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#### PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS 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, has quitted this Colony: It is hereby proclaimed that, by virtue of the Commission of His late Majesty King Edward VII., bearing date January 21, 1907, Sir Hugh Clifford, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, has this day assumed the Administration of the Government of this Island, of which all persons concerned are required to take due notice.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Thirtieth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eleven.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. Booter,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

#### No. 240 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint the Hon. Mr. L. W. Booth to act as Colonial Secretary from June 30, 1911, during the time the Hon. Sir Hugh CLIFFORD, K.C.M.G., administers the Government of the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

F. Bowes,
Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, June 30, 1911.

#### No. 241 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments on his Personal Staff:—

Captain G. H. STEVENSON, 2nd Battalion, the Welsh Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp, in addition to his own duties as Staff Officer, Ceylon Volunteer Force.

Mr. E. B. Denham, Ceylon Civil Service, to be Private Secretary, in addition to his own duties as Superintendent of Census.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, June 30, 1911. L. W. Воотн, Acting Colonial Secretary.

### No. 242 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appoinments:—

Mr. C. S. VAUGHAN to act as Government Agent and Fiscal of the Central Province; Chairman, Municipal Council, Kandy; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance within Municipal Council limits, Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Central Province; Member of the Board of Health, Central Province; and a Visitor of the Prisons in Kandy, with effect from June 28, 1911, during the employment of the Hon. Mr. L. W. BOOTH on other duty or until further orders.

Mr. F. BARTLETT to the office of Government Agent, North-Central Province; Fiscal for the North-Central Province; District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura; Superintendent of the Prison at Anuradhapura; Member of the Board of Health, North-Central Province; and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the North-Central Province, with effect from June 26, 1911.

Mr. W. K. H. CAMPBELL to act, in addition to his own duties, as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Galle; Additional District Judge, Galle; Municipal Magistrate, Galle; and Visitor of the Prison at Galle, with effect from June 28, 1911, during the absence of Mr. H. E. BEVEN owing to illness or until further orders.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODE to be Additional District Judge and Additional Police Magistrate, Kegalla, for June 23, 911.

Mr. A. W. SEYMOUR to act, in addition to his own duties, as Assistant Collector of Customs; Trincomalee;

Landing Surveyor and Receiver of Wrecks, Trincomalee; and Master Attendant, Trincomalee, with effect from June 26, 1911, until further orders.

Mr. H. C. Bryett to be a Justice of the Peace and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, vice Mr. C. Shipton, deceased.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, June 29, 1911. Hugh Clifford, Colonial Secretary.

#### No. 243 of 1911.

IIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 22 of Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to appoint the Rev. R. H. Phair to be a Member of the Provincial Road Committee, North-Central Province, for the remainder of the year 1911, in place of Mr. K. I. B. Palugaswewa, deceased.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, June 22, 1911. Hugh CLIFFORD, Colonial Secretary.

#### No. 244 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 4 of "The Plant Pests Ordinance, 1907," to appoint Mr. G. A. Maclean to be a Member of the Plant Pests Board for the Revenue District of Trincomalee, in place of Mr. G. N. L. Molesworth, who has left the Island.

By His Excellency's command,

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

#### No. 245 of 1911.

IIIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Mr. CYRIL GIBERT DE ALWIS ALAHAKOON WIJEYESIRIWARDENE, Mudaliyar, Pitigal Korale South, to be an Inquirer for Pitigal Korale South, vice Mr. W. M. DABARERA, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

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

Hugh Clifford, Colonial Secretary.

#### No. 246 of 1911.

IIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. S. B. TALWATTE, under section 372 of "The Civil Procedure Code, 1889," to administer the oath or affirmation which is requisite to the making of the affidavit mentioned in section 371 of the said Code from June 16, 1911.

#### By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, June 16, 1911. HUGH CLIFFORD, Colonial Secretary.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

DON CHARLES AMARASEKARA SIRIWARDANA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Minuwangoda division and of Marriages (General) of Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru Korale North division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from July 1, 1911, vice M. G. DIAS RUPASINHA SENANAYARA, Muhandiram, retired. His office will be at Ganewatta in Minuwangoda.

DON PAULU NANAYAKKARA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mahara division and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu of Siyane Korale West division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from July 1, 1911, vice D. C. R. WEERASEKARA, retired. His office will be at Pamburugahawatta in Kurukulawa.

DON SIMON KATUGAMPOLA GUNATILAKA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kelaniya division and of Marriages (General) of Adikari pattu of Siyane Korale West division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from July 1, 1911, vice L. S. Cabral, retired. His office will be at Millagahawatta at Makola North.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER DE SILVA to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hatton-Dikoya towns division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, with effect from July 1, 1911, vice T. W. LAPPEN, transferred. His office will be at the Government Civil Hospital, Glencairn.

DON.JAMES RUPASINHA GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan) of Yakawala division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two weeks and four days, with effect from June 26, 1911, vice D. S. DE S. R. RUPASINHA, on sick leave. His office will be at Okandewatta in Lelwala.

DON HENDRICK DE SILVA SIRIWARDENA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Bengamuwa division and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, with effect from July 1, 1911, vice D. C. D. WIRAWARDENA, resigned. His office will be at Liyanagegedarawatta in Bengamuwa.

CHINNAPPILLAI CHETTIRAPPILLAI to be on six months' probation Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koralai Pattu South division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Koralai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from July 15, 1911, vice N. CHINNAPPILLAI, retired. His office will be at Kiran, with branch offices at Santiveli and Murakkoddanchenai.

ALAIYAPPODI PALIPPODI to be on six months' probation Registrar of Births and Deaths of Porativu Pattu North division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Porativu pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from July 15, 1911, vice K. Periyatampippodi, Udaiyar, retired. His office will be at Mavadivalavu in Periyaporativu, with a branch office at Kinattadivalavu in Palukamam.

MIRASAIBULEVVAI ISUMALEVVAI on six months' probation to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Panawa Pattu East division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from July 15, 1911, vice T. M. APTULKATAR. His office will be at Pilavadivalavu in Pottuvil.

MAPAWIJESINHA ANDRIS APPUHAMY of Tabbowa to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapalata East division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, with effect from July 1, 1911. His office will be at Kongahawatta in Tabbowa.

MALWILA SRI BRAHMANA WANNINAYAKA TENNAKON MUDIYANSELAGE UKKU BANDA to act as Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan) of Wanni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for for weeks and two days, with effect from July 2, 1911, vice the Registrar, W. T. K. Timbiriwewa, on leave. His office will be at Hitinawatta in Digane (the office of the permanent Registrar).

W.H. FERNANDO of Marawila to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medapalata West division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, with effect from July 1, 1911. His office will be at Marawila.

KURUGALA ARACHCHIGE GABRIEI, APPUHAMI to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kolonnagam pattu division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from July 1, 1911, vice Registrar, A. K. Andrishami, resigned. His office will be at Kohonporuwewatta in Ereporuwa.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, June 28, 1911. Hugh CLIFFORD, Colonial Secretary.

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

The Provincial Registrar, Central Province, has appointed Don Cornelius de Silva to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for four days from June 21, 1911, during the absence of Mr. A. de S. Wikramatilaka, on leave. His office will be at Kandy Kacheheri.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo District, has appointed Dr. W. H. Meier, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 5 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for one week from June 27, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. (Miss) W. Nell, on leave. His office will be at No. 263, Alutmawata.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed James Perera Jayesinghe to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Kalutara totamune division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for three days from June 20, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, K. B. Kaduruwewa, on leave. His office will be at the Kalutara Kachcheri.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed Bomeryege Don David Karunaratna to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Bentota-Walallawiti korale division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two weeks and one day from June 19, 1911, during the absence of H. A. D. S. Wijeratne, on leave. His office will be at Polpanagalakareturewatta in Pitigala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed Don James Rupasinha Gunawardana to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Neluwa division and of Marriages (General) of Hinidum pattu, division in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two weeks and four days from June 21, 1911, during the absence of D. S. DE S. R. Gunawardana, on sick leave. His office will be at Okandewatta in Lelwala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed Mendis Dias Samarawickrama Yapa to act as Registrar

of Births and Deaths of Walawe division and of Marriages (General) of Talpe pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for four weeks and two days from June 22, 1911, during the absence of A. D. S. YAPA, on leave. His office will be at Palliyewatta in Polpogoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed A. H. M. KIRI BANDA of Kollankulama to act as Registrar of Marriages (General), Births, and Deaths of Perawili pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for twenty days from June 15, 1911, during the absence of A. H. M. MUDALIHAMI, the permanent Registrær, on sick leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Don Suaris, OBEYESEKERA to act as Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from June 16, 1911, vice C. MARK PERERA, deceased. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Puttalam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed K. THAMOTHARAM PILLAI to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Puttalam pattu and gravets, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for four days from June 26, 1911, during the absence of A. W. Rosa, on other duty. Hispoffice will be at the Kachcheri, Puttalam.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, June 28, 1911. P., ARUNACHALAM, Registrar-General.

WITH reference to the Notification dated June 15, 1911, appearing in the Government Gazette No. 6,447 of June 16, 1911, it is hereby notified that the leave granted to M. G. DIAS RUPASINGHE, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Minuwangoda division and of Marriages (General) of Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru Korale North division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, and the acting appointment of Julius Dias Rupasinghe Senanayaka have been cancelled, with effect from July 1, 1911.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, June 28, 1911. P. ARUNACHALAM, Registrar-General.

#### GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

DURSUANT 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:—

Archæological Survey Department.

Five Draughtsmen.

Two Clerks.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, June 27, 1911.

HUGH CLIFFORD, Colonial Secretary.

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

By His Excellency's command,

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

#### SCHEDULE.

· Name, Situation, and Extent.—The land commonly called Kahatagalanda, situated at Matagoda, in the Ragam pattu of Alutkuru Korale South, and contain ing in extent 1 acre, according to the plan of survey No. 494 of October 26, 1904, prepared by H. G. E. Perera, Licensed Surveyor.

#### Boundaries.

North.—By a portion of the same land marked B in plan No. 494 of October 26, 1904, prepared by H. G. E. Perera, Licensed Surveyor. East.—By a road.

South.—By a portion of the same land marked C in plan No. 494 of October 26, 1904, prepared by H. G. E. Perera, Licensed Surveyor. West.—By land claimed by Simon de Melho Ascrappa and H. D. Porlentinahamy

and others.

#### MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

N pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Registration of Marriages, other than the Marriages of Kandyans or of Muhammadans," I, Ponnambalam Arunachalam, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the undermentioned building, used as a place of public Christian worship, has been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein :-

Date of

Registration.

Description.

Situation.

Minister or Proprietor or Trustee

Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.

Salvation Army

Registrar-General.

June 19, 1911 .. Brick wall building 246

with tiled roof

Erlally North, Chunakam, . Jaffna

William Sidney Measures, Commanding Officer, Trustee

P. ARUNACHALAM,

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, June 19, 1911.

#### Abstract of Cooly Labourers on Estates in the several Provinces during the Quarter ended March 81, 1911.

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lonial Secretary olombo, June 2											Hugi Col	T CI onia	liffor <b>d,</b> l Secretary.

OTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from N. H. M. Abdul Cader, Esq., for a grant in aid of his Layard's Broadway Zahira School, which is situated in Colombo District of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than July 20, 1911.

Department of Public Instruction, Colombo, June 19, 1911.

Col

J. HARWARD, Director.

#### Motor Cars for Sale.

Panhard 20-25 H.P. ROVER 6 H.P.

THE cars can be seen at the Railway Garage, Colombo, on application to the Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Superintendent, Colombo, and offers for the purchase should be addressed to me.

General Manager's Office Colombo, June 17, 1911. G. P. GREENE, General Manager.

#### 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.

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, certificates, 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.

#### NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for a period of two and a half months, commencing from July 29, 1911, for the under-mentioned service :-

For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 25 teak logs from Puluganawa forest in Maha-oya range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Batticaloa bar, a distance of about 26 miles.

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

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

through the post.

Tenders should be marked "Tender for supply of Teak" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, not later than 12 noon on Saturday,

July 15, 1911.

The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders will be treated as

informal and rejected.

A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposits will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

contract.

- 8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be 5 per centum of the value of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.
- The rate per cubic foot of timber to be supplied should be stated in the tender.
- 10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.
- 11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

J. C. C. MIDDLETON, Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, June 6, 1911. Batticaloa Division.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned L service for period commencing from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912:

To fell and deliver at the Nuwara Eliya Depot from the Kandapola Sita Eliya reserve, situated at Kandapola (5th milepost), 6,540 cubic yards (more or less) of firewood, in lengths of 3 ft. and not more than 2 ft. 6 in. and not less than 9 in. in circumference, at the rate of 545 cubic yards per mensem.

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 Nuwara Eliya Depôt Supply" 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, July 4, 1911.

- Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.
- 6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or 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 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.

The rate per cubic yard must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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

10. The sum of 5 per cent. on the total cost of the service will have to be deposited as security for the due fulfilment of the contract before it is signed.

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

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

13. All other necessary information can be obtained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

L. V. WILLIAMS. Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nuwara Eliya, June 3, 1911. Nuwara Eliya Division.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the service described in the schedule annexed, and for convenience divided into two parts: (a) and (b).

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.

Tenders should be marked "Tender for Jaffna Depot 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, July 4, 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

- 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, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.
- 7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.
- 8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond and other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section The sureties will be required to produce a certificate of competency signed by a Chief Headman before signing the bona.
- 9. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

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. Rates per ton delivered in the depot must be quoted

both in words and figures.

12. Arrangement with the Railway will be made by the Forest Department for the conveyance of the woods from Killinochchi to Jaffna, and the contractor is expected to load and unload firewood trucks and to weigh the firewood on the depot scales.

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

Jaffna, June 2, 1911.

Schedule.

(a) To supply to the Jaffna Depôt, between July 1, 1911, and June 30, 1912, from irrigable areas under the Karachchi scheme on the eastern side of the North-Central road, between the 157th and 159th mileposts to a distance of 2 miles inwards, 1,500 tons more or less of common firewood.

All trees cut for this purpose must be cut within a foot of the ground, and the area worked must be stripped clean, and work must proceed steadily from one direction. The leaving of small patches of firewood jungle will not be allowed.

The supply must be completed before the close of May, 1912, and not less than 125 tons should be delivered monthly.

(b) To supply to the Jaffna Depôt, between July 1, 1911, and June 30, 1912, from Iranaimadu tank sawing depôt, 500 tons more or less of refuse wood from sleeper works. Wood to be loaded into railway wagons at Killinochchi.

The supply must be completed before the close of May, 1912, and not less than 40 tons should be delivered monthly.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of firewood to the Railway Department from the undermentioned forests during the financial period from July 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912, viz. :-

#### For Specials on the Main Line.

- (a) To fell, transport, and deliver near the 43rd milepost on the Main Line, between Alawwa and Polgahawela stations-
  - (1) 1,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Dewalakelemukalana, lot 76, situated within the village limits of Yatigaloluwa, about 2 miles distance from the Railway line.

(2) 1,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Talakolakandemukalana, lot 1, situated within the village limits of Waduwawa, about 3 miles distance from the Railway line.

- (3) 2,500 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Dehelgomuwekandemukalana, lot 54, situated within the village limits of Dehelgomuwa, about 6 miles distance from the Railway line.
- (4) 2,500 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Batagollemukalana, lot 39, situated within the village limits of Andarapone, about 5 miles distance from the Railway line.

Fuel from all the above-mentioned forests can be brought out by means of the Waduwawa Gansabhawa road.

- (b) To fell, transport, and deliver near the 37th milepost on the Main Line, between Ambepussa and Alawwa Railway stations-
  - (1) 3,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Moramandiyekele, lot 2, and six other adjoining forests, situated within the village limits of Talwatta, about 3½ miles distance from the Railway line.

(2) 150 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Galagawakelekosgahamukalana, lot 57, situated within the village limits of Abbowa, about 12 miles distance from the Railway line.

(3) 1,500 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Gongawalamukalana, lot 40, situated within the village limits of Otarakiriwanpola, about 4 miles distance from the Railway line.

- (4) 1,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Egodakandemukalana, lot 19, and the adjoining forest, situated within the village limits of Pallekekulanda, about 3 miles distance from the Railway line.
- (c) To fell, transport, and deliver at the Alawwa station yard-
  - (1) 5,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Badapeliyagodamukalana, situated within the village limits of Ihalakalalpitiya and Nugawela. The fuel can easily be extracted by means of village road, which joins the main Giriulla-Alawwa road at the 5th milepost. Total distance to Alawwa 7 miles, 5 of which are along the main road.

(2) 5,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Pangollemukalana, situated within the village limits of Busnapahuwa and Welikare. There is a road connecting the forest with the main Giriulla-Alawwa road, by means of which the fuel can be extracted. Distance to Alawwa about 7 miles, 5 miles being main road.

(3) 1,500 stacked cubic yards of firewood from Gallinda and adjoining forests, situated within the village limits of Mabopitiya. Fuel from these blocks can be extracted by means of a village road. Distance to Alawwa about 5 miles.

All in Udukaha Korale East.

- (d) To fell, transport, and deliver at the Polgahawela Railway station yard-
  - (1) 4,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Moragahamulamukalana, lot 57, and the adjoining forests, situated within the village limits of Arambepola, in Udapola Medalassa korale. Distance to Polgahawela Railway station, 8 miles.
  - (2) 3,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from Polgollemukalana, situated within the village limits of Puhuriya, in Udukaha Otota korale. The forest is connected with the main road from Kegalla to Polgahawela by a Gansabhawa road. Total distance to Polgahawela station 3 miles.

#### For "Stages" at Alawwa.

- (e) To fell, transport, and deliver at Alawwa station yard for the "stages"—
  - (1) 2,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from the forest known as Wagolla, which is situated within the village limits of Riloluwa. forest is situated. 21 miles to the west of the Giriulla-Alawwa main road. Total distance to Alawwa 9 miles.
  - (2) 3,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from Kiri bathkohe and adjoining forests, situated within the village limits of Kebellawita. Fuel can be extracted to Alawwa by means of a village road.

All in Udukaha Korale East of Dambadeniya hatpattu.

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.:-Etamba, lunumidella, rukattana, divikaduru, kaju, wal kaduru, cotton, erabadu, dadap, kekuna, amba, and

2. Tenders should distinctly specify each service separately with the section and sub-section in respect of each forest as given in the notice.

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, or be sent through the post.

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 "Tenders for Railway Firewood Supply, Kurunegala 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, July 11, 1911.

19.00

- The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Kurunegala Division, Kurunegala, and no tenders will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.
- 7. A deposit of Rs. 20 for each separate service will be required to be made either at the Treasury or in a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any forms 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
- 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. Cash security at the rate of 5 per cent. on the amount of each contract will be required before contracts are entered into, and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6.

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.

A. B. LUSHINGTON Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Kurunegala, May 31, 1911. Kurunegala Division.

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, viz.:--

#### For Specials on the Main Line.

To fell, transport, and deliver at the Polgahawela Railway Station Yard :---

(1) 3,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from Polkatuwemukalana, situated within the village limits of Uduke-deniyagama, in Otota korale. Distance to Polgahawela station. 4 miles.

(2) 10,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from Katuwanamukalana, situated within the village limits of Udainguruwatta, in Gannawa korale, extending up to Iriminia. Distance to Rambukkana railway station, about 41 miles, 4 miles of which is good cart road.

(3) 1,000 stacked cubic yards of firewood from Seruwagalamukalana, situated within the village limits of Handugollegama, in Udapola Medalessa korale. Distance to Polgahawela railway station, about 9 miles on a good cart road.

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.:-Etamba, lunumidella, rukattana, divikaduru, kaju, walkaduru, cotton, erabada, dadap, kekuna, amba, and gedumba.

2. Tenders should distinctly specify each service separately with the section and sub-section in respect of each forest as given in the notice.

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, or be sent through the post.

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

Tenders should be marked "Tenders for Railway Firewood Supply, Kurunegala 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, July 18, 1911.

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

- 7. A deposit of Rs. 20 for each separate service will be required to be made either at the Treasury or in a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any forms 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.
- 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. Cash security at the rate of 5 per cent. on the amount of each contract will be required before contracts are entered into, and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6.

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.

A. B. Lushington Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Kurunegala, June 15, 1911. Kurunegala Division.

CEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Materials for the Salt Stores (a) at Hambantota and (b) at Kirinda for the twelve months ending June 30, 1912," will be received up to noon on July 11, 1911, for supplying the materials enumerated

D	610M:			
	Description of	of Materials.	•	$\mathbf{Per}$
٠	Cadjans, new, and not less	than 6 ft. in	length	1,000
	Coir yarn, dry, and of good		٠.,	cwt.
	Coconut oil	'		gallon
	Kerosine oil			gallon
	Castor oil	• •		gallon
	Umang sticks, 18 ft. long			100
	Bata bamboos			100
	Baskets (18 in. diameter, 7	in. deep)		100
	Pingo sticks			each
	Planks: del, sapu, jak, and	l mango (I	in. by	
	14 in. or more)		••	sq. ft.
	Chunam, boiled, in cakes			100
	Chunam, slaked			bushel
	Beams, halmilla, 3 in. by 4	in.		
	Beams, satinwood, 2 in. by	7 12 in.		
	Rafters, coconut, 2 in. by 4			
	Rafters, coconut, 11 in. by			
	Post, karawu, 8 ft. long, 18	3 in. circumfe	rence.	
	Post, karawu, 12 ft. long, l	l8 in. circumf	erence.	
	Wall sticks, galkulu, 12 ft.			
	ference			100
	Kotus, tarana, ulkenda, or	galkera		100
	Post, karawu, 15 ft. long, 1	8 in. circumf	erence.	
	Needles, gunny	••		each
	Tenderers will note the follo	owing require	ments:-	

All materials must be supplied within 15 days of the service of orders therefor.

Every tenderer must deposit a sum of Rs. 20 in the Kachcheri before tendering. No tender will receive any consideration where no such deposit has been made. This deposit will be forfeited to Government if the tenderer is not prepared to enter into contract, or is unable to furnish certified security in Rs. 1,000 for the due fulfilment of the The unforfeited deposits will be returned to the contract. tenderer.

Every alteration in the rates of tender should be initialled by the tenderer.

Aduplicate of tender should be forwarded by the tenderer by post to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, at the same time that he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota.

The tenderers should be present at the Kaehcheri on the day of opening of tenders. Government may accept or reject any tender or any part of a tender.

Hambantota Kachcheri, JOHN SCOTT, June 19, 1911. Assistant Government Agent.

NENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of cadjans and bamboos to the Railway Department from persons willing to contract for supply of same for the use of the Railway up to June 30, 1912, as may be required, viz. :-

Cadjans, best, not less than 6 feet long.

Bamboos, large, straight, and free from defects, 30 feet long, each.

Bamboos, large, straight, and free from defects over 30 feet and up to 45 feet long, each.

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.

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

through the post.

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, July 18, 1911.

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. 15 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. 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.

 If required, samples must be deposited.
 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. 50. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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.

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.

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, June 27, 1911. G. P. GREENE, General Manager.

#### ARTICLES. OF UNSERVICEABLE

OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Avisawella, on August 8, 1911, at 10 A.M.:-

12 empty tar barrels 56 cans, iron, and drums 33 gunny bags 7 kegs, iron

19 cans, tin

Public Works Office,

HENRY B. LEES Colombo, June 27, 1911. for Director of Public Works.

OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Mihintale, on Monday, August 14, 1911, at 9 A.M.:-

5 empty tar barrels

15 cans, iron

6 cans, tin

Public Works Office,

HENRY B. LEES,

Colombo, June 27, 1911. for Director of Public Works.

OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable article will be sold by public auction at the Waterworks Store, at Galle, on July 31, 1911, at 3 г.м.:--

1 packing case

Public Works Office, HENRY B. LEES, Colombo, June 26, 1911. for Director of Public Works.

#### VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended June 17, 1911.

Births.—The total births registered were 102 (1 European, 10 Burghers, 61 Sinhalese, 11 Tamils, 12 Moors, 4 Malays, and 3 Others). 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 25.2, as against 22.0 in the preceding week, 27.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25.6 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 163 (2 Europeans, 10 Burghers, 77 Sinhalese, 48 Tamils, 16 Moors, 8 Malays, and 2 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 40.2, as against 35.5 in the previous week, 33.1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.2 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 163 total deaths, 32 were of infants under one year of age, as against 26 in the preceding week, 34 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 3.

Selected Causes of Death.—Eighteen deaths were registered from Phthisis (against 21 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year), of which 7 were in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 3 in Maradana Hospitals, 2 each in San Sebastian and New Bazaar, and 1 each in Pettah, St. Paul's, Kotahena, and Slave Island.

- 2. Fifteen deaths were registered from *Pneumonia* as in the previous week, in addition to 6 from *Bronchitis* (against 12 the weekly average for last year), of which 4 each were in Kotahena and Maradana hospitals, 3 each in St. Paul's and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), and 1 in Slave Island.
- 3. Ten deaths were registered from Enteric Fever (against 6 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year), of which 4 were in Kotahena, 2 each in St. Paul's and Maradana hospitals, and 1 each in Pettah and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals). There were 16 cases reported during the week, against 28 in the previous week.
- 4. As many as 27 deaths were registered from Enteritis (including 5 infants), 12 In/antile Convulsions, 9 Dysentery (1 infant), 6 Debility (3 infants), 6 Old Age, 5 Diarrheea, 5 Worms, 4 Bright's Disease, 3 Tetanus (2 infants), 3 Premature Birth, 3 Cancer, and 28 from Other Causes.
- 5. There were no deaths from Smallpox in the week as in the last. Four cases of Smallpox were reported during the week, against 1 in the previous week; also 7 cases of Measles, against 16 in the previous week; and 20 of Chickenpox, against 18 in the previous week.
- 6. Three deaths were registered from Cholera (against 6 in the two preceding weeks). All 3 occurred in the General Hospital One was a patient resident in Pettah, and the other 2 were outside the town.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 82·1°, against 80·6° in the preceding week and 82·1° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·981 in , against 29·905 in. in the preceding week and 29·863 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·45 in., against 4·32 in. in the preceding week and 4·02 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, June 20, 1911. N. W. Morgappah, for Registrar-General.

#### Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended June 24, 1911.

Births.—The total births registered were 58 (0 Europeans, 5 Burghers, 35 Sinhalese, 7 Tamils, 7 Moors, 3 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 14·3, as against 25·2 in the preceding week, 19·1 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25·6 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 130 (1 European, 8 Burghers, 68 Sinhalese, 30 Tamils, 16 Moors, 4 Malays, and 3 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 32·1, as against 40·2 in the previous week, 26·7 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31·2 the weekly average for last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 130 total deaths, 30 were of infants under one year of age, as against 32 in the preceding week, 15 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 3.

Selected Causes of Death.—Eighteen deaths were registered from Pneumonia, in addition to 2 from Bronchitis (against 15 from Pneumonia in the previous week and 12 the weekly average for last year), of which 7 were in St. Paul's, 2 each in Kotahena, Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), Slave Island, and Kollupitiya South, and 1 each in Pettah, Maradana hospitals, and Kollupitiya North.

- 2. Eleven deaths were registered from *Phthisis* (against 18 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 were in Maradana hospitals, 2 each in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals) and Kollupitiya South, and 1 each in St. Paul's, New Bazaar, Slave Island, and Kollupitiya North.
- 3. Twelve deaths were registered from *Enteric Fever* (against 10 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year), of which 6 were in St. Paul's, 2 in Kotahena, and 1 each in Pettah, New Bazaar, Maradana hospitals, and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals). There were 23 cases reported during the week, against 16 in the previous week.
- 4. Eleven deaths were registered from Enteritis (including 3 infants), 10 from Infantile Convulsions, 9 Debility (4 infants), 6 Diarrhea (3 infants), 6 Dysentery, 6 Worms (1 infant), 4 Anchylostomiasis, 3 Valvular Disease, 3 Ulcers, 2 Tetanus (1 infant), 2 Apoplexy, and 23 from Other Causes.
- 5. Eleven cases of Measles were reported, against 7 in the previous week; and 8 of Chickenpox, against 20 in the previous week.
  - 6. Two deaths were registered from Cholera, of a Sinhalese and a Moor from Maradana (exclusive of hospitals).

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 83 · 8°, against 82 · 1° in the preceding week and 80 · 4° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29 · 937 in., against 29 · 981 in. in the preceding week and 29 · 856 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0 · 14 in., against 0 · 45 in. in the preceding week and 2 · 41 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, June 27, 1911.

P. ARUNACHALAM, Registrar-General.