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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.

KNOW Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers in Us vested by section 256 of "The Criminal Procedure Code, 1898," as amended by "The Criminal Procedure Code (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 8 of 1913," do hereby exempt from service as juror in the Supreme Court the person for the time being holding the following office, to wit:—

The Registrar-General.

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

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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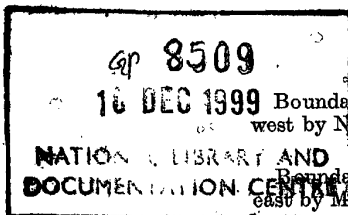
KNOW YE that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the powers vested in Us by section 1 of "The Muhammadan Marriage Registration Ordinance, 1886," and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby appoint that the said Ordinance shall, as from and after April 1, 1914, come into operation in the several districts of Koralai pattu, Rugam pattu, Bintennai pattu, Eruvil and Porativu pattus, Karavaku and Nintavur pattus, Sammanturai and Nadukadu pattus, Akkarai pattu, and Panawa pattu, in the Eastern Province, as defined in the schedule hereto.

Given at Nuwara Eliya, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Thirty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine hundred and Fourteen.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.



SCHEDULE.

Koralai Pattu.

Boundaries: North by Verugal-ganga; south by Eravur pattu; east by sea; west by North-Central Province.

Rugam Pattu.

Boundaries: North by Eravur pattu; south and west by Bintennai pattu; east by Mammunai North pattu.

Bintennai Pattu.

Boundaries: North by North-Central Province and Eravur and Rugam pattus; south by the Province of Uva; east by Mammunai North and South pattus and Porativu pattu; west by Mahaweli-ganga.

Eruvil and Porativu Pattus.

Boundaries: North by Mammunai South pattu; south by Sammanturai pattu and Batticaloa lake; east by sea; west by Naval-aru.

Karavaku and Nintavur Pattus.

Boundaries: North by Batticaloa lake; south by Akkarai pattu; east by sea; west by Batticaloa lake and Sammanturai pattu.

Sammanturai and Nadukadu Pattus.

Boundaries: North by Porativu pattu; south by Akkarai pattu; east by Batticaloa lake and Karavaku and Nintavur pattus; west by Naval-aru.

Akkarai Pattu.

Boundaries: North by Sammanturai and Nintavur pattus; south by Panawa pattu; east by sea; west by the Province of Uva.

Panawa Pattu.

Boundaries: North by Akkarai pattu; south by Kumbukkan-aru; east by sea; west by the Province of Uva.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 127 of 1914.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, with the approval of the SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, to promote Mr. R. W. BYRDE to Class I., Grade II., of the Civil Service, with effect from January 24, 1914. Mr. BYRDE will remain seconded for service as Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 30, 1914.

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 128 of 1914.

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

Mr. C. R. CUMBERLAND to act, in addition to his own duties, as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Jaffna, from April 10 to 23, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. M. S. PINTO from the station or until further orders.

Mr. E. G. AUWARDT to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate, Tangalla, and Superintendent of the Tangalla Prison, from April 10

to 18, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. F. D. PERIES from the station or until further orders.

Mr. R. E. BLAZÉ to act as District Judge, Commissioner of Requests, and Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Badulla-Haldummulla, from April 5 to 9, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. T. REID on leave.

Mr. T. K. CARRON to act as District Judge, Negombo, and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance within the limits of the Local Board of Negombo, from April 23 to May 1, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. H. E. BEVEN on leave or until further orders.

Mr. E. RODRIGO to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional District Judge and Assistant Collector of Customs, Negombo, from April 9 to May 1, 1914, inclusive; during the absence of Mr. H. E. BEVEN from the station or until further orders.

Mr. N. J. LUDDINGTON to act, in addition to his own duties, as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Kurunegala, from April 10 to 19, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. E. T. DYSON from the station or until further orders.

Mr. A. V. VAN LANGENBERG to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Gampola, and Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Nuwara Eliya-Hatton, for April 3 and 4, 1914, during the absence of Mr. W. T. STACE from the station or until further orders.

Mr. J. A. MAYBIN to be, in addition to his own duties, Additional Police Magistrate for the judicial division of Badulla-Haldummulla from April 10 to 14, 1914, inclusive, during the absence of Mr. T. REID from the station or until further orders.

Mr. W. W. WOODS to act as Colonial Auditor, with effect from April 8, 1914, until further orders.

Mr. A. H. NATHANIELSZ, District Engineer, Puttalam, to be an Official Member of the Local Board, Puttalam, *vice* Mr. L. P. STORK, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 2, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 129 of 1914.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to nominate Mr. W. W. WOODS, under section 103 of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, to be an Auditor of the accounts of the Municipalities of Colombo, Kandy, and Galle for the year 1914, *vice* Mr. D. S. MACGREGOR, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 2, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 130 of 1914.

IT is hereby notified that Mr. W. R. H. WIJEYASINGHA, Mudaliyar, Puttalam pattu, has been appointed an Unofficial Member of the District Road Committee, Puttalam, for the years 1914 and 1915, *vice* Mr. P. B. MADAHAPOLA, transferred.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, March 25, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

No. 131 of 1914.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased, under the provisions of section 6(d) of Ordinance No. 8 of 1907, to nominate the Rev. W. T. GARRETT to be a Member of the District School Committee, Batticaloa, *vice* Rev. A. LOCKWOOD.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 1, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

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

Mr. E. T. ABEYNAIKE to act as Registrar of Lands, Colombo, for one week and two days from April 1, 1914, during the absence of Mudaliyar F. W. M. KARUNARATNE on leave or until further orders.

Mr. D. L. DHARMAWARDHANA to act as Registrar of Lands, Kandy, for four days from April 6, 1914, during the absence of Mudaliyar JAMES G. DE SILVA on leave or until further orders.

Mr. A. V. RAMANATHAN to act as Registrar of Lands, Mannar, for four weeks and three days from March 24, 1914, during the absence of Mr. R. M. THEVATHASAN on leave or until further orders.

Dr. BRINLEY FERNANDO, L.M.S. (Ceylon), to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Colombo Municipality No. 1 Division, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, with effect from April 1, 1914, *vice* Dr. H. U. LEEMBRUGGEN, transferred. His office will be at the Port Surgeon's Office, Fort.

Mr. SOLOMON DUWEARATCHI to be Registrar of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Nuwara Eliya town division, in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, with effect from March 31, 1914, *vice* Mr. D. A. A. PERERA, transferred. His office will be at the Nuwara Eliya Kachcheri.

MERENNA JOHANNES DE SILVA JAYARATNA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kahawa division, in the

Galle District of the Southern Province, for three months, with effect from April 1, 1914, *vice* DAVID HENRY DIAS WIJETILLEKASURIYA-ARACHCHI AMARASEKERA, dismissed. His office will be at Mahagederawatta in Akurala.

MARISALPILLAI UDAIYAR SANTAMPILLAI, of Chinnachcheddikulam, to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chinnachcheddikulam West division, in the Mullaithivu District of the Northern Province, with effect from April 1, 1914, *vice* M. MIRASAIBO, resigned. His office will be at Kannaddy in Chinnachcheddikulam West.

Mr. TATODUS GOONETILLEKE to be Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) in the Batticaloa District of the Eastern Province, with effect from April 1, 1914. His office will be at the Batticaloa Kachcheri.

Mr. J. W. KIRBY to be Additional Deputy Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths of Badulla town division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, with effect from April 1, 1914, *vice* Mr. M. DAVID SILVA, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Badulla.

K. M. SUDU BANDA provisionally to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Buttala korale division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Buttala division, in the Badulla District of the Province of Uva, with effect from April 12, 1914, *vice* Registrar, E. J. B. G. APPUHAMY, deceased. His office will be at Kapurallewatta in Alutwela; station: Etulwidiya in Kataragama.

PALLEHAGE PUNCHIMAHATMAYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Radella division, and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Nawadun korale division, in the Ratnapura District of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, for four days, with effect from March 27, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, P. CHANDANAHAMY, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's Office, Radella.

By His Excellency's command,
Colonial Secretary's Office, R. E. STUBBS,
Colombo, April 1, 1914. Colonial Secretary.

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

The Provincial Registrar, Central Province, has appointed Mr. CHARLES DIAS JAYASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Kandy Municipality division, in the Kandy District of the Central Province, for five days from March 27, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, Mr. D. G. KRELTZHEIM, on leave. His office will be at No. 65, Trincomalee street, Kandy.

The Provincial Registrar, Northern Province, has appointed Dr. RICHARD SOLOMON SANTIAGO to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Locality No. 1, Jaffna town division, in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from April 1, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, Miss A. SYMONDS, on leave. His office will be at Ebony House in Jaffna town.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Colombo, has appointed Dr. D. DADABROY to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Division No. 4 of the Colombo Municipality, in the Colombo District of the Western Province, for ten days from April 1, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar on leave. His office will be at No. 38, New Moor street, Colombo.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kalutara, has appointed DON ANDREW WETTASINHA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Yalagala division, and of Marriages (General) of Munwattabage pattu division, in the Kalutara District of the Western Province, for thirty days from March 25, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, D. J. WETTASINHA, on sick leave. His office will be at Hikgahakurunduwatta in Yalagala.

The Additional 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 eight days from April 5, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar,

DON UDENIS JAYASINHA, on leave. His office will be at Getapussekandepaulakattiya in Walagedera.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Galle, has appointed SANTIYAPUHEWA MARTINUS DE SILVA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Ambalangoda division, and of Marriages (General) of Wellaboda pattu, in the Galle District of the Southern Province, for thirty days from April 4, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, C. D. S. T. KURUKULARATNA, on sick leave. His office will be at house No. 23 in Malanwatanewatta.

The Additional Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed J. A. M. JAYAWEERA to act as Registrar of Marriages (General) of Matara Four Gravets division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for seven days from March 23, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, J. M. D. CAROLIS, on sick leave. His office will be at Jambughawatta in Kadeweediya.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Hambantota, has appointed DON PHILIPU WEERASURIYA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Medawalakada division, and of Marriages (General) of Magam pattu division, in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province, for fourteen days from March 24, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, D. S. DEANASURIYA, on leave. His office will be at Bangalawewatta in Weligatta.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mannar, has appointed Dr. ARUMUGAM CHELLAPPAN to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Mantai North division, in the Mannar District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from March 13, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, C. SIVAKKOLUNTHU, on other duty. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Mantota.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Kurunegala, has appointed LANSAKARA KULATUNGA MUDIYANSELAGE PUNCHI BANDA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Hewawisse korale division, and of Marriages (General) of Weudawili hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province, for fourteen days from March 25, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, K. B. ALAWALA, on sick leave. His office will be at Alawala.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Puttalam, has appointed HERAT KAPURUHAMY, of Kirimetiya, to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths and of Marriages (General) of Kirimetiya pattu division, in the Puttalam District of the North-Western Province, for six days from March 23, 1914, during the absence of the Registrar, R. A. H. M. HERAT BANDA, on leave. His office will be at the permanent Registrar's house at Nawagattegama.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, April 1, 1914.

BERTRAM HILL,
Registrar-General.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified to all Heads of Departments that it is the desire of His Excellency the Governor that all Volunteers in the employment of Government should be granted leave of absence on full pay, which will be counted as absence on duty and not as absence on leave, from July 16 to 25, 1914 (in the case of members of all Corps, except the Ceylon Artillery Volunteers), and from July 19 to 28, 1914, instead of from July 23 to August 1 as already notified (in the case of members of the Ceylon Artillery Volunteers), to permit of their attendance at the Annual Camp of Instruction at Diyatalawa.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 24, 1914.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned candidate has passed the Notaries' Final Examination with a view to practising in the English language:—

M. S. Fernando.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 30, 1914.

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

“THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898.”

IT is hereby notified that the following by-law made by the Local Board of Trincomalee, in pursuance of sub-section (11) of section 56 of the Local Boards Ordinance, No. 13 of 1898, and in substitution for by-law 2 of Chapter VI. of Schedule D of the said Ordinance, has been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 57 of the said Ordinance, and is hereby published for general information.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 31, 1914.

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

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

No horses, cattle, sheep, goats, or swine shall be tethered or grazed upon any public ground vested in the Board without a license from the Chairman. Such license may be granted for a year or any shorter period at the discretion of the Chairman, and shall be subject to such fee and such conditions as the Board shall from time to time appoint.

“THE LOCAL BOARDS ORDINANCE, 1898.”

IT is hereby notified that the following by-laws made by the Local Board of Chilaw, under and in pursuance of section 56 (5) of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898, have been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and are hereby published.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 1, 1914.

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

BY-LAWS REFERRED TO.

1. No person shall keep a bakery without a license from the Chairman of the Local Board.
2. Every room in a bakery used (a) for kneading of dough or preparation of bread and (b) for baking of bread, or for either of these purposes, shall be well ventilated and well lighted, and the walls thereof plastered with cement, and the floor cemented throughout, and the proper drainage provided; a ceiling shall also be provided when so ordered by the Chairman.
3. No bakery or place used for the sale of bread shall be within 30 feet of any cesspit, latrine, or open sewer.
4. No room in a bakery used (a) for kneading of dough or preparation of bread and (b) for baking of bread, or for either of these purposes, shall be used as a dwelling place or for any purpose other than the preparation and baking of bread.
5. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to a bakery or place used for the sale of bread shall be kept scrupulously clean, and the tops of all tables are to be made of closely fitting planks free from holes and crevices.
6. All refuse and dirt in or about the premises of a bakery or place used for the sale of bread shall be removed without delay and the drains kept well flushed.
7. All bread, cakes, or sweetmeats kept or exposed for sale shall be kept in properly constructed glass cases free from flies. The glass cases shall be kept scrupulously clean.
8. No person suffering from any cutaneous, contagious, or infectious disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any such person, or who is otherwise unclean, shall be employed in or about any place used as a bakery or for selling bread.
9. All persons employed in the preparation and baking of bread shall wear clean white aprons covering the chest and the body.
10. It shall be lawful for the Local Board Inspectors, Secretary, or other persons authorized in writing by the Chairman at any time to enter and inspect any bakery or place used for the sale of bread, provided that there is some one on the premises.
11. Copies of the above by-laws in English, Sinhalese, and Tamil must be hung up in a conspicuous place in every bakery.

WITH reference to the Notification dated February 9, 1904, published in the *Gazette* of the 19th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that a despatch has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies intimating that the provisions of the German Law authorizing the grant of most-favoured-nation treatment to the British Empire, which have from time to time been prolonged beyond December 31, 1905, have now, by a Law dated December 13, 1913, and Notification of the Imperial Chancellor dated December 19, 1913, been extended until December 31, 1915.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, March 27, 1914.

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

"THE MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE, NO. 25 OF 1908."

IN terms of regulations Nos. 55, 56, and 57 of the regulations dated August 4, 1910, and October 11, 1913, framed under "The Motor Car Ordinance, No. 25 of 1908," it is hereby notified for general information that the roads mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed 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, and with the modified conditions specified in the schedule referred to.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 1, 1914.

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

SCHEDULE.

1. Roads on which there is no objection to motor lorries being run under the regulations:—

Kandy-Haragama road to junction of Dumbara Valley road.
Dumbara Valley road.
Gonawatta ferry to Rajawella road.
Talawakele-Agrapata road.
Bandarawela-Badulla road.
Badulla-Passara road.
Spring Valley road.
Bandarawela-Haputale road.
Kumbalwella-Passara road.
Bandarawela-Leangahawella road.
Matara-Deniyaya road.
Deniyaya-Hayes road.
Colombo-Kandy road (between Colombo and Kegalla).
Talawakele-Lindula road.
Lindula-Agras road.
Passara-Madulsima road.
Dikwella-Madulla road.
Ratnapura-Karawita road.
Colombo-Matara road, within Municipal limits of Galle.
Gampola-Pussellawa road (with the exception of Gampola bridge).
Pupuressa road.

2. Roads on which there is no objection to motor lorries being run under modified conditions as to total weights stated:—

	Weight allowed. Tons.
Horana-Alutgama road	3
Colombo-Bentota road	3
Katukurunda-Nagoda-Kalawellawa road	3
Nambapana road	3
Tebuwana-Angurawatota road	3
Nagoda-Neboda road	2½
Labugama road	2½
Wattegama-Rangala road	3
Kandy-Rangala road	3
Kandy-Matale road	3
Matale-Dambulla road	3
Kandy-Deltota road	3
Wattegama-Madulkele road	3
Madulkele-Huluganga bridge road	3
Nawalapitiya-Dolosbage road	3
Craighead-Somerset road	3
Nuwara Eliya-Uda Pussellawa road	3
Tavalantenna-Pundaluoya-Watagoda road	3
Lindula-Nanuoya road	3
Kandy-Hangufanketa-Hewaheta road	3
Peradeniya-Deltota-Hewaheta road	3
Hatton-Norwood bridge road	3
Glenugie-Upcot road	3
Maskeliya road: Norwood bridge to Moray	3
Maskeliya road: Maskeliya to Cruden	3
Dikoya road: Norwood bridge to Campion	3
Bathford Valley road	3
Annfield road	3
Dimbula-Dikoya road	3
Gorge Valley road	3
Wallaha road	3
Iriyagama-Aladeniya road—2nd to 6th miles	2½
Galle-Udugama road	3
Muppane-Hambantota road	2½
Colombo-Ratnapura road	4
Avisawella-Ginigathena road to Kitulgala	3½
Karawanella-Glenalla road to 44th mile	3
Yatiantota-Polatagama road	3
Yatiantota-Ardross road	3
Kegalla-Bulatkohupitiya road	3
Ruanwella-Bulatkohupitiya road	3
Polgahawella-Kegalla road	3
Rambukkana-Kegalla road	3
Rambukkana-Aranayaka road	3
Ratnapura-Balangoda road	2½

"THE SMALL TOWNS SANITARY ORDINANCES, 1892 TO 1909,"

IT is hereby notified that, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, the regulations published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 6,402 of September 16, 1910, have been repealed, and the following regulations have been made by the Sanitary Board of the Mannar District, Northern Province, under and in pursuance of sub-section (2) of section 9 E of "The Small Towns Sanitary Ordinances, 1892 to 1909," in respect of the towns of the Mannar District, and shall come into operation as from and after the date hereof.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, April 1, 1914.

By His Excellency's command,

R. E. STUBBS,
Colonial Secretary.

REGULATIONS REFERRED TO.

Sub-section 2 (a).

1. The ordinary meetings of the Board shall be held at least once a month on such days and at such time and place as the Board shall from time to time by resolution determine. Any special meeting shall be convened at the discretion of the Chairman or on the written requisition of two members of the Board. Provided that it shall be lawful for the Board to adjourn any meeting to any other day or hour.

2. The Chairman at any meeting shall preserve order and decide on all disputed points of order, and his decision on such matters shall be final.

3. As soon after the hour appointed for any meeting (whether ordinary or special) as a quorum shall assemble the member entitled to preside shall take the chair, and the Board shall proceed to business. Should a quorum not be present at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting, the meeting shall stand adjourned, if an ordinary meeting, to the day appointed for the next ordinary meeting, or, if a special meeting, *sine die*.

4. Any member desiring to ask a question or to make a motion, unless in the course of discussion or in case of emergency by special leave of the Board, shall give notice of such question or motion either at some previous meeting of the Board or by notice in writing at least four days before the day on which he intends to ask such question or make such motion, and when any such notice is given, a copy of the question or motion shall be delivered by such member to the clerk of the Board.

5. All questions asked and motions made shall be in the order of the notices thereof, unless the Board shall unanimously decide otherwise.

6. Any member presenting a petition or other communication will be held responsible for its contents being throughout respectful, and no document shall be laid before the Board unless the name and address of the drawer be legibly recorded on it.

7. When a petition or communication is presented by a member, the purport thereof shall be concisely stated by him, and on the motion of any member duly seconded the question shall be put whether or not the document shall be read.

8. The business of the ordinary meetings shall be conducted in the following order:—

- (a) The minutes of the previous meeting shall be read and confirmed after being, if necessary, corrected.
- (b) Memorials, petitions, or other communications addressed to the Board shall be laid before the meeting and orders made thereon.
- (c) The other business shall be considered in the order set down in the order book hereinafter mentioned.

9. The clerk shall keep an order book in which shall be entered and numbered in succession the subjects to be brought under discussion at each meeting, and he shall serve on each member or leave at his residence two days at least before each meeting a notice containing the order of the day copied from the order book. The proceedings of the Board in respect of each item shall be minuted in this book during each sitting.

10. The clerk shall also keep a minute book in which the proceedings of the Board shall be entered, and the minutes of every meeting of the Board as entered in the book shall, after they have been confirmed at any subsequent meeting, be signed by the Chairman of the meeting at which they are so confirmed.

11. The clerk shall lay on the table at each meeting all complaints addressed to the Board and all reports made by officers of the Board and notes of any action taken by the Chairman since the last previous meeting of the Board.

12. Notice of every special meeting shall be served on each member or left at his residence two days at least before the day of such meeting.

Sub-section 2 (d).

13. Every bakery shall be well ventilated and well lighted, and the walls thereof plastered with lime mortar and whitewashed, the floor cemented, and drainage sufficiently provided.

14. Every eating-house and tea and coffee boutique shall be well ventilated and well lighted, and the walls and floor thereof shall always be kept clean and in good repair.

15. No bakery, eating-house, or tea and coffee boutique shall be within 30 feet of any cesspit or latrine, or in a position where bad odours wafted therefrom shall reach it.

16. No place used as a bakery shall be used as a dwelling place or for any other purpose whatsoever.

17. All utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to a bakery, eating-house, or tea and coffee boutique shall be kept clean.

18. The flour, rice, water, and other materials used in the manufacture of bread, rice, or other eatables shall be good and wholesome, and it shall be lawful for any member of the Board or for any person thereto authorized in writing by the Chairman from time to time to demand and obtain samples thereof.

19. All refuse and dirt in and about the premises of a bakery, eating-house, or tea and coffee boutique shall be removed without delay, and the drains kept well flushed.

20. It shall be lawful for any member of the Board or other person authorized in writing by the Chairman at any time to enter and inspect any bakery, eating-house, or tea and coffee boutique, provided there is some one in charge of the premises at the time.

Sub-section (2) (e).

21. It shall not be lawful for any person to slaughter for sale any cattle, sheep, goat, or other animal except at the place or places set apart for that purpose by the Board.

22. It shall be the duty of the person or persons slaughtering any animal at the place or places set apart for that purpose to remove therefrom all refuse and blood and generally clean the place after slaughtering.

Sub-section (2) (f).

23. No person shall keep or deposit or cause to be kept or deposited for sale or storage any guano, bone dust, hides, or any manure or substance whatsoever from which noxious or offensive smells arise, or erect or use any lime or brick kiln or tannery in any place or depôt within the limits of any town, unless such place or depôt be licensed therefor by the Chairman, which license shall be subject to such conditions as the Board may from time to time by resolution in that behalf appoint, and shall be in force from the date of issue until December 31 then next ensuing.

Sub-section (2) (g).

24. It shall not be lawful for any person to introduce into or expose for sale within the limits of any town any meat, fish, poultry, game, flesh, vegetable, fruit, or other article of food which is unfit for human consumption.

25. No person affected with or suffering from any cutaneous, contagious, or infectious disease shall sell or expose for sale any provisions whatsoever.

26. It shall be lawful for the Chairman or any person authorized by him to seize any meat, fish, poultry, game, flesh, vegetable, fruit, or other article of food introduced into or exposed for sale within the limits of any town which he considers to be unfit for human consumption, and upon such seizure to convey the same or cause the same to be conveyed to the Health Officer, or in his absence, or if there be no such officer, to the Magistrate; and if it appear to such Health Officer or Magistrate that such meat, fish, poultry, game, flesh, vegetable, fruit, or other article of food is unfit for human consumption, he shall order the same to be destroyed, or to be so disposed of as to prevent it being exposed for sale or used for food.

Sub-section (2) (j).

27. It shall be the duty of every owner or occupier of any land within the limits of any town which is fenced according to the custom of the place to keep such fence always in good repair, and no fence shall be raised to any height above 7 feet.

28. Whenever any tree or branch or fruit of a tree within the limits of any town shall be deemed after inspection by the Chairman to be likely to fall upon any house or building and injure the occupiers thereof, or whenever the same shall overhang any street, it shall be lawful for the Chairman to cause notice in writing to be given to the owner or occupier of the land upon which such tree stands to cut down or remove the said tree or branch or fruit; and if such owner or occupier shall not cut down or remove the same within twenty-four hours after such notice has been served on him, the Chairman or any officer authorized by him in writing with necessary workmen may enter upon such land and cause the work to be done, and the expense thereby incurred shall be paid by such owner or occupier, and in default of payment may be recovered by the same process by which rates payable under the Ordinance may be recovered.

29. Every owner or occupier of any house, garden, building, or land within the town shall, if so required by the Board, keep such house, garden, building, or land surrounded with a wall or good fence of not less than 4 feet in height from the level of the ground.

Sub-section (2) (k).

30. It shall be lawful for the Board by resolution from time to time to set apart for public bathing such places as it may deem proper, and to determine the hours during which they may be used.

31. A list of the places so set apart for public bathing shall be proclaimed within the limits of the town in which such places are situated by beat of tom-tom, and copies of the list in the English, Sinhalese, and Tamil languages shall be affixed at the office of the Board, and at any other place decided upon by the Chairman.

32. No person shall resort for the purposes of bathing to any public place other than those set apart for that purpose; and no person shall bathe at the place set apart except during the hours determined by the Board.

33. No person shall wash or cause to be washed horses, cattle, clothes, mats, or any other articles at any public place set apart for public bathing.

34. No person suffering from any cutaneous, infectious, or contagious disease shall bathe or wash clothes or any other articles in any public place.

Sub-section (2) (o).

35. It shall not be lawful for any person to erect a house or hut for the purpose of a dwelling place, or permit the same to be occupied as a dwelling place, within the limits of any town, except under the following conditions:—

- (a) Every such house or hut or any room therein to be used for human habitation shall not be less than 120 superficial feet in area, and not less than 10 feet in height, and shall have the eaves at least 6 feet from the ground.
- (b) Every room to be used for human habitation shall have at least one door not less than 6 feet by 3 feet, and at least one window not less than 3 feet by 2 feet.
- (c) When any house or hut has a frontage upon any thoroughfare, the level of the floor of such house or hut shall be at least 1 foot above the level of such thoroughfare, and the house or hut shall be situated at least 4 feet from such thoroughfare.
- (d) It shall be lawful for the Board to cause any house or hut erected contrary to the provisions of this regulation to be taken down at the expense of the owner, if within one month after written notice to him to alter or take down the same he shall fail or neglect to do so; and the expenses incurred thereby may be recovered by the same process as is provided for the recovery of rates under this Ordinance.

Sub-section (2) (t).

36. All owners, tenants, or occupiers of lands within the limits of any town shall keep the same clean and free from all weeds or rank and noisome vegetation, as well as from all refuse and rubbish, and shall remove all vessels or receptacles likely to breed mosquitoes by retaining water.

37. No person shall keep, for the purpose of letting or renting out the same, any cattle shed or halting place for cattle within the limits of any town without a permit from the Board. Such permit may impose such conditions as the Board shall consider necessary for the preservation of public health; and the persons keeping such cattle shed or halting place for cattle shall be bound to observe such conditions. Any permit issued under this rule shall be free of charge.

38. Any person who is desirous that ashes, sweepings, refuse, or other rubbish from his premises shall be removed by the scavengers of the Board shall deposit the same in proper covered tubs, boxes, or other like receptacles as the Board may prescribe at the edge of the road outside his premises at such hours daily as the Board shall from time to time appoint by notice duly published, and shall remove the said tubs, boxes, or other like receptacles within half an hour after the emptying of such tubs, boxes, or other like receptacles by the scavenger. No person shall place any ashes, sweepings, refuse, or other rubbish on any street except in such manner as aforesaid or on any public place other than public dust bins where such are provided.

39. It shall be lawful for the Chairman at any time to require the owner or occupier of any house, building, enclosure, or premises within the limits of any town, by notice in writing, to remove or bury or cause to be removed or buried the contents of any privy, pit, or earth closet, in or belonging to such house, building, enclosure, or premises, to or at such place or places and within such time as shall be set forth in such notice. Should such owner or occupier fail to comply with the requirements of such notice within three days from the time when such notice shall have been served on him, the Chairman may cause the necessary work to be done, and for that purpose shall have power to enter into and upon such house, outhouse, building, enclosure, or premises, with such labourers, implements, and things as may be required; and the expenses incurred shall be recoverable in the same manner as is provided for the recovery of rates under this Ordinance.

40. The occupier of any house or premises within or upon which any cattle, horse, sheep, goat, or pig may die shall within four hours after its death, or if death occurs at night, within four hours after daylight, either remove the carcass at his own expense to such place as may be appointed by the Board for that purpose, or report such death to an officer of the Board; and in such latter case shall pay to the Board the expenses of removing or burying the carcass at such rate as the Board shall determine.

41. It shall not be lawful for any person to ease himself on any thoroughfare, street, road, or path, or any place whatsoever within the limits of any town other than a public latrine or a building or enclosed space which has been set apart for such purpose.

42. It shall not be lawful for any one without the written permission of the Chairman to dig hollows or borrow pits in any town, or to excavate earth from any land within the limits of any town, in such a manner as to allow the accumulation of stagnant water.

Interpretation Clause.

In the regulations the word "town" means a town or village in the District of Mannar proclaimed under the Small Towns Sanitary Ordinance, No. 18 of 1892.

Comparative Statement of the Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon for the Six Months ended December 31, 1913.

REVENUE.

	Estimated.		Actual.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs	6,581,200	0	7,568,017	48	986,817	48	—	—
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues	1,465,600	0	1,553,290	90	87,690	90	—	—
3. Licenses, Excise, and Internal Revenue not otherwise classified	6,209,200	0	6,019,959	3	—	—	189,240	97*
4. Fees of Court or Office, Payment for Specific Services, and Reimbursements in Aid	916,800	0	1,057,737	62	140,937	62	—	—
5. Post and Telegraph	181,200	0	199,006	62	17,806	62	—	—
6. Government Railways	7,520,000	0	8,113,044	99	593,044	99	—	—
7. Interest	585,200	0	769,372	84	184,172	84	—	—
8. Miscellaneous Receipts	203,600	0	253,114	86	49,514	86	—	—
9. Land Revenue	256,400	0	311,957	3	55,557	3	—	—
Total exclusive of Land Sales ..	23,919,200	0	25,845,501	37	2,115,542	34	189,240	97
10. Land Sales ..	828,800	0	642,466	20	—	—	186,333	80†
Grand Total ..	24,748,000	0	26,487,967	57	2,115,542	34	375,574	77
					Less Decrease ..	375,574	77	
					Nett Increase ..	1,739,967	57	

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated.		Actual.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Charges on account of Public Debt ..	2,115,541	20	2,342,293	71	226,752	51	—	—
2. Military Expenditure ..	994,986	80	883,954	8	—	—	106,032	72
3. Pensions ..	824,310	80	827,104	41	2,793	61	—	—
4. Exchange ..	174,450	0	177,137	54	2,687	54	—	—
5. Personal Emoluments ..	8,285,765	60	7,693,495	49	—	—	592,270	11
6. Other Charges ..	8,454,146	80	5,397,275	72	—	—	3,056,871	8
7. Miscellaneous Services ..	611,870	80	609,625	9	—	—	2,245	71
8. Irrigation Works Annually Recurrent ..	69,480	80	54,157	30	—	—	15,323	50
9. Public Works Annually Recurrent ..	1,850,980	0	1,509,415	49	—	—	341,564	51
10. Public Works Extraordinary ..	3,146,006	80	1,258,120	27	—	—	1,887,886	53
11. Irrigation Extraordinary ..	162,735	60	43,080	94	—	—	119,654	66
12. Railway Dept. Extraordinary Works ..	2,591,106	40	1,448,794	20	—	—	1,142,312	20
Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue ..	29,281,381	60	22,249,454	24	232,233	66	7,264,161	2
13. Public Works Extraordinary, chargeable to Loan Funds ..	2,550,566	40	2,615,165	82	64,599	42	—	—
Grand Total ..	31,831,948	0	24,864,620	6	296,833	8	7,264,161	2
					Less Increase ..	296,833	8	
					Nett Decrease ..	6,967,327	94	

General Treasury,
Colombo, March 12, 1914.

BERNARD SENIOR,
Colonial Treasurer.

* Decrease due to the instalments of arrack rents not having been paid in punctually.
† Decrease due to there having been in deposit a sum of over 4 lakhs of rupees pending settlement of properties, since redited to revenue.

Comparative Statement of the Actual Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony of Ceylon for the Six Months ended December 31, 1912, and 1913.

REVENUE.

	1912.		1913.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Customs	6,918,891	90	7,568,017	48	649,125	58	—	—
2. Port, Harbour, Wharf, Warehouse, and other dues	1,479,065	56	1,553,290	90	74,225	34	—	—
3. Licenses, Excise, and Internal Revenue not otherwise classified	4,728,732	10	6,019,959	3	1,291,226	93	—	—
4. Fees of Court or Office, Payment for Specific Services, and Reimbursements in Aid	924,501	64	1,057,737	62	133,235	98	—	—
5. Post and Telegraph	873,197	30	199,006	62	—	—	674,190	68*
6. Government Railways	7,587,420	21	8,113,044	99	525,624	78	—	—
7. Interest	780,316	68	769,372	84	—	—	10,943	84†
8. Miscellaneous Receipts	783,041	79	253,114	86	—	—	509,926	93‡
9. Land Revenue	276,171	13	311,957	3	35,785	90	—	—
Total exclusive of Land Sales	24,331,338	31	25,845,501	37	2,709,224	51	1,195,061	45
10. Land Sales	852,748	73	642,466	20	—	—	210,282	53§
Grand Total	25,184,087	4	26,487,967	57	2,709,224	51	1,405,343	98
							Deduct, Decrease	1,405,343 98
							Nett Increase	1,303,880 53

EXPENDITURE.

	1912.		1913.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
1. Charges on account of Public Debt	2,203,572	79	2,342,293	71	138,720	92	—	—
2. Military Expenditure	869,464	3	888,954	8	19,490	5	—	—
3. Pensions	774,393	84	827,104	41	52,710	57	—	—
4. Exchange	173,924	6	177,137	54	3,213	48	—	—
5. Personal Emoluments	6,383,751	22	7,693,495	49	1,309,744	27	—	—
6. Other Charges	4,613,468	41	5,397,275	72	783,807	31	—	—
7. Miscellaneous Services	754,243	71½	609,625	9	—	—	144,618	62½
8. Irrigation Works Annually Recurrent	64,577	84	54,157	30	—	—	10,420	54
9. Public Works Annually Recurrent	1,455,825	40	1,509,415	49	53,590	9	—	—
10. Public Works Extraordinary	645,849	90	1,258,120	27	612,270	37	—	—
11. Irrigation Extraordinary	53,066	68	43,080	94	—	—	9,985	74
12. Railway Dept. Extraordinary Works	274,792	86	1,448,794	20	1,174,001	34	—	—
13. Works chargeable to Surplus Balances	1,384,449	9	—	—	—	—	1,384,449	9
Total Expenditure chargeable to Revenue	19,651,379	83½	22,249,454	24	4,147,548	40	1,549,473	99½
14. Public Works Extraordinary chargeable to Loan Funds	1,314,896	73	2,615,165	82	1,300,269	9	—	—
Grand Total	20,966,276	56½	24,864,620	6	5,447,817	49	1,549,473	99½
							Deduct, Decrease	1,549,473 99½
							Nett Increase	3,898,343 49½

General Treasury,
Colombo, March 12, 1914.

BERNARD SENIOR,
Colonial Treasurer.

* Decrease due to the use of the "Postal and Revenue" stamp for all postal and telegraph purposes, the receipts of which are brought to account under Head 3, Stamps.

† Decrease due to realization of investments and consequent reduction of capital earning interest.

‡ The receipts for the six months of 1912 included several unusual items, and therefore the decrease is only apparent, there being an increase of Rs. 49,514.86 over the estimate.

§ Decrease due to there having been in deposit a sum of over 4 lakhs of rupees pending settlement of properties, since credited to revenue.

|| The expenditure from surplus balances is now voted under the respective departments.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE

LIABILITIES.		Amount.		Total.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Deposits.</i>					
Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund	..	6,944,940	62		
Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association	..	1,603	63		
Public Service Mutual Provident Association	..	4,647	56		
Commutation Road Ordinance Account	..	105,238	71		
Branch Roads Assessment Account	..	56,520	83½		
Land Settlement Account	..	479,356	32		
Cooly Expenses Account	..	72,035	92		
Postmaster-General's Account	..	129,407	80		
Ceylon Savings Bank Account	..	2,932	44		
New Currency Account	..	98,332	91		
Local Kachcheries	..	2,449,561	79		
Treasurer { Suits	Rs. 128,265·60½	746,848	6½		
{ Miscellaneous	„ 618,582·45½				
		<hr/>		11,091,426	59½
<i>Drafts Unpaid.</i>					
Treasury and Local Kachcheries	..	222,512	94		
Family remittances	..	4,180	50		
		<hr/>		226,693	44
<i>Due to Governments and Agencies.</i>					
His Majesty's Government	..	2,217	92		
Crown Agents (Current Account)	..	172,411	81		
Government of India	..	404,664	84		
Agents, Bombay	..	557	93		
Agents, Calcutta	..	5	52		
		<hr/>		579,858	2
Sinking Fund on Local Loans	..	—	—	170,014	10
Sinking Fund on Loan to Colombo Municipal Council	..	—	—	231,514	9
Drainage Works	..	—	—	23,865,510	35½
Surplus	..	—	—		
		<hr/>		Rs. 36,165,016	60

COLONY OF CEYLON ON DECEMBER 31, 1913.

ASSETS.	Amount.	Total.
<i>Cash.</i>	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Treasurer	2,103,875 80	
Government Agents and their Assistants	1,272,311 5	
Fixed Deposits in Banks	1,500,000 0	
	4,876,186 85	
<i>Investments.</i>		
Indian Government 3½ per cent. Paper	A 4,086,046 82	
Ceylon 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock	B 1,282,848 94*	
Ceylon 3 per cent. Inscribed Stock	C 165,000 0	
Colonial Stock	D 57,496 11	
By Crown Agents (temporary)	E 2,638,609 34	
	8,230,001 21	
<i>Loans to Local Bodies.</i>		
Pettah Library	12,880 0	
Kandy Industrial School	13,276 43	
Kandy Municipal Council	236,992 71	
Galle Municipal Council	281,790 61	
Board of Improvement, Nuwara Eliya	179,617 54	
Board of Health, Central Province	26,786 0	
Do. Province of Sabaragamuwa	8,300 0	
Do. Province of Uva	4,000 0	
Do. Ambalangoda	6,000 0	
Do. Talawakele	12,500 0	
Local Board, Batticaloa	13,200 0	
Do. Badulla	42,745 84	
Do. Bandarawela	60,972 5	
Do. Chilaw	12,750 0	
Do. Gampola	26,840 0	
Do. Hatton	18,900 0	
Do. Kegalla	16,000 0	
Do. Matale	13,050 0	
Do. Nawalapitiya	16,179 6	
Do. Puttalam	25,250 0	
Do. Trincomalee	24,500 0	
Do. Ratnapura	8,000 0	
Do. Moratuwa	35,000 0	
Sanitary Board, Kandy	4,000 0	
Do. Galle	8,000 0	
Do. Hanguranketa	500 0	
Do. Kandapola	500 0	
Village Committee, Kandaboda pattu	4,800 0	
	1,113,330 24	
<i>Due by Governments and Agencies.</i>		
Straits Government	6,323 68	
Federated Malay States Government	16,926 55	
	22,350 23	
<i>Advances.</i>		
Colombo Drainage Works	10,424,394 2	
Colombo Waterworks	2,250,000 0	
Public Officers	33,066 12	
Heads of Departments	2,063,603 8	
	14,771,063 22	
Remittances in transit to Local Kacheries	127,060 45	
Value of stores in hand	6,628,569 90	
Local Loans Sinking Fund Investment	166,605 70	
Colombo Municipal Council Drainage Works Loan Investment	229,848 80	
	36,156,016 60	
Rs.		
A Estimated value	Rs. 3,438,816 56	
B Do.	1,260,640 00	
C Do.	132,000 00	
D Do.	45,227 25	
E Do.	1,984,363 30	

* Reduced to par. No Ceylon market quotation.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

Senior and Junior Examinations, January, 1914.

THE following is the result of the Senior and Junior Examinations held in January last for the Field Staff of the Survey Department:—

SENIOR.

W. C. de Zylva	..	Passed in Geometry, Standing Orders, and Directions for Surveys
E. B. Dissanayake	..	Passed in Engineering, Surveys, and Directions for Surveys
H. Jayasekera	..	Passed in Directions for Surveys
E. Keyt	..	Passed in Engineering Surveys

JUNIOR.

R. L. Brohier	..	Passed in Geometry
J. C. Chapman	..	Passed in Mensuration, Standing Orders, and English Composition and Dictation
R. C. Dissanayake	..	Passed in Geometry, Arithmetic, Standing Orders, English Composition and Dictation, and Drawing and Hill-sketching
G. E. Anthonisz	..	Passed in Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, and English Composition and Dictation
R. Alvapillai	..	Passed in Geometry, Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, and English Composition and Dictation
S. Ambalavanar	..	Passed in Standing Orders
S. Arumugam	..	Passed in English Composition and Dictation
J. G. Sahabandu	..	Passed in Geometry, Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, Standing Orders, and English Composition and Dictation
L. E. Perera	..	Passed in Geometry, Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, and Drawing and Hill-sketching
T. B. Hewawissa	..	Passed in Geometry, Mensuration, and Arithmetic
D. W. Jayamaha	..	Passed in Arithmetic, Standing Orders, and Drawing and Hill-sketching
E. R. F. Koch	..	Passed in Mensuration, Arithmetic, English Composition and Dictation, and Drawing and Hill-sketching
C. J. Sabapathy	..	Passed in Geometry, Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, and English Composition and Dictation
R. Schokman	..	Passed in Geometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, Standing Orders, and English Composition and Dictation
H. de Saram	..	Passed in Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, Standing Orders, and English Composition and Dictation
J. W. Senanayake	..	Passed in Geometry, Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, Standing Orders, and English Composition and Dictation
V. E. H. de Zylva	..	Passed in Trigonometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, and English Composition and Dictation
H. D. Smith	..	Passed in Mensuration
A. B. Siriwardane	..	Passed in Geometry, Mensuration, Arithmetic, Standing Orders, and Drawing, and Hill-sketching
B. J. Thiedeman	..	Passed in Geometry and Trigonometry
E. H. Vanderwert	..	Passed in Geometry
R. A. Wijetunge	..	Passed in Geometry Arithmetic, Standing Orders, and English Composition and Dictation.

Surveyor-General's Office,
Colombo, March 26, 1914.

W. C. S. INGLES,
Acting Surveyor-General.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. Brault for permission to move his Kalpitiya Vernacular Mixed School to a new site, which is about 500 yards due west of the present site.

Observations will be received not later than May 4, 1914.

Education Office, R. B. STRICKLAND,
Colombo, March 31, 1914. Acting Director of Education.

situated in Gangaboda pattu of the Galle District of the Southern Province.

Observations will be received not later than May 4, 1914.

Education Office, R. B. STRICKLAND,
Colombo, March 31, 1914. Acting Director of Education.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from Rev. J. B. Poulain for permission to convert his Vathiry South Vernacular Mixed School into an Anglo-Vernacular School.

Observations will be received not later than May 4, 1914.

Education Office, R. B. STRICKLAND,
Colombo, March 31, 1914. Acting Director of Education.

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NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting salt from the pans, Chiviyateru, to the General Stores, Karaiur, Jaffna, by bullock carts, all the salt to be collected at Chiviyateru during 1914.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed, and should be addressed to (a) the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna (original tenders); (b) the Controller of Revenue, Colombo (duplicate tenders).

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Transporting Salt, Chiviyateru," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the offices of the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Monday, April 20, 1914.

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

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

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

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

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.

Jaffna Kachcheri,
March 11, 1914.

N. E. ERNST,
for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for transporting 20,000 cwt. of salt from Nilaveli and Trincomalee Salt Stores to the Batticaloa Salt Stores.

2. The tenderers must state the rate of hire for each cwt., including the cost of weighing and storing. Rates are to be quoted separately for removal from Nilaveli and Trincomalee.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for transporting Salt" in the left hand corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, not later than midday on Thursday, April 30, 1914.

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

5. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made at any Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within seven days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent, Eastern Province, 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. The deposit of Rs. 50 will be refunded upon signature of the 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. 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 Batticaloa Kachcheri.

8. A duplicate copy of the tender should be forwarded by the tenderer by post to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue at the same time as he forwards the original to the Government Agent, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

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.

Batticaloa Kachcheri,
March 20, 1914.

T. GOONETILLEKE,
for Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the privilege of selling foreign liquor by retail to be consumed on the premises within the Local Board limits of Anuradhapura for a period of twelve months from October 1, 1914. Sale to be conducted in one suitable building on a site approved by the Government Agent.

All tenders should be sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Government Agent, North-Central Province, Anuradhapura.

Tenders should be marked "Tender for the privilege of selling Foreign Liquor by retail" on the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Government Agent not later than noon on May 11, 1914.

A deposit of Rs. 200 must be made at the Treasury or any Kachcheri, and the receipt attached to the tender. Should the successful tenderer decline to carry out his contract, the deposit will be forfeited to the Crown.

The purchaser shall, on his being declared the purchaser, pay to the Kachcheri, within a given time, the amount of his tender.

Conditions of license, &c., can be obtained from the Government Agent or at his office.

The Government Agent does not bind himself to accept the highest tender or any particular tender or any part of a tender.

The Kachcheri,
Anuradhapura, March 25, 1914.

B. CONSTANTINE,
Government Agent.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the removal of 30,000 cwt., more or less, at 10,000 cwt. per mensem, of salt lying at the Palatupana Lewaya into Kirinda Stores.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota.

3. The duplicate of tender should be posted by the tenderer to the Hon. the Controller of Revenue at the same time as he forwards the original to the Assistant Government Agent.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for removal of Salt" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Assistant Government Agent not later than midday on April 21, 1914.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury Office, Tangalla, or 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, 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. 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.

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.

Hambantota Kachcheri, E. T. MILLINGTON,
March 25, 1914. Assistant Government Agent.

TENDERS for the contract of daily scavenging, cleaning drains, and conservancy of a latrine in the town of Teldeniya, within the Sanitary Board limits, from April 15, 1914, to December 31, 1914, will be received by the Chairman, Sanitary Board, Kandy District, up to noon on April 6, 1914.

(a) Two coolies to be provided by the contractor for sweeping and one for the latrine.

(b) A hand cart for removal of rubbish to be provided by the Board.

(c) Materials (mamoties, brushes, baskets, and disinfectant) to be provided by the Board.

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

Kandy Kachcheri, C. H. COLLINS,
March 25, 1914. for Chairman.

WITH reference to the notice calling for tenders for furnishing the new room in the Director's Office, and also for furnishing the storeroom, now being built, the tenders should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Thursday, April 16, 1914, and not Tuesday, April 14, 1914, as already published.

April 1, 1914. GEORGE A. JOSEPH,
for Director.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the erection and completion of a dispensary at Rattota, Central Province.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Dispensary, Rattota," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 21, 1914.

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

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

6. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

7. Plans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy.

8. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 500, for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

Public Works Office, H. B. LEES,
Colombo, March 25, 1914. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the erection and completion of a dispensary at Watawala, Central Province.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Dispensary, Watawala," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 21, 1914.

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

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

6. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

7. Plans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy.

8. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 500, for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Central Province, Kandy, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

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

Public Works Office, H. B. LEES,
Colombo, March 25, 1914. for Director of Public Works.

TENDERS are hereby invited for clothing for Government Stores, Queen's House, Port Surgeon's Department, Pioneers, Postal Department, &c., from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 21, 1914.

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 16, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of kerosine oil (American oil and bulk oil) from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 16, 1914.

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 Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. 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 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 16, 1904.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the making of clothing for the Police Department from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 21, 1914.

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

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 16, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of furniture from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 7, 1914.

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 Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. 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 in cash. All other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

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

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

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

March 16, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of bricks, tiles (half-round and ridged), bamboos, cadjans, posts, and sea sand from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 Bricks, &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 April 7, 1914.

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 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sawn teak from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 7, 1914.

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 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sundries from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tenders for 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 April 16, 1914.

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 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of boots and shoes from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 7, 1914.

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 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of (a) North Wales Coal, (b) Bengal coal, and (c) best Cardiff coal from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 7, 1914.

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 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
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 October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 16, 1914.

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 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of castor oil from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 April 16, 1914.

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 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of Calicut and Mangalore tiles, first quality (flat, half, ridge, ventilation, glass finials, and ornamental ridge), from October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1915.

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 Calicut and Mangalore 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 April 7, 1914.

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. The name of the tenderer, name of manufacturing firm, and place of manufacture should be marked on 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. 1,000 in cash. 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.

March 16, 1914.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Colonial Storekeeper.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the construction and erection in the Laboratory of the Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya, of three laboratory benches (teak) and one inner room (teak).

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Botanist and Mycologist, Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya.

3. Tenders should be handed over personally to the Botanist and Mycologist, or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Works at the Royal Botanic Gardens" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the office of the Botanist and Mycologist, Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya, April 6, 1914. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

5. A deposit of Rs. 10 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the receipt should be attached to the original tender. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish 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 his name would be liable to be placed in the list of defaulting contractors. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

6. Cash security of Rs. 50 will be required for the fulfilment of the work.

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

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

Royal Botanic Gardens, T. PERCH,
Peradeniya, March 16, 1914. Botanist and Mycologist.

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

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 28, 1914.

5. 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.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the 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. A rate per broad gauge and narrow gauge sleepers delivered and supplied must be quoted both in words and figures.

9. 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 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. D. SARGENT,
Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Anuradhapura Division.

Forest Office,
Anuradhapura, March 30, 1914.

Schedule referred to.

(a) To fell 2,000 palu trees, more or less, standing in the chens known as Kiriyaagasamahena, in Matombuwa korale, duly stamped by a Forest Officer, to convert them into 4,000 sound broad gauge sleepers, and to transport them to the Nuwarawewa Depôt, near Anuradhapura, and to stack them in the depôt according to instructions.

The contractor will be allowed to convert into narrow gauge sleepers the residue of any tree which is not of sufficient length to produce a broad gauge sleeper, but no tree may be felled for conversion into narrow gauge sleepers alone. The approximate number of narrow gauge sleepers on the contract will be 2,000.

The distance of transport for the sleepers is about 5 miles from the forest to Galapitagala by cart track, thence 8 miles to Maradankadawela by gravel road, and from there 20 miles to Nuwarawewa by metalled road.

All the sleepers must be delivered at the Nuwarawewa Depôt by November 30, 1914, and all transport over the gravel road from Galapitagala to Maradankadawela must be completed by September 30, 1914, before the commencement of the wet season.

No trees may be felled outside the chena mentioned above.

(b) To fell and convert into 3,000 broad gauge sleepers and a reasonable proportionate number of narrow gauge sleepers, as explained in schedule (a), 1,500 palu trees, more or less, duly stamped by a Forest Officer, in the area

known as the Mahamankadawela forest; bounded on the north by the Arippoo road from the 7th to the 11th mileposts; on the east by the Mahamankadawela-Ulukkulama pinpara from the 7th milepost on the Arippoo road to the village of Mahamankadawela; on the south by the footpath from Mahamankadawela to Ranorewa as far as the Talawa-oya; on the west by the Talawa-oya to the point where it crosses the Singharagama-Ranorewa pinpara at the 10th milepost, and thence by this pinpara to the 11th milepost on the Arippoo road.

The approximate number of narrow gauge sleepers permitted is 2,000.

To transport the above to the Nuwarawewa Depôt, near Anuradhapura, a maximum distance of 15 miles, partly by minor road and partly by metalled road.

To stack the transported sleepers in the Nuwarawewa Depôt according to instructions.

The work must be completed on or before November 30, 1914.

TENDERS are hereby invited for carrying out the service described in the annexed schedule.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Supply of Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 28, 1914.

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

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

9. 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 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.

OWEN JONES,
Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Kurunegala Division.

Forest Office,
Kurunegala, March 30, 1914.

Schedule referred to.

(1) To fell within 6 inches of the ground all the available palu, milla, and satin trees standing in the bed of the Tabbowa tank, which is being restored, and in the irrigable area under the above tank, situated in the Rajawannipattu of the Puttalam District, to the north-west of the Puttalam-Anuradhapura road, between the 8th and 9th mileposts.

To saw the above trees into 2,500 broad gauge sleepers, more or less, each 9 feet by 10 inches by 5 inches.

(2) To saw all suitable end pieces, short lengths, and branches of the trees above referred to into 800 narrow gauge sleepers, more or less, each 5 feet by 9 inches by 4½ inches, and to transport all the broad gauge and narrow gauge sleepers to the Puttalam Depôt.

Distance from the forest to the Puttalam Depôt by road is between 9 to 12 miles. The Irrigation Department Service road from the forest to the main road is not to be used for transport of sleepers or other purposes in connection with this work.

The work should be completed within five months from the date of signing the agreement.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the services described in the schedule annexed, and for convenience divided into three parts (a), (b), and (c).

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than Tuesday, April 28, 1914.

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

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

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5. A cash security of 5 per cent. of the value of contract will be required, and the contractor will be required to produce a certificate of competency signed by a Chief Headman before signing the contract.

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

10. Payment at tendered rates will be made for only sound sleepers accepted by an officer of the Railway Department.

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.

C. W. FISHER,
Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Forest Office,
Batticaloa, March 30, 1914.

Schedule referred to.

(a) To fell within 6 inches of the ground all the available palu and milla trees and few satinwood trees above 4 feet in girth standing in the Crown forest called Gomasankadawala and Panikattiyawa forest, situated in Katukulam West. Only stamped trees should be felled.

To saw them into 1,000, more or less, broad gauge sleepers, each 9 feet by 10 inches by 5 inches. Also to saw 500, more or less, narrow gauge sleepers, each 5 feet by 9 inches by 4½ inches, out of end pieces and branches of trees felled for sawing broad gauge sleepers.

To transport the above to Trincomalee seabeach, a distance of 21 to 25 miles (and to stack them under cover), within four and a half months.

(b) To fell within 6 inches of the ground all the available palu and milla trees and few satinwood trees above 4 feet in girth standing in the Crown forest called Ellakandai forests, &c.; bounded on the north by Foul Point Lighthouse, on the east by sea, on the south by the old Batticaloa road, and on the west by Koddigar Bay situated in the Koddigar pattu. Only stamped trees should be felled.

To saw them into 1,000, more or less, broad gauge sleepers, each 9 feet by 10 inches by 5 inches. Also to saw 500, more or less, narrow gauge sleepers, each 5 feet by 9 inches by 4½ inches, out of end pieces and branches of trees felled for sawing broad gauge sleepers.

To transport the above to the seabeach at Kokatty or Wattam, a distance of 3 to 8 miles, and thence to Trincomalee (and stack them under cover), within four and a half months.

(c) To fell within 6 inches of the ground all the available palu and milla trees and few satinwood trees above 4 feet in girth standing in the Crown forest called Kallampattai, situated in Katukulam East; and bounded on the north by Pankulam-aar, on the east by the Nilaveli-Kokulai road, on the south by Velvery-Nilaveli forest track, on the west by Velvery-Kokulai forest track. Only stamped trees should be felled.

To saw them into 1,000, more or less, broad gauge sleepers, each 9 feet by 10 inches by 5 inches. Also to saw 500, more or less, narrow gauge sleepers, each 5 feet by 9 inches by 4½ inches, out of end pieces and branches of trees felled for sawing broad gauge sleepers.

To transport the above to Trincomalee seabeach, a distance of about 8 to 20 miles (and to stack them under cover), within four and a half months.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of 800 cubic yards of firewood to the Government Distillery at Kalutara from May 15 to November 30, 1914, as per schedule annexed.

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 Firewood to Distillery" 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, April 28, 1914.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of 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. Tenders must quote a rate, written both in words and figures, per cubic yard of firewood delivered at the Distillery properly stacked.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required to be deposited in cash 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 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. C. C. MIDDLETON,
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Ratnapura, March 24, 1914. Colombo Division.

Schedule referred to.

(1) Trees to be cut from Galahitiyamukalana at Molkawa, in Pasdun Korale East, will be stamped by a Forest Officer, and shall be converted into firewood. Each piece shall be 3 feet in length, and not less than 12 inches nor more than 24 inches in girth.

(2) Quantities averaging not less than 100 cubic yards per month shall be delivered properly and neatly stacked at such places on the Government Distillery premises at Kalutara as the officer in charge of the Distillery shall order.

(3) The distance of the forest to the Distillery is 32 miles by water (Kuda-ganga).

TENDERS are hereby invited for the under-mentioned works to be carried up 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 Supply of Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 28, 1914.

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

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline or fail to enter into the contract and bond, or to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department, or his duly authorized representative, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown, and the defaulter will render himself liable to be included in the list of defaulting contractors precluded from having any concern in a Government contract. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of 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. A rate per broad gauge and narrow gauge sleepers delivered should be quoted written both in words and figures.

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

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

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

W. W. FYERS,
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Matara, March 30, 1914. Galle Division.

Schedule referred to.

To fell in Induruwawilamukalana or Kannaliyamukalana, in the Galle District, and to saw, transport, and deliver at the Gintota Railway Station, 500 na broad gauge sleepers of 9 feet by 10 inches by 5 inches, and 200 na narrow gauge sleepers of 5 feet by 9 inches by 4½ inches.

TENDERS are hereby separately invited for the sleeper services (a) and (b) in the annexed schedule.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sleeper Service (a) or (b)," as the case may be, in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, April 28, 1914.

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

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

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

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

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 of accepting any portion of a tender.

11. Separate rates per sleeper, broad gauge and narrow gauge, must be quoted, written both in words and figures.

A. J. KILMARTIN,
Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Jaffna, March 30, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

Service (a).

To convert and remove 4,000 broad gauge and 2,000 narrow gauge railway sleepers from the forest known as Naravikulam forest in Mannar Range; bounded on the north by Paranki-arū, on the east by the Mundumurippu-Iranai Iluppaikulam minor road, on the south by the Iranai Iluppaikulam-Mayiladvillu minor road, and on the west by the pattu boundary between Perunkalippattu and Panankamam.

The sleepers should be delivered stacked at Puliyadi Irakam on the Madawachchi-Mannar Railway line. Distance of transport from 18 to 28 miles.

Service (b).

To convert and remove 3,000 broad gauge and 1,500 narrow gauge railway sleepers from the forest known as Tannikkallu forest in Mullaittivu Range; bounded on the north by the Odaivelikkulam-Udankaikulam minor road, on the east by the Andankulam proposed reserved forest and the pattu boundary between Melpattu East and Karikkaddumulai South, on the south by Parayan-arū, and on the west by the Odaivelikkulam-Vedivaitakallu minor road.

The sleepers should be delivered stacked at Puliyanikulam on the Northern Railway line. Distance of transport from 16 to 26 miles.

(1) Trees must be felled within 6 in. from the ground by saw or axe and saw combined.

(2) Only those trees stamped and marked by the Forest Ranger should be felled. Such trees will be either palu, milla, or mi, and of at least 4 ft. 6 in. girth.

(3) All suitable dead and hollow trees within the forest marked by the Forest Officer, in addition to all matured sound trees so marked, should be utilized for conversion into sleepers.

(4) Logs attacked by fungus or defective logs should not be sawn into sleepers. The sleepers should be sawn from sound matured wood, free from shakes, cracks, sapwood, and large or loose knots.

(5) Broad gauge sleepers should be 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in., and narrow gauge sleepers 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in.

(6) Sleepers should be rectangular in form, and sawn perfectly parallel on all sides and should have no wane.

(7) Sleepers should be covered with sawdust or immersed in water and invariably under shade immediately they are sawn until they can be transported to delivery depôts, where they should be stacked and kept under shade in the manner to be pointed out by the Forest Ranger.

(8) Only such sleepers as are practically certain to be accepted by the Railway authorities will be allowed to be stacked at delivery depôts.

(9) The whole work must be completed before September 30, 1914.

(10) Payment will be made only for such sleepers as are accepted by the Railway Department. The Assistant Conservator of Forests will, at his discretion, make advances to contractor up to 80 per cent. of the value of those sleepers delivered and likely to be accepted.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of sleepers as appearing in the annexed schedule.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sleepers to 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, April 28, 1914.

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

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

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

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of security required to be deposited in cash 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 5.

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. C. C. MIDDLETON,
Forest Office, Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Ratnapura, March 30, 1914. Colombo Division.

SCHEDULE.

(1) Six hundred milla trees (more or less) in Kaluaggallekanda at Kaluaggalla in Hapitigam korale, Western Province, marked by a Forest Officer, to be cut within 6 in. from the ground, and to be converted into 1,000 broad gauge sleepers (more or less), and 400 narrow gauge sleepers (more or less) from the remaining portions of the timber, and to be delivered at the Mirigama Railway Station.

(2) Each broad gauge sleeper shall be 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. and each narrow gauge sleeper shall be 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. of dimensions.

(3) Sleepers should be ready for delivery before August 31, 1914, at the Mirigama Railway Station. The distance from the forest to the Railway Station is about 5 miles.

(4) A rate per broad gauge sleeper and narrow gauge sleeper separately should be quoted both in words and figures.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one year commencing from October 1, 1914, and terminating on September 30, 1915.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of provisions to the ——— Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 7, 1914.

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. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

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

Colombo, March 17, 1914.

Name of Institution.

Schedule referred to
Nature of Provisions
to be supplied.

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

Amount of
Tender Deposit.

Amount of
Security.

Name of Institution.	Schedule referred to Nature of Provisions to be supplied.	Amount of Tender Deposit.	Amount of Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Neboda Hospital	.. Cooked with milk	200	400
Negombo Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Puttalam Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Marawila Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Anuradhapura Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Kegalla Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Kolonna Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Buttala Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Lunugala Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Medagama Hospital	.. do.	200	400
Rakwana Hospital	.. do.	300	600
Ratnapura Hospital	.. do.	300	600
Kurunegala Hospital	.. do.	500	1,000

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the jails named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one year commencing from October 1, 1914, and terminating on September 30, 1915.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of provisions to the ——— Jail" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 16, 1914.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons, 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 either at the Treasury or 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, 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 completion of the contract.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

11. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, or to the Superintendent of the jail concerned.

Colombo, March 17, 1914.

W. H. ROBINSON, Major,
Acting Inspector-General of Prisons.

Name of Jail.	Schedule referred to. Nature of Provisions to be supplied.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Amount of Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Jaffna	Raw provisions	200 ..	1,000
Mankulam	do.	100 ..	500
Galle	do.	100 ..	500
Matara	do.	50 ..	250
Tangalla	do.	50 ..	250

TENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of provisions to the jails named in the schedule hereunder for the period of one year commencing from October 1, 1914, and terminating on September 30, 1915.

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

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

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the supply of provisions to the _____ Jail" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on April 21, 1914.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons, 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 either at the Treasury or 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, 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 completion of the contract.

7. If required, samples must be deposited.

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

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

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

11. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Inspector-General of Prisons, Colombo, or to the Superintendent of the jail concerned.

Colombo, March 24, 1914.

WALTER H. ROBINSON, Major,
Acting Inspector-General of Prisons.

Name of Jail.	Schedule referred to. Nature of Provisions to be supplied.	Amount of	
		Tender Deposit.	Amount of Security.
		Rs.	Rs.
Batticaloa	Raw provisions	50 ..	250
Trincomalee	do.	25 ..	50
Chilaw	do.	50 ..	250
Anuradhapura	do.	100 ..	500
Badulla	do.	50 ..	250
Kegalla	do.	50 ..	150

SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

THE following found and unclaimed articles will be sold by public auction at the Railway premises, Maradana, at 2 P.M., on Wednesday, April 8, 1914, viz. :-

1 lot 3 baskets
1 lot 2 bicycle tubes
1 lot 2 cushions, woollen cap, and coat hanger
1 lot pair new boots (gent's) and felt hat
1 lot books
1 lot lady's woollen skirt, blouse, and rug
1 lot hammock and gun barrel
1 bag horse food
1 package cotton
1 lot 2 camp beds
1 lot 5 jakwood chairs and deck chair
1 raincoat marked A
1 do. B
1 do. C
1 do. D
1 do. E
1 raincape marked A
1 do. B
1 overcoat
1 travelling bag
1 lot lady's boa and comforter
1 lot woollen overcoat and skirt (lady's)
1 spirit stove
1 lot package tea shooks and planks

1 lot zinc guttering and zinc tank
3 bags lime
1 lot packet distemper and packet blue and paint brush
1 dozen packets matches
1 large saw
1 bundle lot soiled linen marked A
1 do. B
1 lot 3 gents' umbrellas marked A
1 do. B
1 do. C
1 do. D
1 do. E
1 lot 5 gents' umbrellas marked A
1 do. B
1 lot 8 gents' umbrellas
1 lot 10 gents' umbrellas marked A
1 do. B
1 do. C
1 lot 17 gents' umbrellas
1 lot 4 ladies' umbrellas
1 lot 3 ladies' umbrellas
1 lot 2 children's umbrellas
1 lot 3 walking-sticks marked A
1 do. B
1 do. C
1 do. D
1 do. E

1 lot 6 walking-sticks marked A
 1 do. B
 1 do. C
 1 lot 7 walking-sticks
 1 lot fibre mattress and bed curtain
 1 lot kitchen knives, coconut scraper, grinding stone, earthenware, glassware, enamelled ware, and lime squeezer
 1 lot packets 1½-in. screws and lot door hinges
 1 saucepan with cover
 2 fishing nets
 1 lot packingcases, &c.
 1 leather hand bag marked A (new)
 1 do. B (do.)
 1 do. C
 2 do. D
 1 lot 6 plates, 12 cheese plates, and teapot
 1 lot 1 Buddhist priest's robe and white Buddhist flags
 1 portable washstand
 1 trunk marked A
 1 do. B
 1 do. C
 1 dozen silk coloured handkerchiefs (new)
 3 cigarette cases
 1 lot purses
 1 lot 2 spectacles marked A
 1 spectacle (gold-rimmed) marked B
 1 do. (do.) do. C
 1 lot forks, spoons, and two cash boxes
 1 lot lady's silk elastic belt, hatpins, hairpins, and silk thread
 1 lot 2 combs and hair brushes
 1 lot 2 shaving sticks and 3 linen collars
 1 telescope
 1 lot 5 tobacco pouches
 1 lot 2 toy guns, 1 doll, and piece baby soap
 1 lot 6 bent combs
 1 lot smoking pipes
 1 lot keys and 1 padlock

1 bamboo pole
 1 lot old boots, shoes, and sandals
 1 lot 9 Chinese lamps, 2 lanterns, and 2 wall lamps
 1 crucifix
 1 lot corkscrew and whip
 1 lot empty gunny bags
 1 lot mats
 1 lot 2 sets geometrical instruments, 1 pair cricketing gloves, and 1 leather book strap
 1 package cardboard
 1 glass jar in cane cover
 1 silver watch
 1 collar pin
 1 necklace and pendant
 1 fountain pen marked A
 1 do. B
 1 silver bangle
 1 brooch
 1 necklace
 1 ring
 1 watch and watch guard
 1 Muhammadan fez (new)
 1 lot 2 pigsticker hats
 1 case glass
 1 second hand Remington typewriter (Government property)

General Manager's Office,
 Colombo, March 12, 1914.

G. P. GREENE,
 General Manager.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned unserviceable articles will be sold by public auction at the Public Works Department Store, Galle, on Tuesday, May 5, 1914, at 2 P.M. :—

55 cans, tin
 100 drums, iron
 8 empty tar barrels

50 kegs, iron
 1 cwt. rope, signal, half-yard, 2-in.

Public Works Office,
 Colombo, April 1, 1914.

HAROLD T. CREASY,
 for Director of Public Works.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Registrar-General's Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended March 28, 1914.

Births.—The total births registered in the city of Colombo in the week were 96 (0 Europeans, 7 Burghers, 62 Sinhalese, 8 Tamils, 15 Moors, 4 Malays, and 0 Others). The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum (calculated on the estimated population on January 1, 1914, viz., 239,528) was 20·9, as against 23·5 in the preceding week, 27·7 in the corresponding week of last year, and 24·4 the weekly average for last year.

Deaths.—The total deaths registered were 110 (1 European, 4 Burghers, 64 Sinhalese, 20 Tamils, 18 Moors, 2 Malays, and 1 Other). The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 25·0, as against 25·7 in the previous week, 27·2 in the corresponding week of last year, and 28·0 the weekly average of last year.

Infantile Deaths.—Of the 110 total deaths, 19 were of infants under one year of age, as against 23 in the preceding week, 26 in the corresponding week of the previous year, and 31 the average of last year.

Stillbirths.—The number of stillbirths registered during the week was 7.

Principal Causes of Death.—Sixteen deaths from *Phthisis* were registered, as against 8 in the previous week and 13 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 10 were in Maradana (including 3 deaths of non-residents in hospitals), 2 in New Bazaar, 2 in Kollupitiya, 1 in Kotahena, and 1 in Slave Island.

2. Six deaths from *Pneumonia* were registered, as against 8 in the previous week and 15 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 2 were in Wellawatta, 1 in Kotahena, 1 in New Bazaar, 1 in Maradana of a non-resident in hospital, and 1 in Kollupitiya. Five deaths from *Bronchitis* were registered.

3. Five deaths from *Enteric Fever* were registered, as against 2 in the previous week and 3 the weekly average for last year. Of these, 2 were in Kotahena, 2 in Maradana (including 1 death of a non-resident in hospital), and 1 in Wellawatta.

4. Eight deaths from *Senility* were registered, 7 from *Debility*, 6 from *Enteritis*, 5 from *Infantile Convulsions*, 5 from *Congestion of the Lungs*, and 1 from *Heart Failure* (probably due to *Plague*), 3 from *Worms*, 2 from *Diarrhoea*, 2 from *Accidents* (one due to a prick from an ekel and the other to being run over by a bullock cart), 1 from *Tetanus*, 1 from *Dysentery*, and 33 from *Other Causes*.

5. Six deaths from *Plague* were registered, as against 15 in the previous week. Of these, 4 were in St. Paul's and 2 in Pettah. There were 10 cases reported, as against 13 in the previous week.

6. No deaths were registered from *Cholera*. There was 1 in the previous week.

7. One case of *Measles* was reported, as in the previous week. There were 9 cases of *Chickenpox*, against 21 in the previous week.

State of the Weather.—The mean temperature of air was 82·6°, against 81·5° in the preceding week and 81·3° in the corresponding week of the previous year. The mean atmospheric pressure was 29·832 in., against 29·904 in. in the preceding week and 29·847 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year. The total rainfall in the week was 0·14 in., against 0·34 in. in the preceding week and 3·39 in. in the corresponding week of the previous year.

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