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PROCLAMATION

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.

y His Excellency Sir, Hugh CLIFFORD, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HUGH CLIFF\RD.

NOW Y that We, the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon, in exercise of the power in Us vested by section 1 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1911, intituled "The Ceylon Incorporated Law Society Ordinance, 1911," do hereby appoint and ordain that the said Ordinance shall come into operation on September 1, 1911.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this. Twenty-eighth day of July, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Nile hundred and Eleven.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary. 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 Hugh CLIFFORD, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Officer Administering the Government of the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HUGH CLIFFORD.

W HEREAS by section 94 of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," it is enacted that whosoever shall leave or permit to be left on any road to which the provision in sub-section (4) of the said section shall be extended as thereinafter mentioned any cart or other carriage without the oxen, horses, or other animals being yoked or harnessed thereto, unless such cart or carriage shall have accidentally broken down there, and in case of any such accident for a longer time than may be necessary for its removal, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50: And whereas it is further enacted by the said section that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by Proclamation to declare that the aforesaid provision shall extend and be applicable to any road in this Colony or to any section of such road, wherever it shall appear to the Governor and Council that a sufficient number of halting places has been constructed along the same:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Us, the Officer Administering the Government and Council, that a sufficient halting place as specified in Schedule B hereto has been constructed to serve the roads mentioned in Schedule A hereto in the town of Mullaittivu, in the Northern Province:

Now know Ye that We, the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the power in Us vested as aforesaid, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this Our Proclamation declare that the above recited provision in sub-section (4) of section 94 of the said Ordinance shall extend and be applicable to the roads mentioned in Schedule A hereto, in the District of Mullaittivu, Northern Province, as from and after August 7, 1911.

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

By His Excellency's command,

L W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE A.

- 1. The Circular road passing the church, the seabeach, the hospital, and through Veddukadu and Kudiyiruppu.
 - 2. The Post Office road.
 - 3. The Esplanade road.
 - 4. The Kachcheri road.
 - 5. The road behind hospital.
 - The by-lanes in Kudiyiruppu.

SCHEDULE B.

Halting place at the Church road in front of the court-house.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 280 of 1911.

IIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased, subject to the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to appoint Mr. O. L. DE KRETSER to act as a Crown Counsel for the Island, with effect from August 1, 1911, on probation for one year.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, July 31, 1911. L. W. Booth, Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 281 of 1911.

TIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. J. DEVANE to act, in addition to his own duties, as District Judge, Negombo, from August 5 to 7, 1911, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. R. G. SAUNDERS on leave or until further orders.

Mr. C. S. RAJARATNAM to act as District Judge, Kandy, and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kandy, for August 5 and 12, 1911, during the absence of Mr. Felix R. Dias from the station or until further orders.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, from August 5 to 9, 1911, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. W. DE LIVERA on leave or until further orders.

Mr. E. T. HUGHES to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kalutara, with effect from August 7, 1911, during the absence of Mr. J. E. DE SILVA on leave or until further orders.

Mr. Solomon Fernando to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Panadure, for August 8 and 9, 1911, during the absence of Mr. J. C. W. Rock from the station or until further orders.

Mr. W. L. MURPHY to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, with effect from August 7, 1911, until further orders.

Mr. N. J. Martin to be Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Chilaw and Marawila, and Additional District Judge, Chilaw, from July 31 to August 4, 1911, inclusive, or until further orders.

By-His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colombo, August 3, 1911.

No. 282 of 1911.

EADS of Departments are hereby authorized to accept the signature of Mr. M. R. ATKINS on behalf of Mr. R. E. TICKELL, Resident Engineer, Colombo Drainage Works, from August 7 to 12, 1911, inclusive, during the absence of the letter on leave or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command, Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH, Colombo, July 18, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 283 of 1911.

EADS of Departments are hereby authorized to accept the signature of Mr. A. J. WICKWAR on behalf of the Surveyor-General with effect from August 6, 1911, during the absence of Mr. H. O. BARNARD on leave or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command, Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH, Colombo, July 29, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 284 of 1911.

EADS of Departments are hereby authorized to accept the signature of Mr. J. S. Bowes, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Nuwara Eliya, on behalf of the Assistant Government, Nuwara Eliya, to cheques, drafts, &c., issued from the Nuwara Eliya Kachcheri during the absence of the Assistant Government Agent on circuit.

By His Excellency's command, L. W. BOOTH, Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 3, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 285 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to recognize Mr. A. HATELY as Vice and Deputy Consul for the United States of America at Colombo.

By His Excellency's command, Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH, Colombo, August 2, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 286 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following promotions in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps to complete establishment :-

To be Captain. Lieutenant Charles Russell Cumberland.

To be Lieutenant.

Second Lieutenant Alfred Wallace Seymour. Second Lieutenant ALFRED JAMES PERCY WILLS.

By His Excellency's command, Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colombo, August 1, 1911.

No. 287 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Inspectors of Coaches for the Provinces noted against their names:-

Mr. A. G. SAVERYMUTTU, Province of Sabaragamuwa. Mr. A. M. KELLAR, Northern and North-Western Provinces.

Mr. C. H. CASPERSZ, Southern Province.

Mr. P. A. WERKMEISTER, Uva and Eastern Provinces.

The appointment of Mr. WERKMEISTER as Inspector of Coaches for the Island is hereby cancelled.

By His Excellency's command, L. W. BOOTH, Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colombo, August 2, 1911.

No. 288 of 1911.

T is hereby notified for general information that Mr. Francis James Fernando has been elected an Unofficial Member of the Local Board of Nawalapitiya for the remainder of the year 1911, in place of Mr. D. A. SAMUEL, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. Booth, Colombo, August 1, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 289 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Kadugannawa for the year 1912, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:-

Mr. A. COSWATTE.

Mr. M. S. PINTO.

Mr. B. D. B. Weerasinghe.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH, Colombo, August 3, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 290 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. CANAGASABAI MURUGASA PERUMALPILLAI, of No. 33, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, to be a Notary Public at Colombo and throughout the Judicial Division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH. Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, July 26, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 291 of 1911,

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. KARTIGASOE CHELLIAH, of No. 33, Hulftsdorp street, Colombo, to be a Notary Public at Colombo and throughout the Judicial Division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH. Colombo, July 26, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 292 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. EDMUND PERERA WIJETUNGE of Matara to be a Notary Public at Matara and throughout the Judicial Division of Matara, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH, Colombo, July 29, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 293 of 1911.

IS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to appoint Mr. CHARLES LUTHER SELVARATNAM, of Nalloor, Jaffna, to be a Notary Public at Jaffna and throughout the Judicial Division of Jaffna, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. BOOTH, Colombo, July 26, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

IIIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. J. J. B. DE SILVA, Head Clerk, Land Registry, Kandy, as Acting Registrar of Lands, Ratnapura, for four weeks and five days from August 1, 1911, or until further orders, during the absence of Mr. J. S. DE S. JAYAWARDENA, on sick leave.

DISNERIS JAYASINHA to act temporarily as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tihawa division and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, with effect from August 10, 1911, vice D. S. JAYASINHA, deceased. His office will be at Polgahawatta in Tihawa.

SALILADIRA KANKANANGE DON ANDIRIS DE SILVA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota outside the town division and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, with effect from August 13, 1911, vice S. M. D. DE SILVA, resigned. His office will be at Suriyagahawatta in Koholankala.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, L. W. Booth, Colombo, July 31, 1911. Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

Dr. W. H. Meier is appointed 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 three days from August 1, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. (Miss) W. Nell, on leave. His office will be at No. 263, Alutmawata.

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed Chinnatampi Ponnaiya to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Karavaku pattu, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for thirty days from July 26, 1911, during the absence of K. Kasinatan, on leave. His office will be at Turaineelavanai.

The Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed NAWARATNA TILAKA WASALA PANDITA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA NAWARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Madura korale division and of General Marriages of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for one week from July 25, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, R. B. BOYAGODA, on sick leave. His office will be at Kosgolle Walauwa in Kosgolla (office of the permanent Registrar).

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Don James Ranasinghe to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandana division and of Marriages of Ragam pattu of Alutkuru Korale South division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirteen days from July 24, 1911, during the absence of the Registrar, L. D. Jayaardara, on leave: His office will be at Kosgahawatta in Kandana.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed Mr. Neinakandu Mukamatu Sultan to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Perunkali division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for fourteen days from June 12, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, Mukamatu Sultan Sahool Hamid, on sick leave. His office will be at Udayavalavu in Vidataltivu.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed Mr. Vinasittampy Udayar Kuddittampy to act

as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mulliyavalai and of Marriages (General) of Mulliyavalai and Melpattu North division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for sixteen days from July 21, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, S. Vinasittampy, Udayar, on leave. His office will be at Udayarvalavu in Mulliyavalai.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed Mr. Vallipuram Kasittampy to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Karunavalpattu South division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for seven days from July 24, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, A. M. Kartikesu, on leave. His office will be at Udayarvalavu in Karuppaddamurippu

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DISNERIS JAYASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Tihawa division and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty-two days from July 19, 1911, vice D. S. JAYASINHA, deceased. His office will be at Polgahawatta in Tihawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed Saliladira Kankanange Don Andiris de Silva to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota outside the town division and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty days from July 24, 1911, vice S. M. D. de Silva, resigned. His office will be at Suriyagahawatta in Kohclankala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Dr. J. A. E. Corea of Chilaw to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chilaw town division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for seven days from July 23, 1911, during the absence of Dr. J. S. Amerasekera, on Supreme Court duty. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Chilaw.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr A. MUTTIAH of Kalpitiya to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) and of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiye division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for two days from July 28, 1911, during the absence of Registrar, J. L. L. DE ROSAIRO, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed Seeban Perera Goonathere of Bingiriya to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal Korale Central division and of Births and Deaths of Yagam Pattu North, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for thirteen days from July 26, 1911, during the absence of Guruhami Appuhami, Acting Registrar, on leave. His office will be at Daminagahawatta at Bingiriya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam-Chilaw, has appointed Mr. Edgar William Strimanne to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal Korale North division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for thirty days from August 1, 1911, wee Mr. E. J. Wijesinghe, transferred. His office will be at the Land Registry, Chilaw.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed Dr. John Louis Obeysekera to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Anuradhapura town, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for fourteen days from July 28, 1911, during the absence of Dr. W. S. Tirimane, Deputy Registrar, transferred. His office will be at Civil Hospital, Anuradhapura.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, August 1, 1911. P. ABUNACHALAM, Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

PURSUANT to section 2 of the Pension Minute dated December 9, 1908, it is he ebyn otified that the number of Apothecaries of the Civil Medical Stores whose appointments have been declared pensionable has been increased from two to three.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, July 29, 1911. L. W. Booth, Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

Name.

Pensionable Appointment.

Seconded Service.

Dr. S. T. GUNASEKERA

Medical Officer; Grade III.

In connection with the scheme for the prevention of malaria at Kurunegala

K. N. KEITH

Engine Driver

For work in connection with the Mannar Railway Extension

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo. August 3, 1911.

L. W. Booth, Acting Colonial Secretary.

THE POISONS ORDINANCE, No. 11 of 1901.

T is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 9 of the above-named Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to amend regulation 12 of the regulations dated November 10, 1908, by substituting the words "Regulation 11" for the words "Regulation 10."

By His Excellency's command.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, July 25, 1911.

L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Notification dated October 23, 1908, published in the Gazette of October 30, 1908, on the subject of the issue of licenses to capture elephants, has been cancelled, so far as regards Demala hatpattu of the Puttalam District, from August 1, 1911, until further notice.

By His Excellency's command,

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

L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

THE QUARANTINE AND PREVENTION OF DISEASES ORDINANCE, No. 3 of 1897.

IT is hereby notified for public information that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 4 of the above-named Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to vary regulation No. 22 of the regulations dated September 17, 1907, and published in the Government Gazette No. 6,207 of September 20, 1907, by the addition therete of the following regulation (to be numbered 22 A), namely:—

22 A. Every person holding such permit as aforesaid or holding a permit granted by the Chairman, Plague Committee, must inform the Health Officer at the port of landing of his intended place or places of residence, and must during such period as may be ordered by the Health Officer report himself daily to such officer as may be designated.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, July 25, 1911.

L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

ORDINANCE No. 1 of 1871.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 8 of the above-named Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council. has made the regulations set forth in the schedule hereto, and the same are published for general information.

The regulations published by Notification dated July 18, 1898, are hereby cancelled.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office Colombo, July 28, 1911.

L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

SMOKING AND LIGHTS.

- 1. Smoking within the Customs premises is absolutely prohibited.
- 2. No lights shall be used except in glazed lanterns.

CARTERS AND COOLIES.

1. No person shall work as cooly or cartman within the Customs premises who shall not hold a permit signed by the Collector of Customs. Such permit shall be issued free of charge, and the Collector of Customs may for misconduct withdraw such permit either for a time or altogether.

Cart Permits.

- 2. No cart shall ply for hire within the Customs premises unless it has been duly licensed under "The Vehicles Ordinance, 1901," and carries also a permit by the Collector of Customs, Galle.
- 3. A tin plate bearing the Collector's permit number will be issued on application. A charge of 15 cents will be made to defray the cost of the tin plate. There will be no other charge.
- 4. The tin plate shall be affixed to the off or right side of the frame next to the plate denoting the number of the cart's license under the Vehicles Ordinance. If the original tin plate is lost, a duplicate will be issued on payment of Re. 1.
 - 5. The Collector's permit must be renewed annually not later than March 31.
 - 6. Application for a Collector's permit must be made to the Collector of Customs.
- 7. The Collector may for any misconduct on the part of the person in charge of a licensed cart cancel the permit issued by him and prohibit the entrance of the cart within the Customs premises for any specified period or impose a fine.
- 8. A Register of Cart Permits issued by the Collector of Customs shall be kept by the Head Clerk in the annexed Form A:—

Date.	No.	Cart License under the Vehicles Ordinance.	Name of Owner.	Address of Owner.	Remarks.
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Route.

9. Carters shall observe the Police regulations as to the rule of the road, and comply with the orders given from time to time by the Collector of Customs for regulating their entrance and departure from the Customs premises.

(1) All loaded carts must leave the Customs premises by the Barrier Gate, unless special written authority is obtained from the Collector of Customs.

(2) The Barrier Gate will be closed at 4 P.M. (Saturdays 2 P.M.), and may be kept open (on special application) till 6 P.M. for removal of import cargo.

Loadina.

- 10. No cartman or other person shall within the Customs premises at Galle drive any vehicle carrying goods elsewhere than to or from a Customs warehouse, wharf, or jetty.
- 11. No cartman or other person shall transport beyond the Customs premises at Galle any goods without a note in writing signed by a Customs Officer describing such goods.
- 12. No delivery contractor shall be admitted to the Customs premises unless he shall have deposited with the Collector of Customs the sum of Rs. 100 as security for the performance of his duties.
- 13. No driver of any cart in which goods have been loaded from any warehouse shall move his cart from such place of loading without having in his possession a cartnote signed by the Landing Waiter, and no carter shall remove in his cart any goods other than those described in the aforesaid cartnote.
- 14. No carts shall be left on the road without their drivers, who should remain with their carts during the whole period they are on the premises.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, July 26, 1911. By His Excellency's command, L. W. Воотн, Acting Colonial Secretary.

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THE Notification under "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," dated May 8, 1911, and published in the Government Gazette No. 6,440 of May 11, 1911, is (in consequence of a clerical error therein contained) hereby withdrawn, and the following Notification is hereby substituted:—

"THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES' ORDINANCE, 1889."

In is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 7 of the above-mentioned Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the rules set forth in Schedule I. hereto made, under the provisions of section 16 of the said Ordinance, by the

Committees elected by the inhabitants of the subdivisions set forth in Schedule II. hereto in the Chief Headmen's divisions called (1) the Four Gravets and Akmimana, (2) Wellaboda pattu, '(3) Bentota-Walallawiti korale, (4) Talpe pattu, (5), Gangaboda pattu, and (6) Hinidum pattu, in Galle District; (1) the Four Gravets, (2) Wellaboda pattu, (3) Gangaboda pattu, (4) Morawak korale, and (5) Kandaboda pattu, in Matara District; and (1) West Giruwa pattu, (2) East Giruwa pattu, and (3) Magam pattu, in Hambantota District of the Southern Province, in addition to the rules dated October 29, 1903.

NOTE.—Rule No. 74 A is of local application to the Four Gravets (Naimana-Makawita subdivisions), Wellaboda pattu, Gangaboda pattu, Morawak korale, and Kandaboda pattu of the Matara Distict only.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Colombo, August 3, 1911.

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SCHEDULE I.
Rules.

L. W. BOOTH, Acting Colonial Secretary:

69 A. No person shall keep a cart or carts standing on the roadside longer than is necessary for the loading or unloading of the same unless in charge of a competent person.

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74 A. Wells and pits shall be enclosed by means of walls or fences not less than 2½ feet in height, and all abandoned wells and pits should be filled in or otherwise effectually closed up by the owner or occupier of the land on which they are situated within forty-eight hours after notice requiring such closing up is given in the village by beat of tom-tom at the instance of the Village Committee or the Government Agent or the Assistant Government Agent. The owner as well as the occupier of any land in which there is a well or pit not enclosed as aforesaid or not closed up after notice as aforesaid shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

96 A. Whoever attempts to commit an offence punishable under any of the above-mentioned rules, or to cause such an offence to be committed, shall be liable

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Assistant Superintendent of Immigration.

pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate I 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.

249 .. July 26, 1911 .. School Chapel

Leehereyagama, Katugampola hatpattu, Pitigal korale, Kurunegala

Rev. Cornelius Ganegoda, Minister

Wesleyan Methodist

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

P. ARUNACHALAM: Registrar-General.

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

T. H. de Silva

P. A. Williams

K. Dhammananda Terumanse

Thimbirigaskatuwa Vernacular Boys' School, which is situated in Alutkuru korale of the Negombo District of the Western Province.

Cottaganga Estate Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in the Rangala district of the Central Province.

Udupila Vernacular Girls' School, which is situated in Siyane Korale West of the Colombo District of the Western Province.

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

Office of Public Instruction, Colombo, July 24, 1911.

J. HARWARD. Director.

T is hereby notified for general information that the Buttala bridge, on the 10th mile of the Wellawaya-Pottuvil road, will be under reconstruction during August and September, 1911. Traffic will be liable to interruption for a few hours each day during that period.

Public Works Office Colombo, July 26, 1911.

C. A. LOVEGROVE for Director of Public Works.

Ceylon Medical College.

THIRD PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION, PART II. First Class (in Order of Merit).

Weerasooria, Felix Evan.

Second Class (in Order of Merit).

- Jansz, Newington Charles.
- De Alwis, David Basil.

The above-named candidates have satisfied all the requirements for the License in Medicine, Surgery, and Midwifery.

SECOND APOTHECARIES' EXAMINATION. First Class (in Order of Merit)

Peter, Don Simon.

Perera, Thecdore Clement Philip.

Second Class (in Order of Merit).

- Perera, Yahampatharatichige Joseph.
- ٠3. Jayawardene, Don Alwin.
 - Peiris, Miss Joceline.
 - Tirunavukarasu, Appapillai.

Colombo, July 29, 1911.

A. F. JOSEPH. Acting Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Mr. W. A. D. received from Mr. W. A. P. Dassanayaka for a grant in aid of his Siyambalagoda Girls' Vernachiar School, which is situated in Salpiti korale of the Colombo District of the Western Province.

Observations will be received not later than August 31,

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

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

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

To fell and deliver at the Nuwara Eliya Depôt 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.

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, August 8, 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.

- 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 or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or 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.

8. 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, July 6, 1914. Nuwara Eliya Division. The same of the te

TENDERS are hereby separately invited for the sleeper services described in the annexed schedule and marked "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.

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, August 22, 1911.

- 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.
- 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, July 14, 1911. Kurunegala Division.

Service "A."

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 1,081 palu, kumbuk, and mistrees 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 " B."

To fell within 6 in. of the ground 1,100 palu and kumbuk trees duly marked and girdled, to saw them into 6,250 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 a period of three and a half months commencing from September 7, 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.

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

through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked to the envelope, and Teak" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and Tenders should be marked "Tender for supply of should reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, not later than 12 noon on Saturday, August 26, 1911.

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

informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or 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.

9. 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.
- 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. Assistant Conservator of Forests, Forest Office, Batticaloa, July 18, 1911. Batticaloa Division.

TENDERS for the supply of firewood to Railway Department for ten months commencing from September 1, 1911, to June 30, 1912.

Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of the following firewood to the Railway Department from the following Crown forests for Specials on Kelani Valley section from Horagahalanda, Weliowitakanda, in Negombo District :-

Firewood for Specials.

Between Maradana and Yatiyantota, 600 yards per mensem, 6,000 yards more or less. The length of the wood must not exceed 2 feet. Each piece of wood should not be less than 12 inches nor more than 36 inches in girth, and the following species should not be cut for firewood, viz. :-Etdembata, 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.

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 the supply of Firewood to the Railway" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, August 22, 1911.

- Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, at the Colombo Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.
- A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the 6. Colombo Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a certificate from a responsible headman of the district where the tenderer resides testifying to the latter's capacity financially

and otherwise to carry out the contract.

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

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.

G. D. TEMPLER. 'Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo, July 25, 1911. Colombo Division.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying best kallundai and best country rice for the use of the Irrigation Department from January 1, 1912, to October 31, 1912. Tenders may be submitted for supplying rice at one or more of the works enumerated below:

Name of Work. Place of Delivery. 1. Karachchi, Northern Province .. Iranamadu and Mankulam

2. Giant's Tank, Northern Province Murungan

Works, Southern 3. Kirinde-oya Wirawila

Province Unnichchai, Eastern Province

Unnichchai Rugam and Illup-5. Rugam, Eastern Province padichenai

6. Vakaneri, Eastern Province

Vakaneri 7. Kondavaddavan, Eastern Province Amparai Allai, Eastern Province

9. Kalawewa, Yoda-ela, and Nuwarawewa, North-Central Province.. Anuradhapura, Ta-

lawa, Eppawala, Kumbukanda. and Kalawewa

10. Nachchaduwa, North-Central Pro-

Galkulam 11. Minneri, North-Central Province.. Minneri

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

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

the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Supply of Rice to the Irrigation Department" in the left top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, October 10, 1911.

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

the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Director of Irrigation, or his duly

authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and he 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 of the rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed bottles at the Office of the Director of Irrigation. Trincomalee, not later than October 3, 1911, labelled with the name of the tenderer, a description of the rice, and the name of the work to which the supply of rice is tendered for.

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

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

fulfilled.

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

Office of the Director of Irrigation, Trincomalee, July 24, 1911.

R. W. SMITH, Director of Irrigation.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of swords to recipients of native ranks from Government in accordance with sketches, which may be inspected at the Office of the Hon. the Controller of Revenue. The contract will remain in force up to June 30, 1914.

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 Supply of Swords" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, August 15, 1911.
5. The tenders should be made upon forms which will be

supplied on application at the Office of the Hon. the Controller of Revenue, and no tender will be considered

unless it is on the recognized form.

- 6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. 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 Hon. the Controller of Revenue, 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. other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.
- The silver to be employed is in all cases to be silver of the rupee standard, but the gold may be of three grades, 18, 15, or 12 carat, and the tenders should quote prices for such of these three grades.

Three swords for Gate Mudaliyars and four swords for Mudaliyars are required immediately. The period within

which they can be delivered should be quoted.

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

11. The security should be furnished within ten days of

acceptance of the 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 the terms of the contract.

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 Controller of Revenue 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.

> C. D. VIGORS, Acting Controller of Revenue.

Office of the Controller of Revenue. Colombo, July 25, 1911.

NENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the best L kallunda rice or soolai rice for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts in the Southern Province, as per particulars below:-

From November 1, 1911, to October 31, 1912, for the Galle and Hambantota Districts, and from January 1 to October 31, 1912, for the Matara District.

- 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.
- Tenders must be marked "Tender for supply of Rice, Public Works Department, Southern Province, during 1912," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on August 15, 1911.

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

through the post.

. 5. Samples of the rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets or bottles at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, not later than midday on August 15, 1911.

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

the article adopted in his tender.

Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, 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.

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

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province,

Galle.

Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 250 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Department, C. A. LOVEGROVE, Colombo, July 19, 1911. for Director of Public Works, TENDERS are hereby invited for supply of best kallundarice and country rice for the use of the Public Works Department in the Eastern Province, at the stations named below, from January 1 to October 31, 1912:—

Batticaloa District.

Batticaloa Public Works Department Yard. Any station on the Coast Road North. Any station on the road from Maduru-oya to Eravur. Any station on the Kalkudah road.

Kalmunai District.

Kalmunai Public Works Department Yard.
Any station on the Coast Road South.
Any station on the road from Arasadi to Mulkompuddi.
Any station on the Akkaraipattu-Sagamam road.
Any station on the Pottuvil-Muppane road.
Any station on the Kalmunai-Chadayantalawa road.
Any station on the road from Karativu to Sammanturai

and Irakkamam.

Trincomalee District.

Trincomalee Public Works Department Yard. Any station on the Coast road.

Any station on the road from Trincomalee to Kittuluttu. Any station on the road from Trincomalee towards Anuradhapura.

- 2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.
- 3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for supply of Rice, Eastern Province, during 1912," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on August 15, 1911.

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

5. Samples of the rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets or bottles at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, not later than midday on August 15, 1911.

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

the article adopted in his tender.

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

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

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province,

Batticalos

- 10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 500 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.
- 11. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Department, Colombo, July 19, 1911. C. A. LOVEGROVE, for Director of Public Works. TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of (1) best kallunda rice or (2) best country rice from November 1, 1911, to October 31, 1912, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts in the Northern Province:—

Vavuniya District.

To be delivered at the Overseer's quarters at Mankulam. To be delivered at the Overseer's quarters at Panikaneeravi.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Vavuniya.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Oddichuddan.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Puvarasankulam.

Mannar District.

To be delivered at the Overseer's quarters at Murungan. To be delivered at the Overseer's quarters at Parayana-lankulam.

To be delivered at the Overseer's quarters at Pallamadu. To be delivered at the Public Works Department Store,

To be delivered at the Overseer's quarters, Kalliakakadu. To be delivered at the lines at Puliyadyirrakam.

.To be delivered at the Overseer's quarters at Chettikulam.

- 2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.
- 3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for supply of Rice, Public Works Department, Northern Province, during 1911-1912," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on August 15, 1911.

not later than midday on August 15, 1911.
4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent to him

through the post.

5. Samples of the rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets or bottles at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, not later than midday on August 15, 1911.

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

the article adopted in his tender.

- 7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.
- 8. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a bona fide tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful bona fide tenderers will be returned.

9. Further information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna.

- 10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 350 for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.
- 11. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Public Works Department, C. A. LOVEGROVE, Colombo, July 22, 1911. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting 3,000 cwt. of salt from the General Stores, Karaiur, to the

Salt Stores, Mullaittivu, by August, 1911.

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

troller of Revenue, Colombo (duplicate).
3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for transporting Salt, Mullaittivu," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Offices of the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on August 10, 1911:

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

- 5. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, 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.
- 6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the

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

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

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.

Jaffna Kachcheri, July 11, 1911.

M. A. Young, for Government Agent.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for O transporting and weighing Salt into Government Stores, Puttalam," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent of Puttalam up to 1 P.M. on August 19, 1911, from persons willing to contract-

For the service of transporting 360,000 cwt. of salt, more or less, collected at the maha manufacture of 1910, from the salt pans at Puttalam East, Puttalam West, Tillayadi, Kombimunai, Pachchakattimundel, and Palavi, and weighing and storing the same in the salt depots of Puttalam.

Tenderers will note the following requirements:-

They should specify the rates per 1,000 cwt. for transporting the salt in sacks with mouths tied and weighing

and storing the same.

2. The tenderer must bring in, weigh, and deliver 1,450 cwt. per diem. The tenderer will be liable in case of failure to a fine, not exceeding Rs. 10 for each day of failure, to be imposed at the discretion of the Assistant Government Agent.

Work to commence about September, 1911.

- Each tenderer must deposit a sum of Rs. 50 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 certified security in Rs. 1,000 for the due fulfilment of the contract. Unforfeited deposits will be returned to the tenderer.
- 5. Tenderer must name an address in Puttalam, where all letters or notices may be served on or left for him.
- 6. A letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract, should accompany the tender.

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

8. A duplicate of the 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 of Puttalam.

The tenderers should be at hand in the Kachcheri on the day of opening of tenders, so that they or any of them

may be spoken to if it is found necessary to do so.

10. Crown Counsel's fees for settling bond and contract should be paid by the successful tenderer.

11. Tenderers will note that the contractor will not be permitted to drive his carts over the platforms on which the salt kottus are built.

Puttalam Kachcheri,

J. ARTHUR DE SILVA, for Assistant Government Agent.

July 24, 1911.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for removing Salt during the Envelopes" for removing Salt during the Fish-curing Season, from October 12, 1911, to April 20, 1912, from the Stores at

Puttalam, and weighing and storing it in the Store at Udappu," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent of Puttalam up to 1 P.M. of August 17, 1911.

Tenderers are requested to observe the following condi-

(a) Money deposit of Rs. 5 to be made in the Puttalam Kachcheri before August 17, 1911, to be forfeited if the tenderer fails on acceptance of his tender to enter into a contract within a reasonable time.

(b) Duplicate of tender to be forwarded by post to the Hon, the Controller of Revenue at the same time the tenderer forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam.

(c) Tenderer to name an address in Puttalam for

delivery of any notices.

(d) Tenderers are requested to state the rate of hire for every boat load of 280 cwt. of salt to be taken from Puttalam to Udappu.

For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kachcheri, J. ARTHUR DE SILVA, July 26, 1911. for Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for loading and unloading of goods at Watagoda Goods Shed from persons willing to contract for this service from date of acceptance of tender.

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.

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 Loading and Unloading of Goods at Watagoda Goods Shed" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, August 15, 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. person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250.

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

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

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

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

The Government reserves to itself the right, without 13. question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of

accepting any portion of a tender.

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

General Manager's Office, Colombo, July 20, 1911. G. P. GREENE. General Manager.

PENDERS are hereby invited for the use of the advertising space available on stamp booklets, viz., in the two inside pages of the cover, on the back of the booklet, and on one side of each of the two fly leaves.

The minimum offer must be Rs. 11.25 per 1,000 copies or less if only one page is applied for, and an additional Re. 1.25 for each additional page tendered for, and a further sum of Re. 1.25 per page for each change of advertisement. Changes can only be made with a fresh issue of 1,000 copies. By fresh issue is meant the taking out of stock and placing at Post Office counters for sale to the public of a fresh issue of 1,000 copies. The tenderers should state the number of thousands of copies they wish to tender for. The first issue will be from January 1, 1912.

3. The present annual issues average about 2,000 booklets of 5 cents and 1,000 of 6 cents. The booklets are now sold at 1 cent in addition to the face value of the stamps, but as it is proposed in future, if satisfactory tenders for advertisements are forthcoming, to charge the face value of stamps only, the sales will probably increase.

4. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Postmaster-General, Colombo. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Postmaster-General, or

be sent to him through the post.
5. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for Advertisement in Postage Stamp Booklets" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Postmaster-General not later than midday on Tuesday, September 12, 1911.

Any alteration in a tender must bear the initials of the tenderer, otherwise the tender may be treated as

informal and rejected.

7. All other information can be obtained on application to the Postmaster-General, Colombo. Specimens of the booklets can be seen at the General Post Office.

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

9. The Postmaster-General reserves to himself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all of the tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

Postmaster-General's Office, W. C. MACREADY, for Postmaster-General. Colombo, July 24, 1911.

TENDERS are hereby invited for removal of rubbish from Customs premises. The successful tenderer will be required to enter into a contract embodying the following conditions:-

- (1) To remove (to such place as may be approved by the Municipality) all rubbish from any part of the Customs premises-
 - (a) At the Wharf.
 - (b) On the road at the back of the Ceylon Wharfage Company's premises.
 - (c) At the New Exports.
 - (d) At the Kochchikade Customs premises.
- (2) For this purpose to provide two serviceable double bullock carts with boarded sides with the necessary drivers

and two strong bulls for each cart, the cart, bulls, and drivers to be approved by the Principal Collector of Customs.

(3) To have the carts ready for work not later than 7 A.M. each morning, and to remove the rubbish from the Wharf premises at least twice a day.

(4) To provide bulls and driver to use the patent brush roller (which will be provided by the Principal Collector of Customs) for thoroughly cleaning the road and yard at the Wharf once a week, i.e., on Sunday mornings.

(5) To remove rubbish from the New Exports and

Kochchikade twice a week; i.e., on Mondays and Thurs-

- (6) Except as provided in (4), the work of sweeping the premises, collecting the rubbish, and depositing it in the carts will be wholly undertaken by coolies provided by the Collector.
- (7) The contract will be for nine months from October 1911, to be renewed or terminated at the will of the Principal Collector of Customs on a month's notice being
- (8) The contractor will be liable to be fined for breach of the above conditions.
- 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 Removal of Rubbish from Customs Premises" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on August 15,

The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be 5. supplied upon application at the Customs, 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 Principal Collector of Customs, 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.
- Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amonut of security required will be Rs. 500. All other necessary The amonut of information can be ascertained upon application at the Customs Office.

No tender will be considered unless 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.

July 30, 1911.

C. D. VIGORS. Principal Collector of Customs.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber from October 1, 1911, to June 30, 1913.

- 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" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on August 22, 1911.

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. If required, samples must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond The amount of for the due fulfilment of each contract. 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.

W. A. TAYLOR, Colonial Storekeeper.

August 1. 1911.

CONTRACTS FOR SUPPLIES OF

PARTICULARS of contract for supply of kallunda rice, July 10 to December 31, 1911:-

Name of Contractor.

Address.

Place of Delivery.

Rate per Bushel. Rs. c.

M. K. K. Cassim Saibo & Co.

168, Colombo street, Kandy do.

Kandy Town Kandy District

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Public Works Department, Kandy, July 14, 1911.

WALTER C. PRICE, Provincial Engineer.

UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES. SALES OF

OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Colonial Secretary's Office on Saturday, August 12, 1911, at 12 noon :-

1 call bell

3 pieces coir matting

1 cycle bell

8 waste paper baskets

1 chair

Colonial Secretary's Office; Colombo, July 27, 1911.

M. STEVENSON, for Colonial Secretary.

OTICE is hereby given that an unserviceable Roneo Neostyle No. 2 will be sold by public auction at the Volunteer Headquarters at 12 noon on Saturday, August 12, 1911.

August 1, 1911.

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

OTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at Mutwal Jail, Mutwal, on Tuesday, August 15, 1911, at 2.30 P.M.:-

11 bed cots (wooden)

2 rice pounders (wooden) I bed stand (patient's)

16 belts, leather

1 coconut scraper

3 stools

2 tubs (water carrying)

Mutwal Jail, Colombo, August 1, 1911.

W. Philips, Superintendent.

OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Dandugama, en Friday, September 15, 1911, at 2 P.M. :-

6 empty tar barrels

3 cans, iron

Public Works Office.

HENRY B. LEES,

Colombo, July 31, 1911.

for Director of Public Works.

VITAL STATISTICS:

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended July 29, 1911.

Births.—The total births registered were 84 (1 European, 5 Burghers, 45 Sinhalese, 15 Tamils, 11 Moors, 3 Malays, and 4 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1,1911, viz., 213,825) was 20.5, as against 23.6 in the preceding week, 23.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 25.6 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 186 (1 European, 9 Burghers, 90 Sinhalese, 52 Tamils, 25 Moors, 7 Malays, and 2 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 45.4, as against 37.3 in the previous week, 33.4 in the corresponding week of last year, and 31.2 the weekly average for last year. The death-rate this week is the highest recorded since the third week of January, 1909.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 186 total deaths, 41 were of infants under one year of age, as against 33 in the preceding week, 30 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.—As many as 23 deaths were registered from Pneumonia (against 17 in the previous week and 12 the weekly average for last year), of which 6 were in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 4 each in Pettah and San Sebastian, 3 in Maradana hospitals, and 1 each in St. Paul's, Kotahena, New Bazaar, Slave Island, Kollupitiya North, and Kollupitiya South; 5 deaths were registered from Bronchitis.

- 2. Eighteen deaths were registered from *Phthisis* (against 13 in the previous week and the weekly average for last year), of which 5 were in Maradana hospitals, 3 each in San Sebastian and St. Paul's, 2 each in Kotahena, New Bazaar, and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), and 1 in Kollupitiya North.
- 3. Ten deaths were registered from *Enteric Fever* (against 12 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 were in Maradana hospitals, 2 each in St. Paul's and Kotahena, and 1 each in Pettah, New Bazaar, and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals). There were 31 cases reported during the week, against 30 in the previous week.
- 4. Seventeen deaths were registered from Senility, 15 from Dysentery, 13 Enteritis (4 infants), 13 Infantile Convulsions, 9 Debility (7 infants), 5 Diarrhæa (2 infants), 4 Worms (1 infant), 4 Malaria (1 infant), 4 Premature Birth, 3 Tetanus (all infants), 3 Ulcers, and 36 from Other Causes.
- 5. Two deaths were registered from *Smallpox*, which occurred in the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Kanatta, of 2 Sinhalese, 1 each from Pettah and St. Paul's. There were 2 cases reported during the week, against 3 in the previous week; also 2 of *Measles*, against 4 in the previous week; and 4 of *Chickenpox*, against 10 in the previous week.
- 6. Two deaths were registered from Cholera of 2 Tamils, 1 in the New Bazaar and the other in the Infectious Diseases Hospial, a patient from Pettah.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was $82\cdot6^{\circ}$, against $82\cdot0^{\circ}$ in the preceding week and $79\cdot2^{\circ}$ in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was $29\cdot865$ in., against $29\cdot890$ in. in the preceding week and $29\cdot857$ in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was nil, against $0\cdot24$ in. in the preceding week and $0\cdot78$ in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office, Colombo, August 1, 1911.

P. Arunachalam, Registrar-General.