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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

HENRY MCCALLUM.

K NOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by sections 4 and 5 of "The Village Communities Ordinance, 1889," and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby declare and appoint that the Chief Headmen's divisions of (1) The Islands, (2) Jaffna, (3) Valikamam West, (4) Valikamam North, (5) Valikamam East, (6) Tenmaradchi, (7) Vadamaradchi West, (8) Vadamaradchi East, and (9) Pachchilapali, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, shall, as from and after February 15, 1912, be brought within

the operation of the said Ordinance, and that the said divisions be subdivided into villages or convenient groups of villages in the manner specified in the schedule hereto.

Given at Anuradhapura, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twelve.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Division.	Subdivision.	Villages.
The Islands	Nainativu	Nainativu
	Punkudutivu	Punkudutivu East and Punkudutivu West
	Analativu	Analativu and Eluvativu
	Karativu	Karativu East and Karativu West
Velanai	Velanai	Saravanai, Suruvil, Velanai East, Velanai West, Naran-tanai, and Karampan (beyond Sanitary Board limits)
	Allaippiddi	Allaippiddi, Mankumpan, and Mandaitivu
	Chiviyateru	Chiviyateru East and Ariyalai
Jaffna (beyond Local Board limits)	Nallur	Nallur, Vannarponne North-west, Tirunelveli East, and Tirunelveli West
	Kokkuvil	Kokkuvil East, Kokkuvil West, and Kondavil
Valikamam West	Manippai	Suthumalai, Anaikkoddai, Navali, Manippai, and Sandilippai
	Vaddukkoddai	Vaddukkoddai East, Vaddukkoddai West, Arali North, Arali South, Arali East, and Arali West
	Chankanai	Moolai, Tolpuram, Chulipuram, and Chankanai
	Pandateruppu	Pandateruppu, Chillalai, Matakai, Chiruvilan, Periyavilan, and Makkiyapiddi
Valikamam North	Uduvil	Kantarodai, Sankuveli, Uduvil, Tavadi, Inuvil, and Chunnakam
	Mallakam	Suravattai, Elalai, Ivinai, Punnalaikadduvan, Mallakam, and Alaveddi
	Tellippalai	Tellippalai North-west, Tellippalai South-west, Tellippalai East, and Maviddapuram
	Myliddi	Kankesanturai, Pallai, Veemankamam, Kadduvan, Karut-talaivilan, Myliddi South, Vasavilan, Myliddi North, Taiyiddi, Mulavai, Veeramanikkatevanturai, Periya-naddutevanturai, and Palali
Valikamam East	Aechchuveli	Valalai, Tampalai, Katirippai, Pattaimeni, Aechchuveli, and Navukkiri
	Puttur	Avarankal, Puttur East, Puttur West, Siruppiddi, and Aechchelu
	Nirveli	Nirveli North, Nirveli South, Urumpirai, and Urelu
Tenmaradchi	Koppai	Koppai North, Koppai South, and Irupalai
	Navatkuli	Kaitadi, Kaitadi-Nunavil, Navatkuli, Koiylakkandi, Kai-tadi-Navatkuli, and Maravanpulavu
	Chavakacheheri	Tanankilappu, Chavakacheheri North, Chavakacheheri South, Nunavil East, Nunavil West, Madduvil North, Madduvil South, Sarasalai, Meesalai North, Meesalai South, and Vellampokkaddi
	Kachchai	Allarai, Palavi, Kachchai, Sandampokkaddi, Kodigamam, Ussen, Ketpeli, and Vidatalpalai
	Mirusuvil	Karampakam, Elutumadduval North, Elutumadduval South, and Mirusuvil
	Varani	Kudamiyan, Navatkadu, Karampaikurichchi, Varani North, Idaikurichchi, Varani-Iyattalai, Tavalai-Iyattalai, and Mantuvil
	Mantuvel	Karanavai South, Imayanan, Tanakkarakurichchi (beyond Sanitary Board limits), Tondaimannar, Kerudavil, Valveddi (beyond Sanitary Board limits), Samarapakutevan, Polikandi (beyond Sanitary Board limits), and Karanavai North
Vadamaradchi West	Kaddaiveli	Karaveddi West, Karaveddi East, Tunnalai North, Tunnalai South, Vallipuram, Karaveddi North, Alvai South, Alvai West, and Alvai North
	Puloli	Puloli West (beyond Sanitary Board limits), Puloli South, Puloli East (beyond Sanitary Board limits), Tumpalai (beyond Sanitary Board limits), Varattupalai, and Katkoyalam
	Kudattanai	Kudattanai-Karaiur, Kudattanai, Ampan, Nakarkoil, and Kudarappu
Vadamaradchi East	Chempianpattu	Chempianpattu, Marutankeni, Vattirayan, Uduturai, and Aliyavalai
	Mullippattu	Periyapachchilapali, Mullian, Pokkaruppu, Chundikulam, Koilvayal, Kottandarkulam, Yakkachchi, and Sankattar-vayal
Pachchilapali	Puloppalai	Mukavil, Malvil, Masar, Periyapalai, Puloppalai, Tanma-keni, Soranpattu, Urvanikanpattu
	Tampakamam	Vannankeni, Tampakamam, and Ittavil
	Mukamalalai	Mukamalalai, Kilali, and Vempodukeni

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HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS the by-laws set forth in the schedule hereto have been made by the Municipal Council of Galle, under the provisions of section 109 (1) of "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910," and the same have, under sub-section (3) of section 109 of the said Ordinance, been confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council:

Now, therefore, know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power vested in Us by the said sub-section (3) of section 109 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim the by-laws set forth in the schedule hereto, and declare that the same shall take effect as from and after the date thereof.

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

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

By-laws (Galle Municipal Water Service).

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| Water-rate how recoverable. | 1. The water-rate which the Municipality is authorized and empowered by "The Galle Waterworks Loan Ordinances, 1891," to impose and enforce, and any other sums which may become due under the provisions of these by-laws, shall be recovered by the Council as if the same were a tax imposed under "The Municipal Councils Ordinances, 1910," and any existing or future amending Ordinances. |
| Power of Municipal Council to appoint waterworks officers. | 2. The Council shall appoint fit and proper persons to perform the duties and exercise the powers hereinafter mentioned as may be necessary. In the execution of the duties and exercise of the powers conferred upon them by these by-laws, such officers shall be subject to the directions and control of the Chairman of the Council, and they shall be "public servants" within the meaning of that term as used in the Ceylon Penal Code and section 68 of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910. |
| Salaries or allowances. | 3. Such officers shall be paid salaries or allowances as the Council shall deem right. |
| Payment of costs of maintaining waterworks. | 4. The Council shall defray from the Municipal Fund all costs and charges in respect of the maintenance of the waterworks, supply of water, and collection of water-rate; and such salaries, wages, allowances, and pensions as may be earned by the staff engaged thereon, or may become due to them by reason of their service under the Council. |
| Duty of Council to supply water within police limits. | 5. The Council shall provide a supply of drinking water within the police limits, as amended, of the town of Galle, and shall for that purpose cause such pipes to be laid, and such tanks, filtering-tanks, aqueducts, reservoirs, or other works to be made, as are necessary for the supply of wholesome water, within such limits, and shall erect in the streets within such limits convenient standpipes, fountains, open reservoirs, or pumps for the gratuitous use of the inhabitants within such limits for domestic purposes. It shall be the duty of the Council, as far as possible, to make adequate provision that such supply of water shall be continuous throughout the year, and that the water supplied shall be at all times fit for human consumption. |
| Waterworks vested in Council. | 6. All public tanks, reservoirs, cisterns, standpipes, fountains, sluices, wells, conduits, pipes, pumps, and other waterworks existing within the Municipality at the time of the coming into operation of these by-laws, or afterwards made, laid, or erected; and all buildings, works, materials, and things connected with or appertaining to such waterworks shall be vested in the Council. |

Supply of water to Government.

7. The Council shall, within the police limits of the town of Galle, provide a supply of water, free of charge, for the use of the Ceylon Government Railway, as the Government may require. Such water shall be supplied by the Council at such place as the Governor may in writing direct.

Power of the Municipal Council to allow a private service of water.

8. The Council may, on application by the owner or occupier of any house, allow a private supply of water to such house for domestic purposes, in such quantities and under such conditions as the Council shall deem reasonable. When a private service is allowed, the Council shall make the necessary connection between the street waterworks pipe and the boundary of the street as near as conveniently may be to the premises to be served, but the cost of such connection and of all further piping and of all internal fittings requisite for such private service shall be borne by the owner or occupier.

When a private service is allowed, the connection between the Municipal main and the premises to be served shall be made, laid, and affixed by Municipal workmen, under the supervision of the Superintendent of Works, at the expense of the person applying for such private service. The Council may require the estimated cost of such private service to be paid into the Municipal Fund before the work in connection herewith is commenced.

The necessary service pipes and fittings shall only be laid and affixed by persons duly authorized in writing by the Chairman, and shall not be used until they have been duly passed by the Superintendent of Works.

Execution of works other than connection with street pipes.

9. The works, other than the connection between the street waterworks pipe and the boundary of the streets, as nearly as conveniently may be, to the premises to be served, necessary for such private service, and all future repairs, extensions, and alterations of such works, shall in every case be in accordance with the regulations contained in the schedule hereto, and such further regulations as shall from time to time be made in that behalf by the Council, with the consent of the Governor in Executive Council, and shall be executed by the Chairman, or in his discretion by the owner or occupier applying for the private service under the orders and subject to the approval of the Chairman. If the said works, or the repairs, extensions, and alterations of the same, shall be executed by the Chairman, the expense thereof, when certified under the hand of the Chairman, shall be defrayed by such owner or occupier, and the same may be recovered by the Council as if it were a tax payable under "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," and any existing or future amending Ordinances; and when recovered shall be accounted for as the Council may direct.

Maintenance of waterworks.

10. The Council shall cause all public tanks, reservoirs, cisterns, wells, aqueducts, conduits, tunnels, pipes, pumps, fountains, and other works used for the supply of water and vested in the Council by these by-laws to be maintained and supplied with water, as well as any further works which may be constructed by the Council for such purpose.

Power to the Municipal Council to construct filtering and other works.
Power of the Council to break up streets, &c., and enter private land.

11. The Council may, from time to time, construct filters, tanks, aqueducts, or other works for bringing wholesome water into the said police limits of the town of Galle for the use of the inhabitants.

12. The Council in laying down any pipes for such water supply may, if they consider it necessary, carry such pipes through, across, or under any street, or any place laid out or intended for a street, or under any building, or through any cellar or vault, or into, through, or under any enclosed or other land whatsoever. The Council shall in every such case give notice of their intention so to do to the owner of the property affected by such work, and shall on completion of the work pay to him reasonable compensation for any loss or damage sustained by him by reason of the carrying out of any work authorized by this section.

Payment of annuities to be from fund of the Council and chargeable to rates, taxes, rents, income, and property of the Council.

13. All payment for expenses already incurred, in connection with the Galle waterworks, shall be payable from the Municipal Fund, and shall be chargeable to the rates and taxes, rents, and all other income and property of the said Council, anything in the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910 or any amending Ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

Power to the Council to exempt division, house, or land from charge of water.

14. The Municipal Council may, with the consent of the Governor in Executive Council, from time to time, by notification in the *Government Gazette*, exempt any division or part of a division of the Municipality, and without such consent, any house, land, or tenement in which the general facilities afforded by the water supply are not fully available from the payment of

the water-rate leviable under the provisions of the Galle Waterworks Ordinance, or of such proportion of the consolidated rate leviable under the said Ordinance, as may be assessed in respect of such water supply; and may also from time to time revoke such exemption by like notification.

Prices of water for other than domestic purposes.

15. The prices of water supplied by meter for other than domestic purposes shall be as follows:—

(1) To premises occupied wholly or in part—

- (a) For the purpose of conducting or carrying on any trade or manufactory in which water is used, Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons.
- (b) For the purpose of a hotel, private boarding house, restaurant, lodging house, Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons.
- (c) As public bathing places, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
- (d) For keeping horses, cattle, or vehicles for sale or hire, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.

(2) To premises upon which water is used for—

- (a) Swimming baths, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
- (b) Fountains and hydraulic motors, not used in connection with any trade, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
- (c) Watering gardens or compounds, 50 cents per 1,000 gallons.
- (d) Building and road making and road repairing purposes, Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons.
- (e) Water for shipping, Rs. 3·50 per 1,000 gallons.

Council may allow private service.

16. It shall be lawful for the Council, on application by the owner or occupier of any house, to allow a private service of water to such house for domestic purposes, and to fix a meter on the pipe supplying such house or premises. The provision of section 20 in reference to the quantity of water allowed and to the charges for excess of water shall be applicable to this section. When a private service is allowed, the connection between the Municipal main and the premises to be served, as well as the necessary service pipes and fittings, shall be made, laid, and affixed by the Municipal workmen, under the supervision of the Superintendent of Works, at the expense of the person applying for such private service. The Council may require the estimated cost of such private service to be paid into the Municipal Fund before the work in connection therewith is commenced. Also all future repairs, extensions, and alterations shall be executed at the expense of such owner or occupier. No communication pipes, or service pipes, or fittings shall be liable to be seized for any debt of such owner or occupier.

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

Fittings not liable to seizure for debt.

Power of Chairman to enter and examine premises.

17. The Chairman may, at any time between 8 of the clock in the morning and 5 of the clock in the evening, after giving not less than one hour's notice to the occupier of any building or premises supplied with water under the Ordinance, enter such building or premises and examine the condition of the pipes, works, and fittings, and ascertain if there be any waste or misuse of such water. If the Chairman is at any such time without reasonable cause refused admittance into such building or premises for the purpose aforesaid, or is prevented without reasonable cause from making such examination, the Chairman may stop the supply of water to such premises or building.

Power of Chairman to cut off water supply to prevent waste. Leakage to be reported.

18. Whenever water is found running to waste from any tap, meter, pipe, or other fittings which is supplied with water from the waterworks, the Chairman may at once cut off the water, and such service shall not be reconnected until the cause of the waste is remedied. Should any leakage occur in any communication or service pipe or any cistern, tap, or other water fittings in any house or premises, the owner or occupier shall, within twenty-four hours, give notice of the same to the Secretary.

Penalty for suffering pipes, &c., to be out of repair.

19. If any person supplied with water from the waterworks wilfully or negligently causes or suffers any pipe, valve, cock, cistern, soil pan, water closet, or other apparatus or receptacle to be out of repair, or to be so used or contrived that the water supplied to him from the waterworks is or is likely to be wasted, misused, unduly consumed, or contaminated, or so as to occasion or allow the return of foul air or other noisome or impure matter into any pipe belonging to, or connected with, the pipes of the waterworks, he shall be guilty of an offence, and be liable for every such offence to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

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

20. Should the Council be of opinion that in any house or premises water from the Municipal Waterworks is used by other than members of the household, or is wasted or unduly consumed, it shall be lawful for the Council to fix a meter on the pipe supplying such house or premises, and the owner or occupier shall pay

for all water shown by the meter to have been consumed in excess of 3,000 gallons, for every rupee of water-rate per quarter assessed in respect of such house or premises the sum of one rupee for every thousand gallons of such excess.

Power of the Chairman to repair pipes, &c., and recover expenses.

21. The Chairman may repair any pipe, valve, cock, cistern, soil pan, water-closet, or other apparatus or receptacle, so as to prevent any waste of water, and the expense of such repair, when certified under his hand, shall be defrayed by the owner or occupier of the premises, and the same may be recovered by the Council as it were a tax payable under "The Municipal Councils Ordinance, 1910," and any existing or future amending Ordinances, and when recovered shall be accounted for as the Council may direct.

Misuse of water.

22. Every person who—

(a) Not having a supply of water from the waterworks for other than domestic purposes, uses for other than domestic purposes any water supplied to him from the waterworks; or

(b) Having from the waterworks a supply of water for any other than domestic purposes, uses for any purposes other than those for which he is entitled to use the same any water supplied to him from the waterworks—

Penalty.

shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees, without prejudice to the right of the Council to recover from him the value of the water misused.

Penalty for affixing pipe or apparatus to communication or other pipe without the consent of the Chairman.

23. It shall not be lawful for the owner or occupier of any premises supplied with water from the waterworks, or any consumer of the water of the waterworks, or any other person, to affix or cause or permit to be affixed any pipe or apparatus to any pipe or apparatus provided for the conveyance, reception, or control of water from the waterworks, whether or not such pipe or apparatus is the property of the Council or private property, without the consent in every such case of the Chairman of the Municipal Council; and if any person acts in any respect in contravention of the provisions of this section, he shall for every such offence be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, without prejudice to the right of the Council to recover damages from him in respect of any injury done to the waterworks property, and without prejudice to their right to recover from him the value of any water wasted, misused, or unduly consumed.

Supply for other than domestic purposes, charges for.

24. It shall be lawful for the Council to fix a meter on any pipe supplying water to any house or premises where the water is used for other than domestic purposes. The value of the quantity of water consumed during the quarter, shall be ascertained as provided in section 15, and from the amount thus obtained a deduction of three-fourths of the annual value of the premises, as ascertained under the provision of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, shall be made.

Supply on agreement.

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

Penalty for supplying water to, or permitting it to be taken from, supplied premises by any other person.

25. Every owner or occupier of any premises supplied with water under the Ordinance who shall supply to any other person, or wilfully permit him to take any such water from any cistern or pipe in such premises, unless for the purpose of extinguishing any fire, or unless he be a person supplied with water from the waterworks, and the pipes supplying him be, without his default, out of repair, shall be guilty of an offence, and liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

Penalty for taking or using water from reservoir, &c.

26. Every person who wrongfully takes or uses any water from any reservoir, water-course, conduit, or pipe belonging to the waterworks, or from any pipe leading to or from any such reservoir, water-course, conduit, or pipe, or from any cistern or other like place containing water belonging to or supplied from the waterworks, or for the use of any consumer of the water of the waterworks other than such as may have been provided for the gratuitous use of the public, shall be guilty of an offence punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

Penalty for destroying or injuring works, &c., and wasting water.

27. Every person who without the authority of the Chairman of the Municipal Council, Galle, shall wilfully or carelessly break, injure, open, close, or wrongfully interfere or tamper with any lock, hydrant, cock, valve, pipe, work, or engine belonging to the waterworks, or shall draw off the water from the reservoirs or other works belonging to the waterworks, or shall do any other wilful act whereby such water shall be wasted, or the supply thereof interfered with, shall be guilty of an offence and be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

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

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

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

Penalty for fouling water, &c.

29. Every person who shall commit any of the offences next hereinafter enumerated shall for every such offence be punished with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees; that is to say—

- (a) Bathing or washing any part of one's body, or washing any cattle, horse, dog, or other animal whatsoever, or any vehicle, clothes, utensils, or other article whatsoever, at or near any reservoir, standpost, fountain, cistern, pipe, or other waterworks vested in the Council, whether now existing or to be hereafter erected or built in the streets, thoroughfares, or other public places.
- (b) Throwing any rubbish, dirt, filth, or other noisome thing into any stream, reservoir, aqueduct, hydrant, surface box, or other waterworks as aforesaid, or washing or cleansing therein any cloth, wool, leather, or skin of any animal, or any clothes, or any other thing.
- (c) Trespassing upon land belonging to the waterworks, or upon the buildings or premises connected with the water supply.
- (d) Unlawfully breaking, injuring, or in any other manner causing damage to any channel, tank, reservoir, cistern, well, fountain, standpipe, or other work connected with the water supply.
- (e) Causing the water of any sink, sewer, or drain, steam engine, boiler, or other water belonging to him or under his control, to run or be brought into any stream, reservoir, aqueduct, or other waterworks belonging to the Council, or doing any other act whereby the water belonging to the waterworks shall be fouled, polluted, or corrupted in any degree.

And every such person shall be liable to a further fine of ten rupees for each day (if more than one) that such last-mentioned offence shall be continued after written notice from the Chairman of such contravention.

Penalty for doing any act connected with any business by which the water in any stream, &c., belonging to the waterworks is fouled.

30. (1) Whoever being the owner, superintendent, agent, manager, or occupier of any premises in which any business is carried on, does or causes to be done any act connected with such business by which the water in any stream, reservoir, cistern, aqueduct, or other work belonging to the waterworks is or is likely to be fouled, shall be guilty of an offence, and liable on conviction, notwithstanding the provision of section 29, to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, and a further fine not exceeding twenty-five rupees for each day on which the offence is continued after the expiration of twenty-four hours after a notice signed by the Chairman is served on any such person.

(2) The Chairman may, after the expiration of twenty-four hours after the notice of his intention so to do has been served on such owner, superintendent, agent, manager, or occupier, lay open and examine any pipe or work directly or indirectly connected with such premises, and any stream, reservoir, cistern, aqueduct, or other work belonging to the waterworks.

Cost of laying open pipes to abide the result of the examination.

31. If upon any such examination it appears that any water has been fouled by anything proceeding from or contained in the pipes or works examined, the expenses of such examination shall be paid by the person to whom such pipes or works belong, or

Cisterns in the ground cannot be used for storage of water.
 Receptacle for storage of water.
 Council may shut off water.
 Regulations.

under whose management or control they are; if upon such examination it appears that such water has not been so fouled, then such expenses shall be borne by the Council.

32. No cistern buried or excavated in the ground shall be used for the storage of water supplied by the Council, unless the use of such cistern shall be allowed in writing by the Chairman.

33. No wooden receptacle without a proper metallic lining shall be used for the storage of water supplied by the Council.

34. It shall be lawful for the Council to stop or cut off the supply of water between such hours as it shall deem necessary.

35. The regulations in the schedule hereto annexed shall be observed by all consumers of water within the Municipality, and it shall be lawful for the Council to make from time to time such further regulations as may appear expedient for any of the following purposes :—

- (a) For preventing waste, misuse, undue consumption, or contamination of the water supplied by the Council for public or private use ;
- (b) For directing the use, and prescribing the size, nature, strength, and materials, and the mode of arrangement, position, alteration, removal, renewal, and repair of the pipes, valves, cocks, cisterns, soil pans, water-closets, and other apparatus and receptacles, or any of them to be used respectively for carrying, delivering, regulating, and storing water ;
- (c) For establishing, maintaining, and regulating public bathing places, and places for washing animals or clothes;
- (d) For regulating the public supply of water by standpipes, and the use of the same ;
- (e) For regulating the supply of water by private services, and the materials and fittings to be used herefor ;
- (f) For regulating supply of water by measurement, and the materials, meters, appliances, and fittings used for such a purpose and in connection therewith ;
- (g) For regulating the terms and conditions subject to which water will be supplied for other than domestic purposes, and the price to be paid for water so supplied ; and
- (h) For every other purpose relating to the supply or control of water supplied from the waterworks as to the Council shall appear necessary.

Power of the Council to alter regulations.

36. The Council may from time to time alter, amend, or cancel any regulations or all such regulations and substitute another or others therefor, provided that no regulation shall be repugnant to any law in force in this Colony, and that no fine for any infringement of a regulation shall exceed fifty rupees, and that in case of a continuing infringement no fine shall exceed ten rupees for each day, after written notice from the Chairman of the Council of such infringement.

Confirmation of regulations by Governor in Executive Council.

37. No regulation, or alteration, amendment, or cancellation of, or substitution for, any regulation shall have effect until the same is confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council. Notice of such confirmation shall be given by Proclamation to be made in that behalf; and such regulation, when so confirmed and published in the *Government Gazette*, shall be as valid and effectual as if they had been herein enacted.

Penalty for breach of regulations.

38. Every person committing a breach of any of the regulations contained in the schedule hereto, or made under sections 35 and 36 hereof, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall, subject to the provision of section 36 hereof regarding continuing infringement of regulations, be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, or, in the case of the regulations made hereafter under sections 35 and 36 hereof, to such fine as may be prescribed therein.

Service of notipes.

39. When any notice is required to be given to the owner or to the occupier of any house, building, or land, such notice addressed to the owner or occupier may be served on the occupier of such house, building, or land, or left with some adult member or servant of his family, or if the notice cannot be so served, or if there be no occupier, may be put up on some conspicuous part of such house, building, or land; and it shall not be necessary in any such notice to name the occupier or owner. Any person receiving the rent of any house, building, or land, either on his own account or as agent for another, shall, for the purposes of these by-laws, be deemed the owner of such house, building, or land.

40. All duties and powers required to be performed and exercised by the Chairman, under section 243 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, and under these by-laws and regulations, may be performed and exercised by any officer specially or generally authorized thereto in writing by the Chairman.

SCHEDULE.

Regulations.

1. Water shall be taken from the public standpipes only in buckets or other suitable receptacles, and in such a manner as to prevent its flow into any drain, side channel, or on to the surface of any road, footpath, or area.
2. No hose pipe, pipe, tube, shoot, or other contrivance of any nature whatsoever, shall be attached either temporarily or permanently to any public standpipe.
3. No automatic self-closing valve, or other automatic appliance attached to or forming part of any public standpipe, shall be interfered with so as to prevent either temporarily or permanently its automatic action.
4. No water drawn from any private service shall be used in connection with any trade, manufacture, or business, or for any ornamental or mechanical purpose, or for purposes of irrigation, unless an agreement in the Form A in this schedule shall have been previously entered into with the Municipal Council.
5. Not more than one service pipe for the supply of water to any premises within the same curtilage and under the same occupation shall be connected with the waterworks.
6. Whenever water is found running to waste from any tap, meter, pipe, or other fitting which is supplied with water from the waterworks, the Chairman may at once cut off the water, and such service shall not be reconnected until the cause of the waste is remedied.
7. The service pipe of any premises shall not be connected with any service pipe, cistern, or other fittings of any other premises.
8. The Chairman may, upon being satisfied that good and sufficient reasons exist for considering that the arrangement, size, position, nature, or condition of any pipe, tap, valve meter, or other fitting situated within private premises and connected with the waterworks is likely to lead to waste, misuse, undue consumption, or contamination of the water supplied from the waterworks for public or private use, or to be prejudicial to the proper control and distribution of water from the waterworks, serve a notice upon the owner or occupier of such premises in the Form B set forth in this schedule specifying the alterations required, and such alterations shall be made by the owner or occupier to the satisfaction of the Chairman forthwith. In the event of the name or residence of the owner or occupier being unknown, such notice shall be affixed in a conspicuous place upon the premises to which it refers, after which it shall be taken as duly served within the meaning of these regulations.
9. All new services and alterations to existing ones are to be carried out in accordance with the instructions of the Chairman. The right is reserved to the Chairman whilst consulting the wishes of the consumer, as far as practicable, to determine finally all matters concerning the construction or alteration of services, such as the diameter of the pipe to be used, the manner in which it is to be laid, and the number, size, and pattern and position of the taps.
10. Notice of the intention to construct a new service, or to alter or extend any existing one, must be given to the Chairman by filling up a printed form, which may be obtained on application at the office of the Chairman. This notice (Form C hereto annexed) must be addressed to the Chairman and delivered at his office, and no such work shall be commenced without the approval of the Chairman or any person authorized by him in writing.
11. All new services or alterations or repairs to existing pipes are to be carried out to the satisfaction of the Chairman. Pipes and fittings of the approved quality only are to be used; samples may be seen at the office of the Chairman.
12. No pipes, valves, or other fittings forming part of a service may be covered up until they have been inspected and approved by the Chairman. After a service has been inspected and approved, it will be connected with the waterworks upon the applicant depositing with the Municipal Council the cost, as estimated by the Chairman, of such connection, including labour, materials, and supervision, and the supply will commence. The connection will be made by the Chairman, and upon completion an account will be rendered to the applicant in the Form D hereto annexed, and the unexpended balance, if any, of the sum deposited with the Municipal Council in respect of such service shall be returned. In the event of the estimated cost being exceeded, the applicant, upon receipt of the above-mentioned account, shall forthwith pay to the Municipal Council all further sum due in respect of such service.
13. Every service is to be provided with a strong brass or cast iron gland stopcock, with solid bottom; if of cast iron, the plug to be asbestos packed or with screw down stopcock with loose valve, or in cases of service larger than two inches in diameter, with sluice or side valve. The stopcock or valve is to be fixed under the pavement, where there is one, and as near to the tenement as practicable, and it is to be provided with a cast iron cover and lid, so that it may at all times be accessible.
14. The service pipe from the street main and up to and including the stop tap shall be the property of the Municipal Council, and the cost of the necessary repairs to the same shall be paid by the Chairman, but should any damage be done to the stop tap on any premises, it shall be made good by the Chairman at the expense of the owner or occupier of such premises, and the cost of the repair of such damage shall be paid to the Council, and the Chairman is hereby authorized and empowered to discontinue the supply of water to such premises until such payment is made.
15. The cost estimated by the Chairman of laying on water to any premises after it has been cut off for any reason whatsoever shall be paid by the owner or

occupier of such premises in advance to the Municipal Council. The unexpended balance, if any, shall be returned to the owner or occupier on the completion of the work, and any excess of cost shall be paid by the occupier or owner on such completion.

16. The Municipal Council, notwithstanding that the requirements have been complied with as regards services, does not hold itself liable for any damage that may arise in premises by bursting or overflowing. Nor will the said Council, by any permission or act, extend its responsibility beyond the main pipes and the service pipes, up to and including stoptaps.

17. All pipes used in the construction of services are to be cast iron of approved thickness and quality, or wrought iron, both to be coated with bituminous composition, or galvanized wrought iron or lead.

18. Wrought iron service pipes are to be of the quality known as "best water piping," and to be of the following weights:—

$\frac{3}{8}$	inch internal diameter,	60 lb. per 100 lineal feet	
$\frac{1}{2}$	do.	98	do.
$\frac{3}{4}$	do.	130	do.
1	do.	212	do.
$1\frac{1}{4}$	do.	280	do.
$1\frac{1}{2}$	do.	345	do.
2	do.	470	do.

19. All lead service pipes are to be solid drawn, and not less than the following weights:—

$\frac{3}{8}$	inch internal diameter,	5 lb. per yard (lineal)	
$\frac{1}{2}$	do.	7	do.
$\frac{3}{4}$	do.	11	do.
1	do.	15	do.
$1\frac{1}{4}$	do.	22	do.
$1\frac{1}{2}$	do.	25	do.

20. Cast iron pipes are to be substantially jointed with lead and yarn; wrought iron pipes are to have screwed joints and sockets; and lead pipes are to have solder-wiped joints.

21. All draw-off taps are to be of a pattern known as "screw down," or such other pattern as may be approved by the Municipal Council.

22. Every cistern to which water is supplied from the waterworks is to be provided with an "equilibrium" ball valve of approved pattern, and the ball valve is to be so adjusted as to close the supply when the water level in the cistern is two inches below the edge or overflow, if there be one.

23. The inlet or supply pipe to every cistern shall be situated above the water level of such cistern.

24. The overflow pipes of all cisterns are to be brought to the outside of the building, and shall terminate in a conspicuous position, so that any leakage may be easily detected. No overflow from any cistern shall on any account be connected with any drain, or sewer, or with the waste pipe of any bath, sink, or any other sanitary appliance, or with the overflow from any cistern. Each cistern shall have a separate overflow pipe.

25. All water-closets are to be provided with automatic waste-preventing flush tanks of a pattern approved by the Municipal Council, and under no circumstances shall the service be in direct communication with any water-closet pan, latrine, privy, or urinal. In every such case a cistern or tank shall be interposed, so as to prevent the possibility of any return of foul liquid or gas to the service or mains.

26. The outlet of every draw-off tap shall be in some open and conspicuous place so that leakage may be easily detected, and in no case shall the outlet be below the tap water level in any cistern, tank, or other vessel into which the tap delivers.

27. No service pipe shall be directly connected with any boiler, condenser, or other mechanical appliance without the express sanction of the Municipal Council.

28. The inlet of every bath, lavatory, basin, or sink must be separated and distinct from the outlet, and the inlet must be situated at the top or above such bath, lavatory, basin, or sink.

29. Water may be supplied for other than domestic purposes either by meter or otherwise at the discretion of the Municipal Council, but, as a rule, such supplies should be by meter.

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

- (1) For the purposes of conducting or carrying on any trade or manufactory in which water is used.
- (2) For the purposes of a hotel, private boarding house, restaurant, lodging house.
- (3) For public bathing places.
- (4) For keeping horses, cattle, or vehicles for sale or hire.

Provided that the Municipal Council may exempt from the operation of section (1) of this regulation any premises which are registered as a dairy under Ordinance No. 1 of 1896. Such exemption shall cease on the premises ceasing to be a registered dairy, or on the Municipal Council being satisfied that any other trade or manufactory in which water is used is carried on or conducted in such premises.

31. The Municipal Council shall be at liberty to supply water to all premises not paying consolidated rates or a fixed sum in lieu of such rates by meter and

charge for the same at the rate of Re. 1 per 1,000 gallons, or without meter by special arrangement between the parties concerned, provided no existing rights and privileges are thereby interfered with.

32. In all cases in which water is supplied for the following purposes, and not measured by meter, the following charges shall be paid in advance to the Municipal Council :—

	Per Quarter. Rs. c.	Per Annum. Rs.
(1) For watering gardens or compounds, first half acre or part thereof ..	4 50	18
Every quarter acre or part thereof in addition to the first half acre ..	1 50	6
(2) For water supplied to premises where horses, cattle, or vehicles are kept for sale or hire :—		
	Per Mensem. Cents.	
For each carriage or motor ..	67	
For each jinricksha ..	21	
For each horse or mule ..	84	
For each donkey ..	38	
For each bullock ..	34	
For each buggy ..	21	
(3) Charges for horses, cattle, or vehicles kept for sale or hire, but not specified above, shall be determined by the Municipal Council at rates proportionate to those specified.		
(4) For water supplied to premises where building operations are in progress, 25 cents per month for each workman employed.		
(5) For water supplied to eating-houses, bakeries, and other premises, where small quantities of water are used for other than domestic purposes, the Municipal Council may assess a charge in each case based upon the probable quantity of water used.		
(6) For water supplied to public bathing places. For each tub kept on the premises (the capacity of any tub must not exceed 80 gallons) Rs. 14 a quarter.		

33. The Municipal Council may supply water to private boarding houses or houses taking in paying guests, and charge for the same at the rate of 50 cents per head per month on the average number of boarders or paying guests lodging at each house during the month.

34. In case any special fittings, constructions, appliances, or arrangements of any kind shall have been allowed for the supply of water for other than domestic purposes (such as garden taps, tanks, hose, &c.), the owner shall, whenever a change of occupiers occurs, either himself pay the charges previously agreed upon, or procure their payment by the new occupier, or remove at his own expense the said special fittings, constructions, appliances, or arrangements to the satisfaction of the Chairman.

35. All meters for measuring the supply of water from the waterworks to any premises shall be supplied by the Council and fixed by the Chairman, and shall remain the property of the Municipal Council.

36. The cost of fixing meters, including labour, materials (other than the meter), and supervision shall be paid in advance by the owner or occupier of the premises to which the water service is laid.

37. All meters shall be maintained by the Municipal Council, and all repairs to meters, unless the damage is caused wilfully or negligently, shall be made by the said Council free of cost to the consumer ; but in the event of damage being wilfully or negligently caused, the owner or occupier of the premises to which the water service is laid shall pay the cost of repair or renewal of the meter as the said Council may direct.

38. The following rents shall be paid to the Municipal Council, quarterly in advance, for the use of meters for one quarter or any part of a quarter ; such quarters shall be considered to commence on the first day of January, the first day of April, the first day of July, and the first day of October :—

3 inches meter	Rs. 33·50	for quarter or part of a quarter.
2 do.	Rs. 20·00	do.
1½ do.	Rs. 14·04	do.
1 do.	Rs. 8·00	do.
¾ do.	Rs. 6·50	do.
½ do.	Rs. 5·50	do.
¼ do.	Rs. 4·50	do.

39. Meters shall be read at such times as the Municipal Council may direct, not less frequently than three times a quarter. Whenever a meter is read, a memorandum of the reading shall be left at the premises supplied through it addressed "The Occupier."

40. For the purpose of calculating the quarterly consumption, the difference between the reading of the meter shall be taken. The first reading may be that observed on any day not more than ten days before or after the calendar date of the commencement of the quarter, or in case of a newly fixed meter the first reading of the meter. The second reading may be that taken on any day not more than

ten days earlier or later than the calendar termination of the quarter, or if the meter is removed or the supply closed during the quarter, then the last reading shall be taken as the second reading for ascertaining the quarter's water consumption. If two or more meters have been in use during the quarter, then the quarter's consumption shall be the sum of the quantities indicated by the meters. Provided always that the reading used as the last reading of any quarter shall be used as the first reading of the ending quarter.

41. If a meter is found to be out of order, or if it be removed for repair or alteration, the fact shall be noted on the memorandum mentioned in regulation 39. On fixing a new meter or refixing the old one, a second memorandum shall be left at the premises supplied through such meter. The consumption for the time that the meter was out of order, or that the service was without a meter, shall be calculated according to the average rate of daily consumption obtained during the period between any two successive readings, whilst the meter was of good order, immediately preceding the removal of the meter.

42. If the consumer doubts the accuracy of the meter which measures the water supplied to the premises occupied by him, then the meter shall on demand be tested by the Chairman. The consumer, or any person appointed by him, may be present when the water is tested. The result of the testing shall be binding both on the Chairman and on the consumer, and the quantity of water indicated by the meter for the quarter as defined in regulation 40 shall be corrected according to the result of the test. If the meter be found to indicate correctly, or it be found to indicate too little, then a fee of Rs. 20 shall be paid to the Municipal Council for testing by the person demanding the test. If the meter be found to indicate too much, then no fee shall be paid for testing.

43. The value of the amount of water consumed during the quarter shall be ascertained and calculated in accordance with the foregoing regulations. From the sum thus obtained, a deduction will be made equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the annual value of the premises, as ascertained under the provisions of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, in all cases in which the premises are used wholly for residential purposes. In all other cases, except where the water is supplied for shipping, a deduction will be made equal to $\frac{1}{3}$ per cent. on the annual value of the premises, as ascertained under the provisions of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910. Each quarter's account shall be final, and no surplus shall be carried forward from one quarter to the next.

44. In all cases of other than domestic supply an account shall be rendered quarterly of the amount to be paid for the water consumed in the preceding quarter. The account shall be rendered in the Form E annexed hereto, and the amount shall be paid to the Municipal Council in cash in full within fifteen days of the rendering of such account.

45. In all cases in which a meter is fixed an account shall be rendered quarterly for the rent of such meter in advance. The account shall be in Form F hereto annexed, and the amount thereof shall be paid to the Municipal Council in cash in full within fifteen days of the rendering of such account.

46. No water shall be drawn from the waterworks, except from public fountains and house services in the manner laid down in these regulations, without the written consent of the Chairman, except in the case of fire.

47. All moneys paid under the provisions of these regulations shall be carried to the credit of the waterworks "Meter Account," and all expenditure by the Chairman in carrying out the provisions of these regulations shall be chargeable to such account.

FORM A.

Agreement for a supply of water by meter for other than domestic purposes between _____ (hereinafter styled the "owner") on the one part and the Municipal Council on the other part.

2. In consideration of being allowed a supply of water for other than domestic purposes, viz., for (a), (b), &c., to the aforesaid premises _____, the owner hereby agrees to abide by the conditions hereinafter set forth:—

- (a) That the water should be supplied through a _____ inch meter.
- (b) That the owner shall pay or cause to be paid the sum of rupees _____ a quarter in advance to the Municipal Council for the rent of the meter _____.
- (c) That the owner shall pay or cause to be paid to the Galle Municipal Council at the rate of rupees _____ per thousand gallons for the quantity of water supplied during each month. The first payment to be made on the first day of _____.

3. If the rent of the meter or the charges for water are not paid to the Municipal Council within fifteen days from due date, the right to the use of the service shall be forfeited, and the Municipal Council may discontinue the supply.

4. The provisions of Ordinance No. 18 of 1907 made applicable to the town of Galle by section 243 of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, and of the regulations made under section 110 (4) of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, shall be taken as part of this agreement, and any regulations which may be made hereafter under section 110 (4) of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910 of the said Ordinance shall also be binding on the parties to this agreement.

5. The agreement may be determined by either party giving to the other party _____ days' notice of his or its intention to determine the same. In the event of its being so determined, neither the owner nor the occupier of the premises shall be entitled to the use of the service until a fresh agreement shall have been made.

6. The owner shall give due notice whenever a change of occupiers is about to take place, and no occupier shall be entitled to the use of the service until he has agreed in writing to abide by the foregoing conditions.

Signed at Galle, this _____ day of _____, 191—.

Owner.

Chairman.

Witnesses to signatures :

(1) _____.

(2) _____.

I also agree to abide by the terms of the foregoing agreement.

Signed at Galle, this _____ day of _____, 191—.

Witnesses to signatures :

(1) _____.

(2) _____.

Occupier.

FORM B.

Notice to alter Defective Service.

Municipal Office,
Galle, _____, 191—.

To the owner or occupier of house No. _____, _____ street.

Take notice that the service to the above-mentioned premises having on inspection been found to be defective, you are requested to take steps to carry out the alteration or repairs set forth in the accompanying memorandum, which I hereby certify to be necessary. Should you fail to carry out such alterations and repairs within _____ days after the receipt of this notice, the service will be discontinued from the water-works, and will not be re-connected until it is renewed, altered, or repaired to my satisfaction.

Chairman.

FORM C.

Notice of intention to construct _____ Service, or alter or extend any existing Service.

No. _____.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Galle.

I hereby give notice of my intention to construct a new service, or to alter or extend the existing service, in the manner set forth in the schedule at foot to—

House No. _____.

Street : _____.

Ward : _____.

Annual rent, if occupied by tenant, Rs. : _____.

Annual value, if occupied by owner, Rs. : _____.

Size of existing service : _____.

Number and size of existing taps : _____.

The purpose for which water is required : _____.

Whether for domestic or other purposes : _____.

The purpose for which the premises are occupied : _____.

Particulars of proposed Works.

Piping on Private Premises.		Taps.			Cisterns.		
Length.	Size.	Number.	Position.	Size.	Capacity.	Position.	Remarks.
					Cub. ft.		

Signature of owner : _____.

Signature of occupier : _____.

Address of owner : _____.

FORM D.

No. —.

Municipal Office,
Galle, ———, 191—.

In Account with the Municipal Council.

Date.	Description of Works.	Rs.	c.
	To material supplied in laying service or fixing meter to No. ———, ——— street		
	To labour and supervision in connection with above		
	Total		
	Amount deposited		
	Balance due to		

(Signed) ———
Chairman.

FORM E.

No. —.

Municipal Office,
Galle, ———, 191—.In account with the Municipal Council of Galle, for water supplied to No. ———,
——— street, during the ——— quarter ending ———.

Reference No.	Water Account.	Rs.	c.
	Reading on ———		
	Reading on ———		
	Water consumed at Rs. ——— per 1,000 gallons		
	Water supplied for other than domestic purposes not measured by meter		
	Amount due		

Chairman.

N.B.—I have to call upon you to pay the above amount at the office of the
Municipal Council, Galle, within fifteen days of the above date, in accordance
with the waterworks regulations.

FORM F.

No. —.

Municipal Office,
Galle, ———, 191—.In account with the Municipal Council, for rent of meter fixed at No. ———,
——— street, for quarter ending ———.

Meter Account.

Reference No.	Size of Meter.	Rs.	c.
	Rent due for ——— quarter ending ———		
	Amount		

Chairman.

N.B.—I have to call upon you to pay the above account at the office of the
Municipal Council, Galle, within fifteen days of the above date, in accordance with
the waterworks regulations.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 61 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to make the following promotions in the Civil Service, with effect from November 15, 1911 :—

Mr. G. S. SAXTON to Class I., Grade I.
Mr. C. R. CUMBERLAND to Class I., Grade II.
Mr. R. A. G. FESTING to Class II.
Mr. G. F. FORREST to Class III.
Mr. M. A. YOUNG to Class IV.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, February 10, 1912. Colonial Secretary.

No. 62 of 1912.

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

Mr. B. G. DE GLANVILLE to act as an Assistant Settlement Officer and Special Officer under the Waste Lands Ordinances, with effect from February 2, 1912, until further orders.

Mr. G. THORNTON PETT of Ambatenne estate, Neboda, to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Kalutara and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial Division of Kalutara, *vice* Mr. N. F. MACRAE.

Mr. A. J. STEPHENS to be a Justice of the Peace for the District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton and an Unofficial Police Magistrate for the Judicial District of Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, *vice* Mr. W. R. TRINGHAM.

Messrs. J. W. HYDE and A. FELLOWES GORDON to be Visitors of the Haputale hospital and Messrs. M. E. WADDILOVE and G. A. COOMBE to be Visitors of the Koslanda hospital for the year 1912.

Mr. O. BALBAN to be a Visitor of the Nawalapitiya hospital and Mr. A. W. W. NORFOLK to be a Visitor of the Watawala dispensary for the year 1912.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, February 14, 1912. Colonial Secretary.

No. 63 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to approve the following transfer in the Ceylon Volunteer Force :—

Captain CHARLES RUSSELL CUMBERLAND, Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps, to the Ceylon Light Infantry with the rank of Captain, with effect from February 1, 1912.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, February 13, 1912. Colonial Secretary.

No. 64 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointment in the Ceylon Mounted Rifles, *vice* BARTLET, transferred to the Reserve :—

To be Second Lieutenant.

Sergeant EDMUND INGOLDSBY MASSY.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, February 13, 1912. Colonial Secretary.

No. 65 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps to complete establishment :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Volunteer ADELBERT CHARLES EDWARD SALVIN BOWLBY.

Volunteer ROBERT McDONALD SUTOR.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, February 13, 1912. Colonial Secretary.

No. 66 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 27 of 1884, to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Inspectors of Wells and Pits for the divisions in the Kalutara District noted against their names :—

(1) DON ROBERT DE SILVA, Vidane Arachchi, for Bandaragama division, in Rayigam korale.

(2) H. D. P. JAYAWARDENE, Vidane Arachchi, for Uduwara division, in Rayigam korale.

(3) DON BRAMPY, Vidane Arachchi, for Bellapitiya division, in Rayigam korale.

(4) DON DIAS JAYASEKERA, Vidane Arachchi, for Horawala division, in Pasdun Korale West.

(5) JOHN WALIS WIJEYARATNE KOTALAWALA, Vidane Arachchi, for Dodangoda division, in Pasdun Korale West.

(6) DON CHARLES WEERAKKODY, Vidane Arachchi, for Warakagoda division, in Pasdun Korale East.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, February 9, 1912. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. V. C. CHINNIAH, Mudaliyar, as Registrar of Lands, Mullaittivu, with effect from February 12, 1912, *vice* Mr. M. SUBRAMANIAM.

Mr. WALTER DIAS BANDARANAYAKA, Mudaliyar Colombo town, to be Registrar of Marriages (General) of Colombo town within graves division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from March 1, 1912, *vice* Mudaliyar J. A. ABAYASEKARA, deceased. His office will be at No. 29, Green street, Colombo.

Mr. C. H. A. SAMARAKODDY, Mudaliyar, Alutkuru Korale North, to be Registrar of Marriages (General) of Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru Korale North division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from March 1, 1912, *vice* Mudaliyar WALTER DIAS BANDARANAYAKA, transferred. His office will be at Delgahawatta in Ambagahawatta.

Mr. JOHN RADLEY WALTERS to be Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Kandy District of the Central Province, with effect from February 20, 1912, *vice* Mr. W. L. MURPHY, transferred. His office will be at the Kandy Kachcheri.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office, HUGH CLIFFORD,
Colombo, February 13, 1912. 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, Northern Province, has appointed KAYITTAMPILLAI PHILIP to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Delft and of Marriages (General) of Delft division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for eighteen days from February 5, 1912, during the absence of Registrar, J. N. SANTRASEGARA, on leave. His office will be at Government bungalow at Delft Centre.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed RICHARD NAVARATNASINGAM LAWRENCE to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Varany and of Marriages (General) of Tenmaradchi division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from February 5, 1912, during the absence of Registrar, B. C. LAWRENCE, on leave. His office will be at Kakkarantantavalavu in Varany Idaikkurichchi.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed SATASIVAM KUMARASAMY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Punakary division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for ten days from February 5, 1912, during the absence of Registrar, N. SAMNATAR, on leave. His office will be at the residing garden of Registrar at Cheddiyakurichchy.

The Provincial Registrar, North-Central Province, has appointed SANDARASAKARAM NADARAJA SITTAMPALAM to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) in the Nuwaragam-palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for two weeks from February 5, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, S. SITTAMPALAM, on leave. His office will be at Bread street, Anuradhapura.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DON CAROLIS SAMARASINHA AMERASEKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kottawa division and of Marriages (General) of Palle pattu of Hewagam korale, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from February 1, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, DON CHARLES SAMARASINHA AMARASEKARA, on leave. His office will be at Godaparagahawatta in Kottawa, and station at Millagahawatta *alias* Bilibantuduwekanatta in Battaramulla.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed DON JOHN ABEYSINHA GUNAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udugaha North division and of Marriages (General) of Udugaha pattu of Hapitigam korale, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for thirty days from February 15, 1912, during the absence of

the Registrar, DON HENDRICK ABEYSINHA, on leave. His office will be at Ketakalagahawatta in Elapiliyawa.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed HETTIARACHCHIGE DON DIAS JAYASEKERA, Vidane Arachchi of Horawala, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Horawala division and of Marriages (General) of Iddagoda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from January 19, 1912, *vice* Registrar, D. F. W. GUNARATNA, retired. His office will be at Appuhamiyakanattewatta at Navuttuduwa.

The Notification dated January 23, 1912, and published in the *Gazette* No. 6,486 of January 26, 1912, is hereby cancelled so far as it affects this Registrar.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed VANITTAMPY MURUKAR to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Iluppaikkadavai division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for two weeks from February 2, 1912, during the absence of Registrar, C. KANTAIYA, on leave. His office will be at his house at Vitanaivalavu at Vellankulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed KUMARASINGE MUDALIYAR MARISALPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Nanaddan West and of Marriages (General) of Nanaddan division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for one week from February 9, 1912, during the absence of Registrar, P. LAWRENCEPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at Vitanaivalavu at Nanaddan.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed EDMUND ABEYSUNDARA JAYASEKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Galle Municipality division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two days from February 8, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, D. P. WIJETILAKA, on leave. His office will be at house called "Edwin Cottage" in Godellewatta in Minuwangoda.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DON DAVITH RANAWIRA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Gangaboda pattu and of Births and deaths of Godapitiya division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for seven days from February 5, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, DON DIAS SAMARASINHA EKANAIKE, on leave. His office will be at Kiruwalgodawatta in Balukawala.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed SAVIS ABRAHAM AMARADIVAKARA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale and of Births and Deaths of Denepitiya division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from February 14, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, JAMES DIAS WIJEKOON DISANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Dr. RICHARD SANTIAGO to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Puttalam town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for two weeks from February 4, 1912, during the absence of Dr. W. S. RATNAVALE, on leave. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Puttalam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed Mr. D. S. OBEYSEKERA to act as Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalpitiya town division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for two weeks from February 4, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, Dr. RICHARD SANTIAGO, on other duty. His office will be at the Outdoor Dispensary, Kalpitiya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kegalla, has appointed VIDANARALLAGE DINGIRI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandua pattuwa and of General Marriages of Paranakuru korale division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for twenty-eight days from January 19, 1912, during the absence of SENENAYAKARALLAGE MOHOTIAPPUHAMI, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

Registrar-General's Office, P. ARUNACHALAM,
Colombo, February 15, 1912. Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that the following by-law made by the District Sanitary Board of Jaffna, under sub-section (2) (r) of section 9 E of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, as amended by Ordinances Nos. 11 of 1900 and 30 of 1909, has been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 8, 1912.

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

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

All owners, tenants, or occupiers of lands within the limits of the small towns of Point Pedro, Valvedditturai, and Kayts, in the Revenue District of Jaffna, Northern Province, shall keep the same clean and free from all weeds or rank and noisome vegetation, as well as from all refuse and rubbish, and shall remove all vessels or receptacles likely to breed mosquitoes by retaining water.

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE, No. 24 OF 1889.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 7 of the above-named Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following Village Committee rule framed under the provisions of section 6 (8) of the said Ordinance by the Village Committee of the Chief Headman's division called Kolonna korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 8, 1912.

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

RULE REFERRED TO.

The owner or person having charge of any ox, horse, sheep, goat, or pig shall not allow the same to stray on any public thoroughfare.

IT is hereby notified that, under section 2 of the Ordinance No. 5 of 1910, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that the following medicinal preparations be added to the schedule to the said Ordinance under Proprietary Patent Medicines:—

Hill's Rheumatic and Gout Remedy,
Papine (Battle & Co.).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 14, 1912.

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

WITH reference to the Notification dated March 31, 1910, published in the *Gazette* of April 1, 1910, notice is hereby given, as required by the provisions of clause 23 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that His Excellency the Governor has, with the advice of the Executive Council, been pleased, as an act of grace, to order that the cancellation of the warrant of Mr. S. K. Vallipuramath as Notary Public of Vadamaradchi West, in the District of Jaffna, be revoked.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, February 13, 1912.

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

Ceylon Government Agricultural Scholarships.

SUPPLEMENTARY NOTIFICATION.

WITH reference to the Notification on the above subject, dated January 4, 1912, which appeared in the *Government Gazette* of January 12, 1912, it is further notified that His Excellency the Governor is prepared to consider applications for nomination from candidates within the prescribed age limits who have passed the Senior Cambridge Local Examination, provided that their career at school or subsequently shows them to possess special fitness for an agricultural training with a view to subsequent employment in Government service.

2. If any such candidate is selected for a scholarship, he will be required to pass the periodical College Examinations to the satisfaction of the College authorities, and to obtain at the end of his course the Diploma of the College.

3. Applications must be made on a form which will be supplied on application to the Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, January 31, 1912.

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

Comparative Statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon for the Quarter ended September 30, 1911.

REVENUE.

	Estimated.		Actual.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs	2,905,625	0	3,061,069	39	155,444	39	—	—
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues	688,462	0	692,488	53	4,026	53	—	—
3. License, Excise, and Internal Revenue not otherwise classified	2,412,063	0	2,538,474	64	126,411	64	—	—
4. Fees of Court or Office, Payment for Specific Services, and Reimbursements in Aid	408,100	0	487,930	55	79,830	55	—	—
5. Post and Telegraph	430,500	0	441,139	81	10,639	81	—	—
6. Government Railways	3,428,250	0	3,198,737	22	—	—	229,512	78
7. Interest	256,800	0	241,999	17	—	—	14,800	83
8. Miscellaneous Receipts	129,875	0	72,035	96	—	—	57,839	4
9. Land Revenue	108,150	0	103,833	64	—	—	4,316	36
Total exclusive of Land Sales	10,767,825	0	10,837,708	91	376,352	92	306,469	1
10. Land Sales	285,175	0	336,542	44	51,367	44	—	—
Grand Total	11,053,000	0	11,174,251	35	427,720	36	306,469	1
					Deduct Decrease	306,469	1	
					Nett Increase	121,251	35	

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated.		Actual.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Charges on account of Public Debt	1,071,533	0	744,988	63	—	—	326,544	37
2. Military Expenditure	455,432	0	419,630	83	—	—	35,801	14
3. Pensions	368,444	0	362,309	53	—	—	6,134	47
4. Exchange	84,275	0	85,202	0	927	0	—	—
5. Personal Emoluments	3,266,734	0	2,766,216	92	—	—	500,517	8
6. Other Charges	3,013,829	0	1,784,692	3	—	—	1,229,146	97
7. Miscellaneous Services	470,460	0	468,887	70	—	—	1,572	30
8. Public Works Annually Recurrent	779,425	0	554,094	5	—	—	225,330	46
9. Irrigation Works Annually Recurrent	36,150	0	1,425	57	—	—	34,724	43
10. Public Works Extraordinary	765,455	0	187,829	43	—	—	577,625	57
11. Irrigation Works Extraordinary	119,318	0	10,173	90	—	—	109,144	10
12. Railway Department Extraordinary	537,410	0	74,438	7	—	—	462,971	93
13. Works chargeable to Surplus Balances	1,535,086	0	739,139	79	—	—	795,946	21
Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue and Surplus Balances	12,503,561	0	8,199,028	97	927	0	4,305,459	3
14. Public Works Extraordinary chargeable to Loan Funds	1,773,271	0	860,133	41	—	—	913,137	59
Grand Total	14,276,832	0	9,059,162	38	927	0	5,218,596	62
					Deduct Increase	927	0	
					Nett Decrease	5,217,669	62	

Comparative Statement of the Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon for the Quarter ended September 30, 1910 and 1911.

REVENUE.

	1910.		1911.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs	2,765,804	15	3,061,069	39	295,265	24	—	—
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues	683,000	57	692,488	53	9,487	96	—	—
3. Licenses, Excise, and Internal Revenue not otherwise classified	2,447,165	73	2,538,474	64	91,308	91	—	—
4. Fees of Court or Office, Payment for Specific Services, and Reimbursements in Aid	307,323	66	487,930	55	180,606	89	—	—
5. Post and Telegraph	543,434	4	441,139	81	—	—	102,294	23
6. Government Railways	3,277,042	71	3,198,737	22	—	—	78,305	49
7. Interest	404,389	35	241,999	17	—	—	162,390	18
8. Miscellaneous Receipts	49,543	91	72,035	96	22,492	5	—	—
9. Land Revenue	126,311	81	103,833	64	—	—	22,478	17
Total exclusive of Land Sales	10,604,015	93	10,837,708	91	599,161	5	365,468	7
10. Land Sales	344,812	6	336,542	44	—	—	8,269	62
Grand Total	10,948,827	99	11,174,251	35	599,161	5	373,737	69
					Deduct Decrease	373,737	69	
					Nett Increase	225,423	36	

EXPENDITURE.

	1910.		1911.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Charges on account of Public Debt	1,181,736	40	744,988	63	—	—	436,747	77
2. Military Expenditure	253,971	60	419,630	86	165,659	26	—	—
3. Pensions	337,367	40	362,309	53	24,942	13	—	—
4. Exchange	86,345	53	85,202	0	—	—	1,143	53
5. Personal Emoluments	3,183,690	7	2,766,216	92	—	—	417,473	15
6. Other Charges	2,347,248	29	1,784,692	3	—	—	562,556	26
7. Miscellaneous Services	83,699	85	468,887	70	385,187	85	—	—
8. Public Works Annually Recurrent	759,308	76	554,094	54	—	—	205,214	22
9. Irrigation Annually Recurrent	26,668	50	1,425	57	—	—	25,242	93
10. Public Works Extraordinary	360,250	29	187,829	43	—	—	172,420	86
11. Irrigation Extraordinary	82,011	37	10,173	90	—	—	71,837	47
12. Railway Department Extraordinary Works	260,118	22	74,438	7	—	—	185,680	15
13. Works chargeable to Surplus Balances	844,971	55	739,139	79	—	—	105,831	76
Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue and Surplus Balances	9,807,387	83	8,199,028	97	575,789	24	2,184,148	10
14. Public Works Extraordinary, chargeable to Loan Funds	—	—	860,133	41	860,133	41	—	—
Grand Total	9,807,387	83	9,059,162	38	1,435,922	65	2,184,148	10
					Deduct Increase	1,435,922	65	
					Nett Decrease	748,225	45	

General Treasury,
Colombo, December 30, 1911.

BERNARD SENIOR,
Colonial Treasurer.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE

LIABILITIES.		Amount.		Total.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Deposits.</i>					
Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund	..	6,247,067	43		
Postmaster-General's Account	..	30,718	51		
Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association	..	885	36		
Public Service Mutual Provident Association	..	3,286	41		
Currency Depreciation Fund	..	5,279	42		
Ceylon Savings Bank Account	..	14,209	51		
New Currency Account	..	199,223	44		
Branch Road Assessment Account	..	26,518	59½		
Commutation Road Ordinance Account	..	150,738	83		
Land Settlement Account	..	241,421	31		
Local Kachcheries	..	2,529,564	29½		
Treasurer { Sutors	..	Rs. 201,399	81¾		
{ Miscellaneous	..	613,286	82½		
				814,686	64½
				10,263,599 75½	
<i>Drafts Unpaid.</i>					
Treasury and Local Kachcheries	..	274,915	15		
Family remittances	..	2,694	50		
				277,609 65	
<i>Due to Governments and Agencies.</i>					
Government of India	..	256,966	86		
His Majesty's Government	..	1,210	16		
Government of Mauritius	..	4	0		
Agents, Calcutta	..	27,227	45		
Agents, Bombay	..	51	98		
				285,460 45	
Sinking Fund on Local Loans	..	—		131,896 98	
Sinking Fund on Loans to Colombo Municipal Council	..				
Drainage Works	..	—		111,143 24	
Surplus	..	—		26,178,557 16½	

Rs. 37,248,267 24

COLONY OF CEYLON ON SEPTEMBER 30, 1911.

ASSETS	Amount. Rs. c.	Total. Rs. c.
<i>Cash.</i>		
Treasurer	1,842,174 24	
Government Agents and their Assistants .. .	1,676,870 2	
Fixed Deposits in Banks	2,000,000 0	
Crown Agents, Deposit Account	2,445,000 0	
Crown Agents, Current Account	105,593 71	
	<hr/>	8,069,637 97
<i>Investments.</i>		
Indian Government 3½ per cent. Paper	4,086,046 82	
Ceylon 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock	1,186,998 94	
Colonial Stock	57,496 11	
By Crown Agents (temporary) on account Surplus Funds .. .	10,043,328 7	
	<hr/>	15,373,869 94
<i>Loans to Local Bodies.</i>		
Pettah Library	13,160 0	
Kandy Industrial School	13,821 98	
Kandy Municipal Council	252,140 66	
Galle Municipal Council	249,506 13	
Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya	181,717 54	
Board of Health, Central Province	26,786 0	
Do. Province of Sabaragamuwa	8,300 0	
Do. Province of Uva	4,000 0	
Do. Ambalangoda	6,000 0	
Do. Talawakele	12,500 0	
Local Board, Batticaloa	13,200 0	
Do. Badulla	22,745 84	
Do. Bandarawela	53,090 5	
Do. Chilaw	12,750 0	
Do. Gampola	26,840 0	
Do. Hatton	14,900 0	
Do. Kegalla	8,000 0	
Do. Kurunegala	18,666 66	
Do. Matale	13,050 0	
Do. Nawalapitiya	16,179 6	
Do. Puttalam	25,250 0	
Do. Trincomalee	24,500 0	
Do. Ratnapura	14,500 0	
Do. Moratuwa	35,000 0	
Do. Anuradhapura	8,000 0	
Sanitary Board, Gampaha	500 0	
	<hr/>	1,075,103 92
<i>Due by Governments and Agencies.</i>		
Straits Government	2,658 8	
Federated Malay States Government Account	10,626 86	
Government of Fiji	312 50	
	<hr/>	13,597 44
<i>Advances.</i>		
Colombo Drainage Works	7,573,908 10	
Public Officers	10,140 88	
Heads of Departments	1,523,172 2	
	<hr/>	9,107,221 0
Remittances in transit to Local Kachcheries	29,971 27	
Value of stores in hand	3,335,845 57	
Investments, Sinking Fund Local Loan	131,896 98	
Do. do. Colombo Drainage Works Loan	111,115 27	
uspense Account	7 88	
	<hr/>	Rs. 37,248,267 24

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

SEPARATE Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one year commencing from July 1, 1912, and terminating on June 30, 1913.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of provisions to the _____ Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on February 20, 1912.

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

6. A cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract. No deposits will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security according to the schedule hereunder, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

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

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

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

F. G. MORLEY,
for Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, January 30, 1912.

Schedule referred to.

Name of Institution.	Nature of Diet Supplies.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Avisawella Hospital ..	Cooked with milk ..	200	400
Balapitiya Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Batticaloa Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Deniyaya Hospital ..	do. ..	200	400
Hambantota Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Kalmunai Hospital ..	do. ..	200	400
Maha-oya Hospital ..	do. ..	50	100
Mannar Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Mantota Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Matara Hospital ..	do. ..	200	400
Mullaittivu Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Negombo Hospital ..	do. ..	200	400
Panadure Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Point Pedro Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Tangalla Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Trincomalee Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Vavuniya Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200
Wathupitiwala Hospital ..	do. ..	100	200

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Colombo, February 5, 1912.

F. G. MORLEY,
for Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Schedule referred to.

Name of Institution.	Nature of Diet supplies.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Anuradhapura ..	.. Cooked with milk ..	200 ..	400
Balangoda ..	.. do. ..	400 ..	800
Buttala ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Chilaw ..	.. do. ..	100 ..	200
Dandegamuwa ..	.. do. ..	100 ..	200
Karawanella ..	.. do. ..	500 ..	1,000
Kegalla ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Kolonna ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Kurunegala ..	.. do. ..	500 ..	1,000
Lunugala ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Marawila ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Medagama ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Moneragala ..	.. do. ..	100 ..	200
Nikaweratiya ..	.. do. ..	100 ..	200
Puttalam ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Rakwana ..	.. do. ..	300 ..	600
Ratnapura ..	.. do. ..	300 ..	600

SEPARATE Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one year commencing from July 1, 1912, and terminating on June 30, 1913.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of provisions to the ——— Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 5, 1912.

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

6. A cash deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract. No deposits will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

8. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish cash security according to the schedule hereunder, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the security.

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

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

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

Colombo, February 12, 1912.

F. G. MORLEY,
for Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Schedule referred to.

Name of Institution.	Nature of Diet Supplies.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Alutnuwara Hospital ..	.. Uncooked with milk ..	100 ..	200
Badulla Hospital ..	.. Cooked without milk ..	300 ..	600
Galle Hospitals ..	.. do. ..	400 ..	800
Haputale Hospital ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Jaffna Hospital ..	.. Cooked with milk ..	200 ..	400
Kalutara Hospital ..	.. Cooked without milk ..	200 ..	400
Kandy Hospitals ..	.. Cooked with/without milk ..	500 ..	1,000
Moratuwa Hospital ..	.. Cooked with milk ..	100 ..	200
Neboda Hospital ..	.. do. ..	200 ..	400
Nuwara Eliya Hospitals ..	.. Uncooked provisions for the Baker Ward, and cooked provisions for the remaining wards, without milk ..	250 ..	500

TENDERS are hereby invited for the period of one year, commencing from July 1, 1912, and terminating on June 30, 1913, for the under-mentioned services:—

(1) The conveyance of soiled linen from certain hospitals and other institutions in Colombo to the Welikada Jail and back; (2) the supply of a bull and driver for the cart conveying the dead from the hospitals and other institutions in Colombo and the Ceylon Medical College to the General Cemetery; (3) for the supply of a bull and driver for the cart kept at the Lady Havelock Hospital for the conveyance of lepers from any place in Colombo to the Leper Asylum at Hendala; and (4) for the supply of bull, driver, and cart for the conveyance of patients from the General Hospital, Colombo, to the Maradana Railway Station.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for certain Miscellaneous Services in Colombo" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer not later than midday on March 5, 1912.

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

6. A cash deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish the approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract. No cash deposits will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

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

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

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

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

F. G. MORLEY,

for Principal Civil Medical Officer and
Colombo, February 14, 1912. Inspector-General of Hospitals.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of good drinking water for twelve months from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, to the Galle Prison.

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

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Water for Galle Prison" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 10 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized represen-

tative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

6. Cash security of Rs. 100 will be required from the successful tenderer for the due fulfilment of each contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 4.

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

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

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

A. DE WILTON, Major,

January 24, 1912.

Inspector-General of Prisons.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks to the Upper District of the Railway from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, as per under-mentioned specification, viz.:—

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

The quantity of bricks required at various centres will be about as follows:—

40,000 per month at or near Katugastota Railway Station.
20,000 per month at or near Wattagama Railway Station.
20,000 per month at or near Kandy Railway Station.
75,000 per month at or near Gampola Railway Station.

Each tenderer must specify in his tender the minimum number he is prepared to supply, and at what station or place the bricks are to be supplied.

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

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of Bricks to the Upper District of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 27, 1912.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

General Manager's Office, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, January 30, 1912. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks to the Lower District of the Railway from persons willing to contract from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, to be delivered at any place within the gravets of Colombo, as required by the Railway Department, and to be as per under-mentioned specification, viz.:

Bricks.—To be the best stock bricks, size 8½ in. by 4½ in. by 2 in.; sound, clean cut, hard, and well burned, of uniform size and shape to standard sample, which may be seen at the Office of the Railway Storekeeper.

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

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of Bricks to the Lower District of the Railway" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, February 27, 1912.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

14. Before tender forms are supplied to persons wishing to tender, they will have to satisfy the General Manager or

person delegated by him that they are in a position to execute the contract in a satisfactory manner, and for this purpose they must be prepared to produce documentary or other evidence if called for.

General Manager's Office, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, January 30, 1912. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for loading and unloading of goods at Ratnapura 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.

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 loading and unloading of Goods at Ratnapura 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, March 5, 1912.

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

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

7. The 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.

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

10. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders 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.

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

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

General Manager's Office, G. P. GREENE,
Colombo, February 14, 1912. General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for loading and unloading of goods at Dehiowita, Karawanella, and Yatiyantota Goods Sheds 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.

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for Loading and Unloading of Goods at Dehiowita, Karawanella, and Yatiyantota Goods Sheds" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, March 5, 1912.

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

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

7. The 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. 500.

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

10. All alterations or erasures in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderers, otherwise the tenders 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. Times will be inflicted for delays in complying with orders.

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

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

General Manager's Office,
Colombo, February 13, 1912.

G. P. GREENE,
General Manager.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, for the following districts:—Kandy, Katugastota, Matale, Pussellawa, Nuwara Eliya, Dimbula, and Dikoya, in the Central Province.

List of Materials.

Bricks, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Tiles, Kandyan, flat, 10 in. by 6 in., per 1,000.
Tiles, half-round, 15 in. long, per 1,000.
Lime, slaked, well burnt, and free from particles of stone, per bushel.
Lime, boiled, best, per bushel.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, Central Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy, not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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, Central Province, Kandy, 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, 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. 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, Central Province, Kandy.

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. 100 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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.

C. A. LOVEGROVE,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, February 1, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, for the use of the Public Works Department in the Province of Uva. Materials should be delivered at the following places, viz. :—

Badulla District.

Badulla, Taldena, Bandarawela, Welimada, and Namunukula.

Koslanda District.

Koslanda, Haldummulla, Wellawaya, and Muppane.

Passara District.

Passara, Namunukula, Bibile, Alutnuwara, and Medagama.

Diyatalawa District.

Diyatalawa and Haputale.

List of Materials.

Baskets, rattan, per 100.
Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Glass panes, per square foot.
Lime, slaked, per bushel.
Lime, unslaked, per bushel.
Lime, boiled, per bushel.
Tiles, half-round, for roof, per 1,000.
Sheep skin per pound.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, Province of Uva, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, not later than midday on March 12, 1912 :—

Basket, rattan.
Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.
Tiles, half-round, for roof.

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, Province of Uva, Badulla, 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, 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. 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, Province of Uva, Badulla.

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. 100 in respect of each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Province of Uva, Badulla, 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.

C. A. LOVEGROVE,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, February 1, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts:—

Galle District.

Delivered within the Municipality of Galle.

Matara District.

Delivered within the Local Board limits of Matara.

Hambantota District.

Delivered in the town of Hambantota.

List of Materials.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Bricks, paving, 12 in. by 12 in. by 1½ in., per 1,000.
Lime, slaked, per bushel of 42 lb.
Lime boiled, per bushel of 92 lb.
Tiles, half-round, 14 in., for roof slopes, per 1,000.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, Southern Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, not later than midday on March 12, 1912:—

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.
Bricks, paving, 12 in. by 12 in. by 1½ in.
Tiles, half-round, 14 in., for roof slopes.

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, 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.

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 failed 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, 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. 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.

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. 200 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.

C. A. LOVEGROVE,
for Director of Public Works.
Public Works Department,
Colombo, February 1, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials to the Public Works Department, Province of Sabaragamuwa, from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, the places of delivery being the Public Works Department Stores, Ratnapura, Avisawella, and Ambanpitiya:—

List of Materials.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Charcoal, per bushel.
Coconut oil, per gallon.
Lime, boiled, per bushel.
Lime, slaked, per bushel.
Tiles, 15 in., half-round, per 1,000.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, Province of Sabaragamuwa, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 bricks and tiles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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, Province of Sabaragamuwa, 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 failed 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, 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. 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, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura.

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. 100 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, 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.

C. A. LOVEGROVE,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, February 1, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts:—

Kurunegala District.

Within the town of Kurunegala.
Within the Departmental District of Kurunegala.

Puttalam District.

Within the town of Puttalam.
Within the Departmental District of Puttalam.

Chilaw District.

Within the town of Chilaw.
Within the Departmental District of Chilaw.

Dandugama District.

Within the town of Dandugama.
Within the Departmental District of Dandugama.

List of Materials.

Bags, gunny, old, each.
Baskets, rattan, small, each.
Bricks, per 1,000.
Lime, boiled, per bushel.
Lime, slaked, per bushel.
Tiles, half-round, per 1,000.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, North-Western Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, not later than midday on March 12, 1912:—

Baskets, rattan, small.
Bags, gunny, old.
Bricks.
Tiles, half-round.

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

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

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

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

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 150 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

C. A. LOVEGROVE,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,
Colombo, February 1, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supply of best Bengal steam coal and best Bengal foundry coke to the Government Factory from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913.

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 the supply of Coal and Coke to Government Factory" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be sent to the Government Factory for testing not later than midday on February 28, 1912:—Ten hundred-weight coal and ten hundredweight coke.

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

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, 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. 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 Factory Engineer.

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. 100 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Factory Engineer 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, February 12, 1912. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supply of firewood to the Government Factory and the Printing Office, Colombo, from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913.

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 Firewood to Government Factory and the Printing Office" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday, March 12, 1912.

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. The firewood for the Government Printing Office must be supplied, weighed, and stacked in quantities to be directed from time to time by the Government Printer. All wood delivered there must be sound, dry, and fairly hard, and straight, and in billets from 3 ft. to 5 ft. in length, and not less than 6 in. or more than 20 in. in girth.

6. The firewood for the Government Factory must be weighed on the weighbridge and delivered stacked. The same may be delivered on any working day at any time during working hours, in any quantity not exceeding 2,000 cwt. at a time, as required by the Factory Engineer. All wood supplied to the Factory must be sound, dry, and fairly hard, and straight, and not more than 30 in. or less than 9 in. in girth. A separate rate must be given for supplying at the Wharf or the Government Factory dry firewood of good quality in billets not exceeding 18 in. in girth and 18 in. in length.

7. Firewood cut in 2 ft. lengths and 18 in. to 25 in. in girth to be delivered to any office of the Public Works Department within the gravets of Colombo.

8. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Director of Public Works, 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.

9. 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, 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. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

10. Specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Factory Engineer.

11. 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 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by Factory Engineer that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

12. A sum of Rs. 50 will have to be deposited by the contractor, and also firewood to the value of Rs. 100 of the quality and dimensions above-mentioned, as to be supplied to the Government Factory, will have to be kept in deposit

in the Factory yard as security, which quantity will be paid for as last payment for the year, provided that the contract is duly fulfilled during the year.

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

T. H. CHAPMAN,
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, February 12, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, for the following districts:—Jaffna, Pallai, and Vavuniya in the Northern Province:—

List of Materials.

Coir string, per cwt.
Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., per 100.
Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., per 100.
Baskets, ola, water, each.
Lime made from coral chips, per bushel.
Lime, shell, per bushel.
Charcoal, per bushel.
Mango planks, 1 in., 1½ in., and 1¾ in. finished thickness.
Margosa planks, 1 in., 1½ in., and 1¾ in. finished thickness.
Jak planks, 1 in., 1½ in., and 1¾ in. finished thickness.
Palmyra rafters, 3 of a tree, dressed, per lineal foot.
Palmyra reepers, 2 in. by 1 in., dressed, per 100 of 12 ft.
Palmyra reepers, 2 in. by 1 in., undressed, per 100 of 12 ft.
Palu reepers, 2 in. by 1 in., per 100 of 12 ft.
Cadjan, not less than 8 ft. by 18 in., per 100.
Bags, gunny, each.

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 Materials, Northern Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, not later than midday on March 12, 1912:—

Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
Baskets, ola, water, each.
Lime made from coral chips.
Lime, shell.
Coir, string.
Bags, gunny.

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, 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. 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. 100 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.

T. H. CHAPMAN,

Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.
Colombo, February 12, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912 to June 30, 1913, for Mannar District in the Northern Province:—

List of Materials.

- Baskets, naar, round, 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., each.
Baskets, ola, 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., each.
Baskets, ola, water, each.
Bricks, best, burnt, country, 8½ in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in., per 1,000.
Bricks, best, burnt, country, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Coral stones, rough, not less than 1 ft. by 1 ft. by 6 in., per cube.
Coral stones, dressed, not less than 9 in. by 1 ft. by 6 in., per cube.
Rubble stones, 1 ft. by 3 in. by 2 in. to 1 in. by 6 in. by 6 in., per cube.
Lime, slaked, burnt, from coral chips, per bushel.
Lime, unslaked, burnt, from coral chips, per bushel.
Lime, boiled, best, shell, per bushel.
Sand pit, per bushel.
Palmyra rafters, 3 of a tree, dressed, per lineal foot, 12 ft. long.
Palmyra reepers, 2 in. by 1 in., dressed, per 100 of 12 ft.
Palmyra reepers, 1 in. by 1 in., dressed, per 100 of 12 ft.
Palmyra reepers, 2 in. by 1 in., undressed, per 100 of 12 ft.
Palmyra reepers, 1 in. by 1 in., undressed, per 100 of 12 ft.
Palmyra stalks or maddies, per 100.
Palmyra olas with stalks, per 100.
Palmyra, dressed, bridge planks, 3 of a tree, not less than 14 ft., per lineal foot.
Palmyra, dressed, bridge planks, 2 of a tree, not less than 14 ft., per lineal foot.
Mango planks ½ in., finished thickness, per superficial foot.
Mango planks, 1 in. do.
Mango planks, 1½ in. do.
Mango planks, 1½ in. do.
Jak planks, ½ in. do.
Jak planks, 1 in. do.
Jak planks, 1½ in. do.
Jak planks, 1½ in. do.
Jakwood scantlings, 2 in. by 2 in. up to 7 in. by 8 in., 15 ft. long, per cubic foot.
Palu or other hard wood, 2 in. by 2 in. up to 7 in. by 8 in., 15 ft. long, per cubic foot.
Palu or other hard wood bridge planks, 14 ft. 6 in. by 6 in. by 4 in.
Cadjans, not less than 8 ft. by 18 in., per 100.
Coir string, per cwt.
Charcoal, per bushel.
Kerosine oil, per gallon.
Gunny bags, old, each.
Gunny bags, new, each.
Coconut oil, per gallon.

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 Materials, Northern Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, not later than midday on March 12, 1912:—

- Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
Lime made from coral chips.
Lime, shell.

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, 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. 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. 100 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 Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, February 12, 1912. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for supplying the under-mentioned materials to be delivered at the Public Works Department Yards, Batticaloa, Kalmunai, and Trincomalee, from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913:—

- Baskets, ola, not under 12 in., by 12 in. by 8 in. each (for Trincomalee only).
Baskets, rattan, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep, each (for Trincomalee only).
Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Lime, boiled, per bushel.
Lime, slaked and screened, per bushel.
Tiles, half-round, 10 in., per 1,000.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, Eastern Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, not later than midday on March 12, 1912:—

- Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
Baskets, rattan, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep.
Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.
Tiles, half-round, 10 in.

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, 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. 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, Batticaloa.

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. 100 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 Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, February 12, 1912. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, for the use of the Public Works Department in the following districts:—

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Anuradhapura.

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Mihintale.

Delivered at the Public Works Department Store, Maradankadawala.

List of Materials.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.
Lime, slaked, per bushel of 42 lb.
Lime, boiled, per bushel of 92 lb.
Tiles, half-round, 10 in., per 1,000.
Cadjans, double, 7 ft. long, per 100.
Mats, ola, common, each.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, North-Central Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Central Province, not later than midday on March 12, 1912:—

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.
Tiles, half-round, 10 in.
Mats, ola, common.

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

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, North-Central

Province, Anuradhapura, 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, 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. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

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

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. 50 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, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, February 12, 1912. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the under-mentioned materials from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913, for the use of the Public Works Department, Western Province, in the following districts:—

Negombo District.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard, Negombo.

List of Materials.

Bags, gunny, 2nd quality, per 100.
Bricks, local, 9 in. by 4 in. by 2½ in., per 1,000.
Coconut slabs, per 100 lin. ft.
Coconut-beams, per 100 lin. ft.
Coconut planks, per 100 lin. ft.
Lime, boiled, per bushel.
Lime, slaked, per bushel.
Planks, halmilla, 2 in., per sq. ft.
Planks, jakwood, 1 in. and 1½ in., per sq. ft.
Planks, milla, 2 in. and 2½ in., per sq. ft.
Tiles, half-round, per 1,000.

Kalutara District.

To be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard, Kalutara.

List of Materials.

Bricks, local, 8½ in. by 4½ in. by 2½ in., per 1,000.
Lime, boiled, per bushel.
Lime, slaked, per bushel.
Tiles, half-round, per 1,000.

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 Materials, Public Works Department, Western Province, 1912-1913," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on March 12, 1912.

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 following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, not later than midday on March 12, 1912:—

Bricks, local, 9 in. by 4 in. by 2½ in.
Tiles, half-round.

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

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, 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. 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, Western Province, Colombo.

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. 50 for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Western Province, Colombo, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

Public Works Office, T. H. CHAPMAN,
Colombo, February 12, 1912. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS for the supply of hora timber to the Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extensions, during 1912.

Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of the following hora timber, more or less, to the Chief Construction Engineer, Railway Extensions, from the forests called Suduwelikanda, Ellaudamukalana, Halgahahena, Molamuramukalana, in Kuruwiti korale, Ketagilla forest in Beligal korale, Talawitiya forest in Kuruwiti korale, and other forests in the Province of Sabaragamuwa that may be mentioned by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, within two months from date of contract :—

- 1,200 runners, 14 ft. by 9 in. by 2 in.
- 400 walings, 12 ft. by 9 in. by 4 in.
- 300 struts, 19 ft. 6 in. by 9 in. by 5 in.
- 200 uprights, 3 ft. 6 in. by 9 in. by 3 in.
- 400 round piles, 22 ft. long or over and of minimum diameter of 10 in.

Delivery to be made at the Chief Construction Engineer's Stores, Colombo, or at a Railway Station.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed and addressed to the Chairman, Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo. They should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue, or be sent to him through the post.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of Hora Timber" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not alter than midday on Tuesday, February 27, 1912.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at a 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 or bond, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, Ratnapura, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 4.

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

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

G. D. TEMPLER,
Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Ratnapura, January 26, 1912.

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

To remove from the shore, load, and ship 125 satinwood logs (more or less) from the Batticaloa Bar, Batticaloa District, and to deliver them to the Central Timber Depot cart contractor at the landing jetty in Colombo in sound condition. The work to be completed within three and a half months from the date of signing the contract.

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 Shipment of Timber" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than 12 noon on Tuesday, March 5, 1912.

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. C. C. MIDDLETON,
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Batticaloa, February 5, 1912. Batticaloa Division.

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

To remove from the shore, load, and ship 50 ranai and 20 milla logs (more or less) from the Arugam Bay in Akkarai pattu range, Batticaloa District, and to deliver them to the Central Timber Depot cart contractor at the landing jetty in Colombo in sound condition. The work to be completed within two months from the date of signing the contract.

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

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

4. Tendere should be marked "Tender for Shipment of Timber" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Batticaloa, not later than 4 P.M. on Thursday, March 7, 1912.

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 deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

J. C. C. MIDDLETON,

Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Batticaloa, February 5, 1912. Batticaloa Division.

TENDERS are invited for the transport and usual stacking of 6,000 broad gauge sleepers described in the annexed schedule.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the Transport of Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, March 12, 1912.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Kurunegala, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Kurunegala Division, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given,

engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of 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, February 1, 1912. Kurunegala Division.

SCHEDULE.

To transport by boat along the canal 6,000 broad gauge sleepers from the Chilaw lake shore, and delivered at the railway crossing of the Maha-oya, duly stacked within two months from the date of signing the agreement at the rate of 3,000 per month.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services described in the schedule annexed, and for convenience divided into nine parts: (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), and (i).

2. Each service may be tendered for separately.

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

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for felling and delivering of 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 Tuesday, March 5, 1912.

6. 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.

7. 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 Assistant Conservator of Forests, 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. Five per cent. of the estimated total sum which will have to be paid for the work must be deposited as security for the due fulfilment of the contract before it is signed. A rate per cubic foot of timber delivered must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

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

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

J. C. C. MIDDLETON,

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Batticaloa, February 6, 1912. Batticaloa Division.

SCHEDULE.

(a) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 150 satin-wood trees (more or less) in Godatalawa forest, in Maha-oya range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Batticaloa Bar, a distance of about 49 miles. This service must be completed within six months from the date of signing the contract.

(b) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 25 teak trees (more or less) in Puluganawa and Adachakal teak plantations, in Maha-oya range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Batticaloa Bar, a distance of about 29 miles. This service must be completed within 2½ months from the date of signing the contract.

(c) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 10 tum-pala trees in Bandarativu forest, in Maha-oya range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Batticaloa Bar, a distance of about 42 miles. This service must be completed within 2½ months from the date of signing the contract.

(d) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 25 palai and 25 ranai trees (more or less) in Maruthankenikadu, in Vakaneri range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Panichchankeni outbay depôt, a distance of about 12 miles. This service must be completed within three months of signing the contract.

(e) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 10 mi and 10 margosa trees in Kirimechchiya forest and Korala proposed reserved forest in Vakaneri range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Mankerni outbay depôt, a distance of about 20 miles. The service must be completed within 2½ months of signing the contract.

(f) For felling, barking, logging and squaring 75 ranai trees (more or less) near the eastern boundary of Kumbukkan proposed reserved forest in Akkarai pattu range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Arugam Bay outbay depôt, a distance of about 20 miles. The service must be completed within four months of signing the contract.

(g) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 50 halmilla trees (more or less) in the northern portion of the Kumbukkan proposed reserved forest in Akkarai pattu range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Arugam Bay outbay depot, a distance of about 24 miles. This service must be completed within four months of signing the contract.

(h) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 25 milla trees (more or less) in Karanda-oya forest in Panama pattu, Akkarai pattu range, Batticaloa District, and for transporting and delivering the same at the Arugam Bay outbay depôt, a distance of about 18 miles. This service must be completed within three months of signing the contract.

(i) For felling, barking, logging, and squaring 50 ranai and 10 hulanhik trees (more or less) in Mahaweli-ganga forest, in Mutur range, Trincomalee District, and for transporting and delivering the same at Trincomalee, a distance of about 33 miles. This service must be completed within four months of signing the contract.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for weighing and transporting Salt for Purchasers," will be received by the Government Agent, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, up to 12 noon on March 4, 1912, from persons willing to contract for the service of weighing and delivering such salt as the Assistant Government Agent desires to be weighed and delivered at the Puttalam salt depôts to carts and boats (1) from March 1, 1912, up to March 1, 1913, (2) from March 1, 1912, up to March 1, 1914.

Tenderers will note the following requirements:—

1. Tenderers should specify the rate per 1,000 cwt. for weighing and transporting the same into boats and carts separately.
2. They should be prepared to weigh and transport 2,000 cwt. daily, employing a sufficient number of coolies and carts for this purpose.

3. Each tenderer must deposit a sum of Rs. 100 in any Kachcheri in the Island or the General Treasury and attach the deposit receipt to the original tender 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 fails to furnish certified security in Rs. 1,000 for the due fulfilment of the contract. Unforfeited deposits will be returned to the tenderer.

4. Each tenderer must name an address, where all letters or notices may be served on or left for him.

5. A letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become surety for the due fulfilment of the contract, should accompany the tender.

6. Every alteration in the tender should be initialled by the tenderer.

7. A duplicate 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 Government Agent, North-Western Province, Kurunegala.

8. Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, or to accept any part of a tender.

Kurunegala Kachcheri,
February 7, 1912.

W. E. THORPE,
Government Agent.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for transporting and weighing Salt into Government Stores, Puttalam," will be received by the Government Agent, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, up to 12 noon on March 4, 1912, 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, Kombumunai, Pachchakattimundal, and Palavi, and weighing and storing the same in the salt depôts of Puttalam, viz.:—

	Cwt.
1. Puttalam East ..	102,400
2. Puttalam West ..	85,700
3. { Tillayadi .. } { Kombimunai .. } { Pachchakattimundal .. }	101,300
4. Palavi ..	70,900

Tenderers may tender in respect of all or any of the above groups of salterns.

Tenderers will note the following requirements:—

1. They should specify the rates per 1,000 cwt. for transporting the salt in sacks with mouths tied and weighing and storing the same. The tenderers should quote separately the rates for transporting salt from each saltern or group of salterns as specified above.

2. The tenderer, if accepted for the whole service, must bring in, weigh, and deliver 1,450 cwt. per diem; or if for a portion, a less quantity to be fixed by the Government Agent, North-Western Province. 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, Puttalam.

3. Work to commence about March 15, 1912.

4. Each tenderer must deposit a sum of Rs. 100 in any Kachcheri in the Island or the General Treasury and attach deposit receipt to the original tender 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 fails to furnish the necessary security. Unforfeited deposits will be returned to the tenderer.

5. Certified security should be furnished in Rs. 1,000 by a tenderer entrusted with the whole contract. If entrusted with only a portion, the security will be reduced at the discretion of the Government Agent, North-Western Province.

6. Tenderer must name an address where all letters or notices may be served on or left for him.

7. 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.

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

9. 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 Government Agent, North-Western Province, Kurunegala.

10. Crown Counsel's fees for settling bond and contract must 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.

12. Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, or to accept any part of a tender.

Kurunegala Kachcheri,
February 7, 1912.

W. E. THORPE,
Government Agent.

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

LIST of unclaimed articles found in postal packets received at the Returned Letter Office during the quarter ended September 30, 1911, to be sold by public auction at the General Post Office on Friday, February 23, 1912, at 2.30 P.M. :—

1 lot Tamil books	1 Cannanore suit
1 lot Sinhalese books	1 pair boots
2 pieces cloth	1 pair doylis
2 selai cloths	2 scapulars
3 rosaries	1 lot medals
1 pair slipper patterns	1 lot tobacco leaves
1 pair bicycle tyres	12 brass thimbles
1 tiepin	1 metal crucifix
1 leather watch guard	5 pencil erasures
1 measuring tape, 1 button, and 1 brass screw	1 paper cutter
1 lot cigars	2 cloaks, 1 cloth, and 1 towel
1 tortoise-shell hairpin	1 lot illustrated papers
1 metal wrist watch	1 lot old papers
1 mouth organ	1 lot cut samples
3 pieces cloth	1 lot sundries
10 razors, 2 pairs scissors, and 2 pairs nail scissors	

General Post Office, Colombo, February 14, 1912. W. C. MACREADY,
for Postmaster-General.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Pussellawa, on Saturday, March 16, 1912, at 1 P.M. :—

16 empty tar barrels
5 casks, wooden

88 cans, iron, and drums
4 cans, tin
1 centering of 10 ft. arched bridge, 9 ribs
3 kegs

Public Works Office, Colombo, February 7, 1912. T. H. CHAPMAN,
for Director of Public Works.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles of the Colombo Kachcheri will be sold by public auction on Saturday, February 17, 1912, at 2.30 P.M. at the Kachcheri premises :—

3 boxes, latrine	4 inkstands
1 box, colour	5 matting, coir (pieces for staircase)
2 boards, notice	2 shelves
1 brush, colour	4 spittoons
1 bell, call	1 plough
1 bell, bicycle	63 frames, teakwood
6 buckets, galvanized	
2 crates	

Colombo Kachcheri, February 13, 1912. C. W. BICKMORE,
for Government Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Mutwal Jail Gate at 11 A.M. on Wednesday, February 21, 1912 :—

8 bed cots, wooden	2 pounder, rice, wooden
8 belts, leather	2 trays, rice, wooden
13 bowls, enamelled	1 tub, water carrying
1 chair, arm	5 stools, wooden, small

Mutwal Prison, February 14, 1912. W. PHILLIPS,
Superintendent.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended February 10, 1912.

Births.—The total births registered were 113 (1 European, 9 Burghers, 67 Sinhalese, 17 Tamils, 11 Moors, 6 Malays, and 2 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1912, viz., 223,353) was 26.4, as against 19.2 in the preceding week, 29.3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 26.0 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 137 (0 Europeans, 8 Burghers, 78 Sinhalese, 22 Tamils, 21 Moors, 4 Malays, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 32.1, as against 29.5 in the previous week, 30.3 in the corresponding week of last year, and 35.2 the weekly average of last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 137 total deaths, 27 were of infants under one year of age, as against 32 in the preceding week, 30 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 32 the average of last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 9.

Selected Causes of Death.—Eighteen deaths were registered from *Pneumonia* (against 14 in the previous week and 18 the weekly average for last year), of which 5 each were in Kotahena, Maradana hospitals and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 in New Bazaar, and 1 in Kollupitiya. Five deaths were registered from *Bronchitis*.

2. Fifteen deaths were registered from *Phthisis* (against 12 in the previous week and 14 the weekly average for last year), of which 4 were in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 each in St. Paul's, Maradana hospitals, and Slave Island, and 1 each in Pettah, St. Sebastian, Kotahena, New Bazaar and Kollupitiya.

3. Eleven deaths were registered from *Enteric Fever* (against 9 in the previous week and 8 the weekly average for last year), of which 3 were in Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 each in Kotahena and Wellawatta, and 1 each in St. Sebastian, St. Paul's, New Bazaar, and Maradana hospitals. There were 17 cases reported during the week, against 18 in the previous week.

4. Seventeen deaths were registered from *Enteritis* (including 4 infants), 7 from *Premature Birth*, 6 *Debility* (3 infants), 4 *Tetanus* (3 infants), 4 each from *Infantile Convulsions*, *Paralysis*, *Nephritis* and *Senility*, 3 *Malaria*, 2 each from *Diarrhoea*, *Dysentery*, and *Worms*, 2 *Erysipelas* (1 infant), 2 *Simple Meningitis* (1 infant), 2 each from *Asthma*, *Bright's Disease*, and *Homicide*, and 18 from *Other Causes*.

5. One death was registered from Smallpox, which occurred in the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Kanatta, of a Sinhalese from Talangama, who is said to have been infected in North Punduloya Estate, Central Province.

6. Six cases of *Measles* were reported, against 7 in the previous week; and 44 of *Chickenpox*, against 17 in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 81·7°, against 81·1° in the preceding week and 81·2° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·886 in., against 29·922 in. in the preceding week and 30·014 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2·25 in., against 0·02 in. in the preceding week and 0·75 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, February 13, 1912.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
for Registrar-General.