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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

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

PROCLAMATION.

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

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS the District School Committee of the District of Matale, Central Province, in pursuance of the powers vested in it by section 19 of the Rural Schools Ordinance, No. 8 of 1907, has amended Schedule B of the by-laws proclaimed on September 10, 1909, and published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,328 of September 17, 1909, by substituting therefor the schedule annexed hereto :

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by sub-section (2) of section 20 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby confirm the said amendment, and declare that the said amendment shall take effect from the date hereof.

And We do in all other respects confirm the said Proclamation of September 10, 1909.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twentieth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twelve.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE B.

1.—Government Schools.

Matale South.

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| 1. Dullewa (Eramudugolla) school. | 5. Owilikanda school. |
| 2. Kuriwela school. | 6. Palapatwela (Ratmala-ela) school. |
| 3. Leliambe school. | 7. Tenna school. |
| 4. Madawela school. | 8. Yatawatta school. |

Matale East.

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| 1. Ambana (Opalgala) school. | 6. Kambarawa school. |
| 2. Elagamuwa school. | 7. Mahalakotuwa school. |
| 3. Galgedewela school. | 8. Pabbiliya (Maragomuwa) school. |
| 4. Hanwella school. | 9. Pussella school. |
| 5. Kaikawela school. | 10. Puwakpitiya school. |

Matale North.

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| 1. Akuramboda school. | 7. Lenawa (Kubukkandanwela) school. |
| 2. Dambulla school. | 8. Madipola school. |
| 3. Dandubendiruppa school. | 9. Naula school. |
| 4. Galewela school. | 10. Nilagama school. |
| 5. Inamalawa school. | 11. Pannampitiya (Lenadōra) school. |
| 6. Kalundewa school. | 12. Talkote (Sigiriya) school. |

2.—Grant-in-Aid Schools which are Public Vernacular Schools under Section 21 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907.

Matale South.

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| 1. Kumbiyangoda school. | 3. Udasgiriya school. |
| 2. Mahawela school. | |

Matale East.

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|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Dankanda school. | 4. Meda-ela school. |
| 2. Dankanda school (girls). | 5. Weragama school. |
| 3. Kahiagala school. | |

Matale North.

Nil.

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.

P R O C L A M A T I O N.

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

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date January 27, 1893, a tract of forest land, as set forth in the schedule to the said Proclamation, and within the limits therein specified and set forth, was, under the provisions of section 19 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1885," declared to be a reserved forest subject to certain rights:

And whereas it appears to Us expedient that certain portions of the said lands so reserved as aforesaid should cease to be reserved:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by sub-section (2) of section 6 of Ordinance No. 16 of 1907, do hereby direct that the portions of the said lands specified and set forth in the schedule hereto shall cease to be reserved, as from and after December 31, 1912.

And We do in all other respects confirm the said Proclamation of January 27, 1893.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Twelve.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Seven allotments of land situated in the village Madampe, in the Meda pattu of Atakalan korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa, and bounded as follows:—

Lot No. 822 in preliminary plan 2,259; bounded on the north by lot No. 128½ in preliminary plan 7,808, on the east and south by the path reservation shown as lot No. 823 in preliminary plan 2,259, and on the west by land described in title plan No. 233,840, lots 156 and 157 in preliminary plan 7,808 and land described in title plan No. 177,840.

Lot No. 825 in preliminary plan 2,259; bounded on the north by the path reservation shown as lot 823 in preliminary plan 2,259, land described in title plan No. 268,063 and path reservation shown as lot 829 in preliminary plan 2,259, on the east by lot 175½ in preliminary plan 7,808 and lot 826 in preliminary plan 2,259, on the south by a water-course and lot 192 in preliminary plan 7,808, and on the west by lots 175, 192, and 172 in preliminary plan 7,808 and lot 824 in preliminary plan 2,259.

Lot No. 826 in preliminary plan 2,259; bounded on the north by lot 175½ in preliminary plan 7,808, and on the east by lot 216 in preliminary plan 7,808, on the south by lots 215 and 175½ in preliminary plan 7,808, and on the west by lot 825 in preliminary plan 2,259.

Lot No. 827 in preliminary plan 2,259; bounded on the north by lot 217 in preliminary plan 7,808, on the east by lot 828 in preliminary plan 2,259, on the south by lot 175½ in preliminary plan 7,808, and on the west by lot 175½ and 215 in preliminary plan 7,808.

Lot No. 830 in preliminary plan 2,259; bounded on the north by lot 255½ in preliminary plan 7,808, on the east by lot 256 in preliminary plan 7,808, on the south by lot 831 in preliminary plan 2,259, and on the west by lot 255 in preliminary plan 7,808.

Lot No. 831 in preliminary plan 2,259; bounded on the north by lot 830 in preliminary plan 2,259, on the east by lot 256 in preliminary plan 7,808 and Kongaha-dola, on the south and west by the Madampe Forest Reserve and lot 255 in preliminary plan 7,808.

Lot No. 215 in preliminary plan 7,808; bounded on the north by lot 826 in preliminary plan 2,259 and lot 216 in preliminary plan 7,808, on the east by lot 827 in preliminary plan 2,259, and on the south and west by lot 175½ in preliminary plan 7,808.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 455 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments on his personal staff, with effect from December 24, 1912:—

Captain F. C. SMITH, Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps, to be extra Aide-de-Camp.

Captain H. F. V. GREER, Royal Garrison Artillery, Special Reserve, to be Honorary Aide-de-Camp.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 24, 1912.

No. 456 of 1912.

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

Mr. B. CONSTANTINE to the office of Government Agent, North-Central Province; Fiscal for the North-Central Province; District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Anuradhapura; Superintendent of the Prison at Anuradhapura; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the North-Central Province; and Member of the Board of Health, North-Central Province, with effect from December 28, 1912, until further orders.

Mr. J. R. MOLLIGODA to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Kegalla, for December 26 and 27, 1912, during the absence of Mr. W. DE LIVERA from the station or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 23, 1912.

No. 457 of 1912.

IT is hereby notified that, under instructions from the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to recognize Monsieur M. ADAMOFF as Russian Consul at Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 23, 1912.

No. 458 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 120 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by Ordinance No. 37 of 1908, to appoint RAJAKARUNA WIJEWARDANA ADIKARI MUDIYANSELAGE TENNAKON BANDARA BAKINEGAHAWELA to be an Inquirer for Wellassa division, in the Province of Uva.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 19, 1912.

No. 459 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the following towns for the year 1913, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

Tangalla.

D. A. SAHABANDU.

JAMES EDIRIWEERA WIJESURIYA.

DON PEDRICK DISSANAYAKA.

Beliatta.

WANNIACHCHIGE DON DAVITH ABEYGOONAWARDENA.

UPARIS DE SILVA WICKREMASURIYA.

T. H. SAMEL DE SILVA.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 20, 1912.

No. 460 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under section 44 (1) of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," to appoint Messrs. S. O. ALLAGIAH and K. ARIACUDDY, Clerks, Police Court, Batticaloa, to sign summons issued from that Court.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 23, 1912.

No. 461 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. TILLYAMPALAM PONNIAH, of No. 7, Barber street, Colombo, to be a Notary Public at Colombo and throughout the Judicial Division of Colombo, and to practise as such in the English language.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 19, 1912.

No. 462 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. NAKAMANAYAR ARUMUKAM, of Arai-pattai, Batticaloa, to be a Notary Public throughout Manmunai, Eruvil, and Karavaku pattus of Batticaloa District, with residence and office at Koddaimunai and an additional office at Puliyantivu, and to practise as such in the Tamil language.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 19, 1912.

No. 463 of 1912.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. CHINNATHAMBY KANTHAPPAH, of Araipattai, Batticaloa, to be a Notary Public throughout Trincomalee District, with residence and office in Trincomalee town, and to practise as such in the Tamil language.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 20, 1912.

No. 464 of 1912.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. H. E. WIJETUNGE of his office of Notary Public of Negombó District, with effect from December 31, 1912.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 7, 1912.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. M. P. DEYAGAMA to be Registrar of Lands, Puttalam, with effect from January 1, 1913.

Mr. S. J. F. TALDENA to act as Registrar of Lands, Badulla, for eight days from December 28, 1912, during the absence of Mr. M. A. ULUWITA on leave or until further orders.

ADIKARIRALLAGE CHARLES BANDA to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uduwa palata division and of Marriages (Kandy and General) of Three Korales and Lower Bulat-gama division, in the Kegalla District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, with effect from January 1, 1913, *vice* Registrar, H. M. TIKIRIBANDA, appointed Korala. His office will be at Degalassewatta in Dedugala.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Colonial Secretary's Office, Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colombo, December 21, 1912.

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 Mr. AIYAMPILLAI ARUMUGAM to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Pankudutivu division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from December 18, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, A. SARAVANAMUTTU, on leave. His office will be at Manatkadu in Pankudutivu West.

The Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed ALAWATUGODAGAMA TENNEKUMBURE KALU BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udupalata division, and of Marriages (General) of Udukinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for twelve days from December 20, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, D. M. PUNCHI BANDA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office at Pelliwinna.

The Provincial Registrar, Badulla, has appointed Mr. JAMES TILLEKERATNE to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Yatikinda division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, for twelve days from December 20, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. A. W. ROSA, on leave. His office will be at the Kacheheri, Badulla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed Mr. G. A. DE SILVA to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kalutara town division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for four weeks and two days from December 16, 1912, *vice* Mr. D. R. F. OBEYSEKERA, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Kalutara.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed D. H. MUNASINGHE 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 four weeks and two days from January 7, 1913, during the absence of J. W. JAYANETTI. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed CHARLES DE SILVA WICKRAMANAYAKA JAYAWARDANA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambalangoda division and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for two weeks and one day from December 17, 1912, during the absence of the Registrar, I. DE S. W. JAYAWARDANA, on sick leave. His office will be at Madangahawatta in Ambalangoda.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, North-Central Province, has appointed Mr. SOLOMON RANASINGHE, Secretary, District Court, Anuradhapura, to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Nuwaragam palata division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for six days from December 24, 1912, during the absence of Mr. ARTHUR SILVA, on leave. His office will be at the Land Registry, Anuradhapura.

Registrar-General's Office, P. ARUNACHALAM,
Colombo, December 23, 1912. Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that the revised Table of Precedence in Ceylon appearing below, which has been approved by His Majesty the King, should be published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 19, 1912.

By His Excellency's command,
L. W. BOOTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

CEYLON PRECEDENCE TABLE.

1. The Governor, or Officer Administering the Government.
2. The Officer in Command of His Majesty's Naval Forces on the East Indies Station, if of the rank of Flag Officer,* and the Senior Officer in Command of the Troops, if of the rank of General Officer,* their own relative rank and precedence being determined by the King's Regulations on that subject.
3. The Chief Justice.
4. The Officer in Command of His Majesty's Naval Forces on the East Indies Station, if of the rank of Captain or Commander, and the Senior Officer in Command of the Troops, if of the rank of Colonel or Lieutenant-Colonel, their own relative rank and precedence being determined by the King's Regulations on that subject.
5. Members of the Executive Council, in their order.
6. Puisne Judges.†
7. Members of the Legislative Council, in their order.
8. Officers of the First Class, Ceylon Civil Service.
9. The Director of Public Works.
10. The Surveyor-General.
11. The Director of Irrigation.
12. The Director of Public Instruction.
13. The Solicitor-General.
14. The Inspector-General of Police.
15. The General Manager of the Railway.
16. The Conservator of Forests.
17. The Mayor of Colombo.
18. The Colonial Auditor.
19. The Director of Agriculture.
20. Officers of the Second Class, Ceylon Civil Service.
21. The Principal, Royal College.
22. Officers of the Third Class, Ceylon Civil Service.
23. The Master Attendant, Colombo.
24. The Inspector-General of Prisons.‡
25. The Director, Colombo Museum.
26. The Registrar, Supreme Court.
27. Officers of the Fourth Class, Ceylon Civil Service.

* In this table the term "Flag Officer" means a Naval Officer holding rank equivalent or superior to that of Rear-Admiral, and the term "General Officer" means a Military Officer holding rank equivalent or superior to that of Major-General.*

† Mr. Justice Wood Renton takes precedence immediately before the Members of the Executive Council.

‡ This officer has this precedence when the office is not held by a member of the Ceylon Civil Service.

Notes.

Government Agents in their respective Provinces take precedence after Members of the Executive Council.

By long-established usage Military Officers not mentioned in the table rank in Ceylon as follows:—

- Colonels and Officers of relative rank rank with, but before, Officers of the First Class, Ceylon Civil Service.
- Lieutenant-Colonels and Officers of relative rank rank with, but before, Officers of the Second Class, Ceylon Civil Service.
- Majors and Officers of relative rank rank with, but before, Officers of the Third Class, Ceylon Civil Service.
- Captains and Officers of relative rank rank with, but before, Officers of the Fourth Class, Ceylon Civil Service.

The Right Hon. L. HARCOURT, M.P., to Governor Sir H. E. McCALLUM, G.C.M.G.

Ceylon.—Miscellaneous.

Downing street, November 16, 1912.

SIR,—WITH reference to despatch No. 627 of October 17, I have the honour to inform you that with a view to preserving to Mr. F. A. Cooper, C.M.G., the precedence which he enjoyed in the Legislative Council under the old Table of Official Precedence, the King has been pleased to assign to Mr. Cooper, under Clause XVII. of the Royal Instructions of November 24, 1910, special precedence in the Legislative Council before the persons discharging the functions of Government Agent for the Southern Province and of Principal Civil Medical Officer.

2. Outside the Legislative Council Mr. Cooper will be entitled under the new Table of Precedence to take the precedence assigned thereby to Members of the Legislative Council, and will occupy the same position in relation to other Members of the body as he enjoys within the Council.

I have, &c.,

L. HARCOURT.

* By the instructions of the Secretary of State the precedence of a General Officer is accorded to Brigadier-General Allen while he holds his present command.

IN connection with the foregoing Table of Precedence, His Excellency the Governor has further been pleased to direct that the following extracts from the Royal Instructions dated November 24, 1910, relative to the precedence *inter se* of Members of the Executive and Legislative Councils, be published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 19, 1912.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Executive Council of the Island shall be composed of the under-mentioned Officers, that is to say, the Senior Military Officer for the time being in command of Our Regular Troops within the Island, if not below the rank of Captain in Our Army, the persons for the time being lawfully discharging the functions of Colonial Secretary, Attorney-General, Controller of Revenue, and Colonial Treasurer for the Island, who shall be styled *ex-officio* Members of the said Council, and such persons as at the date of the coming into force of Our said Letters Patent are Members of the Executive Council, and such other persons as the Governor, in pursuance of Instructions from Us through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State, may from time to time appoint under the Public Seal of the Island.

The Members of the Executive Council shall have seniority and precedence as We may specially assign, and in default thereof, first the *ex-officio* Members in the order in which their several offices are above mentioned. Provided that the Senior Military Officer, if he be below the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in Our Army, shall have seniority next after the person for the time being lawfully discharging the functions of Attorney-General of the Island; then other Members according to the priority of their respective appointments, or, if appointed by the same Instrument, according to the order in which they are named therein.

The Legislative Council of the Island shall consist of Official and Unofficial Members, and the Official Members shall be the Senior Officer for the time being in command of Our Regular Troops within the Island, if not below the rank of Captain in Our Army, and the persons for the time being lawfully discharging the functions of Colonial Secretary, Attorney-General, Controller of Revenue, Colonial Treasurer, Government Agent for the Western Province, Government Agent for the Central Province, Government Agent for the Southern Province, and Principal Civil Medical Officer, and such two other persons holding office in the Island as the Governor in pursuance of Instructions from Us through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State may from time to time appoint under the Public Seal of the Island.

The Official Members of the Legislative Council shall take precedence of the Unofficial Members. The Official Members shall among themselves take precedence as We may specially assign, or, in default thereof, first the *ex-officio* Members in the order in which their respective offices are hereinbefore mentioned (except that the Senior Military Officer, if he be below the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in Our Army, shall take precedence in the said Council next after the person lawfully discharging the functions of Attorney-General in the Island), and then the two other Official Members appointed by name according to the priority of their respective appointments, or, if appointed by the same Instrument, according to the order in which they are named therein; provided always that if under the Ceylon Table of Official Precedence such Official Members take precedence of any of the *ex-officio* Members, their precedence in the Council in relation to those *ex-officio* Members shall be determined by the said table.

The Unofficial Members shall rank among themselves in the order of date of their election, or of appointment, and two or more Members elected or appointed on the same day shall rank in the alphabetical order of their names. Every Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council re-elected or re-appointed immediately on the termination of his term of office shall take precedence according to the date from which he has been continuously a Member of the said Council.

IT is hereby notified that the following by-laws made by the Local Board of Gampola, in pursuance of section 56 (5) of "The Local Boards Ordinance, 1898," have been submitted to and confirmed by the Governor, acting with the advice of the Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 20, 1912.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

Supervision and Regulation of Dairies.

1. It shall not be lawful for any person to sell, hawk about, or expose for sale any cow's milk or buffalo's milk, which has been adulterated with water or any foreign substances whatever.
2. No person shall sell or offer for sale any milk from which the cream has been removed, unless he previously informs the person to whom he sells or offers it that the cream has been removed.
3. The Medical Officer or Local Board Inspector may at any time demand and take for the purpose of analysis samples of any milk which is in possession of a registered dairyman, or any person who is found selling, hawking, or exposing milk for sale, and any registered dairyman or other person who refuses to permit samples to be taken shall be guilty of an offence.

4. Printed and numbered cards, in such form as the Chairman shall from time to time direct, and signed by the Secretary, shall be issued annually to every registered dairyman on his application. No person shall sell, hawk, or expose milk for sale unless he has in his possession a card issued for the current year to a registered dairyman, and unless such dairyman's name is still on the register at the time of the sale, hawking, or exposing of the milk for sale. Should such person fail to produce on demand by any Local Board or Police Officer such a card for inspection, he shall be guilty of an offence.

5. Every dairy or milk store shall be known by its registered number.

6. The certificate of registration which the Chairman shall issue annually to every dairyman or milk vendor engaged in selling milk to residents within the Local Board, either directly or indirectly, shall be in the following form (see Appendix P).

7. All dairymen shall see that the cattle are washed as to udders and teats before milking, and the milker is to wash his hands thoroughly with soap and warm water before milking. Every precaution shall be taken to prevent contamination of milk by urine and faeces of cattle.

8. No person suffering from a contagious or loathsome disease, or who has recently been in attendance on such person, or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean, shall be employed in a dairy or milk store.

9. If at any time cattle plague, pleuro-pneumonia, foot-and-mouth disease, or disease of the udder exist among cattle in a dairy or cow shed or other building or place, the milk of the diseased cow therein—

- (a) Shall not be mixed with other milk;
- (b) Shall not be sold or used for food.

APPENDIX P.

Local Board, Gampola.

Registered No. ———.

Date : ———.

This is to certify that registration of the dairy at ——— has been granted to ———.

The number of cattle is ———.

Secretary, Local Board.

IT is hereby notified that licenses to import explosives into Ceylon during the year 1913 have been issued to the under-mentioned firms :—

Messrs. Freudenberg & Co., Colombo.

Messrs. Shaw, Wallace & Co., Colombo.

Mr. H. Bastian Fernando, Merchant, No. 43, Kollupitiya.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 20, 1912.

L. W. BOOTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Ceylon Government Engineering Scholarships.

AN examination will be held by the Ceylon Government in April, 1913, for the award of scholarships to be held in the Upper Subordinate Class in Engineering at the Madras Engineering College.

If candidates of sufficient merit present themselves there will be awarded three scholarships, which will under certain conditions lead to appointments in the Ceylon Irrigation Department.

The scholarships will entitle the holders to the following allowances for the three years of their course in the Upper Subordinate Class :—A subsistence allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem, and an outfit and travelling allowance at the rate of Rs. 200 per annum, paid half-yearly. Fees and deposits required for the classes will be paid by the Government. Those who pass the College final examination at the end of the three years' course will receive the same subsistence allowance for an additional year, during which they will be employed on works in India. They will also during this additional year receive the same travelling allowances as are drawn by Indian students under the same circumstances. All allowances will be contingent on the good conduct and satisfactory progress of the student.

2. The three scholars will, if they receive a certificate of good conduct and satisfactory progress during the year spent on works, be offered appointments as Irrigation Inspectors, Class II., of the Irrigation Department, with prospects of promotion to the higher grades of Irrigation Inspectors, Class I., and Chief Irrigation Inspectors.

The following is the sanctioned scale of salaries and strength for these appointments :—

Twelve Inspectors, Class II., at Rs. 960 rising to Rs. 1,360 by annual increments of Rs. 40.

Ten Inspectors, Class I., at Rs. 1,400 rising to Rs. 2,300 by annual increments of Rs. 60.

Eight Chief Inspectors at Rs. 2,500 rising to Rs. 3,000 by annual increments of Rs. 100.

Promotion from class to class is by selection. Each of these scholars will be required to execute a bond of Rs. 1,000, pledging himself to enter Government service in the Irrigation Department, and remain in that service for at least ten years.

3. The examination will be confined to candidates whose age will be under 22 on June 30, 1913, and who are nominated by His Excellency the Governor. Before receiving such nomination, candidates must have passed one of the following examinations :—

- (i.) The Matriculation Examination of the London University.
- (ii.) The Cambridge University Senior Local Examination, including a pass in not less than five of the sections 2-16. Three of these sections must be—

- (1) English.
- (2) Mathematics.
- (3) Latin, or Chemistry, or Physics, or two subjects in Biology and Physical Geography.

(iii.) The Intermediate Examination in Arts of the Madras University.

4. The subjects of examination will be as follows :—

Compulsory.

- (1) Arithmetic.
- (2) Drawing—Freehand and Geometrical.
- (3) English Language and Composition.
- (4) Pure Mathematics—Geometry, Algebra, and Trigonometry.

Optional.

Not more than two of the following :—

- (5) Applied Mathematics—Elementary Mechanics and Hydrostatics.
- (6) Chemistry—Theoretical and Practical.
- (7) Physics—the elements of Sound, Light, Heat, Electricity, and Magnetism. Candidates will be examined practically in the use of the commoner physical apparatus.

NOTE.—The standard of the examination in subjects (4), (5), (6), and (7) is sufficiently indicated in the syllabus for the respective subjects prescribed for the Senior Cambridge Local and the London Matriculation Examinations.

N.B.—In selecting the scholars a preference will be given to those who have passed in either Physics or Chemistry.

5. Applications for His Excellency the Governor's nomination must be submitted to the Director of Irrigation not later than February 15, 1913. Each candidate must send in with his application two certificates of character, one of which must be from the Principal of the last school which he attended.

6. Candidates nominated by His Excellency the Governor will be required to pay a medical fee of Rs. 10.50 and an examination fee of Rs. 25.

7. Any further particulars and forms of application for nomination may be obtained from the Director of Irrigation.

By His Excellency's command,

L. W. BOOTH,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, December 17, 1912.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

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

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister or Proprietor or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
281	December 19, 1912	School building	Ratgama in Wellaboda pattu of Galle District	Rev. W. O. Bevan, Minister	Wesleyan Methodist

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, December 19, 1912.

P. ARUNACHALAM,
Registrar-General.

THE following roads having been damaged by floods are unsuitable for motor cars until further notice :—

- 1. Hambantota-Tanamalwila road, 8th mile.
- 2. Tangalla-Hambantota road, 146 to 147½ miles.
- 3. Weligata to Bundala, 12th mile.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, December 23, 1912.

T. H. CHAPMAN,

for Director of Public Works.

IT is notified for general information that the 85th to 88th miles of the Madampe-Hambantota road will be unsuitable for motor traffic until further notice.

T. H. CHAPMAN,
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office,
Colombo, December 23, 1912.

IT is notified that the following vernacular schools in the Colombo District have been placed under the Rural Schools Ordinance, No. 8 of 1907, and are attached to the list of schools published in *Gazette* No. 6,356 of February, 1910:—

Hewagam Korale.

Akuregoda Girls' C. M. S.
Angampitiya Mixed C. M. S.
Liyanwella Mixed C. M. S.
Talangama Boys' C. M. S.
Talangama Girls' C. M. S.
Talawatugoda Mixed C. M. S.
Tunmodera Mixed C. M. S.
Udumulla Mixed C. M. S.
Walarekka Girls' C. M. S.
Weragala Mixed C. M. S.
Horagala Mixed C. M. S.
Kotuwegoda Mixed C. M. S.

Salpiti Korale, Kotte.

Bokundara Boys' C. M. S.
Boraesgomuwa Mixed C. M. S.
Etul Kotte Girls' C. M. S.
Mampe Girls' C. M. S.
Mampe Boys' C. M. S.
Pellanoruwa Mixed C. M. S.
Pannipitiya Mixed C. M. S.
Palenuwatte Girls' C. M. S.
Welikada Lower Boys' C. M. S.
Welikada Middle Girls' C. M. S.
Welikada Upper Girls' C. M. S.

Hapitigam Korale.

Ganegoda Girls' Friends' Mission.

C. V. BRAYNE,

for Chairman, District Schools Committee.

The Kachcheri,

Colombo, December 19, 1912.

NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of stores from Bandarawela, named in the schedule hereunder, for the period commencing from February 1, 1913, and terminating on June 30, 1915.

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 the Transport of Stores from Bandarawela" 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 January 21, 1913.

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 to the contract. No deposits for tender forms will be accepted at the Principal Civil Medical Officer's Office.

7. 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.

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

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

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

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

Colombo, December 23, 1912.

Schedule referred to.

Service.	Amount of	
	Tender Deposit.	Amount of Security.
	Rs.	Rs.
Transport of stores from Bandarawela.	50	100

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of boots and shoes from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Boots and Shoes" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 7, 1913.

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

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

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

8. The boots, shoes, &c., must be equal to the standard samples in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and tenderers must call and inspect them.

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 110. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 10, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of lime (slaked, unslaked, and boiled), clay (white and yellow), and coral stones from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Lime" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 7, 1913.

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

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 850. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,

December 10, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks, tiles (half-round and ridge), bamboos, battalies, cadjans, mopas, posts, cabook, and sea sand from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Bamboos, &c.," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 7, 1913.

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

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

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

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

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 2,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,

December 10, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of furniture from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Furniture" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 7, 1913.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 250 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

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

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 2,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5.

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,

December 10, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sawn teak from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sawn Teak" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 7, 1913.

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

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

10. 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. E. HANCOCKS,

December 10, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of (a) North Wales coal, (b) Bengal coal, and (c) best Cardiff coal from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Coal" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 7, 1913.

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

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

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

8. Samples for testing purposes must be deposited in my office.

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

10. 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. E. HANCOCKS,

December 10, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of imported Calicut tiles (flat, half, ridge, ventilation, glass, finials, and ornamental ridge) from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Imported Calicut Tiles" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 7, 1913.

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

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

or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

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

8. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

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

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,

December 10, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sundries from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1916.

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 Sundries" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. Standard samples of most of the sundries are kept in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and all intending tenderers are required to inspect these samples before tendering. Of the rest of the articles, samples in duplicate must be deposited by the tenderers.

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

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,

December 16, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of tin cases for plans from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1916.

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 Tin Cases for Plans" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not after than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. The tin cases must be equal to the standard samples in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and tenderers must call and inspect them.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 50. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

December 16, 1912. J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of ink, blue-black, of local manufacture, from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1916.

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 locally manufactured Ink" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 250. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

December 16, 1912. J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of coconut oil equal to the standard sample kept in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Coconut Oil" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. The oil must be equal to the standard sample in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and tenderers must call and inspect it.

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 2,000. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

December 16, 1912. J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for clothing for Government Stores, Queen's House, Port Surgeon's Department, Pioneers, Postal Department, &c., from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Clothing, Government Stores," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 21, 1913.

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

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

security required will be Rs. 750. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

10. 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. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 16, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of kerosine oil (American oil and bulk oil) from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Kerosine Oil" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,400. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 16, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the making of clothing for the Police Department from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Police Clothing" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 21, 1913.

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

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

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

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

9. The amount of security required will be Rs. 500. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

10. 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. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 16, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Timber" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 16, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of straw to be delivered at Colombo, Kandy, and Nuwara Eliya from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Straw" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 16, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of cumblies (white and black) from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1916.

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 Cumblies" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. The cumblies must be equal to the standard samples in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and tenderers must call and inspect them.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 1,200. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 16, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of paddy, gram, and salt to be delivered at Colombo, Kandy, and Nuwara Eliya from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1916.

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

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

4. Tender should be marked "Tender for Paddy, Gram, and Salt" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. Samples in duplicate must be deposited with the Colonial Storekeeper.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 400. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

J. E. HANCOCKS,
Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

December 16, 1912.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of castor oil from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1916.

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 Castor Oil" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. The castor oil must be equal to the standard sample in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and tenderers must call and inspect it.

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

10. 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. E. HANCOCKS,
December 16, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of baskets square, baskets round and flat, baskets Madampe 16 in. by 4 in. by 10½ in. of whole cane, baskets Madampe 16 in. by 4 in. by 8 in. of whole cane, and baskets Madampe, cane extra strong, 19 in. by 5 in. by 13 in., from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1916.

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 Baskets" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on January 14, 1913.

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

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

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

8. The baskets must be equal to the standard samples in the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper, and tenderers must call and inspect them.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required will be Rs. 700. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender, and of purchasing not more than one-half of the baskets required from the Convict Establishment.

J. E. HANCOCKS,
December 16, 1912. Acting Colonial Storekeeper.

SEALED Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of toddy to the Government Experimental Distillery at Jawatta, Kalutara North, for the period from May 1, 1913, to December 31, 1913.

2. The toddy shall be delivered daily at the distillery between the hours of 8 A.M. and 12 noon. The quantity delivered each day shall be not less than 1,000 imperial gallons. The officer in charge of the distillery shall have discretion to accept a quantity of toddy in excess of 1,000 gallons up to a limit of 400 gallons. If the officer in charge is unable to accept such excess, it shall be within his discretion to allow the contractor to dispose of the excess in such legal manner as shall seem to him fit.

3. The toddy supplied shall be pure fresh toddy as drawn from the trees on the morning of the day of delivery at the distillery. It must in no way be diluted, adulterated, or have any substance whatsoever added to it. The officer in charge of the distillery will test the toddy, and if he finds it to be unsatisfactory in any respect, it shall be in his discretion either to reject the toddy or to make a reduction from the contract price for the same.

4. The tenderer shall state clearly in words and in figures the rate per 100 gallons at which he is prepared to supply the toddy.

5. Each tender shall be accompanied by a Kachcheri or Treasury deposit receipt for Rs. 250, which sum shall be returned to unsuccessful tenderers. The successful tenderer shall on intimation of his tender being accepted, within 15 days of the receipt of a written notice to that effect, enter into a contract with the Excise Commissioner and execute a bond in the sum of Rs. 5,000 by hypothecation of approved title deeds, with two sureties each in a similar sum, or shall deposit with the Hon. the Treasurer a sum of Rs. 1,000 in cash and sign a bond binding himself to observe the terms of the contract. If the successful tenderer fail within the said 15 days to enter into contract and execute such bond satisfactorily, the deposit of Rs. 250 shall be forfeited to Government, and the acceptance of his tender cancelled.

6. Payment of sums due to the contractor under his contract shall be made weekly, fortnightly, or monthly as may be arranged.

7. All tenders shall be addressed to the Chairman, Tender Board, at the Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo, and shall reach him not later than 12 noon on Friday, January 24, 1913, after which no tender will be accepted.

8. An address for delivery of letters or notices shall be given in the tender.

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

B. HORSBURGH,
December 23, 1912. Excise Commissioner.

SEALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for repairing the Quarters of the Salt Department Officers of the Palavi Saltern" will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 1 P.M. on January 15, 1913, from persons willing to contract.

Specification.

All decayed and damaged materials such as cadjans and timber to be replaced by fresh and sound materials.

New cadjans for the roofs and walls to be placed 6 inches apart.

Pootus to be placed on roofs to serve as weights.

Fences to be rebuilt with new sticks and cadjans.

A new door and frame to be fixed to patrol Severinus's house. Door to be of hal or other durable wood and frame to be of palu or margosa.

Walls of the houses of patrols Sangaren, Sinnen, Bastian, and Banda to be repaired with clay and plastered wherever necessary.

Six new locks and keys to be provided to the supervisor's bungalow and kitchen and to the houses of patrols Sangaren, Sinnen, and Severinus.

Floor to be raised where required with clay and levelled, stamped, and cowdunged.

Walls of supervisor's house to be whitewashed and doors and windows to be painted in red.

A new kitchen 12 ft. by 10 ft. to be built for the supervisor adjoining the main building with cadjan roof and mud walls. Tammana fence sticks and good warichchies to be used for erecting the wall. A new door and frame to be provided. Door to be of hal or other durable wood and frame to be of palu or margosa. The floor of kitchen to be raised one foot high with good clay and stamped.

Tenderers to observe the following conditions:—

1. Money deposit of Rs. 10 to be made in the Puttalam Kachcheri on or before January 14, 1913, to be forfeited if the tenderer fails to enter into contract within a reasonable time to be determined by the Assistant Government Agent.

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

3. No advance will be given.

4. The work to be completed within 4 weeks after notice of acceptance of tender.

5. For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kachcheri, C. H. COLLINS,
December 19, 1912. for Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber described in the annexed schedule.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate, the original to reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura, and the duplicate to reach the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, not later than midday on Tuesday, January 28, 1913.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the supply of Timber" on the left hand top corner of the envelope.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri for the service, 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 in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura 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.

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.

7. A rate per cubic foot of satinwood delivered at Anuradhapura should be quoted, both in words and figures.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of cash security required will be 5 per cent. of the value of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 4.

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.

J. D. SARGENT,

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Anuradhapura Division.

Forest Office, December 17, 1912.

SCHEDULE.

To fell, log, bark, and trim 90 satinwood trees, more or less, standing in Talathewa forest, situated in Horawapotana Range, and to transport and to deliver the same at the Anuradhapura Railway Station, a distance of 25 to 29 miles.

Half the work should be completed on or before April 15, and the whole work on or before May 31, 1913.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber described in the annexed schedule.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate, the original to reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura, and the duplicate to reach the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, not later than midday on Tuesday, January 28, 1913.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the supply of Timber" on the left hand top corner of the envelope.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri for the service, 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 in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura 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.

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.

7. A rate per cubic foot of satinwood delivered at Anuradhapura should be quoted, both in words and figures.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of cash security required will be 5 per cent. of the value of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 4.

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.

J. D. SARGENT,

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Anuradhapura Division.

Forest Office, December 17, 1912.

SCHEDULE.

To fell, log, bark, and trim 60 satinwood trees, more or less, standing in Tirappane and Eruwewa forests, situated in Nuwaragam Range, and transport and deliver the same at the Anuradhapura Railway Station, a distance of 20 to 24 miles.

Half the work should be completed on or before April 15, and the whole work on or before May 31, 1913.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of timber described in the annexed schedule.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate, the original to reach the Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura, and the duplicate to reach the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, not later than midday on Tuesday, January 28, 1913.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for the supply of Timber" on the left hand top corner of the envelope.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri for the service, 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 in writing from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Anuradhapura 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.

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.

7. A rate per ton of cleaned ebony delivered at Anuradhapura should be quoted, both in words and figures.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of cash security required will be 5 per cent. of the value of the contract. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 4.

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.

J. D. SARGENT,

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Anuradhapura Division.

Forest Office, December 17, 1912.

SCHEDULE.

To fell 150 ebony trees, more or less, 6 feet and above in girth, standing in Talathewa forest, situated in Horawapotana Range, to log, clean, and transport the same to the Anuradhapura Railway Station, a distance of 25 to 29 miles.

Half the work should be completed on or before April 15, and the whole work on or before May 31, 1913.