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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.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by section 4 of the Cattle Ordinance, No. 10 of 1898, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby make the following regulation to be numbered 28, and added to the regulations proclaimed on December 19, 1908. And We do declare that the said regulation shall be in force throughout the Island.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-ninth day of May, 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.

### REGULATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

28. "Branding" in the foregoing regulations or rules shall include "marking by chemicals," and "branding iron" shall include a "stamp for marking with chemicals."

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 a Proclamation bearing date May 13, 1892, issued under the provisions of section 19 of the Forest Ordinance, No. 10 of 1885, a certain land known as Kandapola Sita Eliya forest, lying to the north of the Nuwara Eliya-Badulla road, described in the schedule to the said Proclamation, was declared to be a reserved forest subject to certain rights:

And whereas it is expedient that a portion of the land so reserved as aforesaid shall cease to be reserved:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Forest Ordinance, No. 16 of 1907, do hereby direct that the portion of the said forest land specified and set forth in the schedule hereto shall cease to be reserved as from and after May 26, 1911, and that a right of way be and is hereby allowed to the proprietors, agents, and servants of Hethersett and Goatfell estates over such portion of forest land, namely, over the road from Hethersett and Goatfell estates to Uda Pussellawa, as is referred to in the said schedule.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-seventh day of May, 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.

Such portion of the forest land known as Kandapola Sita Eliya forest, lying to the north of the Nuwara Eliya-Badulla road, in the District of Nuwara Eliya, Central Province, as is now used as a road from Hethersett and Goatfell estates to Uda Pussellawa.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 208 of 1911.

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

Mr. F. H. DE VOS to act as District Judge, Galle, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle, for June 5, 1911, during the absence of Mr. B. CONSTANTINE on leave or until further orders.

Mr. J. VANDENBERG to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Ratnapura, from May 29 to June 2, 1911, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. W. H. B. CARBERRY on leave or until further orders.

Mr. A. L. CROSSMAN to the office of Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Puttalam; Additional District Judge, Puttalam; Extra Assistant at Puttalam to the Government Agent, North-Western Province; and Assistant Superintendent of the Puttalam Jail, with effect from May 31, 1911, until further orders.

Mr. B. G. DE GLANVILLE to the office of Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Matale; and Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panwila and Urugala, with effect from June 1, 1911, until further orders.

Mr. D. H. BALFOUR to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Point Pedro and Chavakachcheri, with effect from May 28, 1911, during the absence of Mr. R. W. ALLEGACON owing to illness or until further orders.

Mr. A. J. DAWSON to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Kalutara.

Mr. T. W. B. CROWTHER to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Police Magistrate for the division of Gampola-Hatton, vice Mr. G. B. DE MOWBRAY, resigned.

Mr. J. P. IRESON to be a Visitor to the Muppane Hospital.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 1, 1911. HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 209 of 1911.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. T. COCKERILL has been appointed Chief Instructor of the Government Technical Schools.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 27, 1911. HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 210 of 1911.

IT is hereby notified that Sir WILLIAM MITCHELL, Kt., C.M.G., has returned to the Island and resumed the office of Consul for Mexico.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 1, 1911. HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 211 of 1911.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. W. SHAKESPEARE has returned to the Island and resumed the duties of Honorary Consul for Japan at Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 31, 1911. HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 212 of 1911.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Ceylon Light Infantry to fill an existing vacancy:—

To be Major.

Captain FORBES GRIFFITH SAUNDER.

By His Excellency's command,

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

No. 213 of 1911.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased to make the following promotion in the Ceylon Light Infantry:—

Lieutenant **FREDERICK VAN ROOYEN** to be Captain, and to rank next in seniority to Captain **E. H. PRINS**.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, June 1, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 214 of 1911.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps to fill an existing vacancy:—

To be *Second Lieutenant*.

Volunteer **JOHN WALKER**.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, June 2, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 215 of 1911.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Ceylon Light Infantry to fill an existing vacancy:—

To be *Second Lieutenant*.

**MR. FREDERICK CHARLES FRENCH**.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, June 1, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 216 of 1911.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased, under section 44 (1) of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint **Mr. A. L. M. ABDULLA**, Chief Clerk of the Police Courts, Chilaw and Marawila, to sign summons issued from those courts.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, May 29, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 217 of 1911.

**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased, under the provisions of section 44 (1) of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint **Mr. G. C. SAMARANAYAKE**, Chief Clerk of the Police Court, Panadure, to sign summons issued from that court.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, May 30, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

No. 218 of 1911.

It is hereby notified that **Mr. F. A. BROUGH** has been elected an Unofficial Member under section 13 of "The Local Boards' Ordinance, 1898," to serve on the Local Board of Bandarawela up to December 31, 1912.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, May 31, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

WITH reference to the *Gazette* notice No. 6,412 dated November 25, 1910, it is hereby notified that **HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR** has been pleased to confirm **DON JAMES ALEXANDER SAMARAWIRA** in the office of Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ketaliyanpalla division of Kuruwiti korale, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from June 1, 1911.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, May 26, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

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

**Mr. D. A. WITTAHATCHY**, Head Clerk, Land Registry, Kurunegala, to act as Registrar of Lands, Kurunegala, for three days from June 6, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, **Mr. R. I. PARANAVITANE**, on leave.

**Mr. SOOSAIPIILLAI DAVID** to be Additional Registrar of Marriages (General) of Mantai division, in the Mamar District of the Northern Province, with effect from June 1, 1911. His office will be at Registrarvalavu at Periyanaivatkulam in Mantai South.

**GEORGE ALEXANDER SENEVIRATNA 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 three days, with effect from June 1, 1911, *vice* **G. L. SENEVIRATNA**, on leave. His office will be at Pettingodawatta in Malalgodapitiya.

**JAMES DIAS WIJEKON DISANAYAKA** to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Denepitiya division and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, with effect from June 5, 1911, *vice* **W. M. J. H. PERERA**, Registrar, retired. His office will be at Ruppewatta in Denepitiya.

**DON CORNELIS KANNANGARA APPUHAMI** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tembilyana division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Kuruwiti korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of

Sabaragamuwa, for seven weeks and five days, with effect from June 7, 1911, *vice* Registrar, **M. G. NEWATHIAMI**, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, **HUGH CLIFFORD**,  
Colombo, May 29, 1911. Colonial Secretary.

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

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed **K. NAKAMANPIILLAI** to act as Registrar of Marriages of Akkarai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from May 25, 1911, *vice* **A. KANAPATIPIILLAI**, employed on other duties. His office will be at Karunkoditivu with a station at Tampiluvil.

The Provincial Registrar, Uva, has appointed **GAMA-GEDARA TISAWALANGU MUDIYANSELAGE MUDALIHAMY** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mahawedirata korale and of Marriages (General) of Wellassa division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for fourteen days from June 5, 1911, during the absence of **W. M. U. BANDA**, Registrar. His office will be at Pitadeniyegedara in Kodayanne and station at Nambana in Kandauda.

The Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed **PARANAGAMA IDAME BANDA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kumbalwela korale and of Marriages (General) of Yatikinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for one week from June 6, 1911, during the absence of **K. MUTU BANDA**, Registrar, on leave. His office will be at Pattiyekumburewatta.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo has appointed **Miss F. B. W. ABHAYARATNA** to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Etul Kotte division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from May 23, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, **D. E. W. ABHAYARATNA**, Mudaliyar, on leave. Her office will be at Delgahawatta in Kirillapone.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed KOTTEMUHANDIRANGE CARTHELIS RODRIGO, Vidane Arachchi, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Alutgama division and of Marriages of Meda pattu in Siyane Korale West division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, on May 29, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, M. G. ABBYASINGHE, on leave. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Yakwala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed G. DON EMIS, Vidane Arachchi of Millewa, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Millewa division and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for a further period of fifteen days from May 21, 1911, *vice* the Registrar, D. P. GUNATILAKA, suspended. His office will be at Gorakagahawatta in Kindelpitiya.

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 two days from May 24, 1911, during the absence of D. H. D. W. SURIARACHCHI AMERASEKARA, on leave. His office will be at Tewelumpalawatta in Godagama and station in Mahammagewatta in Usmudulawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed DON JAMES RUPASINHA GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nelawa division and of General Marriages of Hinidum pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two weeks from May 28, 1911, during the absence of D. S. DE S. R. GUNAWARDANA, on leave. His office will be at Okandewatta in Lelwela.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed ABEYARATNA HERAT MUDIYANSELAGE KIRI BANDA of Kollankulama to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Perawili pattu in Demala hatpattu, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for twenty days from May 22, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, A. H. M. MUDALIHAM, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr. A. MUTHIAH of Kalpitiya to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Kalpitiya division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for three days from May 29, 1911, during the absence of the Acting Registrar, J. L. L. DE ROSAIBO, on leave. His office will be at the Acting Registrar's Office.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, May 30, 1911.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

### GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

**P**URSUANT to the 2nd section of the Pension Minute dated December 9, 1908, it is hereby notified that the holders of the offices specified below are entitled to pension:—

*Medical Department.*

Rural Sanitary Inspectors.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 20, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

**I**N terms of section 24 of the Minute of December 9, 1908, it is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officer, seconded for service, will be allowed to count the period of his temporary employment for pension purposes:—

Name.	Pensionable Appointment.	Seconded Service.
A. H. STORK	Under Guard, Ceylon Government Railway	For work in connection with the Construction Department

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 1, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### THE DOG REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, No 25 OF 1901.

**I**T is hereby notified that the "proper authority," to wit, the Chairman of the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Bandarawela has, in pursuance of section 5 of the above-named Ordinance, made the following by-laws in substitution for by-laws Nos. 4 and 5 dated July 20, 1907, which are hereby revoked.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 2, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### BY-LAWS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

4. A fee of Re. 1 shall be charged for each dog and Re. 1.50 for each bitch.
5. A collar, with the certificate number stamped on it, will be issued in respect of each dog registered should the person applying for the certificate so require. A charge of 25 cents will be made for each collar issued.

#### THE DOG REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, No. 25 OF 1901.

**I**T is hereby notified that the "proper authority," to wit, the Chairman of the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Badulla has, in pursuance of section 5 of the above-named Ordinance, made the following by-laws in substitution for by-laws Nos. 4 and 5 dated August 20, 1902, which are hereby revoked.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 2, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### BY-LAWS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

4. A fee of Re. 1 shall be charged for each dog and Re. 1.50 for each bitch.
5. A collar, with the certificate number stamped on it, will be issued in respect of each dog registered should the person applying for the certificate so require. A charge of 25 cents will be made for each collar issued.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 34 of the Cemeteries and Burials Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899, and acting on the recommendation of the proper authority, to wit, the Government Agent, Northern Province, made under the said section 34, has been pleased to approve of the allotment of land set out in the schedule hereto, being provided and used as a cremation ground by the inhabitants of the town of Mullaittivu, in Karikkaddumulai North of the Mullaittivu District, Northern Province.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 1, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

*Name of Land.*—Karayatharai, lot 8,831 in preliminary plan 2,434.  
*Situation.*—Vadduvakallu, in Karikkaddumulai North in Mullaittivu District.  
*Boundaries.*—North by Karayatharai and Crown jungle; east and west by Crown jungle; and south by reservation for a path, lot 8,832 in preliminary plan 2,434.  
*Extent.*—Five acres only. Surveyed as lot 8,831 in preliminary plan 2,434.

THE following rules made by the Government Agent of the North-Central Province, under the provisions of section 5 of "The Dog Registration Ordinance, 1901," for the North-Central Province, are hereby published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,

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

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

RULES REFERRED TO.

1. A registration fee of 25 cents per annum shall be paid for each dog kept within the limits of the aforesaid Province.
2. Such registration fee shall be due on and after April 1 in each year, and shall be paid before May 1 annually.
3. To facilitate the recovery of such registration fee the occupier of every house within the aforesaid Province shall, on or before March 1 in each year, furnish to the Government Agent or to the officer authorized by him a list in the form in the schedule annexed of the dogs kept in such house, and the names of the owners thereof.
4. On payment of the registration fee on any dog the Government Agent shall, unless the owner provides a collar to be stamped, furnish him with a stamped collar for such dog on payment of a fee of 37 cents.
5. When any person residing within the limits of the aforesaid Province becomes possessed of any dog after March 1 in any year, the occupier of the premises where the dog is kept shall, within one month from the date when the dog is brought into his premises, furnish the officer named in rule No. 3 with an additional list showing every dog brought into his premises after the said date, and the name of its owner, and every such dog shall become liable to the registration fee for the current year within fifteen days after the list required by this rule becomes due.
6. It shall be lawful for the Government Agent or the officer appointed by him to require the production of any dog for which registration is applied for, and to decline to issue a certificate of registration until it is produced.
7. It shall be lawful for the Government Agent, North-Central Province, to refuse to issue a certificate of registration, or to cancel a certificate already issued for any dog which in his opinion is so maimed or diseased as to be unfit to live, or which is habitually ill-treated or continually neglected by its owner.
8. The owner of every dog for which a certificate has been refused or cancelled shall, on being noticed to do so, produce the dog at the house of the officer appointed by the Government Agent, North-Central Province, at a time to be stated in the notice and deliver it to the said officer, and every such dog may be destroyed or otherwise disposed of as the Government Agent shall think fit.
9. It shall be lawful for the officer appointed by the Government Agent to seize all stray dogs and deal with them in terms of sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 10 of the Ordinance No. 25 of 1901.

SCHEDULE.

List of Dogs.

Street : \_\_\_\_\_ House : \_\_\_\_\_ Occupier's Name : \_\_\_\_\_

No.	Description.			Name of Owner.
	Breed.	Sex.	Colour.	

THE following by-law made by the Local Board of Matale, under the provision of section 56 (21) of the Local Boards' Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898, and confirmed by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is hereby published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, May 26, 1911.

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

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

The owner of every house or building abutting on any street, which term shall include pavements, shall within twenty-one days after notice from the Board to that effect put up and keep in good condition proper troughs, gutters, and pipes for receiving and carrying the water from the roof and other parts of such house or building and discharging the same in such a manner as the Chairman, Local Board, shall direct, so that it shall not fall upon persons passing along the street. Such gutters shall not be less than 6 in. in diameter, and the down piping not less than 4 in. in diameter, with proper holdfasts, brackets, &c., and as may be directed by the Chairman, and be constructed of such material as the Chairman may approve.

THE RABIES ORDINANCE, NO. 7 OF 1893.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the local authorities set forth in Schedule I, hereto have, in exercise of the power vested in them by section 9 of the above-named Ordinance, made the regulations set forth in Schedule II. hereto, and that the same have been approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

All existing regulations which are inconsistent with the regulations in Schedule II. hereto are hereby revoked.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, June 1, 1911.

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

SCHEDULE I.

*Local Authorities.*

Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy.  
Chairman, Municipal Council, Galle.  
Chairman, Local Board, Badulla.  
Chairman, Local Board, Bandarawela.

SCHEDULE II.

*Regulations.*

1. Every owner of a dog shall cause such dog to be muzzled or led by a chain when in any public road or place. The muzzle shall be so constructed as to render it impossible for the dog, while wearing the same, to bite any person or animal, but not so as to prevent the dog from breathing freely or lapping water.
2. A dog shall not be considered effectually controlled unless muzzled as above, or led by some competent person by means of a chain and collar, the latter to be securely fastened to the dog's neck.
3. Any dog not effectually controlled found in any public road or place may be
  - (a) destroyed by any person specially authorized thereto by the local authority, or
  - (b) seized by any police officer or any person duly appointed for the purpose by the local authority. If seized a dog shall be removed to such place as may be appointed, there to be dealt with in the following manner:—
    - (i.) If the dog is affected with, or suspected of, rabies, it shall forthwith be slaughtered.
    - (ii.) If the dog is not affected with, or suspected of, rabies, it shall be detained in any place appointed. Provided that where the dog is registered, and the owner or person having charge of a dog so detained is known, the local authority, or some person duly authorized by him, shall forthwith cause notice to be given to such owner or person of the fact of the dog having been so seized and detained, and the dog shall, without prejudice to the recovery of any penalty for the breach of these regulations, be given up to such owner or person on payment of the reasonable expenses of detention.
    - (iii.) If the dog so seized and detained shall not have been claimed by such owner or person within six hours after the seizure, the local authority shall cause the dog to be slaughtered, or otherwise disposed of in such manner as the local authority may deem expedient.
    - (iv.) No dog which is not wearing the special badge or token issued by the proper authority under the Dog Registration Ordinance, No. 25 of 1901, shall be deemed to be registered for the purposes of these rules.
4. The owner of any dog which shall have been seized and detained under these regulations shall be liable to pay to the local authority the following charge:— For detention for each day or part of a day Re. 1, or such sum as the local authority may determine; and such charge shall be recoverable, if the dog is not affected with, or suspected of, rabies, by the sale thereof, unless the said charge shall have been paid before sale by the owner or person in charge of the dog, otherwise the charge shall be recoverable in the manner provided by section 1 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1873 in respect to the order in which the property of public defaulters may be seized and sold.

IT is hereby notified that an examination under the Regulations of February 25, 1909, for gentlemen in the Civil Service will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, July 17, 1911, at 10.30 A.M., and following days, namely:—

Monday, July 17	.. Sinhalese	Thursday, July 20	.. Law
Tuesday, July 18	.. Law	Friday, July 21	.. Accounts
Wednesday, July 19	.. Law	Saturday, July 22	.. Tamil

The examination in the Criminal Procedure Code prescribed under the Minute of March 26, 1900, for officers in the Fourth Class of the Civil Service, will also be held on July 18, 1911, as well as at the Kandy Kacheheri.

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

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

Candidates are required to send in their names not later than June 30, 1911.

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

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

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

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

### MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

IT is hereby notified under Ordinance No. 26 of 1909 that the under-mentioned has been licensed and registered as Surveyor and Leveller during May, 1911:—

Date.	Registration No.	Licensed No.	Name.	Address.
May 24, 1911	.. 282	.. A 19	.. Schokman, A. C.	.. No. 14, Campbell place, Colombo

Surveyor-General's Office,  
Colombo, May 27, 1911.

H. O. BARNARD,  
for Surveyor-General.

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

The Colombo Buddhist Theosophical Society	..	Mulatiyana Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Pasdun korale of the Kalutara District of the Western Province.
Mr. S. H. Skrine	..	Maria Estate Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in the Dimbula district of the Central Province.
Mr. A. Siriwardanahamy	..	Hathagoda Boys' Vernacular School, which is situated in Dehigampal korale of the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa.
Mr. L. St. George Carey	..	Ambalamana Estate Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Lower Hewaheta of the Central Province.
Rev. W. Ratnapala	..	Babarendra (Saddhammaraja) Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Wellaboda pattu of the Matara District of the Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than June 29, 1911.

Department of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, May 31, 1911.

J. HARWARD,  
Director.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Rev. J. Hsley for the registration of his Slave Island Tamil Mixed School, which is situated within the Colombo Municipal limits, as two separate schools, boys' and girls'.

Observations will be received not later than June 29, 1911.

Department of Public Instruction, J. HARWARD,  
Colombo, May 31, 1911. Director.

All candidates must present their written applications, certificates, bank receipts for fees, &c., to the Registrar on or before July 10, 1911.

Ceylon Medical College,  
Colombo, May 26, 1911.

A. F. JOSEPH,  
Acting Registrar.

#### The Ceylon Medical College.

##### MEDICAL AND APOTHECARY EXAMINATIONS.

THE Medical and Apothecary Examinations of the Ceylon Medical College will commence on Monday July 17, 1911.

All candidates must present their applications, certificate, bank receipts for fees, &c., to the Registrar on or before July 14, 1911.

Ceylon Medical College,  
Colombo, May 26, 1911.

A. F. JOSEPH,  
Acting Registrar.

#### The Ceylon Medical College.

##### APOTHECARIES' ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

THE Apothecaries' Entrance Examination of the Ceylon Medical College will be held in the College on Monday, July 17, 1911.

THE following list of teachers whose certificates have been suspended is published for general information:—

Name.	Particulars of Certificate.	School in which last employed.	Name of Manager.	Nature of Offence.	Date of Suspension.	Period of Suspension.
V. S. Kathirasu	II. Class, No. 3 of 1899	Nindur, V. M.	Rev. J. A. Barker	Falsification of register	June 6, 1909	Three months
D. Solomon	III. Class, No. 18 of 1882	Manipay Central, V. M.	M. Sivaprasadam	do.	June 17, 1909	Two years
Ramer Romuald	I. Class, No. 14 of 1889	Achevaly North, V. M.	Rev. J. B. Poulain	do.	July 1, 1909	Six months*
K. M. Perera	II. Class License, No. 23 of 1897	Nedlagamuwa, V. B.	Rev. B. Gunananda	Fraudulent presentation	August 8, 1909	One year
K. L. Solomon	II. Class, No. 28 of 1908	Kudiyurupoo, V. M.	Rev. W. T. Garrett	Falsification of register	September 1, 1909	Two years
Michael Fernando	III. Class Provisional, No. 64 of 1905	Katunayaka, V. M.	Rev. E. Bouffard	Giving unfair assistance to pupils under examination	September 10, 1909	One year
Timothy Fernando	III. Class Provisional, No. 31 of 1909	do.	do.	do.	do.	do.
Simon Perera	III. Class, No. 85 of 1904	do.	do.	do.	do.	do.
Sophia Palamuttu	III. Class, No. 15 of 1905	Kalmuna Girls' Boarding	Rev. J. A. Barker	Attempting to assist a candidate under examination	October 1, 1909	do.
S. Abresham	Madras Lower Secondary, No. 7,464 of 1903	Edinburgh Estate	Rev. W. E. Rowlands	Falsification of register	October 22, 1909	do.
Solomon Kandappen	III. Class, No. 382 of 1883	Talsikuda, V. M.	Rev. L. Dupont	do.	November 20, 1909	do.
Samuel Vedeken	Madras Lower Secondary, No. 1917 of 1902	Pogahawela, Tamil M.	Rev. T. S. Johnson	do.	January 1, 1910	do.
Sophia Sinnappillai Perumal (Mrs Sophia Sinnappillai Kanapathypillai)	III. Class Provisional, No. 128 of 1905	Naipattimurai, V. M.	M. Coomarasamy Ayer	do.	do.	do.
A. Constantinu Oureira	II. Class License, No. 3 of 1896	Nanjundankarai, V. M.	Rev. E. Bouvier	Giving unfair assistance to pupils under examination	do.	do.
Nicholapillai Joseph	I. Class, No. 143 of 1901	Kandy Muhammadan, B.	A. R. Cassie Lebbe	Fraudulent presentation of pupils	April 1, 1910	do.
Valanther Attanas	III. Class, No. 636 of 1896	Tirunelvely, V. M.	Rev. J. B. Poulain	Falsification of register	June 10, 1910	do.
S. Solomon	Madras Lower Secondary, III. Class, No. 6 of 1907	Matale, V. M.	Rev. W. Booth	do.	August 1, 1910	Three years
V. Sinnatambay	II. Class, No. 7 of 1904	Kattankudy Moor, V. B.	Rev. F. Bonnel	do.	September 6, 1910	One year
J. V. Kandavanam	I. Class, No. 215/1893 of 1906	Puloly, V. M.	Rev. A. Lockwood	False personation	November 1, 1910	Two years
V. Murugasu	do.	Thurai Neelavenai, V. M.	Rev. J. A. Barker	do.	February 11, 1911	One year

\* In the notice published in the Gazette of February 26, 1909, the period was incorrectly given as six months (from January 1, 1909) instead of one year.

Office of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, May 27, 1911.

J. HARWARD,  
Director.

THE following uncertificated teachers have been dismissed from the employment of their respective Managers, and interdicted by the Director of Public Instruction from teaching in Grant-in-Aid Schools:—

Name of Teacher.	School in which last employed.	Name of Manager.	Nature of Offence.	Remarks.
Luther Anthonypillai	Parampatti Branch of Panditerippu, V. M.	Rev. T. B. Scott	Falsification of register	Interdicted for two years from June 18, 1909
T. Kadraner	Mindaikattu, V. M.	Rev. F. Bonnel	False personation and falsification of register	Interdicted for two years from November 3, 1909
C. Chelliam	Punnalikkadduvan South, V. M.	K. Chelliar	Dishonesty in connection with the examination in needlework	do.
N. S. Mylvaganam	Kadiraveli, V. M.	Rev. W. T. Garrett	Falsification of register	Permanently interdicted
Pedropillai Nicholas	Totavelly, V. M.	Rev. J. B. Poulain	Fraudulent presentation of pupils for examination	do.

Office of Public Instruction,  
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June, 1911.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of firewood to the Railway Department from the under-mentioned forests during the financial period from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912:—

(a) To fell 8,400 cubic yards of firewood in Kebellakanda, Lavolugodakele, and Lulwelakele at Induruwa, and in Horaketiya and Palugaskanda at Kosgoda, in the Galle District, and to transport and deliver at the Kosgoda Railway Station in twelve monthly instalments of not less than 700 cubic yards each supply.

(b) To fell 8,400 cubic yards of firewood in Bathalahena, Elgalahena, and Kahatahena at Kotawila, and Warapitiya, Mirissahenayayakele in Mirissa, and Denapitiya, Ingurupettale, Puhulhena, and Addarawattahena in Wellane, Uduanwa and Beraliya, Haraketiya mukalana, and Nedunketiya hena in Akurugoda, all in Weligam korale, Matara District, and to transport and deliver at the Weligama Railway Station in monthly instalments of not less than 700 cubic yards each supply.

2. Each piece of wood should be 3 feet in length, and not less than 12 inches nor more than 36 inches in girth, and the following species should not be cut for firewood, namely:—Etdemata, lunumidella, rukattana, divikaduru, cotton, erabadu, dadap, kekuna, amba, gedumba, kadju, and walkaduru.

3. The rate per cubic yard of firewood delivered from above forests may be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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" 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, June 13, 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 a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests that his tender has been accepted, 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 the 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 of 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, May 10, 1911.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of 7,200 stacked cubic yards, more or less, of firewood to the Railway Department at Kilinochchi between July 1, 1911, and June 30, 1912. Firewood to be cut from the irrigable areas under the Karachchi Scheme on the western side of the North-Central road between Kilinochchi and Paranthan. About 150 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. Tenders 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, June 13, 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 the contract. The amount of the 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 ten days before the date of closing of the tender.

A. J. KILMARTIN,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Jaffna Division.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of firewood to the Railway. The work is described in the schedule hereto.

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 Anuradhapura Railway Firewood" 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, June 13, 1911.

5. The 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.

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

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

8. A rate per cubic yard of firewood delivered to and accepted by the Forest Department must be quoted in words and figures.

9. 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. 350. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

To supply 6,000 (more or less) cubic yards of firewood at the locomotive yard at Anuradhapura Railway Station.

The supplies are to be made weekly, and not less than 550 cubic yards must be supplied in any month, and in no week should less than 100 cubic yards be supplied.

Supplies are to commence in the first week of July, 1911, and to end in the last week of May, 1912.

The firewood is to be cut from the irrigable Crown lands near the villages Ponnavaarakulam and Kombichikulam, and the distance of working areas from the place of delivery will range from  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile to 4 miles.

Firewood will not be accepted unless it is of recognized kinds of wood properly cut and stacked.

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.

Further conditions and particulars can be ascertained from this office.

**TENDERS** are hereby separately invited for the sleeper services described in the annexed schedule and marked "A," "B," "C," "D," "E," and "F."

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sleeper Service 'A' or 'B,'" as the case may be, in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, June 20, 1911.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Kurunegala, 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 after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Kurunegala Division, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the acceptance of the tender will be nugatory. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5. A cash security of 5 per cent. of the value of contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the bond. The sureties will be required to produce a certificate of competency signed by a Chief Headman before signing the bond.

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

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

A. B. LUSHINGTON,  
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Kurunegala, May 16, 1911. Kurunegala Division.

#### Service "A."

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 3,027 palu and 203 kumbuk trees duly marked and girdled, to saw them into 16,000 broad gauge sleepers, more or less, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., in Wilpotuwa forest, situated in the Anavilundan Pattu North of Pitigal Korale North, in the Chilaw District, about 2 miles east of Chilaw-Puttalam road, between the 59th and 63rd mileposts, and to deliver the same properly stacked at Chilaw lake shore at 1,000 sleepers per month from July 1, 1911, to October 31, 1912.

The sleepers can easily be transported from the forest to the Chilaw-Puttalam road along Kiriyankali-Andigama road, thence to the canal at Pinkattiya, and by boat to Chilaw. Distance from the forest to the canal about 6 miles, and by boat to Chilaw 12 miles.

#### Service "B."

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 1,522 palu trees duly marked and girdled, to saw them into 7,000 broad gauge sleepers, more or less, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., in Serukele or Tamarakulam forest, situated in the same pattu and korale as Wilpotuwa forest, about 4 miles east of the 61st milepost on the Chilaw-Puttalam road, and to deliver the same properly stacked at Chilaw lake shore at 600 sleepers per month from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912.

The sleepers can easily be transported through Wilpotuwa forest referred to in service "A." Distance from the forest to the canal about 7 miles, and by boat to Chilaw about 12 miles.

#### Service "C."

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 700 palu trees duly marked and girdled, to saw them into 3,000 broad gauge sleepers, more or less, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., in Pallekelle forest, situated in the north-east of Anavilundan Pattu South, in Pitigal Korale North, Chilaw District, and to deliver the same properly stacked at Chilaw lake shore at 300 sleepers per month from July 1, 1911, to April 30, 1912.

The sleepers can easily be transported along the Bangadeniya-Mandalana road to the main Chilaw-Puttalam road at the 54th milepost. Distance from the forest to Chilaw about 11 miles.

#### Service "D."

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 5,892 palu trees duly marked and girdled, to saw them into 10,000 broad gauge sleepers, more or less, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., in Wirankatuwa forest, situated to the west of the Chilaw-Puttalam road between the 55 $\frac{1}{2}$  and 59th mileposts, and to

deliver the same at Chilaw lake shore at 700 sleepers per month from July 1, 1911, to September 30, 1912.

The sleepers can easily be transported from the forest to the canal, which is only about 2 miles distance, thence by boat to Chilaw, a distance of about 6 miles.

*Service "E."*

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 1,081 palu, kumbuk, and mi trees duly marked and girdled, to saw them into 4,000 broad gauge sleepers, more or less, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., in Kumbukkadawela, Mohoria, and Galkuliya forests, situated in the Rajakumarawanni pattu of the Puttalam District to the south of Madurankuli-Andigama minor road, and north of the Kiriyankali-Andigama minor road, and to deliver the same properly stacked at Chilaw lake shore at 300 sleepers per month from July 1, 1911, to August 31, 1912.

The sleepers can easily be transported from the forests by means of the Kiriyankali-Andigama road. Distance from the forest to the canal at Madurankuli is about 8 to 13 miles, thence by boat to Chilaw 24 miles.

*Service "F."*

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 437 palu and kumbuk trees duly marked and girdled, to saw them into 2,250 broad gauge sleepers, more or less, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., in Attavillu forest, situated in the Rajakumarawanni pattu of the Puttalam District to the south of the Puttalam-Kurunegala road between the 6th and 7½ mileposts, and to deliver the same properly stacked at the Chilaw lake shore at 250 sleepers per month from July 1, 1911, to April 30, 1912.

The sleepers can easily be transported from the forests by means of the Puttalam-Kurunegala road, thence along the service road. Distance from the forest to the canal at Palavi is about 5 to 7 miles, thence to Chilaw by boat about 30 miles.

No narrow gauge sleepers will be accepted on any of the above services, nor will contractors be permitted to convert rejected broad gauge into narrow gauge sleepers.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for carrying out the services described in the annexed schedule.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for supply of 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, June 20, 1911.

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

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. 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. A rate per broad gauge sleeper delivered and accepted must be quoted, both in words and figures, separately for services (a) and (b).

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

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

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

FRED. J. S. TURNER,  
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Anuradhapura, May 17, 1911. Anuradhapura Division.

SCHEDULE.

(a) To fell within 6 in. of the ground 275 palu, milla, kumbuk, and mi trees in the under-mentioned forest, and to saw them into broad gauge sleepers, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. Sleepers are to be transported and delivered correctly stacked at Talawa. The boundaries of the forest are:—North by the minor road from Eppawala to Ottapuwa and road from Eppawala to Kekirawa, east by the minor road from Namadawa to Kala-o-ya, south by the Kala-o-ya, west by the Tambuttugama proposed reserve boundary.

(b) To saw 200 logs lying felled in the forest described above into broad gauge sleepers, each 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., and to transport and deliver them correctly stacked at Talawa.

No narrow gauge sleepers will be accepted on any of the above services, nor will contractors be permitted to convert rejected broad gauge into narrow gauge sleepers.

The distance of transport of sleepers under (a) and (b) is from 12 to 16 miles.

The works should be completed before the close of March, 1912. Half the estimated quantity of sleepers should be delivered before December 31, 1911.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of bricks, tiles (half-round and ridge), bamboos, battalies, cadjans, mopas, posts, and cabook 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 Bamboos, &c.," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on June 20, 1911.

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

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

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

8. The bricks and tiles must be equal in quality and size to the standard samples in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

May 30, 1911.

W. A. TAYLOR,  
Colonial Storekeeper.

**TENDERS** for the right to sell fish at the fish stall at Norwood for a period of six months from July 1 to December 31, 1911, will be received by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy, up to noon on June 15, 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,  
May 22, 1911.

W. L. MURPHY,  
for Chairman.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the following materials, viz., nar baskets, ola mats, ola bags, coconut oil, castor oil, kerosine oil, palmyra olas, coir and ekel brooms, coir strings, and gunny bags, to be delivered when required at the General Stores, Jaffna; Salt Pans, Chiviyateru; and Tondaimannar Store during the period July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed, the original to be addressed to the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the duplicate to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be handed in personally or be sent through the post. Both copies should be despatched at the same time.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for supplying Materials, 1911-12," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Jaffna Kachcheri not later than 2 P.M. on June 15, 1911.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent, Northern Province, 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 on date of tender.

9. Sufficient surties 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.

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.

Jaffna Kachcheri,  
May 11, 1911.

M. A. YOUNG,  
for Government Agent.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for building new police station, administration block, quarters, &c., Modera-Grandpass, Colombo.

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 building new Modera-Grandpass Police Station" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on June 13, 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 Provincial Engineer, Western Province,

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

6. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 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. Plans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo.

8. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 2,500 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

C. A. LOVEGROVE,  
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, May 18, 1911.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for building new police station, administration block, quarters, &c., Wellawatta.

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 building new Police Station, Wellawatta," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on June 13, 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 Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 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.

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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.

C. A. LOVEGROVE,  
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, May 18, 1911.

**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

to be delivered at any place within the gravets of Colombo as may be required.

2. Slaked lime must be well burnt, of good quality, and free from particles of stone. It must be delivered in a bushel or 8-bushel measure filled with a shovel, mamoty, or basket, the lime being dropped from a height of at least 6 in. above the measure, each bushel of lime must weigh 42 lb., exclusive of the tare of basket or other receptacle in which weighed.

Boiled lime must be of the best quality, each bushel to weigh 92 lb., exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

White clay must weigh 83 lb. to the bushel, exclusive of tare of receptacle in which weighed.

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 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, June 6, 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. The maximum quantity of lime and white clay that can be supplied weekly should be stated on the tenders.

8. 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.

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 Rs. 100. 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, May 23, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

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, June 6, 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, May 23, 1911.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

**SEPARATE** tenders are hereby invited for the transport of stores from Galle and Hattton for the period of one year commencing from July 1, 1911, and terminating on June 30, 1912.

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

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for landing and delivering teak to the Railway Department from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912.

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the transport of Stores from ————" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer not later than midday on June 13, 1911.

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

6. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of

defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

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

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

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

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

G. J. RUTHERFORD,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, May 22, 1911.

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 June 6, 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, May 17, 1911.

G. J. RUTHERFORD,  
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.
General Hospital, Colombo (Pauper Section)	Uncooked without milk	1,000	2,000
Lady Havelock Hospital	do.	500	1,000

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 June 13, 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.

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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, May 22, 1911.

G. J. RUTHERFORD,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

SCHEDULE.

Institution.	Nature of Diets to be supplied.	Amount	
		of Tender Deposit.	Amount. of Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Gampola Hospital	.. Cooked without milk	200	400
Kalutara Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Teldeniya Hospital	.. Cooked with milk	100	200

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE under-mentioned articles will be sold by public auction at the office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer on Monday, June 12, 1911 :—

9 candlesticks with glasses	4 inkstands, pewter
3 punkahs	2 cupboards
2 coir mats	1 printing press, Albion's
1 table, round	1 ladder, folding

G. J. RUTHERFORD,

for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, May 30, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles belonging to the Public Works Department will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Ambanpitiya, on July 10, 1911, at 4.30 P.M. :—

10 empty tar barrels
7 cans, tin
15 drums, iron
6 empty paint kegs

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, May 24, 1911.

HENRY B. LEES,  
for Director of Public Works.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended May 27, 1911.

**Births.**—The total births registered were 86 (1 European, 11 Burghers, 48 Sinhalese, 11 Tamils, 7 Moors, 7 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the population as enumerated at the Census on March 10, 1911, viz., 211,287) was 21.2, as against 23.2 in the preceding week, 21.6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25.6 the weekly average for last year.

**Deaths.**—The total deaths registered were 125 (0 Europeans, 10 Burghers, 63 Sinhalese, 25 Tamils, 20 Moors, 4 Malays, and 3 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 30.8, as against 28.9 in the previous week, 30.9 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.2 the weekly average for last year.

**Infantile Deaths.**—Of the 125 total deaths, 29 were of infants under one year of age, as against 34 in the preceding week, 25 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 27 the average for last year.

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

**Selected Causes of Death.**—Fifteen deaths were registered from *Pneumonia* (against 16 in the previous week and 12 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 each were in Pettah, St. Paul's, Kotahena, and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), and 1 each in San Sebastian, New Bazaar, and Maradana hospitals. Five deaths were registered from *Bronchitis*.

2. Thirteen deaths were registered from *Phthisis* (against 19 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 were in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena, and New Bazaar, and 1 each in Pettah, San Sebastian, Maradana hospitals, and Kollupitiya North.

3. Twelve deaths were registered from *Infantile Convulsions*, 8 from *Enteritis* (3 infants), 8 *Debility* (3 infants), 7 *Diarrhœa* (1 infant), 6 *Dysentery*, 4 *Worms*, 4 *Old Age*, 4 *Apoplexy*; 3 *Nephritis*, 2 *Tetanus* (both infants), 2 *Premature Births*, 2 *Dochmius Duodenalis*, and 23 from *Other Causes*.

4. Seven deaths were registered from *Enteric Fever* (against 5 in the previous week and the weekly average for last year), of which 3 were in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 in Maradana hospitals, and 1 each in Slave Island and Kollupitiya South. There were 14 cases reported during the week, against 19 in the previous week.

5. One case of *Smallpox* was reported during the week (of a vagrant Tamil from Southern India, where the epidemic is now prevalent); also 10 of *Measles*, against 14 in the previous week; and 21 of *Chickenpox*, against 37 in the previous week.

6. One case of *Cholera* was reported from the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Kanatta, of a cooly from the Ragama camp, where there has been a rather serious epidemic since the beginning of the month.

*State of the Weather.*—The mean temperature of air was 82·6°, against 84·1° in the preceding week and 84·2° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·861 in., against 29·881 in. in the preceding week and 29·917 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 3·49 in., against 0·32 in. in the preceding week and 0·08 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo; May 30, 1911.

F. ARUNOHALAM,  
Registrar-General.