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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

In the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY EDWARD MCCALLUM, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Municipal Councils' Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, the Municipal Council of Kandy has, in pursuance of section 109 (1) of the said Ordinance, amended, altered, and varied the by-laws, numbered respectively 137, 143, 144, 150, 156, 157, 159, 161, 162, 164, and 173, which are contained in Chapter XII. of the by-laws proclaimed on December 18, 1906, in the manner set forth in the schedule hereto:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by sub-section (3) of section 109 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby confirm and proclaim the amendments, alterations, and variations of the by-laws aforesaid as the same are set forth in the said schedule hereto.

Given at Elephant Pass, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eleven.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Section 137.—For "Magistrate" substitute "Commissioner of the Court of Requests of Kandy, who shall exercise jurisdiction whatever the amount involved may be, and whose decision shall be subject to an appeal to the Supreme Court."

Add Section 137 a.—Every such appeal shall be presented within the time and in the manner and subject to the rules and practice provided for and observed in appeals from order of Courts of Requests in their ordinary jurisdiction.

Appealable
time, &c.

Power of Council to exempt any division, house, or land from payment of water-rate.

"Domestic purposes," what not included in.

Prices of water for other than domestic purposes.

Council may allow private service.

Meter to be fixed in the case of every new service and excess water charged for.

Power of Chairman to cut off water supply to prevent waste.

When water is improperly used meter to be affixed to existing services and excess water charged for.

Add Section 137 b.—The Municipal Council may, with the consent of the Governor in Executive Council, from time to time, by notification in the *Government Gazette*, exempt any division or part of a division of the Municipality, and without such consent, any house, land, or tenement, from payment of the water-rate leviable under the provisions of Ordinance No. 8 of 1895.

For section 143 substitute the following :—

Section 143.—Water supplied to premises occupied wholly or in any part for the following purposes shall be considered as supplied for other than domestic purposes, viz. :—

- (1) For the purposes of conducting or carrying on any trade or manufactory in which water is used.
- (2) For the purposes of a hotel, private boarding house, restaurant, lodging house.
- (3) For public bathing places.
- (4) For keeping horses, cattle, or vehicles for sale or hire.
- (5) For swimming baths.
- (6) For fountains or hydraulic motors not used in connection with any trade.
- (7) For watering gardens or compounds where special appliances or connections are fixed permanently or temporarily to any service pipe or main for the purpose.
- (8) For building or road-making or road-repairing purposes.

Add Section 143 a.—The prices of water supplied by meter for other than domestic purposes shall be as follows :—

- (1) To premises occupied wholly or in part—
 - (a) For the purposes of conducting or carrying on any trade or manufactory in which water is used, Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons.
 - (b) For the purposes of a hotel, private boarding house, restaurant, lodging house, Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons.
 - (c) As public bathing places, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
 - (d) For keeping horses, cattle, or vehicles for sale or hire, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
- (2) To premises upon which water is used for—
 - (a) Swimming baths, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
 - (b) Fountains and hydraulic motors not used in connection with any trade, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
 - (c) Watering gardens or compounds, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
 - (d) Building and road-making and road-repairing purposes, Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons.

For section 144 substitute the following :—

Section 144.—It shall be lawful for the Council, on application by the owner or occupier of any house, to allow a private service of water to such house for domestic purposes, and to fix a meter on the pipe supplying such house or premises. The provision of section 157 in reference to the quantity of water allowed and to the charges for excess of water shall be applicable to this section. When private service is allowed, the connection between the Municipal main and the premises to be served, as well as the necessary service pipes and fittings, shall be made, laid, and affixed by Municipal workmen under the supervision of the Superintendent of Works, at the expense of the person applying for such private service. The Council may require the estimated cost of such private service to be paid into the Municipal fund before the work in connection therewith is commenced. Also all future repairs, extensions, and alterations shall be executed at the expense of such owner or occupier.

Section 150.—After the word "recovered" read "as if the same were a tax under the Municipal Councils' Ordinance and any existing or future amending Ordinances."

After section 156 add the following :—

Section 156 a.—Whenever water is found running to waste from any tap, meter, pipe, or other fittings which is supplied with water from the waterworks, the Chairman or person duly authorized by him in writing may at once cut off the water, and such service shall not be re-connected until the cause of the waste is remedied.

For section 157 substitute the following :—

Section 157.—Should the Council be of opinion that in any house or premises water from the Municipal waterworks is used by other than members of the household, or is wasted or unduly consumed, it shall be lawful for the Council to fix a meter on the pipe supplying such house or premises, and the owner or occupier shall pay for all water shown by the meter to have been consumed in excess of three thousand gallons, for every rupee of water-rate

per quarter assessed in respect of such house or premises the sum of one rupee for every thousand gallons of such excess.

Supply for other than domestic purposes, charges for.

Add Section 157 a.—It shall be lawful for the Council to fix a meter on the pipe supplying water to any house or premises where the water is used for other than domestic purposes. The value of the amount of water consumed during the quarter shall be ascertained as provided in section 143 A, and from the amount thus obtained a deduction of $\frac{1}{3}$ per cent. of the annual value of the premises, as ascertained under the provisions of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, shall be made.

Supply on agreement.

Add Section 157 b.—The Council may also agree with any person to supply water for other than domestic purposes, provided an agreement in the Form L in the schedule hereto annexed shall have been entered into with the Chairman of the Municipal Council.

Section 159.—After the word “recovered” insert “as if the same were a tax under the Municipal Councils’ Ordinance and any existing or future amending Ordinances.”

After section 161 add the following :—

Quarterly consumption, calculation of.

Section 161 a.—For the purpose of calculating the quarterly consumption the difference between two readings of the meter shall be taken. The first reading may be that observed on any day not more than ten days before or after the calendar date of the commencement of the quarter, or in case of a newly fixed meter the first reading of the meter. The second reading may be that taken on any day not more than ten days earlier or later than the calendar termination of the quarter, or if the meter is removed, or the supply closed during the quarter, then the last reading shall be taken as the second reading for ascertaining the quarter’s water consumption. If two or more meters have been in use during the quarter, then the quarter’s consumption shall be the sum of the quantities indicated by the meters. Provided always that the reading used as the last reading of any quarter shall be used as the first reading of the ensuing quarter.

After section 162 add the following :—

Meter to be tested at consumer’s request.

Section 162 a.—If the consumer doubts the accuracy of the meter which measures the water supplied to the premises occupied by him, then the meter shall on demand be tested by the Superintendent of Municipal Works. The consumer or any person appointed by him may be present when the meter is tested. The result of the testing shall be binding both on the Council and on the consumer, and the quantity of water indicated by the meter for the month shall be counted according to the result of the test. If the meter be found to indicate correctly, or if it be found to indicate too little, then a fee of Rs 2.50 shall be paid to the Municipal Council for testing by the person demanding the test.

To section 164 add :—

Each quarter’s account shall be final, and no surplus shall be carried forward from one quarter to the next.

For section 173 substitute the following :—

Power of Chairman to cut off the water supply in certain cases.

Section 173.—The Chairman may diminish, withhold, or suspend, stop, turn off, or divert the supply of water through or by means of any pipe, service, public fountain, or other appliances connected to the waterworks either wholly or in part, or whenever such Chairman may think fit, and without prejudice to any water-rate, meter rent, or other sums due or to become due under the provisions of this chapter :—

- (1) Whenever the available supply of water from the waterworks shall, in the opinion of the Chairman, be insufficient.
- (2) Whenever it may be expedient or necessary for the purpose of extending, altering, or repairing the waterworks, or for the purpose of the connection of services.
- (3) When any public standpost is damaged, or the water thereof polluted or wasted.
- (4) If the construction or laying of any service by the owner of any premises is not made, altered, or re-adjusted in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.
- (5) If default be made in the payment of any money due under the provisions of this chapter from the owner or occupier of any premises, or so long as such default continues, or at the request of the owner of the tenement.
- (6) In case of fire.
- (7) If any act or thing be done or omitted contrary to the provisions of this chapter in relation to any damage, waste, pollution, or abuse of the waterworks, or any service, meter, or public fountain.

IN the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY EDWARD McCALLUM, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY McCALLUM.

WHEREAS by section 53 of "The Courts Ordinances, 1889 and 1901," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Judges of the Supreme Court, or any three of them, of whom the Chief Justice shall be one, from time to time to frame, constitute, and establish such general rules and orders of Courts as to them shall seem meet for the pleading, practice, and procedure, where not especially provided for by "The Civil Procedure Code, 1889," or the Criminal Procedure Code, upon all actions, suits, prosecutions, and other matters, civil and criminal, to be brought to the Supreme Court and in all matters subordinate to it:

And whereas, in exercise of the aforesaid power and of the power vested in them by "The Foreign Tribunals Evidence Act, 1856," the Judges of the Supreme Court have framed, constituted, and established the rule set forth in the schedule hereto touching the issue of Commissions Rogatoires and Letters of Request for the taking of evidence in foreign countries in civil proceedings pending in Courts in this Island:

And whereas the said rules were, in pursuance of the said section of the said Ordinances, duly laid before the Legislative Council then in session and not objected to within forty days of their being so laid before the Council:

It is hereby proclaimed, in terms of the said section of the said Ordinances, that the said rules shall come into force from the date of the publication hereof.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fifth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eleven.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Rule of Court.

In exercise of the power vested in Us by "The Courts Ordinances, 1889 and 1901," and of every other power enabling Us, We hereby make the following rule:—

Where, in any civil proceeding pending in any Court in this Island, evidence is required to be taken in a foreign country, and a Commission Rogatoire or Letter of Request is issued for that purpose, it shall be accompanied by a list of questions to be put to the witnesses respectively, together with a translation thereof in the language of the foreign State in which the Commission Rogatoire or Letter of Request has to be executed.

Dated at Colombo this Eighth day of November, 1910.

J. T. HUTCHINSON, Chief Justice.
J. P. MIDDLETON, Puisne Justice.
A. WOOD RENTON, Puisne Justice.
JOSEPH GRENIER, Puisne Justice.

IN the Name of His Majesty GEORGE THE FIFTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY EDWARD McCALLUM, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY McCALLUM.

WHEREAS certain regulations were made under the provisions of section 4 of the Cattle Ordinance, No. 10 of 1898, numbered respectively 1, 6, 16, 19, 22, 24, and 25, and were duly published in the *Government Gazette* by a Proclamation bearing date September 30, 1910:

And whereas it is expedient to vary two of the said regulations, to wit, regulations Nos. 1 and 25, and to cancel rule 24:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 4 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby vary regulations Nos. 1 and 25 of the said regulations in manner set forth in the schedule hereto, and do hereby cancel regulation 24.

And We do in all other respects confirm the said Proclamation dated September 30, 1910.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-fifth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eleven.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

1. The cost of branding irons (both communal and broad arrow), forms, books, payments to headmen, and the like, and other charges incidental to these rules shall be paid for out of the vote for Miscellaneous Services allowed to the Treasurer. The Municipal Council, Colombo, shall bear all charges in connection with the cost of branding within the Municipal limits.

25. The following sums shall be paid to the various officers employed from the vote for Miscellaneous Services allowed to the Treasurer :—

(a) For every head of cattle branded or re-branded	..	10 cents
(b) For every certificate issued under rule 21	..	50 „

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 30 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE, to appoint the Hon. Mr. JOSEPH GRENIER to be a Puisne Justice of the Supreme Court, with effect from November 28, 1910, *vice* Mr. H. L. WENDT, retired.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, January 26, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 31 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. A. C. ALLNUTT to be Additional District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kegalla, with effect from January 22, 1911, until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, January 26, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 32 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint GALASSAGE DON ARON SENEVIRATNE GUNATILLEKE, Vidane Arachchi of Paiyagala-Maggonbaddas, to be an Inquirer for the District of Kalutara, Western Province.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, January 23, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 33 of 1911.

IT is notified for information that Second Lieutenant OWEN WYNNE GRAY's resignation of his Commission in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps has been accepted by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, January 21, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 34 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 6 (d) of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to nominate Mr. T. B. RUSSELL, District Judge, Kalutara, to be a Member of the District Schools Committee, Kalutara, for three years from January 1, 1911.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, January 20, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 35 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 13 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint Messrs. HARRY ELLAWALA and F. LUCKY WATSON to be Members of the Provincial Road Committee, Sabaragamuwa, for the year 1911.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, January 20, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 36 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the under-mentioned towns for the year 1911, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892 :—

Kawudupelella.

Mr. M. B. NUGAPITIYA.
Mr. L. B. ALUWIHARE.
Mr. C. KANAKARATNA.

Palapatwela.

Mr. M. B. NUGAPITIYA.
Mr. L. B. ALUWIHARE.
TIKIRI BANDA, Udugama Arachchi.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, H. L. CRAWFORD,
Colombo, January 20, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. J. J. B. DE SILVA, Head Clerk, Land Registry, Kandy, to act as Registrar of Lands, Kandy, for two days from February 7, 1911, during the absence of Mudaliyar JAS. G. DE SILVA, on leave.

Mr. K. A. KAPPURUHAMY, Sinhalese Interpreter, Mullaitivu Kachcheri, to act as Registrar of Lands, Mullaitivu, for four weeks from January 20, 1911, during the absence of Mr. M. SUBRAMANIAM, on leave.

DODANGODAGE DON HARMANIS ABEYRATNE, Vidane Arachchi of Kulupana, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kulupana division and of Marriages (General) of Kumbuke pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for four weeks and three days, with effect from January 1, 1911, *vice* D. J. KANNANGARA, on leave. His office will be at Kongahawatta in Kulupana.

WEERAKOON MUDIYANSELAGE TIKIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Uda Dumbara, No. 3 Division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for twenty-nine days, with effect from January 31, 1911, *vice* Y. M. PUNCHI BANDA, resigned. His office will be at Welegederawatta in Gurulupota.

HERAT MUDIYANSELE WALAWWE APPUHAMY to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Inamaluwa korale division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Matale North division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, with effect from January 31, 1911, *vice* I. H. PUNCHI BANDA, appointed Korala. His office will be at Gedigaswelana, Inamaluwa korale.

SETUNGA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udukaha Korale West division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Dambadeni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for twelve weeks and five days, with effect from February 1, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, M. S. M. UKKU BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Medagoda.

DISANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kiralawa korale division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kalagam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, with effect from January 13, 1911, during the absence of the permanent Registrar, on other duty. His office will be at Marasinhammillewa.

SENEVIRATNA MOLAGODA BANDARA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalagam Korale North division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kalagam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, with effect from February 10, 1911, *vice* Registrar, B. M. WANNIHAM, resigned. His office will be at Kalawewa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, January 26, 1911.	HUGH CLIFFORD, Colonial Secretary.
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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint, under section 8 of the Ordinance No. 8 of 1886, RAJA GOPALA MUDIYANSELARE SAIBU TAMB, Gan-Arachchi of Walpaluwa, as Registrar of Muhammadan Marriages of Madigepalata in Mi-oyen Egoda korale division, in the Kurunegala District, of the North Western Province, with effect from January 20, 1911, *vice* HALTI LEBBE, deceased. His office will be at Siyambalagahawatta in Walpaluwa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, January 20, 1911.	H. L. CRAWFORD, Acting Colonial Secretary.
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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, Eastern Province, has appointed S. VYTHALINGAM to act as Registrar of Marriages of Mamunai pattu, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for three weeks and three days from January 21, 1911, during the absence of T. N. RASIAH, on leave. His office will be at the Provincial Registrar's Office, Batticaloa.

The Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed EKANAYAKA MUDIYANSELAGE UKKU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Meda pattu division and of Marriages (General) of Tamankaduwa division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for two weeks from January 23, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, E. MUDALIHAM, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed NANAYAKKARA SIFKADUWE PALLIYE SATTAMBIGE ALLIS SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ahangama division and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for January 25, 1911, during the absence of J. A. W. GUNAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Kurunduwatta in Ahangama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Gallo, has appointed GEORGE ALEXANDER SENEVIRATNE DISANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kodagoda division and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for one week and three days from January 31, 1911, during the absence of G. L. SENEVIRATNE, on leave. His office will be at Pettingodawatta in Malalgodapitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed PETER DIAS WIJETILAKA GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kahawa division and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for four days from February 1, 1911; during the absence of D. H. D. W. SURIA-ARACHCHI, on leave. His office will be at Tewerumpalawatta at Godagama, and station at Mahammagewatta at Usmudulawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON DIONIS RAJAPAKSA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Marakada Inalawalakada division and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty days from January 17, 1911, *vice* D. C. A. GUNAWARDANA, deceased. His office will be at Godawanawatta at Buddiyagama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON ABRAHAM DISANAYAKA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nakulugamuwa division and of Marriages (General) of West Giruwa pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty-one days from January 20, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CHARLES DISANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Walawuwatta in Nakulugamuwa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DIQGUBADNAGE DON CAROLIS DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tihawa division and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for eight days from January 21, 1911, during the absence of D. S. JAYASINHA, on leave. His office will be at Dolgahawatta in Tihawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr. C. MARK PERERA to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya town, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from January 17, 1911, during the absence of Dr. RICHARD SANTIAGO, on other duty. His office will be at Outdoor Dispensary, Kalpitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Dr. RICHARD SANTIAGO to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam town, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for eight days from January 17, 1911, during the absence of Dr. W. S. RATNAVALE, on Supreme Court duty. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Puttalam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr. E. B. SATHURUKULASINGHE of Kalpitiya to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) and of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for two days from January 25, 1911, during the absence of Mr. J. L. L. DE ROSAIBO, Acting Registrar, on leave. His office will be at the Acting Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed SARDIEL APPUHAMY, Police Headman, to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal Korale Central division and of Births and Deaths of Yatakalan pattu division, in Pitigal Korale Central, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for three days from January 19, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, B. M. HITTHAMI, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed Mr. V. A. DHARMARATNA to act as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chilaw town, in

the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from January 20, 1911, *vice* Mr. C. D. S. AMARATUNGA, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Chilaw.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed M. BALASURIYA of Kudawewa to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal Korale Central division and of Births and Deaths of Yatakalan pattu division, in Pitigal Korale Central, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for twenty-eight days from February 1, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, B. M. HITTHAMI APPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

Registrar-General's Office, P. E. PIERIS,
Colombo, January 26, 1911. Acting Registrar-General.

IT is hereby notified that DON MARTINUS JAYANETTI, Registrar of Marriages (General) of Walallawiti pattu division and of Births and Deaths of Welipenna division, in Pasdun Korale West of the Kalutara District, Western Province, will, with effect from February 1, 1911, hold his office at Muttettuwatta in Leuwanduwa, instead of at Ambagahawatta in Welipenna, as notified in *Gazette* No. 5,658 of November 17, 1899.

Registrar-General's Office, P. E. PIERIS,
Colombo, January 24, 1911. Acting Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE meeting of the Legislative Council fixed for Wednesday, February 15, 1911, has been postponed to Wednesday, March 15, 1911.

Legislative Council Chamber,
Colombo, January 18, 1911.

By order,
A. G. CLAYTON,
Clerk, Legislative Council.

WITH reference to the Notification dated December 30, 1910, published in the *Gazette* of January 6, 1911, it is hereby notified that the by-laws framed by the Government Agent, Western Province, under section 38 of "The Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, 1899," confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and published in the *Gazette* of November 14, 1902, and June 8, 1906, are hereby cancelled.

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

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

THE following regulations framed by the Local Board of Hatton-Dikoya, under the provisions of section 56 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, and approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are hereby published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 21, 1911.

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

REGULATIONS REFERRED TO.

Eating Houses and Tea or Coffee Boutiques.

1. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique shall always be kept clean.
2. The walls of all eating-houses and tea or coffee boutiques shall be plastered and limewashed, the rooms well ventilated and lighted, and the floor cemented.
3. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of an eating-house or tea or coffee boutique shall be removed twice daily.
4. No person suffering from any loathsome, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such persons, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in any eating-house or tea or coffee boutique.
5. The sugar used in such places shall be kept in glass-stoppered wide-mouthed bottles.
6. All cakes, sweetmeats, &c., exposed for sale shall be kept in properly constructed glass cases free from flies. No food stuff shall be exposed to the contamination of flies. The glass cases used shall be kept scrupulously clean.
7. No waste tea or coffee or milk and no remnants of food or cooking waste shall be thrown on the ground, but the same shall be collected in a proper receptacle and removed daily.
8. These by-laws shall be framed and hung up in a prominent place in every such eating-house and tea or coffee boutique.

IT is hereby notified under section 3 (1), Criminal Procedure Code, that on and after February 1, 1911, the villages named in column 3 and situate in the korales named in column 2 shall form and be within the limits of the Police Station named in column 1 of the annexed schedule.

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

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

SCHEDULE.			
1	2	3	No.
Police Station.	Korale.	Village.	
Cotta	Salpiti	Welikada	514*
		Eladua	515
		Kirillapane	518
		Pagoda, Nugegoda	519
		Nawala	520
		Etul Kotte	521
		Pita Kotte	522
		Mirihano	523
		Maduwala	524
		Udahamulla, Talapatpitiya	525
		Gangodawila	526
		Maharagama, Nawinna	527
		Pamunuwa	528
		Polwatta	529
		Depanama	530
	Pannipitiya	531	
	Godigamuwa	532	
	Boralesgomuwa	533	
	Pepiliyana, Diwulpitiya	535†	
	Nedimale	536†	
	Kalubowila	537†	
	Erawwala	581	
	Hewagam	Godagama	483
		Pitipane	484
		Mawatgama, Uduwana	485
		Homagama	486
		Madinagoda, Kotuwegoda, Kalapaluwawa, Walpola	491
		Battaramulla	492
		Kottawe	496
		Rukmale	497
		Malapala, Makumbura	498
		Hiripitiya, Niyandagala	499
		Mambulgoda, Brahamanagama	500

* That portion not taken into Colombo limits.

† That portion not taken into Colombo Police limits.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

THE following extracts from the *London University Gazette* are published for general information:—

(A) Alternative Set Book for the Pass Intermediate Examination in History for External Students in 1912.

The following work was prescribed as an alternative to Bede's *Ecclesiastical History* for the Pass Intermediate Examination in History for External Students in the year 1912:—

Burke (edit. Payne): (1) *Thoughts on the causes of the Present Discontents: the Two Speeches on America*, and (2) *Reflections on the French Revolution* (Vols. 1 and 2 of the "Selections from Burke," Clarendon Press).

(B) Revised Syllabus in Physics for the Intermediate Examinations for External Students.

In and after the year 1912 the Regulations for the Intermediate Examinations in Arts and Science (including Agriculture) for External Students will be amended as follows:—

Experimental Physics (Two Papers and a Practical Examination).

The following syllabus is intended to indicate 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.

Viscosity and Diffusion in Liquids and Gases. Surface Tension. Osmosis. Stretching of Wires.

Heat.—Temperature. Instruments for the measurement of Temperature.

Expansion of Solids, Liquids, and Gases with rise of Temperature. Isothermal and Adiabatic Expansion.

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. Convection.

Radiation.

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. Effect of change of Temperature on the Velocity.

Reflection.

Determination of Frequency by simple methods.

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

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

Organ Pipes. Position of Nodes and Antinodes.

Optics.—Propagation of Light. Laws of Reflection and Refraction. Photometry.

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

Refraction at Plane Surfaces and by Prisms. Minimum Deviation. Chromatic Dispersion.

The General Laws of Radiation.—Visible, ultra-violet, infra-red. Emission and Absorption. Heating Effects of

Radiation. Phosphorescence and Fluorescence.

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.

Measurement of Velocity.

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. Magnetic Moment. Intensity of Magnetisation.

The Earth as a Magnet.

The Magnetic Properties of Iron and the Elementary Laws of the Magnetic Circuit.

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. Electrometers.

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. Wheatstone's Bridge. Potentiometer. Resistance of Cells. Volt. Ohm. Ampere. Ammeters.

Voltmeters.

Heating Effects of Currents.

Elementary Phenomena of Electrolysis. Faraday's Law. Voltmeters.

Action on Current Circuits in a Magnetic Field.

Electro-magnetic Induction. Faraday's Law. Lenz's Law.

Induction Coil. A Thermo-electric Couple.

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.

Determination of g by Simple Pendulum.

Determination of 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 and Evaporation.

Determination of Dew-point.

Use of Simple Photometers.

Focal Lengths of Mirrors.

Focal Lengths of Lenses.

Arrangement of two Lenses to make simple forms of Telescope, Microscope, and Magic Lantern.

Arrangement 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.

Refractive Index by Method of Apparent Thickness.

Tracing the lines of force in the neighbourhood of a Magnet.

Comparison of Magnetic Moments and Fields.

Measurement of Resistance of Wires and Cells.

Comparison of E. M. F's. with Potentiometer.

Measurement of Electro Chemical Equivalent.

Candidates are required to bring to the Practical Examination their *original* laboratory note books for inspection should the Examiners so desire. These note books must be taken away by the candidates at the close of the examination.

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

E. E. DAVIDSON,
for Director.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the General Manager of Buddhist Schools for permission to convert his Henepola Girls' Vernacular School, which is situated in Hapitigam korale of the Western Province, into a mixed one.

Observations will be received not later than February 23, 1911.

Department of Public Instruction, J. HARWARD,
Colombo, January 27, 1911. Director.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the General Manager of the Colombo Buddhist Theosophical Society's Schools for permission to remove their Kurunegala Boys' English School, which is situated in Kurunegala town, Kurunegala District, North-Western Province, to a new site, opposite to the Ethkande Vihare in Kandy road.

Observations will be received not later than February 23, 1911.

Department of Public Instruction, J. HARWARD,
Colombo, January 27, 1911. Director.

● Surveying and Levelling Examination.

THE Annual Examination for the Surveyor-General's License for Surveying and Levelling (Ordinance No. 26 of 1909) will be held at the Colombo Observatory, beginning on Monday, February 20, 1911, at 10.30 A.M., and the following days.

2. Candidates must pay the following fees to the Surveyor-General before that date:—

	Rs.
For an examination in surveying only	20
For an examination in levelling only	15
For an examination in surveying and levelling	35

3. The subjects for the examination are:—

Mathematics.—Algebra up to Quadratic Equations, Plane Trigonometry, and the Mensuration of Surfaces and Solids.

Drawing.—Setting out, plotting, tracing, and office work, including a report on a survey.

Field Work.—Chain surveying, theodolite surveying, and levelling, including the adjustments of the theodolite and level, and setting out curves.

4. All candidates must provide their own instruments, poles, pickets, coolies, drawing boards, and materials, &c., and no assistance in providing any requirements will be given in any way.

Surveyor-General's Office, R. S. TEMPLETON,
Colombo, January 23, 1911. Surveyor-General.

IT is hereby notified by the Directors of the Ceylon Savings Bank that the rate of interest to be paid to depositors under rule 3 for the year 1911 be 4 per cent. on accounts under Rs. 1,000 and 3 per cent. on accounts of Rs. 1,000 and upwards.

Ceylon Savings Bank, E. DE KRETZER,
Colombo, January 23, 1911. Secretary.

MR. V. VRASPILLAI, District Adigar of Musali, is hereby nominated a member of the District School Committee, Mannar, under sub-section (c) of section 6 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907.

Jaffna Kachcheri, H. R. FREEMAN,
January 18, 1911. Government Agent.

The Ceylon Medical College.

EXAMINERS are required for the Medical Preliminary and Apothecaries' Entrance Examinations to be held on March 13, 1911. They are required for the following subjects:—

MEDICAL PRELIMINARY.

English Language	German
Latin	Greek
Mathematics	Sinhalese
French	Tamil

APOTHECARIES' ENTRANCE.

English Language	Sinhalese
Latin (Elementary)	Tamil

ARITHMETIC.

The remuneration is at the following rates:—		Rs.
English Language, both examinations	..	100
Latin with Greek: Latin, both examinations, and Greek for Medical Preliminary	..	100
French, Medical Preliminary	..	45
German, Medical Preliminary	..	10
Mathematics, both examinations	..	120
Sinhalese, both examinations	..	45
Tamil, both examinations	..	30

Applications to be sent to the Registrar, from whom information can be obtained, on or before February 4, 1911.

Examiners in German, Sinhalese, and Tamil will be required only if there are candidates in those subjects.

Ceylon Medical College, ALBERT J. CHALMERS,
Colombo, December 20, 1910. Registrar.

The Ceylon Medical College.

PRELIMINARY AND ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS.

THE Medical Preliminary and Apothecaries' Entrance Examinations of the Ceylon Medical College will be held in the College on Monday, March 13, 1911.

All candidates are requested to present their written applications, certificates, bank receipts for fees, &c., to the Registrar, on or before March 1, 1911.

Ceylon Medical College, ALBERT J. CHALMERS,
Colombo, December 20, 1910. Registrar.

The Ceylon Medical College.

MEDICAL AND APOTHECARY EXAMINATIONS.

THE Medical and Apothecary Examinations of the Ceylon Medical College will commence on Monday, March 13, 1911.

All candidates are requested to forward their applications, certificates, bank receipts for fees, &c., to the Registrar on or before March 10, 1911.

Ceylon Medical College, ALBERT J. CHALMERS,
Colombo, December 20, 1910. Registrar.

The Ceylon Medical College.

EXAMINERS are required for the Apothecaries' Entrance Examination to be held in July, 1911. They are required for the following subjects:—

APOTHECARIES' ENTRANCE.

English Language	Sinhalese
Latin (Elementary)	Tamil

ARITHMETIC.

The remuneration is at the following rates:—		Rs.
English Language	..	40
Latin (Elementary)	..	30
Arithmetic	..	40
Sinhalese	..	30
Tamil	..	30

Applications to be sent to the Registrar, from whom information can be obtained on or before June 15, 1911.

Ceylon Medical College, ALBERT J. CHALMERS,
Colombo, December 20, 1910. Registrar.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supply of firewood to the Welikada, Mutwal, and Hulftsdorp jails, and Borella Convict Hospital from July 1, 1911, to 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 "Tender for Firewood for Colombo Jails" 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 7, 1911.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond 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, 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. Cash security of Rs. 200 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

January 4, 1911.

A. DE WILTON, Major,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

TENDERS are hereby invited for victualling the following jails for twelve months from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912:—Jaffna, Matara, Tangalla, Batticaloa, and Trincomalee.

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 Victualling the (name of jail)" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on February 21, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the offices of the respective jails and at the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. The under-mentioned cash deposits 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:—

Rs. 100 for Jaffna jail.

Rs. 50 each for Matara, Tangalla, and Batticaloa jails.

Rs. 25 for Trincomalee jail.

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, 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 the following security for the fulfilment of the contract and to sign the bond given in the tender:—

For Jaffna, Rs. 500.

For Matara, Rs. 200.

For Tangalla and Batticaloa, Rs. 250 each.

For Trincomalee, Rs. 50.

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. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

12. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5.

January 4, 1911.

A. DE WILTON, Major,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of metal from quarry at Anuradhapura to Railway Station, a distance of about 1½ miles, and transport of rubble from Anuradhapura quarry to jail, a distance of about ¾ mile, for twelve months from July 1, 1911, to 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 "Tender for transport of Rubble and Metal, Anuradhapura Jail," 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 7, 1911.

5. The tenders should state the rate per cube for transport of metal and rubble separately.

6. A cash deposit of Rs. 10 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the receipt attached to the tender. 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, 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. Cash security of Rs. 100 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons and of the Superintendent, Anuradhapura Prison.

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. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.]

January 4, 1911.

A. DE WILTON, Major,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

TENDERS are hereby invited for victualling the following jails for twelve months from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912:—Chilaw, Anuradhapura, Badulla, Ratnapura, and Kegalla.

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 Victualling the (name of jail)" 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 7, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the offices of the respective jails and at the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 each 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, 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 tenderers will be required to furnish the following security for the fulfilment of the contract and to sign the bond given in the tender:—

Rs. 250 each for Chilaw, Anuradhapura, Ratnapura, and Badulla jails.

Rs. 150 for Kegalla jail.

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. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

12. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5.

A. DE WILTON, Major,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

January 4, 1911.

TENDERS are hereby invited for victualling the Welikada, Mutwal, Mahara, and Borella Convict Hospital, and Hulftsdorp, Negombo, Kandy, and Galle jails, for twelve months from July 1, 1911, to 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 "Tender for Victualling the (name of jail)" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on February 7, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the offices of the respective jails (except those in Colombo, Negombo, and Mahara), and also at the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. The under-mentioned cash deposits 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:—

Rs. 1,000 for Welikada, Mahara, Mutwal, and Borella Convict Hospital.

Rs. 100 each for Hulftsdorp, Negombo, and Galle jails.

Rs. 400 for Kandy jails.

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, 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 the following security for the fulfilment of the contract and to sign the bond given in the tender:—

For Welikada, Mahara, Mutwal, and Borella Convict Hospital, Rs. 5,000.

For Hulftsdorp, Negombo, and Galle, Rs. 500 each.

For Kandy, Rs. 2,000.

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. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

12. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5.

A. DE WILTON, Major,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

January 4, 1911.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supply of best kallundai rice for the use of the Public Works Department in the North-Western Province at stations named below from the date of acceptance of tender to November 30, 1911:—

Chilaw District.

Within the town of Chilaw.

Within the Departmental District of Chilaw.

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

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for supply of Rice, Public Works Department, Chilaw District, North-Western Province, during 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 January 31, 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, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, not later than midday on January 31, 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 the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

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

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

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

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 300 for the due and faithful performance of the contract within

ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, January 6, 1911, for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for shipping and landing stores of the Public Works Department to and from steamers and sailing vessels in the Colombo Harbour from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912.

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 Shipping and Landing Stores for the Public Works Department during 1911-1912" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on February 14, 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. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Director of Public Works, 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. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

7. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Director of Public Works.

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. 250 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Director of Public Works 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, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, January 16, 1911, for Director.

TENDERS are hereby invited for repairing Deltota boys' school in Pata Hewaheta.

2. The tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, District Schools Committee, Kandy. Tenders must be marked "Tenders for Deltota School in Pata Hewaheta" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Government Agent's Office, Kandy, not later than midday on February 6, 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. 5 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract or agreement.

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.

Kandy Kachcheri,
January 9, 1911.

A. H. PINDER,
for Chairman.

TENDERS are hereby invited for building two school buildings and teachers' quarters with water closets at Keulgama and Poppitiya in Uda Dumbara, Central Province. The school buildings will be 50 ft. by 18 ft., and teachers' quarters 23 ft. 3 in. by 22 ft., containing 2 rooms back and front verandahs, with a kitchen on a side of the back verandah. The water closets will be made apart from the main buildings. The materials will be of round jungle timber, the roofs covered with illuk or cadjan.

2. Tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, District Schools Committee, Kandy. There should be separate tenders for the two different works. Tenders must therefore be marked "Tender for Keulgama School" and "Tender for Poppitiya School" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Kandy Kachcheri not later than midday on February 11, 1911.

3. 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 tender should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

4. A deposit of Rs. 10 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.

5. Plan and specifications can be seen and further information obtained at the Kachcheri.

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

Kandy Kachcheri,
January 16, 1911.

A. H. PINDER,
for Chairman.

TENDERS for the right to sell fish at the fish stall at Norwood for 1911 will be received by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy, up to noon on January 31, 1911. The tenders should be sealed, and the words "Tender for Fish Stall" should be stated on the outside.

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

Kandy Kachcheri,
January 12, 1911.

A. H. PINDER,
for Chairman, Sanitary Road.

TENDERS in duplicate for the under-mentioned service are invited, the original to reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura, and the duplicate to reach the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, by noon on Monday, January 30, 1911.

2. To saw and deliver correctly stacked 200 sound broad gauge sleepers of "huri" wood. It is to be noted that narrow gauge sleepers are not required. Only trees marked by the Forest Department for this purpose may be felled.

3. Deliveries will be made at Punawa, north of Madawachchiya, and the sleepers are to be properly stacked within one chain of the railway line.

4. The time allowed for the completion of this work will be three months from the date of contractor's signing the contract.

5. A security equal to 5 per cent. of the estimated cost to the Forest Department of the work will be deposited by the contractor at the time of signing the contract.

6. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Anuradhapura, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the

recognized form. The forms can be obtained on a deposit of Rs. 20, which deposit will be forfeited should the depositor in the event of his being offered the work refuse or neglect to enter into the contract.

7. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions hereof have been strictly fulfilled.

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

9. A rate per sleeper delivered should be quoted both in words and figures.

10. 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.

FRED. J. S. TURNER,
Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Forest Office, Anuradhapura Division,
Anuradhapura, January 5, 1911.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned works to be carried out during 1911 and 1912:—

To fell in Kannaliya forest in the Galle District, and to saw, transport, and deliver at the Gintota Railway Station, 5,000 sleepers of 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. 2,500 sleepers are annually required, and they should be supplied in lots of not less than 500 every two months from date of signing the contract.

2. The required number of na and milla trees to be felled and converted into sleepers have been girdled and numbered in successive order in the above-mentioned forest.

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, and they may apply for one or two years' supply.

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, February 7, 1911.

7. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the 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, January 10, 1911.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 4,500 stacked cubic yards, more or less, of firewood (less such quantity as will have been supplied when contract is entered into) to the Railway Department at Kilinochchi Siding during the first six months of 1911. Firewood to be cut from such areas near Kilinochchi as may be defined by the Forest Department. About 300 cubic yards per week must be supplied. Each piece of wood should be 3 feet in length, and not less than 12 inches nor more than 36 inches in girth. The following species should not be cut for firewood, viz.:—Etdemata, lunumidella, rukattana, divikaduru, kaju, walkaduru, cotton, erabadu, dadap, kekuna, amba, and gedumba.

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. Tender should be marked "Tenders for Railway Firewood Supply, Jaffna Division," 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, February 14, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Jaffna, 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 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, 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 each contract. The amount of each 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. And the sureties may 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 of accepting any portion of a tender.

11. A rate per cubic yard delivered at the siding should be quoted, written both in words and figures.

12. The areas to be worked will be within 2 miles of Kilinochchi.

13. Areas to be worked must be stripped clean, and work must proceed steadily in one direction. The leaving of small patches of firewood jungle will not be allowed.

14. Applications for tender forms must be made at least one week before the date of closing of the tender.

FRED. J. S. TURNER,
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Jaffna, January 12, 1911. Jaffna Division.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 60,000 to 80,000 tons of Indian or Natal locomotive coal for use on the Ceylon Government Railway from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912.

2. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made at the Treasury and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Application for tender forms must be made at the Office of the Colonial Treasurer, and applicants must satisfy him or a person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, documentary or other evidence being produced for the purpose if called for.

3. The Indian and Natal coal merchants or contractors must tender through their agents in Ceylon.

4. Tenders must be in duplicate, and 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. The documents must be sealed under one cover, marked "Tender for Supply of Locomotive Coal to the Ceylon Government Railway" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and addressed to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, and must either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent through the post to reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 1911.

5. A sample of every coal for which it is proposed to send in a tender must be submitted for testing purposes, irrespective of whether the coal has been previously tested, or has previously been in use on the Ceylon Government Railway. The sample coals for testing must be delivered at the Dematagoda Engine Shed, Base Line road, in lots of 15 tons, free of cost, loaded in bags, and with the name of the coal labelled on each bag.

6. No coal will be tested unless it is of good railway repute and is in use on trunk railway lines.

7. The samples should be delivered as early as possible (*vide* notice in *Government Gazette* No. 6,413 of December 2, 1910), but in no case later than Saturday, January 14, 1911, and must be from bulk and not hand picked.

8. No tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form, and in respect of it each and every condition above laid down has been strictly fulfilled.

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

10. Security to the extent of Rs. 6,000 in cash or fixed deposit will be required to be furnished for the due fulfilment of the contract.

11. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the required security, the deposit of Rs. 100 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.

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

13. The exact quantity of coal to be supplied under the contract, irrespective of the additional amount mentioned in clause 16, will be notified to the successful tenderer.

14. The contractors shall not assign or transfer the contract for the supply of coal or any interest therein without the permission of the General Manager of the Railway.

15. The deliveries of the coal to be approximately as follows:—One-fourth to arrive on or before June 30, 1911; one-fourth to arrive on or before September 30, 1911; one-fourth to arrive on or before December 31, 1911; one-fourth to arrive on or before March 31, 1912.

16. In addition to the definite supply of coal as specified in clause 13 above, the contractor shall, if required, supply a further quantity of coal up to, but not exceeding, 10,000 tons, at the same rates and subject to the conditions laid down in the contract, and delivery of all or a part of this extra contract supply shall be given whenever required up to the end of March, 1912, on two months' notice in writing being given to the contractors by the General Manager of the Railway.

17. All coal supplied under this contract shall be of large size and free from stone, shale, and other foreign matter.

18. Plans showing the various holds, and the quantity of coal in each, bills of lading, and invoices must be transmitted by the contractors to the General Manager of the Railway, Colombo, immediately the steamers are ready for sea. The charter parties and bills of lading to be in accordance with the terms of contract. The contractors must produce for the information of the General Manager satisfactory proof that the quantity of coal shown in the bills of lading and invoices is actually shipped in the vessels.

19. The coal shall be discharged from the steamers at the rate of not less than 500 tons per working day.

20. The coal must be delivered over the ship's side, free of all freight and charges, into craft, steamer, floating depot, or pier in Colombo Harbour, and be at the risk of the contractors until it is so delivered.

21. Payment will be made to the contractors by the General Manager of the Railway for each separate shipment according to the quantity specified in the bill of lading, but deducting therefrom an amount equal to 2 per cent. for wastage.

22. If any of the coal supplied is objected to by the Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Superintendent of the Railway as not being of the quality contracted for, or as being inferior in quality to the sample submitted, the General Manager shall be at liberty to deduct from the price of such sums as he may consider justifiable by reason of the inferior quality, or he may reject such coal. Whenever any coal is so rejected, the contractors shall at their own cost and expense remove the rejected coal, and pending removal, the coal shall remain and be at the risk of the contractors, and the contractors shall, in addition to any other penalty, be liable to refund to the General Manager the cost incurred in landing such rejected coal, and the cost so incurred, when certified under the hand of the General Manager, shall be deemed final and conclusive.

23. If the contractors at any time fail to supply the coal at the time and in the quantities specified in this notice (except under circumstances specified in clause 27 of this notice), or should any coal be rejected, the General Manager shall be at liberty to purchase elsewhere, at whatever price he may deem fit, such quantity of coal as the contractors may have failed to supply or as may have been rejected, and should the coal so purchased cost more than the contract price, the contractor shall be liable to pay to the General Manager the full amount of the excess cost, together with all expenses attending the purchase and procuring of the same.

24. Should the contractors fail to supply coal in the quantities and at the time agreed upon (except under the circumstances specified in clause 27 of this notice), or should they supply coal inferior in quality to the sample submitted, or should they commit a breach of any of the covenants of the contract, the General Manager shall be at liberty, by notice in writing, to forthwith determine the contract, and thereupon the contractors will be liable to pay to the General Manager all costs and expenses incurred by the failure to supply coal, or by the supplying of coal of inferior quality, or by the breach of any other covenants of the contract, and shall in addition be liable to forfeit the sum of Rs. 6,000 deposited by them as security.

25. The General Manager of the Railway may deduct from sums payable to the contractors all sums payable to the Ceylon Government by the contractors under their contract, or such sums may be recovered by action at law.

26. The decision of the General Manager of the Railway as to whether the contractors have been guilty of any breach of their contract, and upon all questions arising out of or incidental to the contract, shall be final and conclusive, and the contractors shall be bound thereby.

27. In the event of war, or disturbance, or strike, or lockout of pitmen, or labourers, or pestilence, or epidemical sickness, or earthquakes, fires, storms, or floods, or other hindrances, being the act of God or beyond the control of the contractors, the contract shall be subject to such modification as the circumstances may warrant.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.
General Manager's Office,
Colombo, January 10, 1911.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of native half-round tiles for the use of the Railway Department from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1911, to 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 "Tender for Half-round Tiles to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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 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, 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. 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. Tenderers are not required to submit samples but must inspect the standard sample at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper, and no tenders will be considered unless such standard sample has been inspected and an undertaking inserted on tender that tiles to the standard of sample inspected will be supplied.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

13. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

14. 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.

15. 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, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, January 9, 1911. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of firewood from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, from persons willing to contract in the quantities and at the places specified below:—

For Kandy District.

	Cubic Yards.	
	Per Month.	Per Annum.
On line between Matale, Kaduganawa, and Gampola	1,200	14,400

2. Wood must be cut into lengths of 3 ft., and not less than 12 in. nor more than 36 in. in girth.

3. The following woods will not be accepted:—Atamata, dadap, cacaoa, amba or mango, gedamba, doommadala, rockattana, durkaduwa, kaju, walkaduru, cotton, arubooda.

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 Firewood, Railway Department," in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 1911.

7. 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.

8. 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, 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.

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. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be at the rate of Rs. 5 per 100 cubic yards of firewood supplied. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 7.

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

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

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

14. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

15. 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.

16. 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, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo January 9, 1911. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of glass chimneys from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912.

2. Samples of chimneys can be seen at the Railway Stores, prices should be given separately for each sample.

3. 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.

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Glass Chimneys to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 1911.

6. 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.

7. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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.

8. 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.

9. Tenderers are not required to submit samples, but must inspect the standard sample at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper, and no tender will be considered unless

such standard sample has been inspected and an undertaking inserted on tender that chimneys to the standard of sample inspected will be supplied.

10. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 200. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6.

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

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

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

14. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

15. 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.

16. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks on the Northern Line of the Railway from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, to be delivered at any railway station between Polgahawela and Kankasanturai, and to be as per under-mentioned specification, viz. :—

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. by 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. by 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ in. ; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape.

Each tender must specify the rate per 1,000, stating clearly the maximum number of bricks which can be supplied weekly. Samples of same must be forwarded to the General Manager of the Railway.

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 Bricks on the Northern Line of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

12. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

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.

14. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the right to sell liquors and aerated waters to 1st and 2nd class passengers, and also fruits, &c., to 3rd class passengers, on the platform at Waga Railway Station, from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, from persons willing to tender for the 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 Selling Liquors, &c., at Waga Railway Station" 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, February 28, 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. 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, 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. 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 amount of security required will be Rs. 50 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

10. The sale of liquor to take place only at train time, and then only to *bona fide* 1st and 2nd class passengers travelling by train. Under no circumstances are liquors to be sold to 3rd class passengers.

11. The prices charged for liquors and waters are to be moderate and to the satisfaction of the General Manager.

12. The successful tenderer will not be called upon to take out liquor license, provided he strictly adheres to the conditions above stated.

13. Any failure to observe the conditions will render the successful tenderer liable to prosecution for selling liquor without a license.

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

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

16. 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.

17. 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, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, January 9, 1911. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks to the Upper District of the Railway from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, to be delivered at any Railway Station above Kadugannawa, and to be as per under-mentioned specification, viz. :—

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size $8\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. ; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape.

The quantity of bricks required will be about 10,000 a week, and the contractor must specify the minimum number he is prepared to supply, and at what station the bricks are to be supplied.

Each tender must specify the rate per 1,000, and samples of same must be forwarded to the General Manager of the Railway.

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 Bricks to the Upper District of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

12. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

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.

14. 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, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, January 9, 1911. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the right to supply refreshments to 1st and 2nd class passengers in the refreshment room and also to the 3rd class passengers on the platform at Vavuniya Railway Station from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, from persons willing to tender for the 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 sale of Refreshments, &c., at Vavuniya Railway Station" 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, February 28, 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. 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, 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 amount of security required will be Rs. 50 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

9. The sales are to take place only at train times, and then only to *bona fide* 1st and 2nd class passengers in the refreshment room and to 3rd class passengers on the platform. Under no circumstances are liquors to be sold to 3rd class passengers.

10. The prices charged for refreshments are to be moderate and to the satisfaction of the General Manager.

11. The successful tenderer will not be called upon to take out liquor license, provided he strictly adheres to the conditions above stated.

12. Any failure to observe the conditions will render the successful tenderer liable to prosecution for selling liquor without a license.

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

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

15. 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.

16. 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, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, January 9, 1911. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for landing and delivering teak to the Railway Department from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912. Each tenderer should specify the rate per ton at which he is prepared to undertake the following work :—

(a) Landing and delivering to the Railway workshops at Maradana, per ton.

(b) Landing and delivering to Captain's Garden, per ton.

(c) Landing and delivering within the gravets of Colombo, as may be directed per ton per mile.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for landing and delivering Teak to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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. 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 Rs. 500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

10. The teak should be landed and delivered with the utmost despatch by carts at the Railway Yard at Maradana and Captain's Garden, or elsewhere as may be directed, and is to be deposited and properly stacked at a place or places pointed out by the Railway Officers concerned.

11. No payment will be made until the Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Superintendent, or Engineer of Way and Works, or the Chief Construction Engineer of the Railway Extensions has given a certificate that the teak has been stacked to his satisfaction.

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

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

14. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

15. 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.

16. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks to the Lower District of the Railway from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, to be delivered at any place within the gravets of Colombo as required by the Railway Department, and to be as per under-mentioned specification, viz. :—

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size $8\frac{3}{4}$ in. by $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. by 2 in. ; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape to standard sample, which may be seen at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper.

Standard Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, $8\frac{3}{4}$ in. by $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. by $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. as above.

Each tender must specify the rate per 1,000, and contain an undertaking to supply bricks up to the standard of sample inspected, and furthermore state clearly the maximum number which can be supplied weekly.

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 Bricks to the Lower District of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

12. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

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.

14. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract, from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912 :—

Lime, slaked	|	Lime, boiled
	Clay, white	

2. Slaked lime of good quality to be delivered in a bushel or eight-bushel measure, filled with a shovel or basket, the lime being dropped from a height of at least six inches from the measure. A bushel of lime to weigh 42 lb.

3. Boiled lime and white clay will be measured and paid for by weight.

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 Lime, Railway Department," in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 1911.

7. 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.

8. The maximum quantity of lime and white clay that can be supplied weekly should be stated on the tenders.

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

10. 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.

11. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 7.

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

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

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

15. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

16. 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.

17. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling fruits, &c., on the platforms to third class passengers at Polgahawela, 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 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 privilege of selling Fruits, &c., at Polgahawela Railway Station" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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. 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, 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. 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 Rs. 100. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

12. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

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.

14. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned tiles for the use of the Railway Department from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, viz. :—

Mangalore or Calicut, flat, whole, and half, and ridge tiles of best quality.

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 Mangalore Tiles to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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 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, 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. 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 with the General Manager of the Railway before the dates on which the tenders are due. No tenders will be considered if the samples are not so deposited.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

13. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

14. 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.

15. 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; January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber to the Railway Department from persons willing to contract for supply of the under-mentioned timber for the use of the Railway from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, as may be required, viz. :—

Sawn jakwood	Lunumidella boards
Sawn hora	Cadjans
Sawn doon	Bamboos

2. All timber supplied under this contract must be of the best quality, free from all defects, such as large or loose knots, shakes or sappy places, and must also be truly sawn to the dimensions ordered. Full particulars of the sizes required will be furnished to applicants for tender forms, and tenderers must only quote for these sizes, and must tender in accordance with the standard of measurement stated in the schedule of particulars which will be issued with the tender forms.

3. 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.

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Timber to the Railway Department" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 1911.

6. 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.

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

8. 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.

9. If required, samples must be deposited.

10. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6.

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

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

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

14. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

15. 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.

16. 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. January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling fruits, &c., on the platforms to third class passengers at Henaratgoda, Veyangoda, Rambukkana, Gampola, Nawalapitiya, Talawakele, Moratuwa, Galle, Jaffna, Galagamuwa, Ganewatta, Kurunegala, and Avisawella, from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, from persons willing to tender for the 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 Fruits, &c., on the Platforms to Third Class Passengers" 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, February 28, 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. 10 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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 amount of security required will be a month's rent in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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.

12. 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.

13. No structure of any kind will be allowed to be erected on any of the platforms.

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling refreshments inside Railway premises at Wharf Station, 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 Wharf Railway Stations" 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, February 28, 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. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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 Wharf Station during such hours as the said premises are opened for traffic work.

8. The successful tenderer will be permitted to erect not more than one temporary boutique at a place which will be pointed out by the Station Master, Wharf Station, 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 boutique.

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

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

12. The successful tenderer will be required to keep his boutique 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. 100.

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, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, January 9, 1911. General Manager,

TENDERS are hereby invited for repairs, &c., of all clocks and watches of the Ceylon Government Railway from persons willing to tender for same, for three years from July 1, 1911.

2. Full second class passes will be granted to the contractor and an assistant, and third class passes to his workmen.

3. The contractor must keep in good and correct time-keeping order all clocks and watches, the property of the

Ceylon Government Railway, and will for this purpose visit periodically at intervals of not less than two months all stations, offices, running sheds, signal cabins, &c., on the said Railway, and will at every such visit wind, clean, oil, regulate, and put in good time-keeping order all such clocks and watches belonging to the said Railway, including those in stock in the Railway Stores, as may be submitted to him for that purpose.

4. The contractor must on every such visit examine all such watches carried by Guards on the said Railway, and see that the same are in good repair and keeping correct time.

5. The contractor must expeditiously perform whatever work is necessary to be done in or about the cleaning or repairing of any such clocks and watches on same being sent to him at Colombo, and will return the same in good time-keeping order within two weeks from the date of its being so sent, and must in the repair of all such clocks and watches use only materials supplied by the makers of such clocks and watches in renewing any of the parts thereof.

6. The contract must cover all such visiting and all such cleaning and regulating, and also the cost of all material used in repairs of all clocks and watches of the Ceylon Government Railway, and which repairs have been rendered necessary from or by ordinary wear and tear.

7. The General Manager of the Railway agrees to allow the contractor a further or extra payment or charge for and to pay to him the value of all materials used in respect of all or any repairs done or performed in or to any clock or watch of the Ceylon Government Railway that may be injured or damaged otherwise than by ordinary wear and tear, on the contractor stating on honour that he believes such injury or damage was done or caused otherwise than by ordinary wear and tear. All such repairs and value of materials must be specified in a bill in detail, and will be paid for over and above the contract price.

8. 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.

9. The tender should state a fixed amount per annum for which all repairs, &c., will be effected. No extra charge will be allowed, except in cases where serious damage has been caused through carelessness (*vide* paragraph 8).

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

11. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Repairs, &c., of Clocks and Watches, Railway Department," in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 1911.

12. 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.

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

14. 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.

15. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 12.

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

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

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

19. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

20. 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.

21. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for making and supplying the under-mentioned articles from persons willing to contract for this service from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912:—

For Workmanship only.

To be made up from materials supplied by the Railway Storekeeper (needles and thread will not be supplied). All garments to be *machine-stitched*.

For Station Masters, Relief Clerks, &c.

Coats, fine serge, braided to measurement ..	About	170
Coats, white drill, braided to measurement ..	..	400
Trousers, white drill, to measurement ..	..	930
Shoulder straps, white ..	..	140 pairs
Shoulder straps, black ..	..	150 ..

For Inspectors.

Suits, fine serge, braided to measurement ..	About	5
Suits, white drill, braided to measurement ..	..	30

For Guards, Gate Inspectors, and Car Attendants.

Coats, fine serge, braided to measurement ..	About	90
Coats, coarse serge, to measurement ..	..	200
Trousers, coarse serge, to measurement ..	..	145
Trousers, white drill, to measurement ..	..	850
Cuffs and collars ..	..	4 pairs

For Assistant Under Guards, Sergeants, Ticket Collectors, Ticket Examiners, &c.

Suits, coarse serge, to measurement ..	About	210
Suits, fine serge, to measurement ..	..	13
Gold stripes ..	..	10

For Porters, Policemen, Gatemen, &c.

Suits, coarse serge, 3 standard sizes ..	About	2,200
Coats, coarse serge, 3 standard sizes ..	..	50
Shoulder straps, red ..	..	650 pairs
Motor Chaffeurs' khaki uniforms, complete, including peaked caps with spare covers to measurement, buttons not required ..	About	30
Motor Mail Service Conductors' khaki uniforms, including round caps, buttons not required ..	..	12
Blue drill suits for carriage cleaners, &c. ..	..	50

For Messenger Boys.

Suits, coarse serge, ornamental, complete, including caps, to measurement, buttons not required ..	About	10
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For Peons.

Coats, coarse serge, to measurement ..	About	10
Coats, khaki drill, to measurement	10

Miscellaneous.

For stitching in red thread the words "Extra Porter No.," "Outside Porter No.," or Goods Porter No.," on coarse serge coat.

For stitching in red thread the words "Ticket Examiner" or "Ticket Collector" on cap.

Note.—The above figures show approximate requirements for one year only.

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 Railway Clothing" in the left hand cover of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 28, 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. The tender should specify the rate at which each different description of uniform or article would, as shown above, be made up of materials supplied from the Railway Store, exclusive of needles and thread, and the number of yards of cloth, &c., that will be required for each garment or article.

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

8. 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.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 750. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

13. Fines will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

14. 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.

15. 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, January 9, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

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 January 31, 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, January 10, 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. Rs.	Amount of Security. Rs.
Batticaloa Hospital	.. Cooked with milk	.. 100	.. 200
Kalmunai Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Mahaoya Hospital	.. do.	.. 50	.. 100
Trincomalee Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Chilaw Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Dandagamuwa Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Kurunegala Hospital	.. do.	.. 500	.. 1,000
Marawila Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Nikaweratiya Hospital	.. do.	.. 100	.. 200
Puttalam Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Anuradhapura Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Alutnuwara Hospital	.. Uncooked with milk	.. 100	.. 200
Badulla Hospital	.. Cooked with or without milk	.. 300	.. 600
Buttala Hospital	.. Cooked with milk	.. 200	.. 400
Medagama Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Kegalla Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Kolonna Hospital	.. do.	.. 200	.. 400
Ratnapura Hospital	.. do.	.. 300	.. 600

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 February 7, 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, January 17, 1911.

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

Institution.	SCHEDULE. Nature of Diets to be supplied.	Amount of Tender	Amount of Security.
		Deposit. Rs.	Rs.
Jaffna Hospital	.. Cooked with milk ..	200	400
Mannar Hospital	.. do. ..	100	200
Mantota Hospital	.. do. ..	100	200
Mullaittivu Hospital	.. do. ..	100	200
Point Pedro Hospital	.. do. ..	100	200
Vavuniya Hospital	.. do. ..	100	200
Balapitiya Hospital	.. do. ..	100	200
Galle Hospital	.. Cooked with or without milk ..	400	800
Hambantota Hospital	.. Cooked with milk ..	100	200
Matara Hospital	.. do. ..	200	400
Tangalla Hospital	.. do. ..	100	200

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following will be sold by public auction at the Welikada Jail premises on February 8, 1911, at 12 noon:—

1 bull

A. DE WILTON, Major,
Welikada Prison, Superintendent, Convict Establishment.
January 24, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Koslanda, on Saturday, March 4, 1911, at 3 P.M. :—

25 cans, tin | 32 cans, iron

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, January 23, 1911. for Director.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to the Public Works Department will be sold by public auction at the Government Factory on Monday, February 20, 1911, at 2 P.M. :—

21 empty tar barrels
1 ferry boat
132 cans, tin
100 cans, iron, and drums
5 casks, wooden
2 tents, canvas
32 ft. rails, iron
32 ft. rails, steel, light
21 ft. rails, steel

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, January 18, 1911. for Director.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended January 21, 1911.

Births.—The total births registered were 122 (1 European, 10 Burghers, 77 Sinhalese, 11 Tamils, 17 Moors, 3 Malays, and 3 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1911, viz., 189,423) was 33.6, as against 39.1 in the preceding week, 29.5 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25.6 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 118 (2 Europeans, 4 Burghers, 63 Sinhalese, 25 Tamils, 17 Moors, 3 Malaya, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 32.5, as against 33.6 in the previous week, 35.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.2 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 118 total deaths, 24 were of infants under one year of age, as against 30 in the preceding week, 36 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 27 the average for last year.

Still Births.—The number of still births registered during the week was 9.

Selected Causes of Death.—Thirteen deaths were registered from *Phthisis* (against 11 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year), of which 4 each were in Maradana Hospitals and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 in Slave Island, and 1 each in New Bazaar, Kollupitiya North, and Kollupitiya South.

2. Eleven deaths were registered from *Pneumonia* (against 13 in the previous week and 12 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 were in Maradana hospitals, 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 each in Fort and Galle Face Ward, San Sebastian, Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), Slave Island, Kollupitiya North, and Kollupitiya South. Three deaths were registered from *Bronchitis*.

3. Twelve deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 10 from *Enteritis* (2 infants), 7 *Debility* (1 infant) 7 *Diarrhæa* (3 infants), 7 *Old Age*, 6 *Tetanus* (3 infants), 6 *Dysentery*, 4 *Dochimius Duodenalis*, and 25 from *Other Causes*.

4. Seven deaths were registered from *Enteric Fever*, against 3 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year, 2 each in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), Slave Island, and Kollupitiya South, and 1 in Kotahena. There were 22 cases reported during the week, against 13 in the previous week.

5. Two cases of *Measles* were reported, against 3 in the previous week; and 18 of *Chickenpox*, against 23 in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 79·3°, against 79·0° in the preceding week and 77·9° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·958 in., against 29·953 in. in the preceding week and 29·960 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·67 in., against 0·68 in. in the preceding week and 0·01 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, January 24, 1911.

P. E. PIERIS,
Acting Registrar-General.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

(Continued from page 86.)

IN terms of the 57th section of the Ordinance No. 17 of 1869, I hereby give notice that, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor, I have approved and appointed a store of Messrs. Bosanquet and Company, situated at the corner of Queen street and Chatham street (to be known as the Chatham street warehouse), as a warehouse in which goods may be warehoused, kept, and secured without payment of duty upon the first entry thereof.

The notice dated March 26, 1909, appointing three rooms in the godowns of Messrs. Bosanquet and Company, situated at the corner of Queen street and Chatham street, in which bonded goods have been allowed to be deposited, is, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor, hereby revoked, except in so far as it relates to goods at present lodged therein.

H. M. Customs,
Colombo, January 20, 1911.

C. D. VIGORS,
Principal Collector.