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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 ROBERT CHALMERS, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

ROBERT CHALMERS.

WHEREAS the following by-law made by the Municipal Council of Colombo, under the provisions of section 109 (1) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, has been confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, as provided by section 109 (3) of the said Ordinance:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor of the Island of Ceylon, in exercise of the power in Us vested by section 109 (3) of the said Ordinance, do hereby proclaim the said by-law.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twelfth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Thirteen.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

### BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

No person shall spit on any public pavement or paved footway along any public street. Any person so spitting shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

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 ROBERT CHALMERS, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

ROBERT CHALMERS.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation issued under the provisions of section 109 (1) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 6 of 1910, certain by-laws were made by the Municipal Council and confirmed by the Governor in Executive Council, as provided by section 109 (3) of the said Ordinance, and published in the *Government Gazette* dated August 26, 1910:

And whereas it is expedient to amend by-law 8 of the said by-laws:

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by section 109 (3) of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby confirm the substitution of the by-laws set forth in the schedule hereto made by the Municipal Council of Colombo under the provisions of section 109 (1) of the said Ordinance for by-law 8 of the by-laws referred to above.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Eighth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Thirteen.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE.

Every person who fixes, or causes to be fixed, within a building any bath, lavatory, or sink (other than a slop sink as before mentioned), or any similar appliance, shall cause every waste pipe therefrom to be properly trapped at a point as near as may be practicable to the point at which such waste pipe is connected to such bath, lavatory, or sink.

He shall, unless the Chairman shall otherwise permit, cause every waste pipe from an upper floor to discharge direct into a down pipe of proper material and construction. Every such down pipe shall be extended upwards as a ventilator in a similar manner to a soil pipe, and shall be properly secured throughout its length, and provided at the foot with a bend, shoe, or pedestal pipe.

Where more than one waste pipe is connected to a down pipe, he shall, if required by the Chairman, provide efficient anti-syphonage pipes in a manner similar to those required in connection with soil pipes.

In every case he shall cause every down pipe and every waste pipe not discharging into a down pipe to discharge into the open air one foot or less above ground level and over a channel leading to the grating of a trapped gully, in accordance with the requirements of by-law 5 (14).

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 ROBERT CHALMERS, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

ROBERT CHALMERS.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 31 of "The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895," as amended by Ordinance No. 23 of 1900, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this Our Proclamation declare that the provisions of section 31 and the six following sections of the said Ordinance shall come into operation as from and after January, 1914, in the town mentioned in the schedule hereto.

And We do hereby define the limits of the said town to be those set out in the said schedule.

Given at Kandy, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twelfth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Thirteen.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

*Eastern Province, Batticaloa District.*

Kalmunai Town.

Boundaries:—

North by a minor road leading to the seabeach from Naipaddimunai;  
South by Kalmunaikudi village;  
East by the seashore; and  
West by Ayiliadi road and paddy fields called Karavakuvaddai.

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

No. 395 of 1913.

THE Notification No. 307 of August 28, 1913, published in the *Gazette* of the 29th idem, is hereby cancelled, and the following Notification is substituted:—

HIS EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT has, by an Instrument dated August 26, 1913, under the Public Seal of this Island, by virtue of the powers in him vested by clause XIII. of the Instructions of HIS MAJESTY THE KING dated November 24, 1910, and in pursuance of instructions received from HIS MAJESTY through the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, been pleased to appoint the Hon. Mr. ROBERT STANER TEMPLETON to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of this Island, with effect from May 12, 1913, during HIS MAJESTY'S pleasure, or until the return to the Island of Mr. F. A. COOPER, C.M.G.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 14, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 396 of 1913.

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

Mr. C. A. WICKS to be an Inspector of Schools, with effect from October 16, 1913.

Mr. B. AMERASEKERA to be Additional Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, for November 15, 1913.

Mr. L. W. DE SARAM to act as Additional Police Magistrate, Colombo, Negombo, and Avisawella, and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avisawella, for five days from November 15, 1913, during the absence of Mr. V. P. REDLICH on leave or until further orders.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 13, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 397 of 1913.

WITH reference to the Notification No. 389 of November 5, 1913, published in the *Gazette* of the 7th idem, it is hereby notified that the appointment of Major W. H. ROBINSON to act as Inspector-General of Prisons, &c., will take effect from November 12, 1913, instead of from the 13th idem.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 10, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 398 of 1913.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate Major W. H. ROBINSON, under section 9(1) of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, to be a Councillor of the Municipal Council of Colombo, *vice* Major A. W. DE WILTON, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 13, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 399 of 1913.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. R. J. K. MACBRIDE, District Engineer, Dimbula, to be an Official Member of the Local Board of Nawalapitiya, *vice* Mr. A. S. BARKER, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 13, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 400 of 1913.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate Messrs. C. M. MUTTUKUMARU and A. L. SAVUNDRANAYAGAM to be Members of the Sanitary Board, Mannar District, under section 5(1) of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892, as amended by Ordinance No. 26 of 1908, with effect from November 1, 1913.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 12, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 401 of 1913.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. MOSES DE SILVA, District Engineer, Kalmunai, to be a Member of the Sanitary Board, Batticaloa, *vice* Mr. O. T. NETTLETON.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 12, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 402 of 1913.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 6(d) of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to nominate Rev. Father A. JEANDEL, O.M.I., to be a Member of the District School Committee, Anuradhapura, *vice* Rev. Father GREGORY, O.M.I., resigned.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 403 of 1913.

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 Mr. DON SIMON CHARLES UMAGILIYA to be an Inquirer for Ambagamuwa korale in Uda Bulatgama Division, Central Province, *vice* Mr. P. B. PERERA, resigned.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 13, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 404 of 1913.

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 the under-mentioned persons to be Inquirers for the divisions named:—

(1) WANISEKARA BANDARANAYAKE WASALA MUDIYANSERALAHAMILLE UDA WALAWWE TIKIRI BANDA, Korala of Udugoda Udasiyapattu in Matale North, for Udugoda Udasiyapattu.

(2) EKANAYAKE MUDIYANSELEGEDERA KIRIWAUSTU, Korala of Laggala Udasiyapattu in Matale East, for Laggala Udasiyapattu.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 405 of 1913.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the following towns for the year 1914, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

*Avisawella.*

Mr. D. B. G. JAYETILLEKE, Vidane Arachchi.  
Mr. D. S. WIJESUNDARA, of Kosgama.  
Mr. A. D. UDARIS, of Puwakpitiya.

*Puwakpitiya.*

Mr. D. B. G. JAYETILLEKE, Vidane Arachchi.  
Mr. D. S. WIJESUNDARA, of Kosgama.  
Mr. A. D. UDARIS, of Puwakpitiya.

*Padukka.*

Mr. M. D. A. JAYEWARDENE, of Padukka.  
Mr. D. M. DE SILVA, of Anganpitiya.  
Mr. J. A. JAYASINGHE, of Hanwella.

*Hanwella.*

Mr. D. P. R. JAYEWARDENE, Vidane Arachchi.  
Mr. J. E. AMARASEKARA, of Hanwella.  
Mr. J. A. JAYASINGHE, of Hanwella.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 7, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

No. 406 of 1913.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the following Sanitary Board towns for the year 1914, under the provisions of section 8 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1892:—

*Ambalangoda.*

ISAAC DE SILVA JAYAWARDENE, Muhandiram.  
MATHES DE ALWIS.  
RAJAPAKSE MARTINNA NAMBI UDARIS DE SILVA.

*Dodanduwa.*

ABRAHAM MENDIS RAJAKARUNA WIJESEKERA.  
DON ABRAHAM PANDITA GUNEWARDENE.  
CAROLIS WIJESOORIYA.

*Hikkaduwa.*

G. K. ARNOLIS CHICKERA.  
BRAMPY GUNEWARDENE.  
WARUSAVITANA SINGHO APPU DE SILVA.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 7, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

## APPOINTMENTS, &amp;c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. W. E. GRENIER to be Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births, Deaths, and of Marriages (General) of the Kalutara District of the Western Province, with effect from November 15, 1913. His office will be at the Kalutara Kachcheri.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

WITH reference to the *Gazette* Notification dated April 21, 1913, published in *Government Gazette* No. 6,559 of April 25, 1913, it is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to confirm the appointment of PALLEWELA LOKUGAMAGE DON JAMES WIJESINGHA as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Matara Four Gravets No. 3 Division and of Marriages (General) of Matara town and Gravets division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province. His office will be at Irikonda in Meddevatta.

By His Excellency's command,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,  
Colombo, November 6, 1913. Colonial Secretary.

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

The Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed RAJAPAKSA KORALLAGE THOMAS CALDERA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Paluwa and of Marriages (General) of Medapattu of Siyane Korale West, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for three days from November 10, 1913, during the absence of the Registrar, D. S. KARUNANAYAKA, on leave. His office will be at Millagahawatta in Moragoda.

The Provincial Registrar, Eastern Province, has appointed PUVINAYAGAMPILLAI CHINNATAMPI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Koralai Pattu South division and of Marriages (General) of Koralai pattu division, in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, for twenty-six days from November 3, 1913, during the absence of the Registrar, C. CHETTINAPILLAI, on leave. His office will be at the residing garden of the permanent Registrar at Kiran.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON ADRIAN FRANCIS JAYASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Migama division and of

Marriages (General) of Iddagoda pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for fourteen days from November 10, 1913, during the absence of the Registrar, DON UDENIS JAYASINHA, on sick leave. His office will be at Getapussekandapaulakattiya in Walagedera.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matale, has appointed RAJAPAKSA WASALA MUDIYANSERALAHAMILLAGE HALANGODA UDA WALAWWE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kohonsiya pattu and of Marriages (General) of Matale South No. 3 division, in the Matale District of the Central Province, for six days from November 7, 1913, during the absence of Registrar, M. B. A. NIYARAPOLA, on leave. His office will be at Nikawellewalawwa in Udupihilla.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed TELIKADAGAMAGE SAMUEL DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Four Gravets of Galle and Akkima division, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for three days from November 8, 1913, during the absence of the Registrar, M. R. PEIRIS. His office will be at the Galle Kachcheri.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed MPEGALKETIYEGAMAGE DON MATHES to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Parahera division and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for ten days from November 10, 1913, during the absence of the Registrar, M. G. DON BASTIAN, on leave. His office will be at Ketakelagahawatta in Parahera.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed BENJAMIN CHARLES UKWATTE LEANEGE to act as Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hambantota town division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for twenty days from November 3, 1913, *vice* Deputy Registrar, W. DE S. JAYASURIYA, transferred. His office will be at the Government Civil Hospital, Hambantota.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed TELISINHA MUDALIGE BANDAPPUHAMY to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Pitigal Korale Central division, in the Chilaw District of the North-Western Province, for four days from November 2, 1913, during the absence of the Registrar, H. S. TELISINHA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office at Nattandiya.

Registrar-General's Office, BERTRAM HILL,  
Colombo, November 12, 1913. Registrar-General.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

HIS Excellency the Governor will open the Session of the Legislative Council for 1913-1914 on Wednesday, November 26, 1913, at 3 P.M.

Council Chamber,  
Colombo, October 30, 1913.

By order,  
D. W. ARNOTT,  
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council.

## "THE JOINT STOCK BANKING ORDINANCE, 1897."

HIS Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of section 2 of the above-named Ordinance, has been pleased to authorize the following persons:—Messrs. (1) S. F. Nagapper, (2) P. P. Barthelot, (3) J. Abraham, (4) B. J. Roux, (5) B. P. Barthelot, (6) H. Somanader, and (7) S. Soosaimuttu to apply, under the provisions of "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinances, 1861, 1888, and 1893," as amended by "The Public Business Ordinance, 1905," and of the above-named Ordinance, to be incorporated and registered as a Banking Company with limited liability under the name and style of "The Batticaloa Catholic Credit Society, Limited."

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 7, 1913.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE, No. 25 OF 1908."

WITH reference to the Notification dated October 10, 1913, published in the *Gazette* of the 17th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that the roads mentioned below are suitable for use by motor lorries, subject to their compliance with the regulations regulating the use of motor cars, motor lorries, and motor cycles:—

Talawakele-Lindula road.  
Lindula-Agras road.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS ORDINANCE, 1907."

WHEREAS by the proviso to section 10 of "The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Ordinance, 1907," as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1912, it is enacted that where in any area the whole or any part of the fines recovered in respect of offences under the said Ordinance which shall have been prosecuted by any officer of any society established in Ceylon for the prevention of cruelty to animals is by law or practice already appropriated to any public authority established in the area, an order made by the Governor in Executive Council, under section 10 of the said Ordinance, shall only take effect in such area, subject to the consent of such public authority signified by resolution notified in the *Government Gazette* and to the extent authorized by such resolution:

And whereas the Local Board of Negombo has, under and in pursuance of the proviso to section 10 of the said Ordinance, passed the following resolution:—

"That the Local Board share of fines recovered under 'The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Ordinances, 1907 to 1912,' be granted to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals":

It is hereby notified that the Governor in Executive Council has, under the provisions of section 10 of the said Ordinance, directed that from and after the date hereof the whole of the fines recovered in respect of offences committed within the Local Board limits of Negombo punishable under the said Ordinance which shall have been prosecuted by any officer of the Society established in Ceylon for the prevention of cruelty to animals shall be paid to such Society.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS ORDINANCE, 1907."

WHEREAS by the proviso to section 10 of "The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Ordinance, 1907," as amended by Ordinance No. 19 of 1912, it is enacted that where in any area the whole or any part of the fines recovered in respect of offences under the said Ordinance which shall have been prosecuted by any officer of any society established in Ceylon for the prevention of cruelty to animals is by law or practice already appropriated to any public authority established in the area, an order made by the Governor in Executive Council, under section 10 of the said Ordinance, shall only take effect in such area, subject to the consent of such public authority signified by resolution notified in the *Government Gazette* and to the extent authorized by such resolution:—

And whereas the Local Board of Kalutara has, under and in pursuance of the proviso to section 10 of the said Ordinance, passed the following resolution:—

"That in cases instituted by officers of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in Kalutara Court the whole fine inflicted be appropriated by the Society":

It is hereby notified that the Governor in Executive Council has, under the provisions of section 10 of the said Ordinance, directed that from and after the date hereof the whole of the fines recovered in respect of offences committed within the Local Board limits of Kalutara and punishable under the said Ordinance which shall have been prosecuted by any officer of the Society established in Ceylon for the prevention of cruelty to animals shall be paid to such Society.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE NOTARIES ORDINANCE, 1907."

NOTICE is hereby given, as required by the provisions of clause 21 (1) of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Governor that Mr. Magalage Carolis Perera Gunawardene, Notary Public of Colombo, in the District of Colombo, has so conducted himself by repeated breaches of the rules framed under the Notaries Ordinance that he ought not to be any longer entrusted with the performance of the duties of a Notary, and that by reason of age and physical and mental infirmity he has proved himself to be incapable of discharging his duties with advantage to the public, His Excellency, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, in terms of clause 20 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, cancelled the warrant of the said Notary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 6, 1913.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

## "THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ORDINANCE, 1895."

WHEREAS by Notifications dated July 1, 1899, and July 18, 1901, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, divided the several Provinces of the Island for the purposes of the registration of births and deaths into the divisions specified in the schedules to the said Notifications:

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 6 of "The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance, 1895," as amended by "The Births and Deaths Registration (Amendment) Ordinance, 1900," and with the advice of the Executive Council, has amended and altered, with effect from January 1, 1914, the division specified in the first column of the annexed schedule in the manner specified in the second column thereof.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1913.

By His Excellency's command,  
R. E. STUBBS,  
Colonial Secretary.

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

*Eastern Province, Batticaloa District.*

Boundaries as defined by Proclamation  
of July 18, 1901.

19 (a).—*Karaivaku Pattu Central Division.*

Boundaries:—

North by Dhoby street (minor road) leading from Pandiruppu seashore to Naipaddimūnai;  
South by Uttumādūkkarai and the lane passing by Vaddi Umeru's boutique;  
East by the sea; and  
West by Karaivaku paddy fields and Ayiliadi path, comprising the villages of Kalmunai and Kalmunai Kudiyiruppu.

Boundaries as defined by this Notification.

19 (a) (1).—*Kalmunai Town.*

Boundaries:—

North by a minor road leading to the seabeach from Naipaddimūnai;  
South by Kalmunai village;  
East by the seashore; and  
West by Ayiliadi road and paddy fields called Karaivakuvaddai.

19 (a) (2).—*Kalmunai Kudy Division.*

Boundaries:—

North by Kalmunai town.  
South by Sainthamaruthu village.  
East by the seashore.  
West by paddy fields called Karaivakuvaddai.

## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

## UNIVERSITY OF LONDON.

OF the eighteen candidates who were competing for the Scholarship in Arts, nine, namely, Nos. 4,307, 4,311, 4,318, 4,323, 4,325, 4,328, 4,329, 4,334, and 4,339, failed to qualify for the Scholarship, and the order of merit of the remaining candidates stands thus:—

|       |    |                                    |    |                              |
|-------|----|------------------------------------|----|------------------------------|
| 4,308 | .. | Mr. Ponnambalam Cumaraswamy        | .. | Royal College                |
| 4,316 | .. | Mr. Gerald Frank Ernst             | .. | Royal College                |
| 4,341 | .. | Mr. Norman Edward Weerasooria      | .. | Royal College                |
| 4,331 | .. | Mr. Joseph Lionel Christie Rodrigo | .. | Royal College                |
| 4,321 | .. | Mr. Edward Wilmot Kannangara       | .. | St. John's College, Panadura |
| 4,337 | .. | Mr. Vernon Louis St. Clair Swan    | .. | St. Thomas's College         |
| 4,320 | .. | Mr. Siriman de Silva Jayaratne     | .. | St. Thomas's College         |
| 4,322 | .. | Mr. Edmund Elmar Mack              | .. | Wesley College               |
| 4,326 | .. | Mr. Thomas Francis Martin Peiris   | .. | St. Joseph's College         |

The University Scholarship in Arts is awarded to Mr. Ponnambalam Cumaraswamy.

Of the six candidates who were competing for the Scholarship, three, namely, Nos. 4,206, 4,207, and 4,208, failed to qualify for the Scholarship, and the order of merit of the remaining candidates is as follows:—

|       |    |                                     |    |                          |
|-------|----|-------------------------------------|----|--------------------------|
| 4,201 | .. | Mr. Ubald Dieudonne Robert Caspersz | .. | St. Benedict's Institute |
| 4,204 | .. | Mr. Cyril Amadore Jayasuriya        | .. | Royal College            |
| 4,209 | .. | Mr. Manicasothy Saravanamuttu       | .. | St. Thomas's College     |

The University Scholarship in Science is awarded to Mr. Ubald Dieudonne Robert Caspersz.

Education Department,  
Colombo, November 13, 1913.

J. HARWARD,  
Director of Education.

## Intermediate Examination in Science, 1913.

## PASS LIST.

*Ceylon (Colombo).*

|       |                                     |                             |
|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 4,201 | .. Caspersz, Ubald Dieudonne Robert | .. St. Benedict's Institute |
| 4,206 | .. Nagalingam, Chellappah           | .. Royal College            |
| 4,209 | .. Saravanamuttu, Manicasothy       | .. St. Thomas's College     |
| 4,208 | .. Suntharalingam, Chellappah       | .. St. Joseph's College     |
| 4,211 | .. Weerasinghe, Charles Hector      | .. Royal College            |

## Intermediate Examination in Arts, 1913.

## PASS LIST.

## ENTIRE EXAMINATION.

*Ceylon (Colombo).*

|       |                                      |                           |
|-------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 4,319 | .. Jayah, Tuan Brahanudeen           | .. Private Study          |
| 4,322 | .. Mack, Edmund Elmar                | .. Wesley College         |
| 4,326 | .. Peiris, Thomas Francis Martin     | .. St. Joseph's College   |
| 4,331 | .. Rodrigo, Joseph Lionel Christie   | .. Royal College          |
| 4,334 | .. Schokman, Samuel John Charles     | .. Trinity College, Kandy |
| 4,337 | .. Swan, Vernon Louis St. Clair      | .. St. Thomas's College   |
| 4,338 | .. Thompson, Frederick Joseph Dunbar | .. Private Study          |

## EXCLUDING ENGLISH.

*Ceylon (Colombo).*

|       |                             |   |
|-------|-----------------------------|---|
| 4,332 | .. Sabapathy, Ramalingham   | .. St. Thomas's College and Private Study |
| 4,339 | .. Van Geyzel, Vivian Allan | .. Royal College                          |

## ENGLISH ONLY.

*Ceylon (Colombo).*

|       |                              |                                 |
|-------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 4,321 | .. Kannangara, Edward Wilmot | .. St. John's College, Panadura |
|-------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|

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

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| Very Rev. J. Brault | .. Alutambalama Vernacular Mixed School, which is situated in Hewagam korale of the Udugaha pattu of the Western Province. |
| Rev. D. M. Craner   | .. Kandy Boys' English School, which is situated in the Kandy District of the Central Province.                            |

Observations will be received not later than December 13, 1913.

Education Department,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

J. HARWARD,  
Director of Education.

## NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for supplying best kallundai and best country rice at Tabbowa, in the Puttalam District, North-Western Province, from January 1, 1914, to October 31, 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 supply of best Kallundai and best Country Rice to the Irrigation Department" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, November 18, 1913.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application either at the Office of the Director of Irrigation, Trincomalee, or at any Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be treated as informal and rejected.

6. A deposit of Rs. 100 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Samples of rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed bottles—not in bags—at the Office of the Director of Irrigation, Trincomalee, not later than November 15, 1913, labelled with the name of the tenderer, a description of the rice, and the name of the work to which the supply of rice is tendered for.

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.

Office of the Director of Irrigation, J. A. BALFOUR,  
Trincomalee, October 21, 1913. Director of Irrigation.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for repairing the Salt Stores Nos. 24, 27, and 28, Northern Depot, Puttalam," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 1 P.M. on November 20, 1913, from persons willing to contract.

*Specification.*

The roofs of stores Nos. 24 and 27 to be repaired with new cadjans in required places.

Upper structure of the roof of the store No. 28 to be dismantled and rebuilt utilizing the serviceable timber and reattached with new cadjans.

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

Pootos to be placed on roofs 18 in. apart to serve as weights.

Bulges of walls to be made straight and properly adjusted.

Inside of stores to be lined with new cadjans.

Floor of stores to be levelled with clay and stamped where necessary.

Tenderers to observe the following conditions:—

1. Money deposit of Rs. 10 to be made in any Kachcheri on or before November 19, 1913, to be forfeited if the tenderer fails to enter into contract within a reasonable time to be determined by the Assistant Government Agent. Kachcheri receipt should be attached to the tender.



2. Tenderer must name an address in Puttalam, where all letters may be served on or left for him.
3. No advance will be given.
4. The work to be completed within four weeks after notice of acceptance of tender.
5. For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kacheheri, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
November 1, 1913. for Assistant Government Agent.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for repairing the Salt Department Officers' Quarters and for providing four new Doors and Frames to Patrols' Huts at Eastern Saltern," will be received by the Assistant Government Agent, Puttalam, up to 1 P.M. on November 21, 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.

Pootus to be placed on roofs to serve as weights.

Doors and windows and the beams in supervisor's bungalow to be painted in red.

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

Roofs to be re-thatched.

Walls to be repaired in required places and whitewashed.

Kitchen and outhouses to be repaired.

Compound and verandah fences to be properly rebuilt, using good sticks, and cadjanned.

Two new locks and keys to be provided for the 1st class constable's house.

Four doors and frames with locks and keys complete to be provided for the huts of patrols Nanayakkara, Sandanam, Anthonypillai, and Francis.

The door shutters to be made of hull planks or other durable wood and frames of palu or margosa.

Floor of patrol Severinus' hut to be raised half foot high with clay.

Tenderers to observe the following conditions :—

1. Money deposit of Rs. 10 to be made in any Kachcheri on or before November 20, 1913, to be forfeited if the tenderer fails to enter into contract within a reasonable time to be determined by the Assistant Government Agent. Kachcheri receipt to be attached to the tender.
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 one month after notice of acceptance of tender.
5. For further particulars apply to the Salt Inspector, Puttalam.

Puttalam Kachcheri, C. COOMARASWAMY,  
November 12, 1913. for Assistant Government Agent.

**T**ENDERS for the contract of daily scavenging the town of Huluganga, within the Sanitary Board limits, from January 1, 1914, to December 31, 1914, will be received by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy District, up to noon on Friday, November 28, 1913.

For particulars of work and conditions of contract apply to the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy.

Kandy Kachcheri, W. J. L. ROGERSON,  
November 3, 1913. for Chairman.

**S**EPARATE tenders for the right to sell beef, mutton and fish at the beef, mutton, and fish stalls respectively at Norwood for 1914 will be received by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy District, up to noon on Friday, November 28, 1913. The tenders should be sealed, and the stall on account of which the tender is made should be stated on the outside.

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

The rents shall be payable in advance.

For further particulars apply to the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy.

Kandy Kachcheri, W. J. L. ROGERSON,  
November 3, 1913. for Chairman.

**T**ENDERS for carrying on the trade of meat and mutton butchers and fish mongers within the limits of the Local Board, Hatton-Dikoya, for the year 1914, in accordance with the extract from the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 5,871 of August 15, 1902, and under the provisions of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, should be in by 12 noon, at the Local Board Office, Hatton; on Tuesday, November 25, 1913.

Successful tenderers will have to pay the assessment tax of their stalls for the year 1914.

The Board reserves to itself the right to accept or reject any tender.

By order,  
Local Board Office, J. C. MCC. HEYZER,  
Hatton, November 5, 1913. Secretary.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Scavenging and Latrine Conservancy," will be received by the Chairman, Local Board, Anuradhapura, till 12 noon on Monday, November 17, 1913, for the under-mentioned service for 1914 :—

1. Scavenging : sweeping and clearing all town roads and drains daily, and carting the sweepings and refuse to such places as may be fixed by the Chairman from time to time. Clearing the cattle pound and the slaughter-house daily.
2. Latrine Conservancy : removing between fixed hours and burying at such places as may from time to time be fixed by the Chairman the night soil from all the public and private latrines, and thoroughly cleansing and disinfecting the latrines.
3. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit cash equal to one-fourth of the amount of his tender as security for the due performance of the contract.
4. The Chairman does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
5. Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Local Board.

Local Board Office, B. CONSTANTINE,  
Anuradhapura, November 8, 1913. Chairman.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for clearing an area in the Vavuniya Range of the Jaffna Division enclosed within the following boundaries :—

*North.*—Boundary of Tonigala reserve.

*East.*—North-Central road.

*West.*—Railway line.

*South.*—Line due west of 109th milepost, North-Central road.

Area to be fully cleared of all growth, except satin, teak, mahogany, ebony, and any other valuable species which the Assistant Conservator of Forests may direct not to be cut, and all available materials should be cut into firewood and stacked on the western side of the railway line. Each piece of wood should be 3 feet in length, and not less than 12 inches nor more than 36 inches in girth. The following species should not be cut for firewood, viz. :—Etdemata, lunumidella, rukattana, divikaduru, kaju, walkaduru, cotton, erabadu, dadap, kekuna, amba, gedumba, kottan, and imbul.

2. The main object of the work is to clear the area and leave it in a fit state for planting out forest trees.

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

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

5. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Railway Firewood Supply, Vavuniya," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, November 25, 1913.

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



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

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

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of the bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 6. A further security in cash of 5 per cent. of the value of contract will be required of the contractor when entering into the bond. And the sureties may be required to produce a certificate of competency signed by a chief headman before signing the bond.

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 of accepting any portion of a tender.

12. Tenders must quote a rate, written both in words and figures, per cubic yard of firewood delivered to the Railway.

A. J. KILMARTIN,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Jaffna, October 22, 1913. Jaffna Division.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the construction of an extension of the old Smiths' Shop and Foundry, Colombo, for the Locomotive and Carriage Works of the Ceylon Government Railway in Colombo.

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 Extension of old Smiths' Shop and Foundry, Colombo, Ceylon Government Railway," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, December 9, 1913.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be considered as informal and rejected.

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

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

8. The tender must state the period in which the contractor is prepared to complete the work. Speedy completion is desirable, and will be taken into account in deciding the contract.

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

12. Drawings and specifications may be seen on application to the Engineer of Way and Works, from whom any further information may be obtained, at his office in Captain's Garden, Colombo.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the construction of a new bay to the Machine Shop, Colombo, for the Locomotive and Carriage Works of the Ceylon Government Railway in Colombo.

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 new Bay to Machine Shop, Colombo, Ceylon Government Railway," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, December 9, 1913.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be considered as informal and rejected.

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

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

8. The tender must state the period in which the contractor is prepared to complete the work. Speedy completion is desirable, and will be taken into account in deciding the contract.

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

12. Drawings and specifications may be seen on application to the Engineer of Way and Works, from whom any further information may be obtained, at his office in Captain's Garden, Colombo.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the construction of an additional new garage at San Sebastian, Colombo, for the Locomotive and Carriage Works of the Ceylon Government Railway in Colombo.

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 additional new Garage, San Sebastian, Colombo, Ceylon Government Railway," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, December 9, 1913.

5. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the General Manager of the Railway, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form. Alterations must be initialled, otherwise the tenders may be considered as informal and rejected.

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

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

8. The tender must state the period in which the contractor is prepared to complete the work. Speedy completion is desirable, and will be taken into account in deciding the contract.

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

12. Drawings and specifications may be seen on application to the Engineer of Way and Works, from whom any further information may be obtained, at his office in Captain's Garden, Colombo.

General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.

**T**ENDERS are invited for the supply—

(a) Of cooked diets to estate coolies at the temporary camp at Tonitorai and thereafter at Mandapam for a period of two years from the opening of the Mannar Railway. A diet sheet will be supplied with the form of tender.

2. The tender must specify the rate per meal.

3. Two meals to be supplied daily.

4. Kitchen buildings and permanent fittings will be provided.

(b) For supplying meals to other inmates of the camp (third class passengers, second class passengers, and first class passengers) at authorized rates.

5. Sample diet sheets with the respective rates quoted should be submitted, and the amount tendered for this privilege should be stated.

(c) For the privilege of selling coffee, fruit, tobacco, milk, aerated waters, and sundry provisions at authorized rates to inmates of the camp.

6. Schedule of rates and amount tendered should be stated.

7. For further particulars apply to the Chairman, Plague Committee, Colombo.

8. 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.

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

10. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of Cooked Food to Coolies at Tonitorai and Mandapam" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, December 2, 1913.

11. Tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Chairman, Plague Committee (H. M. Customs, 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.

12. A deposit of Rs. 150 will be required to be made at the Treasury, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

13. The successful tenderer shall, on intimation of his tender being accepted, within thirty days after receipt of a written notice to that effect, execute a bond in a sum of Rs. 1,000 with two sureties each in a similar sum binding himself to observe the terms of the contract.

14. 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.

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

F. BOWES,  
H. M. Customs, Chairman, Plague Committee.  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

## SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Diyatalawa, on Wednesday, December 17, 1913, at 8 A.M. :—

|                       |  |                                   |
|-----------------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| 4 tar barrels, empty  |  | 1 can, iron galvanized, 8 quarts. |
| 85 cans, tin and iron |  |                                   |

HENRY B. LEES,  
Public Works Office, for Director of Public Works.  
Colombo, November 11, 1913.

**A** SALE of salvage materials (empty oil tins, cans, zinc and tin lining, empty barrels, &c.) will be held by public auction at the Railway Stores, Maradana, at 2 P.M., on Wednesday, November 26, 1913.

G. P. GREENE,  
General Manager.  
General Manager's Office,  
Colombo, November 3, 1913.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

## Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended November 8, 1913.

*Births.*—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 95 (1 European, 12 Burghers, 52 Sinhalese, 14 Tamils, 13 Moors, 2 Malays, and 1 Other). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1913, viz., 235,829) was 21·0, as against 25·9 in the preceding week, 24·9 in the corresponding week of last year, and 23·0 the weekly average for last year.

*Deaths.*—The total deaths registered were 140 (0 Europeans, 8 Burghers, 68 Sinhalese, 26 Tamils, 28 Moors, 6 Malays, and 4 Others). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 30·9, as against 27·9 in the previous week, 28·6 in the corresponding week of last year, and 29·5 the weekly average of last year.

*Infantile Deaths.*—Of the 140 total deaths, 39 were of infants under one year of age, as against 35 in the preceding week, 36 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 30 the average of last year.

*Stillbirths.*—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 12.

*Selected Causes of Death.*—Fifteen deaths were registered from *Pneumonia* (against 17 in the previous week and the weekly average for last year), of which 4 were in New Bazaar, 3 each in St. Paul's and Wellawatta, 2 in Kotahena, and 1 each in Pettah, Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), and Kollupitiya. Eleven deaths were registered from *Bronchitis*.

2. Twelve deaths were registered from *Phthisis* (against 11 in the previous week and 14 the weekly average for last year), of which 4 were in Kotahena, 2 each in New Bazaar and Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), and 1 each in Pettah, San Sebastian, St. Paul's, and Maradana hospitals.

3. One death was registered from *Enteric Fever* in Slave Island, against 2 in the previous week and 5 the weekly average for last year.

4. Twelve deaths were registered from *Debility*, 11 from *Enteritis*, 9 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 9 from *Senility*, 6 from *Dysentery*, 5 from *Peritonitis*, 3 from *Diarrhoea*, 3 from *Tetanus*, 3 from *Cirrhosis of the Liver*, 3 from *Anchylostomiasis*, 2 from *Atelectasis*, 2 from *Hemiplegia*, 2 from *Worms*, 1 from an *Accidental Fall of a Wall*, and 30 from *Other Causes*.

5. One death was registered from *Cholera* in New Bazaar, against 11 in the previous week. Two cases of *Cholera* were reported during the week, against 4 in the previous week.

6. Two cases of *Measles* were reported, against nil in the previous week; and 1 of *Chickenpox*, against 13 in the previous week.

*State of the Weather.*—The mean temperature of air was 79·0°, against 79·7° in the preceding week and in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·868 in., against 29·821 in. in the preceding week and 29·858 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 2·22 in., against 2·24 in. in the preceding week and 0·55 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1913.

A. DE S. WICKRAMATILAKA,  
for Registrar-General.