour and progress are satisfactory.

Office of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, March 20, 1911.

J. HARWARD,  
Director.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under section 16 of "The Rural Schools Ordinance of 1907," an application has been received from the Chairman, District School Committee, Colombo, for establishing a Government Girls' School at Ihalayagoda, which is situated in Meda pattu of the Siyane Korale West of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than April 24, 1911.

Department of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, March 22, 1911.

J. HARWARD,  
Director.

THE Annual General Meeting of the depositors of the Ceylon Savings Bank will be held at the Council Chamber on Friday, the 31st instant, at 3 P.M.

Ceylon Savings Bank,  
Colombo, March 22, 1911.

E. DE KRETZER,  
Secretary.

I HEREBY notify that I have approved and appointed the small vault in No. 2 Warehouse (also known as the P. and O. Company's Warehouse) at Galle to be a Reshipment Warehouse, in which goods may be deposited for transhipment.

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, March 15, 1911.

C. D. VIGORS,  
Principal Collector.

## Statement of Arrivals and Departures of Immigrant Coolies during the Month of February, 1911.

Ports.	Arrivals.		Departures.		Total for 2 Months.	
	Arrivals.	Departures.	Arrivals.	Departures.	Arrivals.	Departures.
Colombo	4,449	5,256	7,934	10,176		
Negombo	—	—	—	—		
Mannar	—	—	—	—		
Pesalai	—	—	—	—		
Vankalai	—	—	—	—		
Total	4,449	5,256	7,934	10,176		

H. M. Customs,  
Colombo, March 18, 1911.

A. R. SLATER,  
for Principal Collector.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned works to be carried out up to October 31, 1911:—

(a) To fell in Eramudugoda, Pusbadawa, and Bogalkanda forests, in Weligam korale, Matara District, and to saw, transport, and deliver at the Matara Railway station, 2,500 sleepers of 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. They should be supplied in lots of not less than 800 every two months from date of signing the contract.

(b) To fell in Diyadawa forest, near Kotapola, in Morawak korale, Matara District, and to saw, transport, and deliver at the Matara Railway station 1,500 sleepers of 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. They should be supplied in lots of not less than 400 every two months from date of signing the contract.

(c) To fell in Beraliya forest, Galle District, and to saw, transport, and deliver at the Ambalangoda Railway station 2,500 sleepers of 9 ft. 10 in. by 5 in. They should be supplied in lots of not less than 800 every two months from date of signing the contract.

(d) To fell in Nabadawa, Ensalwatta, and Kaluwagaha forests, in Talpe pattu, Galle District, and to saw, transport, and deliver at the Ahangama Railway station 1,500 sleepers of 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. They should be supplied in lots of not less than 400 every two months from date of signing the contract.

2. The kind of wood to be used, and the trees for felling will be marked by the Forest Department.

3. A rate per sleeper delivered should be quoted, written both in words and figures. Tenderers should also quote a rate per sleeper of 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. to be sawn from timber unsuited for conversion into broad gauge sleepers.

4. 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.

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

6. Tenders should be marked "Tender for supply of Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and

should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 4, 1911.

7. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of Assistant Conservator of Forests, Matara, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

8. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and receipts 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 approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests that his tender has been accepted, such deposits will be forfeited to the Crown, and the acceptance of the tender will be nugatory. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

9. 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.

10. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 7. Cash security at the rate of 5 per cent. on the amount of the contract will be required before signing the contract.

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

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

13. 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.

W. W. FYERS,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Galle Division.

Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Matara, February 25, 1911.

**TENDERS** are hereby separately invited for the sleeper services described in the annexed schedule and marked "A" and "B," less such portion in each service as might have been completed departmentally when the contract is entered into.

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 Sleeper Service A or B," as the case may be, in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 4, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Jaffna, and not tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 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 after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna Division, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the acceptance of the tender will be nugatory. 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 the contract. The amount of bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5. A cash security of 5 per cent. of the value of contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the bond. The sureties will be required to produce a certificate of competency signed by a Chief Headman before signing the bond.

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.

11. Tenders should quote both in words and figures a rate per sleeper delivered stacked, separate rates being quoted for sleepers of different lengths.

12. Only trees allotted for the purpose by the Forest Department are to be felled.

13. The time allowed for completion of the work will be to the close of May, 1911.

14. Applications for tender forms must be made at least ten days before the date of closing of the tenders.

A. J. KILMARTIN,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Jaffna, February 28, 1911. Jaffna Division.

*Service "A."*

To fell within six inches of the ground in an area in the Jaffna Range—bounded as follows:—

*North:* The Iranaimadu Sleeper Sawing Depot;

*East:* The Kanagarayan-aar;

*South:* The old Kokkavil road;

*West:* The new eastern boundary of Iranaimadu reserved forest—

stamped palu, milla, mi, ann kumbuk trees, to saw them into—

115 sleepers of 10 ft. by 10 in. by 6 in.			
134 do.	11	do.	
104 do.	12	do.	
74 do.	13	do.	
74 do.	14	do.	
120 do.	15	do.	
21 do.	16	do.	

and to deliver the same properly stacked at the Forest Department Sleeper Depot at the Kilinochchi Siding.

*Service "B."*

To fell within six inches of the ground in the Crown forest in Pumeryn district, between Mulankavil and Chunavil, stamped palu, milla, mi, and kumbuk trees, to saw them into—

116 sleepers of 10 ft. by 10 in. by 6 in.			
134 do.	11	do.	
104 do.	12	do.	
74 do.	13	do.	
74 do.	14	do.	
114 do.	15	do.	
21 do.	16	do.	

to transport the sleepers by boats to the South Bar, Mannar, and deliver them over to the Railway Extension authorities.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the under-mentioned works to be carried out during the twelve months commencing from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912:—

(a) To fell and deliver on the railway line between Nawalapitiya and Pattipola, 2,000 cubic yards firewood per mensem, to be cut in lengths of 3 ft. and not more than 24 in. or less than 12 in. in girth.

(b) To fell and deliver at Kandapola wood stages, 150 cubic yards of firewood per mensem, to be cut in lengths of 2 ft. and not more than 24 in. or less than 9 in. in girth.

The following woods should not be cut for firewood, viz.:—Etdambata, lunumiddala, rukattana, diyikaduru, cotton, erabada, kekuna, amba, gedumba, kadju, walkaduru, and dadap.

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 the supply of Firewood to the Railway" in the left hand-top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 4, 1911.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 for each separate service tendered for 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 after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the acceptance of the tender will be nugatory. 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. The rate per cubic yard must be written both in figures and words.

9. All alterations in any tender must be initialled by person signing it, otherwise the tender will be rejected as informal.

10. A deposit of 5 per cent. on the total cost of each separate service will be required as security for the due fulfilment of the contract before it is ratified.

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

12. 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.

13. Other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the office referred to in section 5.

L. V. WILLIAMS,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Nuwara Eliya Division.

Forest Office,  
Nuwara Eliya, February 21, 1911.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the under-mentioned work to be carried out during 1911 :—

To convert and deliver 500 reddun sleepers at Hatton Railway Yard from trees marked for the purpose in the Kotagala reserve of the Hatton range. Sleepers to be 9 ft. long, 10 in. broad, and 5 in. deep, free from sapwood and other defects. Distance from forest to the Railway Station varies from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles.

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 Reddun Sleepers at Hatton" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 4, 1911.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 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 a contract or bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya Division, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the acceptance of the tender will be nugatory. 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. The rate per sleeper must be written both in figures and words.

9. All alterations in any tender must be initialled by person signing it, otherwise the tender will be rejected as informal.

10. A deposit of 5 per cent. of total cost of work will be required as security for the due fulfilment of the contract before it is ratified.

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

12. 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.

13. Other necessary information can be ascertained on application at the office referred to in section 5.

L. V. WILLIAMS,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Nuwara Eliya Division.

Forest Office,  
Nuwara Eliya, November 18, 1910.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the under-mentioned work :—

To remove from the shore, load, and ship 50 halmilla and 50 milla logs (more or less) from the Okanda Bay in Akkarai pattu range, Batticaloa District, and to deliver them to the Central Timber Depot cart contractor at the landing jetty in Colombo, in sound condition. The work to be completed within 2½ months from the date of signing the contract.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed, and the original should be addressed to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa Division, Batticaloa, and the duplicate forwarded to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy.

3. The tenders should either be delivered at the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, or at that of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Shipment of Timber" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, not later than 12 noon on Thursday, March 30, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Assistant

Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made 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 the 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 the contract. The amount of security required will be 5 per centum of the value of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

9. The rate per cubic foot of timber to be transported should be stated in the tender, written both in words and figures.

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.

J. C. C. MIDDLETON,  
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Batticaloa, March 4, 1911. Batticaloa Division.

**TENDERS** for the contract of daily scavenging and cleaning drains in the town of Teldeniya, within the Sanitary Board limits, from May 1, 1911, to December 31, 1912, will be received by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy District, up to noon on April 12, 1911.

For particulars of work and conditions of contract apply to the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy.

Sanitary Board Office, W. L. MURPHY,  
Kandy, March 14, 1911. for Chairman.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for extending Maratugoda Boys' School in Harispattu.

2. The tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, District Schools Committee, Kandy. Tenders must be marked "Tenders for Maratugoda School 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 April 12, 1911.

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

4. 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.

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 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.

6. Plans and specifications can be seen, and further information obtained, at the Kachcheri.

7. The District Schools Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserve themselves the right of accepting any tender.

A. H. PINDER,  
Kandy Kachcheri,  
March 16, 1911. for Chairman.

**TENDERS** are invited for the lease of the new hotel at Anuradhapura for a period of three years from July 1, 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 Hon. 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 the Lease of Anuradhapura Hotel" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Hon. the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 25, 1911.

5. A deposit of Rs. 200 must be made at the Treasury or at any Kachcheri, and the receipt attached to the tender. Should any person decline to enter into the contract after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the required security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

6. Full particulars of the conditions of the lease can be obtained from the Government Agent, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, at whose office a plan of the premises can be inspected.

7. The hotel is a two-storied building, with large dining-room, hall, &c., 11 bedrooms, motor house, chauffeur's rooms, coach house, stables, and outhouses. The grounds are large, and were part of the Experimental Garden.

8. The hotel grounds include a tennis court.

9. The following are the principal conditions:—

- (a) Lease to be for three years.
- (b) Furniture to be supplied by lessee.
- (c) Linen and cutlery to be supplied by lessee.
- (d) Rent to be paid monthly.
- (e) Lessee to pay taxes and maintain buildings, furniture, grounds, &c.
- (f) Lessee to carry on business as a first class licensed hotel.
- (g) Charges not to be in excess of sanctioned tariff.
- (h) Lessee to reserve free accommodation for Governor and suite when required.
- (i) Lessee not to assign or underlet without consent of Government Agent.
- (j) Cash security of Rs. 4,000 to be furnished.

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

Anuradhapura Kachcheri, C. S. VAUGHAN,  
March 6, 1911. Government Agent.

**SANCTIONED TARIFF OF RATES.**

Occupation.	Rs. c.
For use of a bedroom for 24 hours or less	1 0
Bath	0 25
Light	0 25
Bed and bedding	1 25

Children in arms, free; other children under 12 years of age, half rates.

*Early Tea.*

Toast, jam or marmalade, with butter and fruit, tea, sugar, and fresh milk
 0 50 |

*Breakfast.*

Fish	}	1 75
One dish meat with vegetables		
Bacon and eggs		
Curry and rice		
Jam or marmalade with bread, toast, butter, and fruit		
Coffee or tea with sugar and fresh milk		

*Afternoon Tea.*

Cake or biscuits, or buttered toast, Tea, sugar, and fresh milk
 0 50 |

*Dinner.*

Soup	}	2 50
Fish		
Entree		
Joint		
Pudding		
Savoury		
Dessert		
Coffee		

*Liquor.*

	Rs. c.
Brandy of the best brands, namely, Martell's or Hennessy's * per glass	0 40
Do. * * * per glass	0 50
Whisky (three of the best brands to be kept in stock) per glass	0 40
Gin, Tanqueray's, per glass	0 30
Sherry	0 40
Port	0 40
Madeira	0 40
Marsala	0 25
Vermouth	0 20
Hock per quart	2 75
Do. per pint	1 50
Champagne per quart	7 0
Do. per pint	4 0
Claret per quart	1 50
Do. per pint	0 90
Beer per quart	0 80
Do. per pint	0 50
Stout per quart	0 80
Do. per pint	0 50

*Aerated Waters (Colombo Manufactured).*

Aerated waters (Colombo manufactured) per bottle	0 25
Lime and soda (Colombo manufactured)	0 35

*Stabling, &c.*

For stabling for 24 hours or under, for each horse	0 25
For coach house for 24 hours or under, for each conveyance	0 25
For each carriage or cart inside the compound, for 24 hours or less	0 25
For each bullock kept inside the compound, for 24 hours or less	0 25
For motor car, for 24 hours or less	1 0

Provided that chauffeurs are not to be given accommodation except in rooms Nos. 12 to 16, and the charges for occupation and meals for chauffeurs are not to exceed the following:—

	Rs. c.
Occupation	0 50
Bed, bedding, and light	0 75
Early tea or coffee and hoppers	0 50

*Breakfast.*

One dish meat or fish	}	1 0
Curry and rice		
Coffee or tea with fresh milk		
Bread or toast		

*Dinner.*

Soup	}	1 25
Fish or joint		
Pudding or curry and rice		

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for transporting 10,000 cwt. of salt from the General Stores, Karaiur, to the Salt Stores, Mannar. The successful tenderer will be required to transport 3,000 cwt. by March 31, 1911, and the balance in October next.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to (a) the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna (original), (b) the Controller of Revenue, Colombo (duplicate).

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for transporting Salt, Mannar," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Offices of the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, March 28, 1911.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Jaffna 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 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.

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. The tenderers must state the rate of freight per cwt. The rate of wastage allowed will be not exceeding 2 per cent.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the Jaffna Kacheheri.

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.

Jaffna Kacheheri,  
March 13, 1911.

H. R. FREEMAN,  
Government Agent.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for plumbing work in connection with new drains, &c., Queen's House, Colombo.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and duplicate direct to the Director of Public Works, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Plumbing Work, Queen's House, Colombo," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and the Director of Public Works, not later than midday on March 25, 1911.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box, in the Office of the Provincial Engineer, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, 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. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 10 either at the Treasury or the Kacheheri 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. 10 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.

7. Plans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

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

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

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, March 15, 1911.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for supply of best kallunda rice for the use of the Public Works Department in the Central Province at stations named below from May 16 to December 31, 1911:—

- (a) At any place within the limits of Kandy town.  
(b) At any place within the departmental district of Kandy.

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, Kandy, 1911," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 25, 1911.

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 rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets or bottles at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, not later than midday on April 25, 1911.

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 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, Central Province, Kandy, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized forms 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 Kacheheri, 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. 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. 500 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

10. 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.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director of Public Works.  
Public Works Department,  
Colombo, March 20, 1911.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the privilege of selling refreshments inside Railway premises at the Colombo Goods Shed from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, from persons willing to tender for same.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the General Manager of the Railway, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the Office of the General Manager of the Railway, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the privilege of selling Refreshments at Colombo Goods Shed" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the General Manager of the Railway not later than midday on Tuesday, April 11, 1911.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. The successful tenderer will be allowed the sole and exclusive right to sell fruits, bread, cakes, and other refreshments, exclusive of intoxicating liquors, within the Railway premises at Colombo Goods Shed during such hours as the said premises are opened for traffic work.

8. The successful tenderer should provide at his own expense a portable hut, of design approved by the General Manager, not exceeding 14 ft. by 7 ft., which will be permitted to be placed at a spot to be pointed out by the Goods Agent, on the understanding that he may at any time be called upon to remove the same should the site on which it is placed be required for other purposes.

9. The Government will accept no responsibility for the safe custody of the contents of the hut.

10. The successful tenderer shall agree to subject himself and his servants to all reasonable orders of the General Manager, Traffic Superintendent, or the Goods Agent.

11. The number of salesmen or other servants admitted to the Railway premises will be limited to two.

12. The successful tenderer will be required to keep his hut and surroundings in a clean and tidy condition, and remove all his refuse matter from the Railway premises each day.

13. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit as security for the good behaviour of himself and his servants and for ensuring compliance with all the conditions of the contract the sum of Rs. 50.

14. The tenderer should state the amount he is prepared to pay in advance on the first day of each calendar month for the privilege. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

15. The security should be furnished within ten days of acceptance of tender being notified.

16. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

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

18. 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.

19. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, March 21, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for washing blankets, mattresses, kit bags, haversacks, hospital linen, &c., at Colombo, on the termination of the Volunteer Concentration in June, 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 washing Bedding, &c., of the C. V. Force," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 28, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Volunteer Headquarters, Slave Island, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 only 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 after he has tendered, 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. Upon a contract being entered into the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

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

each bond, and 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.

G. H. STEVENSON, Captain,  
Staff Officer, Ceylon Volunteer Force.

Colombo, March 7, 1911.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for supplying provisions, &c., to the Ceylon Volunteers, to be delivered at the Concentration, Colombo, to be held in June, 1911, also horse food, transport, cooly labour, cleaning of latrines, kerosine oil, scavenging of camp, &c.

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 provisioning C. V. Concentration, 1911," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 28, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Volunteer Headquarters, Slave Island, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 150 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 after he has tendered, 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. Upon a contract being entered into the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

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 must be deposited at the Volunteer Headquarters before March 28, 1911, or tenders will not be considered.

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

G. H. STEVENSON, Captain,  
Staff Officer, Ceylon Volunteer Force.  
Colombo, March 7, 1911.

**SEPARATE** tenders are hereby invited for the supply of fresh cows' milk to the hospitals at Gampola, Haputale, and Galle, for the period commencing from July 1, 1911, and terminating on June 30, 1912.

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 "Tenders for the supply of fresh milk to the Hospitals" 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 April 4, 1911.

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 any 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluding from having any concern in a Government contract. 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, Colombo.

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

Colombo, March 15, 1911.

**S**EPARATE Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from the date of acceptance of the tender or any date hereafter to be fixed and terminating on June 30, 1912.

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 "Tenders for the supply of provisions to the ——— Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 11, 1911.

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, according to the schedule hereunder, will be required to be made at any 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security, according to the schedule hereunder, 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.

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.

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

Colombo, March 22, 1911.

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

SCHEDULE.

Institution.	Nature of Diets to be supplied.	Amount	
		of Tender Deposit.	of Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Moratuwa Hospital	.. Cooked with milk	.. 100	.. 200
Watupitiwala Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of cooked provisions with milk to the Moneragala Hospital for the period commencing from the date of acceptance of the tender and terminating on June 30, 1912.

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 "Tenders for the supply of provisions to the Moneragala Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 4, 1911.

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. 100 will be required to be made at any 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security to the extent of Rs. 200, 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.

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.

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

Colombo, March 14, 1911.

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

SEPARATE Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period commencing from July 1, 1911, and terminating on June 30, 1912.

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 "Tenders for the supply of provisions to the ——— Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 4, 1911.

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, according to the schedule hereunder, will be required to be made at any 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, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security, according to the schedule hereunder, 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.

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.

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

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

Colombo, March 11, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

Institution.	Nature of Diets to be supplied.	Amount of Tender Deposit. Rs.	Amount of Security. Rs.
(1) Lunatic Asylum ..	Raw provisions without milk ..	1,000 ..	2,000
(2) General Hospital, Colombo, Pauper section	Uncooked diets without milk ..	1,000 ..	2,000
(3) General Hospital, Colombo, Paying section	Uncooked diets without milk and firewood ..	500 ..	1,000
(4) Lady Havelock Hospital ..	Uncooked diets without milk ..	500 ..	1,000
(5) Hambantota Hospital ..	Cooked diets with milk ..	100 ..	200
(6) Matale Hospital ..	do. ..	300 ..	600

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable bull will be sold by public auction at the Peradeniya Gardens on Monday, May 1, 1911, at 9.30 A.M. :—

1 bull

Public Works Department, E. H. VANDERSTRAATEN,  
Kandy, March 20, 1911. District Engineer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable article will be sold by public auction at Gangarooka Experiment Station, Peradeniya, on Monday, May 1, 1911, at 10 A.M. :—

1 cacao drying stone

Public Works Department, E. H. VANDERSTRAATEN,  
Kandy, March 20, 1911. District Engineer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Government Civil Hospital, Kandy, on Saturday, April 29, 1911, at 9.30 A.M. :—

25 wooden cots

Public Works Department, E. H. VANDERSTRAATEN,  
Kandy, March 20, 1911. District Engineer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Bogambra Jail, Kandy, on Monday, May 1, 1911, at 8.30 A.M. :—

2 empty tar barrels	1 grinding stone
275 iron weather protectors	164 zinc pieces square perforated
10 packing cases	

Public Works Department, E. H. VANDERSTRAATEN,  
Kandy, March 20, 1911. District Engineer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to the District Court of Colombo will be sold by public auction at the District Court of Colombo on Saturday, April 1, 1911, at 11 A.M. :—

9 wooden almirahs  
16 do. chairs  
1 do. table

By order.

District Court, D. M. JANSZ,  
Colombo, March 20, 1911. Secretary.

WILL be sold by public auction at these Stores on Tuesday, the 28th instant, at 12 noon, a lot of empty tar barrels, old wood, zinc lining, &c.

Government Stores, W. A. TAYLOR,  
Colombo, March 18, 1911. Colonial Storekeeper.



## VITAL STATISTICS.

## Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended March 18, 1911.

**Births.**—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 116 (2 Europeans, 11 Burghers, 73 Sinhalese, 9 Tamils, 15 Moors, 4 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1911, viz., 189,423) was 31.9, as against 36.6 in the preceding week, 27.5 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25.6 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 115 (4 Europeans, 2 Burghers, 51 Sinhalese, 30 Tamils, 21 Moors, 6 Malays, and 1 Other). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 31.7, as against 29.7 in the previous week, 28.6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.2 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 115 total deaths, 17 were of infants under one year of age, as against 21 in the preceding week, and in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 27 the average for last year.

**Stillbirths.**—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 4.

**Selected Causes of Death.**—Twenty-one deaths were registered from *Pneumonia* (against 19 in the previous week and 12 the weekly average for last year), of which 7 were in St. Paul's, 6 in Kotahena, 3 in Maradana hospitals, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in Pettah, San Sebastian, and Kollupitiya North. Six deaths were registered from *Bronchitis*.

2. Eleven deaths were registered from *Phthisis*, as in the previous week (against 13 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 were in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 each in New Bazaar and Maradana hospitals, and 1 each in San Sebastian, St. Paul's, Kotahena, and Slave Island.

3. Nine deaths were registered from *Enteritis*, 8 *Infantile Convulsions*, 7 *Diarrhoea* (1 infant), 6 *Old Age*, 4 *Debility* (2 infants), 2 *Worms*, 2 *Dysentery*, 2 *Remittent Fever*, 2 *Inflammation of the Brain*, 2 *Paralysis*, 2 *Nephritis*, and 20 from *Other Causes*.

4. Eleven deaths were registered from *Enteric Fever* (against 9 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year), of which 4 were in Kotahena, and 1 each in Pettah, San Sebastian, Maradana hospitals, Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), Slave Island, Kollupitiya North, and Kollupitiya South. There were 20 cases reported during the week, against 18 in the previous week.

5. Twelve cases of *Measles* were reported, against 1 in the previous week; and 55 of *Chickenpox*, against 53 in the previous week.

**State of the Weather.**—The mean temperature of air was 82.8°, against 82.7° in the preceding week and 79.8° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29.964 in., against 29.935 in. in the preceding week, and 29.985 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0.05 in., against 0.01 in. in the preceding week, and 0.03 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, March 21, 1911.

N. W. MORGAPPAN,  
for Registrar-General.

## [Notice received after closing of Part V.]

BY virtue of writs issued from the District Court of Kandy in cases Nos. 20,782, 20,783, and 20,784—  
Muna Pana Muttu Vyra Pulle.....Plaintiff  
Vs.

(1) Selena Harriet Estrop, (2) Richard Oswald  
Estrop .....Defendants—

I shall, under the authority of the Fiscal for the Central Province, sell by public auction on Saturday, April 1, 1911, at 2 P.M., at the spot, the following property, viz. :—

House No. 47, situated at Trincomalee street in the town of Kandy; and bounded on the north by the property of

Tampagaragedera Punchirala, on the west by Trincomalee street, on the south by the property of Sada Saibo Naroo Saibo and his brother Ibrahim Saibo, and on the east by the Pavilion ground; containing in extent 7 67/100 square perches.

Amount of writs: No. 20,782, Rs. 758.33 and interest; No. 20,783, Rs. 1,424.25 and interest; No. 20,784, Rs. 2,762.17 and interest.

Kandy, March 21, 1911.

M. AHAMADO LEBBE,  
Public Auctioneer.